



October 12, 2009

Sumner on Ridgewood
Stacey Suhadolnik
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3670 Chestnut Chase
Copley, OH 44321

Laura A. Wagner • President & CEO

Dear Stacey,

In recognition of National Hospice Month, I am honored to share with you that Sumner on Ridgewood was selected by In-House Hospice to receive a 2009 Skilled Nursing Facility Award for Excellence.

Your facility and team were chosen from over a hundred facilities around the state for three very important reasons: 1) your organization's belief in the importance of good communications amongst the In-House and Sumner of Ridgewood staff; 2) for keeping in mind the needs of your patients and the importance of making timely referrals; and 3) for your support and understanding of the importance of collaborative care when a patient is nearing the end of life.

In-House Hospice applauds you and your team of physicians, caregivers, and volunteers. We are proud to be affiliated with Sumner of Ridgewood and look forward to continuing our work together that makes such a difference in the quality of the end-of-life experience for your staff, residents and their families.

Your In-house Client Services Representative Jill Smith, RN will be contacting you in the near future to schedule a time to present this award.

Sincerely,

Laura Wagner
President & CEO

cc: Jill Smith, RN Client Service Representative, In-house Hospice

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