*TMA 2018 Chartered Turnaround Deal of the Year









FACILITY	 Senior living and care community located in Grand Rapids, MN Assisted Living: 92 units Memory Care: 18 units 	
PROJECT	Certus was retained by the Trustee to lead an operational turnaround of the business and to then facilitate the sale of the assets	
THE PROBLEM	 Facility suffered from functional obsolescence Burdened with unmanageable debt Declining EBITDA from \$1.1 million to \$223,000 	 Employees lacked leadership & skills to be successful Insolvency & closure were imminent without intervention
CERTUS EFFORTS	 60-day assessment period, identifying in a comprehensi stabilize the business and then sale of the business Forbearance Agreement Retention agreements with key employees 	 ve plan to Value-engineered capital improvement campaign Revenue growth strategy Marketing & public relations campaign
RESULTS	 Occupancy transformation, increasing census by over 20% Complete financial improvement (Trailing 12-month EBITDA from \$220k to \$700k in nearly a year) Orchestrated asset sale resulting in highest <u>and</u> best offer Closing process included an APA, OTA, State licensing requirements, and Trustee instruction procedure (TIP) Client (Trustee) received approximately \$5.2 million of cash vs a complete loss in a 14-month timeframe 	
New Owner Pleased with the facility and it continues on solid footing		Seller Stabilized its portfolio and nearing back to a growth phase
Community Grand Rapids now has a stable long-term, critical service provider employing 75 people		Employees Quality employment going forward