

CMP PROJECT SPOTLIGHT

Civil Money Penalty Reinvestment Program

CMP Project Spurs Activity and Engagement at a Nursing Home in Louisiana

Residents at a rural Louisiana nursing home, The Broadway Elder Living and Rehabilitation, are benefiting from a new range of activities for recreation, social connection, memory care engagement, and therapy, thanks to the “It’s Never Too Late” (iN2L) project.

Art, music, games, Google Earth, and karaoke are just some of the many activities available to the 126 residents of The Broadway Elder to help empower them to make connections, engage with others, and enjoy life.

In Louisiana, Civil Money Penalty (CMP) funds were used to purchase the \$20,000 iN2L technology package and activity subscription, which comes with a large, interactive screen suitable for large groups, as well as a smaller screen and mobile cart, appropriate for individual resident rooms.

Recently, one resident held his great-grandson while they played a “bubble-popping” game on the screen. A grandmother, who was unable to attend her granddaughter’s wedding due to health reasons, was able to view the ceremony with her friends on the large iN2L screen, live-streamed online.

“I am most proud of how inclusive the program can be. Residents who were once unable to participate in certain activities, due to physical or cognitive limitations, are joining in more often, which improves social and physical engagement, encourages intellectual stimulation and enhances quality of life. The iN2L system offers a wide variety of meaningful and novel programs for all residents at all cognition levels.”

— Karen Tabiolo, Program Manager, Elder Outreach

Project Details

Focus: Engaging more residents in activities and therapy

Project Duration: 2017-18

Project Funding: \$19,492

Funded Entity: The Broadway Elder Living and Rehab Center, Louisiana

For more information:

<https://in2l.com/about-in2l/>

By the Numbers

34 percent

Rise in participation in social activities at The Broadway Elder in the eight months since new computer software was introduced.

101

Residents of 126 total residents at The Broadway Elder who have participated in the iN2L program in the first eight months.



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