HONORING OUR ELDERS

Eden At Home recognizes unforeseen ways to enrich the lives of clients and employees.

Have you ever thought about how changing a room in your home can make you feel? For example, when packing to move to another home, how empty the space can feel. Or how painting a room a new color can bring a new exciting energy? How does a house remain a home when one becomes ill and invites others in to help with care? When the formal living room suddenly becomes a bedroom to allow space for care partners to provide and store supplies, the room suddenly becomes unfamiliar and less personal. When asked about their future, many elders desire to stay in their homes as long as possible because that is their personal space filled with memories. However, that home can quickly become institutionalized.

The focus of the Human Habitat is to make a life worth living so that one can thrive even in the last years of life. Robin Norman of Angel Corps, Certified Eden At Home Trainer, says “Human Habitats contain empowered care partners working together, helping elders maintain independence and encouraging growth. A diversity of life while building meaningful intergenerational relationships is part of well-being.” For more information on the 10 principles of The Eden Alternative visit EdenAlt.org. Norman, along with Ruth Force of Angel Corps, helps train care partners in nine northeast Indiana counties the companies serve. The training class consists of three sessions that are four hours in length. The classes are offered several times a year. Care partners share the feeling that their own personal lives have also been enriched by this training.

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