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Residence XII Has a New Home

Residence XII, a treatment facility for chemically dependent women, first opened its doors to chemically dependent women in October of 1981 and now has a brand new home in Kirkland. The facility was located at St. Thomas Center in Bothell and started with an Inpatient program of 8 beds. The facility has grown steadily, and up to the present time, has served over 5,000 women and their families.

"It all started with the dream of our own home" says Margaret Jones, Executive Director. The first Capital Campaign started in 1986 and enough money was raised to purchase land in Kirkland, Washington. In the mean time, a 36 month revolving lease was obtained on our space at St. Thomas Center and we no longer felt an urgency for a new home.

In 1995, Bastyr University leased the remaining space at St. Thomas Center. It became apparent, due to their success and growth in the field of Naturpathic Medicine, that they would very soon need all of the space, including that of Residence XII.

In November of 1997, Residence



Margaret Jones, executive director with past board president, Ann Nichols who by her generous donation of 1.5 million dollars contributed to the completion of the building fund campaign.

Senator George McGovern and Diane Schurr, Co-Chairs of the Capital Campaign. Over the next two years, corporations, foundations, communities, and individuals donated over 1.7 million dollars. Past president of

additional 1.5 million dollars, bringing the dream to a reality. The building is now completed and treatment is in full swing!

The new digs were celebrated with a couple of Grand Opening galas in

clients, benefactors and the media.

Treatment at Residence XII is designed to meet specific needs of the chemically dependent woman, her family and supportive friends.

Residence XII's services include a 24-