

# Assisted Living Tour Tips

- Were you greeted warmly by staff who were eager to show you around?
- Does the assisted living community feel comfortable and home-like?
- Is staff available 24/7 to assist with your loved one's needs?
- Does the environment appear clean and odor-free?
- Is your family invited to stay for a meal during your visit?
- Does the staff respond to residents' needs in a kind and respectful way?
- Is a calendar of daily activities posted, and do they follow the schedule?
- How much does it cost, and what is involved in moving in and out?
- What do community health professionals, church members, and family members say about the facility's reputation?
- Choose based on quality care. Don't be fooled by fancy décor.
- Trust your instincts and listen to your heart.

