

Welcome to the **February 2022** edition of the *Transitions Vibe*—a monthly briefing filled with Transitions updates, industry news, and information for those who trust <u>Transitions</u> to provide hospice and palliative care services for their patients and residents.



It's about living.

<u>Submit a referral</u> or <u>contact us</u> at 877-726-6494 to discuss how we provide the tools and resources to assist patients and families through the physical, emotional, and spiritual challenges of life's final transitions. <u>Visit our website to learn more.</u>

February 2022 Spotlight - Transitions CNA's



For this month's Spotlight, we sat down with Lourdes Cepero (Chicagoland, IL), Samantha Burgess (Central, IL), and Tammy Cheney (Central, IL).

We chat about their experiences as CNA's, what makes them love coming to work with Transitions every day, rewarding moments, current challenges

during the pandemic, goals for 2022, and what it's like being a part of the Transitions family.

"I have a saying that it takes a special person to work in end of life care. Well, here at Transitions Care, we are special people." **-Lourdes Cepero**



Read the full interview with Tammy, Lourdes, and Samantha here >>



What Does Care Mean to You?

Each week, we'll be asking this question to members of the Transitions team - highlighting our dedication to the patients and families we serve and celebrating our continued commitment to high quality care. Watch some of our Transitions family describe what care means to each of them:



What care means to Sam Tamburo-Jamrozik (EMR Manager) >>





What care means to Robin Henry (VP of Operations) >>





What care means to Dr. Kapur (Chief Medical Officer) >>





What care means to Roshani Patel (Chief Operating Officer) >>



"There really are no words that are adequate enough to truly express our gratitude. Thank you to each and every one of you, the superheroes with your superpowers of compassion and care. We were blessed to have you by our side in the final months of the life of the man we loved so much."

-Family of Transitions Patient



Transitions utilizes predictive analytics of Medalogix Muse for improved responsiveness

The end of life care platform, Muse, uses more than 900 assessment points to quickly and categorically emphasize patients who would most benefit from additional visits.

"With Medalogix Muse, Transitions Care sees



more than 50 percent increase in visits in the final week of life." Read more about how we utilize Muse analytics at Transitions.





Learn more about Medalogix Muse at Transitions here >>



At Transitions, our team provides a holistic treatment approach to address both medical and psychosocial needs, including symptom management, counseling and community service support. Learn more or submit a referral today.

Transitions News and Events

February is Black History Month

In honor and celebration of **Black History Month**, we recognize some of the African American men and women who were trailblazers in the history of healthcare.

We at Transitions pride ourselves on maintaining a diverse and inclusive workplace, for both staff and patients. And we stand behind the wise words of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr - "The time is always right to do the right thing."

REBECCA LEE CRUMPLER BATTLED DEEP-SEATED PREJUDICE IN MEDICINE



FIRST BLACK FEMALE PHYSICIAN IN US 1864

DANIEL HALE WILLIAMS FOUNDED THE FIRST

INTERRACIAL HOSPITAL



FIRST BLACK CARDIOLOGIST TO PERFORM OPEN-HEART SURGERY 1893

SOLOMON CARTER FULLER PIONEER OF ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE



FIRST BLACK
PSYCHIATRIST IN US
1897

JANE COOK WRIGHT "THE GODMOTHER OF CHEMOTHERAPY"



HEAD OF CANCER RESEARCH FOUNDATION 1952

ALEXA CANADY WON AMERICAN MEDICAL WOMEN'S ASSOCIATION PRESIDENT'S AWARD



FIRST BLACK FEMALE NEUROSURGEON IN US 1981

INVENTED A DEVICE/METHOD FOR CATARACT TREATMENTS



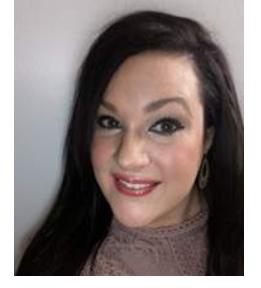
FIRST BLACK FEMALE PHYSICIAN TO RECEIVE A MEDICAL PATENT 1988

Meet Amy Sarro - Director of Talent Acquisition & Development

Transitions is pleased to announce the appointment of Amy Sarro as the Director of Talent Acquisition & Development. In her role, Amy will be responsible for the sourcing, support, and growth of all Transitions team members. She will also be tasked with maintaining a strong culture and team member engagement while building relationships within our communities.

Amy has served in various Human Resources roles for over a decade, and has an extensive background in recruitment. Coming from education and municipalities,

she is excited to be joining the healthcare industry! Welcome, Amy!



Fun Activities in the Transitions Community











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