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VNA NORTHWEST Continuing to Reach Out to Isolated Seniors from Nine Local Towns

BANTAM -- VNA Northwest is still in the process of identifying area senior citizens who may be in need of health assessment visits and/or help in connecting to services that can allow them to continue living safely in their homes. The grant funding time frame from the Connecticut Community Foundation for this project has been extended through May, 2013.

The agency's nursing and social work staff is equipped to identify and meet with 5-10 more residents of nine western Connecticut towns,* with the goal of assessing their current health needs and connecting them to services offered through the state's CHOICES program, if needed. During the past year, VNA Northwest has met with many of the individuals referred to the home care agency by community representatives and the general public.

Please call (860) 567-6000 or (800) 752-0215 if you know of a senior citizen who may need a health assessment or help in connecting to needed services. All referrals will be kept confidential. Email messages may be sent to jdunn@vnanw.org.

*Bethlehem, Goshen, Litchfield, Morris, New Milford, Thomaston, Warren, Washington and Woodbury.