

## **NEWS RELEASE**

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### **Troy Barrick Selected as Rice Care Center Administrator**

*WILLMAR, Minnesota.* Rice Memorial Hospital has selected Troy Barrick to be the new Administrator of Rice Care Center. “There were many good candidates to choose from and Troy rose to the top of the list,” said Chief Financial Officer Bill Fenske. “He comes to Rice with numerous long-term care experiences.” Barrick will begin his new position on October 26, 2009.

“I look forward to joining the Rice organization,” said Barrick. As Rice Care Center Administrator, he will be responsible for providing administrative direction and leadership, as well as managing the internal operations of the care center.

Barrick comes to Rice Care Center from Clara City where he has been Administrator of the Clara City Care Center, a 71-bed facility, since April 2009. Barrick was Executive Director at St. Anthony Health Center, a 150-bed facility, from 2007 until 2009. Prior, he worked in various leadership positions at Extendicare Health Services, as well as Volunteers of America National Services. Barrick was the Executive Director at Beverly Health Care in Delano, Minn., from 2000 – 2002.

Barrick earned a Bachelor of Business and Health Administration Degree from the University of South Dakota. He has completed the Minnesota Health and Housing Alliance (now known as Aging Services of Minnesota) Sales and Marketing Training program, and is a Licensed Nursing Home Administrator in South Dakota and Minnesota.

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