



Where Care Feels Like Home & Every Neighbor Matters

Located just outside Carrollton in the township of Bowdon, known as "The Friendly City" **The Front Porch of Bowdon** is quietly transforming what senior living looks like in West Georgia. Locally owned and led by a registered nurse, this independent

community offers assisted living, memory care, and respite care in a warm, welcoming environment that puts people before profit. Since its founding in 2022, The Front Porch has prioritized transparency, dignity, and purpose in every aspect of care.

Unlike corporate-run senior facilities tied to distant ownership and bottom-line priorities, **The Front Porch of Bowdon** is Georgia's first Public Benefit Senior Living Corporation, a designation that reflects a legal commitment to community-centered care. This structure allows the team to reinvest directly into resident services, staff development, and long-term improvements, rather than operating under the pressures of short-term profit goals.

"When I purchased the community, I didn't want to build just another facility, I wanted to build a home," says the owner, a former ICU and ER nurse. "After years in fast-paced hospital

environments, I'd seen patients treated like numbers and decisions made for convenience rather than compassion. I knew senior care could be done differently."

That commitment to change is clear in everything from the facility's name, chosen through a resident and staff naming contest, to its hands-on leadership approach. The name Front Porch evokes the very spirit of Bowdon: neighborly, familiar, and comfortable. And that's exactly the experience the community delivers. Residents are known by name, their stories are honored, and their preferences matter.

Care at The Front Porch is comprehensive, compassionate, and consistent. The facility offers 24/7 support for assisted living and memory care residents, including medication management, mobile medical services, and a strong focus on independence. Care plans are individualized, but pricing is simplified. Flat-rate pricing means families don't get nickel-and-dimed based on fluctuating care needs. Instead, rates are thoughtfully structured to reflect expected levels of care, ensuring every resident receives what they need without unexpected costs.

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Importantly, dignity is built into the day-to-day structure of care. Residents are encouraged to do what they can for themselves while receiving support where needed. The use of resident-friendly medication systems, the presence of on-call healthcare partners, and a strong Resident Council that voices input and suggestions all contribute to a culture of respect and empowerment.

But The Front Porch isn't just focused on medical needs, it's a vibrant community with a robust calendar of activities, wellness programs, and enrichment opportunities. Residents can participate in everything from stretch and movement classes to cooking demos, meditation, and creative workshops. Men's and women's clubs meet regularly, and the weekly calendar includes music, games, cultural and religious activities, movies, outdoor time, lunch outings, and "Coffee & Conversation" events that are often a highlight of the week.

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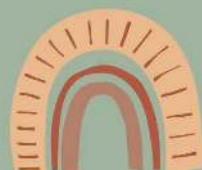


The Front Porch Of Bowdon
501 Mitchell Ave
Bowdon, Ga 30108
October 25, 2025
10:00am - 4:00pm

Costume Contest - Chili Cook Off - DJ
Kid Zone - Bounce House - Face Painting
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Nutritional care is also thoughtfully personalized. Residents have a say in meals, which are adapted to meet changing dietary needs. Medical providers, including physicians, therapists, and nurses, visit on-site regularly to support resident health in a comfortable, familiar setting.

Community involvement is another cornerstone of life at The Front Porch. From partnerships with local schools and churches to active volunteer programs, the facility is deeply rooted in the Bowdon and Carrollton areas. Church groups visit to offer devotionals, music, and communion. Local artists and musicians drop in for special programs. School groups are encouraged to engage with residents through creative, intergenerational activities.

One of the most beloved community outreach efforts is the "Adopt a Senior" holiday program, a gift registry that connects local volunteers with residents during the holiday season. What started as a small idea has grown into a large-scale event, with generous participation from individuals and businesses across the region. The initiative is expanding this year to include seniors throughout the broader Bowdon area.

The community also hosts an annual Fall Festival with dozens of vendors, a DJ, and family-friendly entertainment, as well as

The Longest Day, a fundraising event for Alzheimer's research, which included a summer celebration and gift basket raffle this year. These events not only raise awareness and funds but also build stronger bonds between residents and the surrounding community.



For those considering a move, The Front Porch offers a gentle and welcoming transition. Prospective residents are encouraged to attend on-site activities and meet current residents before moving in, helping ease the process and create familiarity. Moved in, residents are quickly enveloped in a rhythm of connection and care. A

typical day includes breakfast at 8, followed by a blend of activities and free time throughout the day, lunch at noon, dinner at 5, and relaxed evening hours.

One of the strongest beliefs behind The Front Porch is that you cannot deliver excellent resident care without first caring for your staff. By investing in better training, fair pay, and a supportive work environment, The Front Porch has created a team that is present, patient, and proud of the care they provide. That care doesn't go unnoticed. Families see it, residents feel it, and word continues to spread.

"Care that feels like home" isn't just a tagline, it's the standard. The Front Porch of Bowdon offers families an option that is personal, purposeful, and rooted in local values. It's not part of a chain. It's not just a business. It's a community that listens, adapts, and serves with heart.

For families seeking a place where their loved ones will be truly known and cared for, by people who are committed to doing things the right way, The Front Porch of Bowdon stands out as the new gold standard in senior care.

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