More About HOMEWARD

A number of individuals, public and private organizations, such as the United Way of Story County, the Story County Board of Supervisors, the Iowa Department of Public Health, the City of Ames, Mary Greeley Medical Center and donors to the Mary Greeley Medical Center Foundation, support the work of HOMEWARD.

Certain services may be reimbursed by Medicare, Medicaid, commercial insurance, the Veterans Administration, state legislated funds or city/county funds. We can help you determine if reimbursement is possible for you.

It is the policy of HOMEWARD and every department of Mary Greeley Medical Center to provide services without regard to race, color, national origin, handicap, age, gender, religious affiliation or socio-economic status.

MARY GREELEY MEDICAL CENTER

Specialized care. Personal touch.

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HOMEWARD services are reviewed and approved by the Joint Commission and the Iowa Department of Public Health.

All facilities and grounds of Mary Greeley Medical Center are tobacco free.

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When you’re recovering, there’s no place like home.

And that’s why there’s no place like HOMEWARD.

HOMEWARD of Mary Greeley Medical Center combines home health care, hospice care, home medical equipment, and public health into a single organization. Our goal is to make the delivery of out-of-hospital health services convenient and economical. Services are provided within a 50-mile radius of Ames.

We are committed to assisting all who need our services. Our fees are based both on the extent of services provided and each client’s ability to pay.

Home Health Services

SKILLED NURSING

- Under physician’s order, registered nurses provide nursing services, evaluate your needs and supervise other caregivers. A registered nurse is on call 24 hours a day.

HOME HEALTH AIDES

- If you are ill, aides provide personal care to promote physical and emotional health.

OTHER SKILLED SERVICES

- Physical Therapy
- Speech Therapy
- Occupational Therapy
- Medical Social Services

HOMEMAKERS

- If you need assistance with personal care, housekeeping or shopping, a homemaker can help.

LIFELINE

- Reduce the worry about living alone with this 24-hour emergency response system.

MEALS ON WHEELS

- Enjoy a balanced, nutritious, noon-time meal, even for special diets, every day of the year.
  This service provided in Ames only.

Community Services

As the public health nursing agency for Story County, our programs include immunization services, communicable disease control, maternal and child services, senior health clinics and educational programs.

We work with you and your family to identify individual health risks and raise awareness of disease prevention opportunities. And this is just the beginning.

We are able to provide your care from assessment through rehabilitation. Our preliminary evaluation determines the level of care you require and re-evaluations are done as needed.