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VNA NORTHWEST SEEKS TO REACH OUT TO ISOLATED RESIDENTS

BANTAM – VNA Northwest staff members are again asking the public's assistance in identifying senior citizens who are not yet connected to services that could help them to continue living safely in their homes.

With continued grant funding from the East Hill Woods Fund of the Connecticut Community Foundation, VNA Northwest is equipped to identify and meet with about 20 residents of nine western Connecticut towns, with the goal of connecting them to services such as the state's CHOICES program. (Connecticut's programs for Health insurance assistance, Outreach, Information and referral, Counseling and Eligibility Screening)

The towns included in the grant's guidelines are: **Bethlehem, Goshen, Litchfield, Morris, New Milford, Thomaston, Warren, Washington and Woodbury.**

VNA Northwest's staff is prepared to share information about the CHOICES program with seniors who may not be aware of these options.

Please call the home health agency at (860) 567-6000 or (800) 752-0215, or email jdunn@vnanw.org if you have a friend, neighbor or acquaintance that may need assistance with healthcare, transportation, home maintenance or other aspects of daily living. All referrals will be kept confidential.

The senior initiative developed by the Connecticut Community Foundation has been named *Pathways* in recognition of the many options seniors have in achieving a full life.