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Home Care Assistance of Ft. Lauderdale Fosters a Cutting-Edge Approach to Reducing Avoidable Hospital Readmissions

As the premier provider of quality care at home, Home Care Assistance of Ft. Lauderdale is partnering with leading medical institutions to reduce avoidable hospital readmissions

(Fort Lauderdale, FL – June 1, 2016) As the U.S. continues to deal with growing health care costs, the government is focused on eliminating avoidable hospital readmissions. These readmissions are typically caused by insufficient post-hospitalization care, failure to adhere to prescribed medication or therapy schedules, or a lack of care for recently discharged patients. According to the Medicare Payment Advisory Committee, almost 20% of Medicare patients will be readmitted to the hospital within 30 days. These readmissions cost over \$15 billion dollars annually and are a source of tremendous anxiety for patients and their families.

[Home Care Assistance of Ft. Lauderdale](#) works with local medical institutions and healthcare providers to help reduce avoidable hospital readmissions by providing patients and their families with the resources they need to effectively handle discharge and post-hospitalization recovery.

“The post-hospitalization and discharge process can be a stressful time for families. Often, families are trying to coordinate care for their loved ones from another state or while juggling other responsibilities,” said Manpreet Dhalla, Owner of Home Care Assistance of Ft. Lauderdale. “Our Hospital to Home Care program enables families to effectively manage the transition from hospital to the home. We are involved every step of the way to alleviate the stress and concerns of families, and to ensure quality care at home.”

As a trusted partner of leading medical facilities and an advocate for aging adults, Home Care Assistance of Ft. Lauderdale is uniquely positioned to help reduce hospital readmissions. Combining case studies with leading medical research, we have developed an impactful suite of educational resources for hospitalized patients, including *From Hospital to Home Care*, a comprehensive book on the hospital discharge and recovery process. We also have a dedicated website: HospitaltoHomeCare.com, a free online resource for families seeking information about the discharge process and recovery at home.

Our clients recognize the importance of home care after hospitalization and how Home Care Assistance of Ft. Lauderdale can help them. “We contacted Home Care Assistance in Ft. Lauderdale when we needed assistance for both of my elderly parents — one struggling with Parkinson’s disease and the other recovering from major surgery. The owner could not have been more accommodating, helpful, professional, or compassionate. [The caregivers] sent to care for my parents are kind, attentive, trustworthy, and responsible. They each have quickly become an invaluable part of our family. I would have had to quit my job to take care of my parents full time.”

For more information on Home Care Assistance of Ft. Lauderdale, please visit www.HomeCareAssistanceFTLauderdale.com or call 954-909-0370 at any time. We also welcome any one to visit our office at 5975 N Federal Highway, Ste 124 in Fort Lauderdale, FL.

About Home Care Assistance

Home Care Assistance is the leading provider of home care for seniors across the United States, Canada and Australia. Our mission is to change the way the world ages. We provide older adults with quality care that enables them to live happier, healthier lives at home. Our services are distinguished by the caliber of our caregivers, the responsiveness of our staff and our expertise in Live-In care. We embrace a positive, balanced approach to aging centered on the evolving needs of older adults. A 2015 Franchise500® and Inc. 5000 Company, Home Care Assistance has received numerous industry awards including Entrepreneur’s Fastest-Growing Franchises and Franchise Business Review’s Top 50. For more information about Home Care Assistance, our services and franchise opportunities, visit homecareassistance.com.