#### **O**RGANIZATIONS & **D**ONATIONS

The Anchorage Pioneer home is supported by organizations within the home that graciously accept donations to improve resident care and quality of life. These organizations are as follows:

- APH Resident Council
- APH Foundation
- APH Family Council
- APH American Legion
  Pioneer Post 4
- Donated funds account used for activities, education, etc.
- Eden Alternative Fund

Rosa Newton poses with a giant Amaryllis she grew at the Anchorage Pioneer Home



#### **CONTACT US**

If you would like more information regarding living at the Anchorage Pioneer Home please contact the admissions staff at:

Division of Alaska Pioneer Homes P.O. Box 110690 Juneau, AK 99811-0690 (907) 465-4416

Other information about the Anchorage Pioneer Home may be obtained by viewing the APH Web at:

www.hss.state.ak.us/dalp/anchorage

For Info about the entire Pioneer Home system go to:

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## **A**NCHORAGE **PIONEER HOME**

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Anchorage Pioneer Home Services & Information

Serving Alaskans since 1977



Anchorage Pioneer Home is located on the corner of West 11th Avenue & I Street

### **O**VERVIEW

The Anchorage Pioneer home sits like a jewel in the crown of this historical community core. The building was constructed in stages beginning with the five story tower in 1977 and completed in 1982.

The Anchorage Pioneer Home provides licensed assisted living care for Alaska resident elders sixty-five years old or older. The home has a capacity for 168 elders and provides care at three different levels including care for persons with Alzheimer's disease or related dementia (ADRD).

The 168 Elders of the Anchorage home include many of the great pioneers of the first half of the 20th century including homesteaders, miners, and bush pilots. The Anchorage home also boasts pioneer fathers and mothers who turned Anchorage from a railroad tent town to Alaska's center of commerce and culture. These pioneering icons range in age from mid-60's to 104.

In 2000 the home became registered as an official Eden Alternative™ home. The Eden goal is to create a home environment where elders, caregivers, support staff, family members, friends and volunteers can flourish and grow.

#### **S**ERVICES

The home strives to assist older Alaskans to have the highest quality of life by providing assisted living in a safe home setting which promotes independence, positive relationships, meaningful activities and physical, emotional and spiritual growth.

The home may provide the following services, depending on health status and need:

- Private or semi-private room
- Opportunities for recreation
- Meals & Housekeeping services
- Emergency assistance
- Physical activities
- Assistance with activities of daily living (ADLs)
- Nursing assessment and intermittent health services depending upon level of care
- Payment assistance for those who qualify
- Pharmacy services

# **VOLUNTEER PROGRAM**

The Anchorage Pioneer Home offers a variety of volunteer opportunities for individuals, families, school groups, civic organizations, churches, local community businesses and other organizations. Community volunteers assist residents with reading, group programs, outings, social visits, providing musical entertainment, home improvement projects and much more! The home also has a volunteer adopt a grandparent and a visiting pet program.

For more information about volunteer opportunities please contact the APH volunteer staff:

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The visiting pet program is very popular and utilizes the principles of Eden Alternative™ care.

