### THE FINANCIAL ADVANTAGES OF LIVING AT AN ACTS LIFE CARE RETIREMENT COMMUNITY





# The financial advantages of Acts increase your peace of mind and joy of living.

The active, independent lifestyle benefits of living in an Acts Life Care™ Retirement Community and its affiliates are extremely appealing. But equally important are the financial benefits. In fact, these compelling financial advantages provide the fundamental peace of mind that frees our residents to enjoy everything about their retirement lifestyle more fully. Please spend a few minutes reviewing the financial benefits that figure so prominently in the Acts way of life.

### Enjoy significant tax savings every year.

You may take a one-time tax deduction on your entrance fee, plus your monthly fees may qualify for annual deductions. The percentages vary slightly each year, but in recent years the deductions for both the entrance fee and monthly fee have been substantial, 39%-41%! As the chart opposite shows, depending on your personal tax situation this could equate to thousands of dollars of tax savings.

#### PRIOR TO ACTS MOVE-IN



Tax deductions

\$20,600 = \$54,400

**=** \$7,200 Taxes owed



#### **FIRST YEAR AT ACTS**





\$120,071 Tax deductions

**Taxable income** 

Taxes owed



#### **EACH ADDITIONAL YEAR**



\$32,695 Tax deductions

**\$42,305** 

Taxable income

Taxes owed

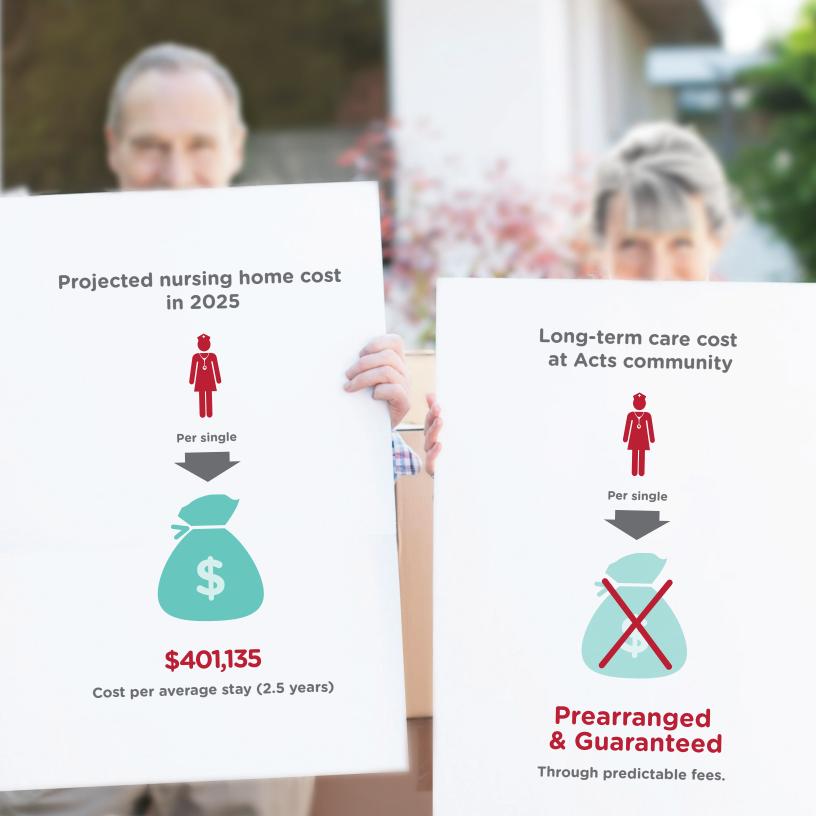
Savings

This tax-savings example is for a married couple with an annual adjusted gross income of \$75,000, moving into a two-bedroom residence on January 1, and paying a \$250,000 entrance fee and a monthly fee of \$3,500. Savings will vary based on gross income.

### Save on tomorrow's long-term care by prepaying for it today.

At an Acts community, your entrance fee and monthly fees prepay any long-term care you will ever need, for as long as you need it. And your fees will never increase solely based on your need for a higher level of care. Assuming a conservative increase of 4% per year, in ten years an average nursing home stay could cost \$401,135 for a single person, and \$802,270 for a couple.\* But at an Acts Life Care Retirement Community, all the long-term care you will ever need can be included.

\*Based on 2015 Genworth study for an average 2.5 year stay in a semi-private room in Philadelphia.



#### Your nest egg is protected.

Living in an Acts Life Care Retirement Community protects your assets because virtually all of your future financial obligations are covered. Your long-term care is prearranged and guaranteed by your entrance fee and monthly fees. You will no longer have home maintenance bills or any unexpected expenses that can surprise you with home ownership. Your expenses are completely predictable, so your nest egg is secure. That's real peace of mind.



### Your household expenses are covered and entirely predictable.

Like many seniors, you've likely paid off your mortgage. But the actual cost of owning and maintaining your home may be higher than you realize. According to a recent study,\* average American homeownership costs are nearly \$2,000 a month – above and beyond a mortgage payment. And those costs can spike significantly when unexpected major home repairs crop up. However, at an Acts community you pay a fixed monthly fee that covers most expenses pertaining to your residence. Plus, your fee includes gourmet meals, full amenities and services, clubs and activities, and, importantly, any long-term care you will ever need. You have one predictable monthly fee that provides an incomparable lifestyle and complete peace of mind.

\*2015, Moving Station relocation consultants



### We're nonprofit, so we reinvest our resources in you.

We are not beholden to investors. We do not answer to the stock market. Our mission-based, nonprofit status means our only financial priority is the health and well-being of you and your fellow residents. After we pay operating expenses, we reinvest all revenue back into our communities to continue enhancing the unparalleled services, amenities, and security that make the Acts lifestyle so remarkable.



## You're protected against future financial hardship.

At Acts, we're committed to always being there for people in need. The Acts Samaritan Fund provides a financial safety net for residents whose financial resources become exhausted due to an unexpected and unavoidable hardship. The Fund safeguards their continued residency. Acts also supports the community at large through resident volunteerism, and support of local civic causes.



### You have the financial strength of Acts behind you.

Our ability to offer a stable, secure future to our residents is supported by the financial strength of the Acts organization, which for over 40 years has been consistently highly rated for stability and security. In the latest reporting period, Acts Retirement-Life Communities, Inc. received a Fitch rating of A- and a Standard & Poor's rating of BBB+.\* Each of these ratings is well above what financial planners consider to be "investment grade" options. And each adds to the peace of mind and joy of living our residents experience.

<sup>\*</sup>Ratings apply to the Acts Obligated Group.



### Discover peace of mind and joy of living at any of these Acts Life Care Retirement Communities.

#### Pennsylvania

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Brittany Pointe Estates Fort Washington Estates Granite Farms Estates Gwynedd Estates Lima Estates Normandy Farms Estates Southampton Estates	Lansdale Fort Washington Media Ambler Media Blue Bell Southampton	800-504-2287 888-302-2287 888-499-2287 888-302-2287 888-398-2287 800-756-2287 888-311-2287
Spring House Estates	Lower Gwynedd	888-365-2287
Delaware		
Cokesbury Village Country House Manor House	Hockessin Wilmington Seaford	800-530-2377 800-976-7610 800-775-4593
Maryland		
Heron Point of Chestertown	* Chestertown	800-327-9138
North Carolina		
Plantation Estates Tryon Estates	Matthews Columbus	800-582-4316 800-633-2718
South Carolina		
Park Pointe Village*	Rock Hill	866-897-3490
Georgia		
Lanier Village Estates	Gainesville	888-654-2287
Alabama		
Magnolia Trace	Huntsville	866-476-7570
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Azalea Trace Edgewater Pointe Estates Indian River Estates St. Andrews Estates	Pensacola Boca Raton Vero Beach Boca Raton	800-828-8274 888-339-2287 800-544-0277 888-601-2287

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