



VISITING NURSE ASSOCIATION  
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## News Release

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### **VNA/SCC Now Serves Cheshire, Guilford, Madison, & Wallingford**

New Haven, CT (July 29, 2009) – In addition to serving clients in Greater New Haven, Milford, the Valley, and part of the Shoreline, the Visiting Nurse Association of South Central Connecticut (VNA/SCC) will now be serving clients in Cheshire, Guilford, Madison and Wallingford announced John Quinn, President & CEO of VNA Health Systems, the parent organization of the VNA/SCC and its private care affiliate, *CareSource*.

The VNA/SCC will offer its full line of services in these towns, which includes skilled nursing, IV therapy, oncology, wound care, telemonitoring, rehabilitative services, cardiac care, medical social work, and behavioral health.

“This expansion is in response to an increasing demand for our services,” Quinn said. “For 105 years our non-profit home health agency has been committed to a mission of providing high-quality health services and have earned the trust of the community that we can deliver on that promise. We look forward to bringing this commitment to our new clients in Cheshire, Guilford, Madison, and Wallingford.”

For more information about the services offered by VNA/SCC call their direct referral line at 203.859.6070. For additional information about private care available from *CareSource*, please call 203.891.8270.

### **About The Visiting Nurse Association of South Central Connecticut**

Founded in 1904, the VNA/SCC, the original VNA of New Haven, Milford and the Valley, is a state licensed, non-profit, community based home health care agency. The VNA/SCC staff consists of highly skilled nurses, therapists, medical social workers and home health aides. A vital resource to the communities it serves, the VNA/SCC provides a wide range of specialized clinical services, community programs, the Nurturing Families Network and subsidized care to those who are in need. The agency employs over 240 staff members, has an average daily census of over 1,000 patients and makes over 150,000 home visits per year. The agency is the founder of the *Nightingale Awards for Excellence in Nursing*. The VNA/SCC is supported in part by The Community Foundation for Greater New Haven, local United Way organizations, corporate sponsors and individual donors. The agency has a private-duty affiliate, CareSource. CareSource strives to maximize the quality of life for its clients and their caregivers in the home and health care settings. Their services include private duty nursing, homemakers, companions and live-in home health aides. Both VNA/SCC and CareSource are CHAP (Community Health Accreditation Program) accredited. To learn more about the organizations, log onto [www.vnascc.org](http://www.vnascc.org) or [www.caresourceinc.org](http://www.caresourceinc.org). To view quality information about VNA/SCC, as reported by Medicare, log onto [www.medicare.gov](http://www.medicare.gov) and click on the link: Compare Home Care Agencies.

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