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**Canterbury Woods, Fox Run at Orchard Park
Collaborate to Create FoxWoods Home Care
*New agency will serve residents at both communities; First of its
kind collaboration officially approved by New York State***

WILLIAMSVILLE, NY-ORCHARD PARK, NY – In a first of its kind collaboration, Canterbury Woods and Fox Run at Orchard Park, Western New York’s only two Continuing Care Retirement Communities, have created a new agency to provide needed services for their residents.

FoxWoods Home Care LLC will provide home care services to residents at Canterbury Woods in Williamsville, Canterbury Woods Gates Circle in Buffalo, and Fox Run at Orchard Park. The new licensed home care services agency’s application was officially approved by the New York State Department of Health’s Public Health and Health Planning Council on February 19. It marks the first time two Continuing Care Retirement Communities have collaborated on such a venture in New York State.

“FoxWoods not only represents a new level of innovation and collaboration in New York, more important, it represents a new level of home care services for residents at our communities who need it,” said Rob Wallace, Canterbury Woods President & CEO. “By coming together in this way, Canterbury Woods and Fox Run are serving our shared mission to provide quality, compassionate care for seniors in Western New York.”

“Collaborating on this effort made sense on many levels,” added Fox Run at Orchard Park CEO William Wlodarczyk. “Not only do our organizations operate in the same business, we’re built on the foundation of the same values and vision. Together, we are providing a creative, effective and efficient solution that strengthens both communities.”

Canterbury Woods is currently home to approximately 450 residents at its Williamsville and Gates Circle campuses, while Fox Run at Orchard Park currently has more than 320 residents across all levels of care. Approximately 100 residents across all three sites currently receive home care services from outside providers, who often travel throughout the region providing services at several different locations.

“Establishing FoxWoods helps us create and maintain a consistent standard of home care services for residents regardless of which community they live in,” said Wallace.

Now that its application has been officially approved, FoxWoods will begin the process of recruiting and hiring a director to oversee operations, as well as hiring care aides. Wallace and Wlodarczyk expect FoxWoods to begin providing services to Canterbury Woods and Fox Run residents in early summer.

“The application and approval process was long – more than two years from the time we submitted our application until it was approved – but we stuck with it because we both believe in what FoxWoods represents,” Wlodarczyk said. “Now, we’re at the start of a very exciting path. As the senior care and long-term care landscape continues to shift, our two communities here in Western New York are creating a new model of care for the entire state.”

Canterbury Woods and Fox Run at Orchard Park both provide life care to Western New York seniors, with assured access to a full continuum of independent living, assisted living, memory care and skilled nursing and rehabilitative services. Canterbury Woods operates a 62-acre Williamsville campus and Canterbury Woods Gates Circle, prominently located at historic Gates Circle in the city of Buffalo. Fox Run is located on a picturesque, well-maintained 54-acre campus in the heart of Orchard Park.