

August 14, 2026

Dear Residents, Families & Staff:

We are excited to announce that **Jessica Dulney** has accepted the position as our new Director of Dining Services and is scheduled to begin her new role in mid-September. Jessica is an accomplished foodservice and nutrition leader with more than 20 years of experience delivering exceptional dining experiences. As a Registered Dietitian and Director of Dining Services, she combines her expertise in nutrition, hospitality, and operations with a genuine passion for food and people. Jessica believes that food is about far more than nourishment. It creates connection, provides comfort, sparks enjoyment, and enhances quality of life. This philosophy drives her commitment to making every meal a meaningful and memorable part of the resident experience. Recognized for her collaborative and people-centered leadership style, Jessica excels at building high-performing teams and cultivating strong relationships. She successfully balances outstanding food quality, resident satisfaction, operational excellence, and fiscal responsibility while fostering a culture of engagement and accountability. Her passion for developing talent, improving processes, and creating welcoming dining environments helps ensure both residents and team members feel valued and supported.

Beyond her professional responsibilities, Jessica's love of food continues to inspire her personally and professionally. Whether exploring new cuisines, sharing meals with family and friends, or creating innovative dining programs, she believes that great food has the power to bring people together, strengthen connections, and enrich lives.

Employee Referral Bonus

From now until 8/31/2026, referral bonus amounts will increase for staff who refer Full Time or Part Time CNAs, EVS Technicians, or Activities Staff!

- \$2,000 FOR FULL-TIME
- \$1,000 FOR PART-TIME

Referral Guidelines:

Applicants must list the referring employee's name on their application.

Candidates must submit their application to HR by 8/31/2026 to qualify.

Referring employees must provide a reference for the candidate they are referring.

Referrals are paid ½ after the new hire completes 90 days of service and the next ½ is paid after their 120 days of service, provided they are still actively employed at that time. If you have any questions, contact Natalie Alsis in Human Resources at 610-359-4590 or nalsis@dunwoody.org.

Coffee Break Event!

Join us on August 26, 2026, from 8:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. in the Dunwoody Village Lobby for a special coffee tasting event! Our coffee partner, Farmer Brothers, will be on-site offering samples of both hot and iced coffee varieties. This is a wonderful opportunity to try new blends and share your feedback. Be sure to vote for your favorite coffee! We will also have a selection of breakfast pastries and sweet treats available for sampling. This event is open to all residents and staff. We look forward to seeing you there!

New at the Trolley Stop!

Dining Services now offers a small selection of gluten-free items in the Grab & Go Trolley Stop for your convenience. We would love to hear what you think! Please share your feedback through our Happy or Not survey. Your comments help us continue to improve our dining options and better serve our residents. Thank you for helping us make Dining Services even better!

Pool

The pool will be closed Saturday, August 15, 2026. We apologize for the late notice.

Health and Wellness

Please join us in the Fox Den at noon on August 20th for a Meet and Greet with Dr. Raffi Megerian, MD. Dr. Lawrence will be there to introduce Dr. Megerian and to tell the community about the new nurse practitioner who will be joining us on Mondays in Health and Wellness!

Flu Shot Season!

Please mark your calendars for our annual Flu Vaccine Clinic Day for Residential residents. The clinic will be held in Health and Wellness on September 17th! More details to follow in the coming weeks.

Operations

- In an effort to support Dunwoody's EVS team, we have partnered with B2B Cleaners. B2B will be onsite to conduct a deep cleaning of the hallways in ECH, WCH, and the Village Apartments from Wednesday, August 19th through August 21st. Their work will include high dusting, low dusting, cleaning all elevators, vacuuming, cleaning all stairwells, and cleaning all glass doors.
- Shredding -- Mayata Kamara, Operations Administrative Assistant, is working to schedule the annual resident shredding event for September. Once Mayata can confirm all details, we will provide an update.
- The operations team removed and surveyed the concrete outside of the pool due to a sunken concrete pad. The concrete will be repoured on August 17th, weather permitting.
- The air conditioning unit serving the fitness area, hair salon, wood shop, and library was repaired and is now cooling normally.

CEO Chat

The next CEO Chat with Maureen Casey is scheduled for Monday, August 24th at 11:00 am in the Fox Den.

Best regards,
Maureen