



To Lori Gutierrez

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Patty Ann and I have lived at Foulkeways for 20 years and have had the good fortune to use our skilled nursing department many times. Our nurses are dedicated to taking care of us full time and don't have to waste time filling out forms on a computer. Perhaps that is why we are still standing at 90 and 92 and are told by others that we look pretty good for our age.

Foulkeways withdrew from the Medicare program in 2017 and we do not understand why we should be required to adhere to the new Proposed DOH regulations. We received NO funds from Medicare or Medicaid. Incidentally, our 2022 DOH survey was deficiency free.

Please Lori Gutierrez, make sure that Foulkeways is exempt from the Federal Medicare regulations that are imposed by the State of Pennsylvania.

Thank you – Patty Ann and David A Long 10/24/2022

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