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The Wartburg is an Official Servicing Site for Westchester County's Project Lifesaver Bracelets

(Mount Vernon, NY-July 12, 2010)—Caregivers and seniors participating in Westchester County's Project Lifesaver program may now bring their bracelets to the "Club Wartburg" Adult Day Center to have the batteries changed. They may schedule an appointment by calling (914) 513-5231, or emailing inquiries to info@thewartburg.edu.

Project Lifesaver is a program under the Westchester Department of Public Safety and the Senior Programs and Services that works in collaboration with the Hebrew Home at Riverdale. The program aids in monitoring the whereabouts of cognitively disabled individuals. Under project lifesaver, bracelets with electronic tracking devices are distributed to seniors with Alzheimer's and other forms of dementia who may wander due to confusion. The transmitter in the bracelet helps the county police to locate persons who may otherwise be lost.

The Wartburg Adult Care Community is a not-for-profit Lutheran ministry, serving people of all faiths with a full range of residential options and health-related services for older area adults and their families. The Wartburg offers skilled nursing care, rehabilitation, Alzheimer's and dementia care, assisted and independent living, adult day services, home care, memory care, pastoral care and monthly caregiver support groups. For more information about The Wartburg Adult Care Community, please call (914) 699-0800, email info@thewartburg.org or visit www.thewartburg.org
