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## California Long-Term Care Providers Receive National Quality Award

**SACRAMENTO, CA –** The American Health Care Association (AHCA)/National Center for Assisted Living (NCAL) National Quality Awards Program has announced the recipients of this year's *Bronze – Commitment to Quality Award*. Ten long-term care providers in California have earned the special national distinction for their dedication to enhancing the quality of care for our most vulnerable populations.

This year's award winners include the following:

- Alamitos West Health & Rehabilitation, Los Alamitos
- Anaheim Crest Nursing Center, Anaheim
- Cedar Crest Nursing & Rehabilitation Center, Sunnyvale
- Copper Ridge Care Center, Redding
- Country Manor La Mesa Healthcare Center, La Mesa
- Franciscan Post-Acute Care Center, Merced
- Lassen Nursing & Rehabilitation Center, Susanville
- Rancho Mirage Health & Rehabilitation Center, Rancho Mirage
- Riverside Behavioral Healthcare Center, Riverside (website unavailable)
- Veterans Home of California Fresno, Fresno (Assisted Living)

The program involves a rigorous three-level process that evaluates the capabilities of long-term care organizations against nationally recognized standards for excellence. It helps facilities identify critical areas for improvement, implement a plan to be stronger, resilient and more successful.

"This honor is a testament to the devoted health care professionals at these facilities, and their unwavering commitment to providing residents with exceptional care," said Craig Cornett, CAHF CEO/President. "This acknowledgement emphasizes the dedication toward continually advancing the quality of care in the long-term care sector."

The *Bronze – Commitment to Quality Award* is the first of three progressive award levels with each one requiring a more detailed demonstration of superior performance.

For more information about the awards, visit <u>AHCA's website</u>. To learn more about CAHF, visit our <u>webpage</u>.