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**Bickford of St. Charles Recruiting Partners for  
Community Connections Resource Center**

St. Charles, IL. - Bickford of St Charles is developing a community resource center to provide informational, educational, and life enrichment activities to the greater community. The Bickford of St Charles Community Connections Resource Center will benefit both organizations to promote awareness of their services and information, and to local residents interested in positively influencing their health and wellness, all in one location.

Bickford Community Connections Resource Center will partner with local organizations to promote awareness and to provide education to the community on health and wellness information and services. There will be complimentary presentation, event, and meeting space available, a kiosk/resource area, free coverage of organizations, information, resources, and events in an online monthly newsletter/calendar to promote awareness.

The Bickford Community Connection Resource Center is created for local residents to have healthcare information, resources, and life enrichment activities available to them on a regular basis. A Bickford Community Connections calendar/newsletter will be available with an assortment of events including, but not limited to: free blood pressure screenings, complimentary health and wellness seminars, educational, exercise and entertaining opportunities.

“We are excited to provide a resource that will benefit the entire community.” said Andy Eby, President of Bickford Senior Living. “I am so pleased that we are able to create an offering that families in the community can take advantage of to enhance their health and wellness.”

If you are a community member interested in getting an e-mail copy of the newsletter/event calendar once a month, if you are part of an organization that would like to partner with The Bickford Community Connections Resource Center, or if you have any questions, please contact Rebecca Riedstra at 630-667-8206.

Bickford Senior Living manages and operates over 40 Independent Living, Assisted Living, and Memory Care branches in Kansas, Iowa, Illinois, Indiana, Missouri, Nebraska and Michigan, with headquarters located in Olathe, KS. The company was created when owners, Don & Judie Eby, were unable to find a quality assisted living residence for their mother, Mary Bickford who was diagnosed with Alzheimer’s disease. The Bickford story is told in more detail at [www.enrichinghappiness.com](http://www.enrichinghappiness.com)