



# Award-Winning Design

*Altenheim's new Shurmer Place Memory Assisted Living announces award-winning Planetree design.*

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Of the more than 90 communities vying for the 2018 Senior Housing News Architecture and Design Award, *Altenheim's Shurmer Place Memory Assisted Living* was selected for the Standalone Memory Care Award. Designed by C.C. Hodgson Architectural Group, the new Shurmer Place Memory Assisted Living opened April 2018, completing the continuum of services provided by Altenheim Senior Living.

A panel of industry experts reviewed more than 90 communities based on aesthetics and design, searching for the next level of senior living. Judges evaluated these communities based on lighting, color

schemes, landscapes, as well as property types like universal design techniques.

The new addition to Altenheim's Life Plan Community was designed with residents in mind. The campus adheres to the Planetree principles that remove barriers between residents, families and caregivers by offering open spaces and a strong connection to nature as a source of tranquility and wellbeing. Altenheim's Memory Assisted Living offers 38 private suites in an open yet cozy residential environment, where residents can enjoy life to its fullest.

*Altenheim Senior Living is located at 18545 Shurmer Road, in Strongsville. You can contact them at 440-268-1048 or visit [Altenheim.com](http://Altenheim.com) for more information.*