A. Holly Patterson Extended Care Facility

A. Holly Patterson (AHP) Extended Care Facility is sustained by one of the nation’s most outstanding and highly trained clinical staffs, and is a highly regarded prototype for nursing facilities that treat, and care for, the elderly long-term patient. Innovative in its techniques, AHP addresses the physical, social and emotional needs of each patient in a “whole person” approach that focuses on enriching the aging process with comprehensive, preventative health care that is enhanced with regular physical and emotional stimuli.

Offering a wide spectrum of clinical specialties, a full-time staff of board-certified physicians—supported by a team of highly motivated registered and licensed practical nurses—delivers around-the-clock care and personal attention to more than 500 residents. A. Holly Patterson also provides patients with on-site ambulatory clinics should medical issues arise. And, when there’s a need for hospitalization, Nassau University Medical Center, an affiliate of North Shore-LIJ, offers a full contingent of specialty services—and is just minutes away.

AHP excels as a post-hospital facility, with an array of clinical specialties that include:

- Sub-acute Rehabilitation for Post-stroke Disorders, Post-fracture Recuperation, Neuromuscular Disease Treatment, Accident Recovery and General Debility Treatment.
- Long-term Rehabilitation
- Wound Care
- IV Therapy
- HIV/AIDS and Infectious Disease Care and Treatment
- Comprehensive Orthopedic Services
- Dementia Services
- Hospice Care
- Korean Long-term Care
- On-site Hemodialysis
- Ventilator and Respiratory Care
- Cardiology
- Neurology
- Podiatry
- Dental Care
- Ophthalmology

AHP also provides an on-site pharmacy, and is one of a select number of nursing homes to maintain a full-service, accredited laboratory.

An exceptional support staff rounds out a professional team of caregivers at A. Holly Patterson. Social workers, registered dieticians, respiratory therapists, activities specialists, rehabilitation therapists and pastoral counselors contribute their specialized skills every day—enhancing our patients’ quality of life, whether their stay is long- or short-term.

At AHP, clinical therapies and recreational therapies go hand in hand. A talented group of music and art therapists encourages and motivates residents to broaden their cultural horizons on a daily basis. A full social calendar that includes field trips, educational programs, adapted athletics and holiday celebrations stimulates minds and exercises bodies. The popular game room, always staff-supervised and featuring video entertainment and physical games of skill, keeps the residents stimulated and engaged. There’s even a glee club for the musically inclined, and a veterans group in which companionship and old war stories are shared. Social recreation keeps the body toned and the mind sharp.

From the time of admission, the aim at AHP is to give residents every opportunity to return to their communities and resume their normal lives. Our tireless social staff works with families and outside agencies to increase patient functionality in hopes of achieving that end.