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**Day Haven Receives Grant from Assemblyman Englebright to
Improve Safety for Individuals with Dementia**

(Port Jefferson, NY...) Day Haven Adult Day Services, a program of The Community Program Centers of Long Island, was awarded a grant from Assemblyman Steve Engelbright (4th Assembly District.) The local legislative grant of \$2,500 will help with facility upgrades to ensure the health and safety of participants at Day Haven Adult Day Services, a senior adult day care program in Port Jefferson. Prior to his current assignment, Englebright spent six years as Chair of the Assembly Committee on Aging.

Day Haven's Director, Elizabeth A. Geary, states, "our primary concern is the health and safety of our aging participants, many of whom have a diagnosis of Alzheimer's disease or a related dementia." "We are grateful for Assemblyman Englebright's commitment to the health and well-being of some the most vulnerable in our community," added Geary.

Day Haven Adult Day Services, with centers in Port Jefferson and Ronkonkoma, provides day time care, professional supervision, and assistance with activities of daily living for frail older adults and individuals with Alzheimer's or a related dementia who are living at home in the community. Day Haven also provides caregiver services such as free support groups, and educational events, and information and referral services for families caring for a frail loved one or individual with Alzheimer's disease.

For more information about the legislative grant or Day Haven programs and services, contact Lori Maldavir at (631) 585-2020, ext. 261.

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