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SENATOR CAROLE PANKAU VISITS SENIORS

Bloomington, Ill. (April 8, 2008) – Illinois State Senator Carole Pankau met with residents, family members and guests of Alden Valley Ridge Rehabilitation and Health Care Center Monday, March 24. Senator Pankau, who represents the 23rd District, discussed current legislation being proposed at the State Capitol and important issues that affect seniors such as Medicare and Medicaid. Attendees received information on senior programs offered by the State of Illinois and community resources.

Photo 1

Senator Carole Pankau responds to a question about Social Security at an information session for seniors at Alden Valley Ridge Rehabilitation and Health Care Center on Monday, March 24. More than 50 older adults who live in the Senator's 23rd District attended the event.



Photo 2

Ruth Coffey, 73, discusses Medicare and Medicaid with Illinois State Senator Carole Pankau during a visit to Alden Valley Ridge Rehabilitation and Health Care Center in Bloomington on Monday, March 24. Coffey was joined by more than 50 seniors who attended a “meet and greet” with Senator Pankau to learn about important issues that affect seniors. Coffey was a resident of Wheaton before coming to Alden Valley Ridge in 2007.



Alden Valley Ridge Rehabilitation and Health Care Center is located at 275 E. Army Trail Rd. in Bloomington.

Alden Valley Ridge Rehabilitation and Health Care Center offers programs that address the needs of short-term therapy and rehabilitation patients as well as long-term residents.