

## Supporting Narrative for Dementia Friendly Community Grant - Inclusive of Outcomes

It is anticipated over the next 24 month period Torrington Rotary Club and Torrington Rotary Satellite Group will engage the participation of 50 local Rotarians to work with the community-based Alzheimer's and Dementia projects to ensure continued success.

The outcomes for this project are as follows:

- The local home health will provide 700 hours of local caregiver respite services for Alzheimer's and dementia families over the next 24 months. Utilization of these services will be tracked on a monthly basis through voucher payment requests which will allow the club to analyze community participation to the hour.
- The CNA program will train 20 CNA's specializing in Alzheimer's/Dementia Care for expansion of local expertise in care over the next 24 months. This objective will be measured through enrollment records and requests for payment of educational services through the club.
- YES program will educate and engage a minimum of 10 students per academic program year over the next 24 months, for a total of at least 20 students participating in the Youth Engaging Seniors program. The measurement of this object will be the reported number of students participating through a requested quarterly report from the school district.

At the end of the 24-month funding period provided through the Rotary Global Grant opportunity the Dementia Friendly Communities project anticipates program continuation of all programs initiated by this grant to continue through local fundraising effort by the Torrington Satellite Group's annual fundraiser specific to this project along with partnerships with Economic Development and the extended efforts of identifying additional funding streams through State, local and possibly Federal grant systems.