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# Senior Housing Options

## Spring News

*Gay & Lesbian Fund continues support for SHO through generous grants.*

SHO advocates for Assisted Living Services in CO through membership in both Colorado Assisted Living Association and Colorado Healthcare Association-Center for Assisted Living.

*SHO continues strong with over 30+ years of service to Colorado seniors and disabled individuals offering quality, affordable housing & caring, supportive services.*

**Thank You Art Reach** for our Community Events Tickets. SHO utilizes over \$2000 worth of tickets each year. Our residents are able to enjoy Music, the Western Stock Show, Theatre, Sporting, Cultural, Museums and Dance Performances. Our residents would not be able to enjoy these wonderful community events without this program!

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### New Website A Success

In September, SHO launched a new website platform.

Our information is easier to navigate and access.

*New features include:*

- Current events and resident stories
- RSS Direct Feed
- Easier to make donations through Pay Pal
- Regular vacancy updates

### Summer Volunteers coming to Denver Communities

For the third year, the Week of Hope kids are coming from all over the USA to volunteer and to provide service and time to residents.

These are youth mission trips that really help organizations like ours.

Both the staff and residents enjoy having the kids and spending time with them.

[www.groupweekofhope.com](http://www.groupweekofhope.com)

### Emergency Preparedness

#### "All Hazard" Planning

SHO continues to work on local plans through our Emergency Operations

Committee Workgroup.

Staff attend trainings and run mock drills & evacuations to improve our planning and response to emergencies & disasters. A Culture of Safety is the focus for all of our 13 communities. Monthly meetings encourage sharing best practices and encourage continuous improvement.



### SHO partners with Denver "Save A Life" AED Program

Denver staff are currently training with the American Red Cross.

Save A Life Denver received a grant to place 1,000 AEDs throughout the City and County of Denver at no cost.

<http://www.savealifedenver.org/about-the-program.html>

### Healthier Dining AT SHO

Five of our Assisted Living Communities recently partnered with Grove Menus. A Registered Dietician has designed the menus and provides consultation and support. The goal of this program is to increase resident satisfaction, offer healthier, nutritious meals, and also to provide more choices and selections and promote a wonderful dining experience.

Positive comments are coming in daily from our residents from our meal comment cards.



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## Assisted Living Services-Medicaid Certified

Barth Hotel-Denver

Cinnamon Park-Longmont

Cliffview-Kremmling

Madison House-Cortez

Mesa Vista-Battlement Mesa

Park Hill Residence-Denver

## Affordable Apartment Living-Low Income/Subsidized

Emerson Gardens-Denver

Grand Living-Granby

September House-Denver

Servicios-Denver

Silver Spruce-Kremmling

The Decatur-Denver

The Olin Hotel-Denver



Senior Housing Options is a 501 (c) 3 non-profit organization

Our Mission: To provide and promote quality affordable housing and services

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