

State of Misconsin 2007 - 2008 LEGISLATURE

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2007 SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 59

September 6, 2007 – Introduced by Senators Kedzie, Darling, Lazich, Lassa, Roessler, Sullivan and Lehman, cosponsored by Representatives Nass, Lothian, Sheridan, Kerkman, Jeskewitz, Hahn, Berceau, Gunderson, Albers, Townsend, Kreuser, Bies, Kleefisch, Petrowski and Wasserman. Referred to Committee on Senate Organization.

1	Relating to: Rogers Memorial Hospital's centennial year.
2	Whereas, 100 years ago, Dr. Arthur W. Rogers and his wife, Theresa Limberg
3	Rogers, purchased a 200-acre estate on the shores of the Nashotah Lakes that
4	included a 32–room Italian–style mansion built in 1882. Dr. and Mrs. Rogers
5	converted the property into the Oconomowoc Health Resort; and
6	Whereas, Oconomowoc Health Resort underwent many transformations, was
7	under the management of a number of individuals, and was renamed Rogers
8	Memorial Hospital before being re-established as a private, nonprofit hospital in
9	1970; and
10	Whereas, starting in the mid-1990s, Rogers Memorial opened multiple sites for
11	greater accessibility. In addition to the original Oconomowoc location, they also have
12	a second full-service psychiatric hospital in Milwaukee and treatment centers in
13	Brown Deer and Kenosha; and

1	Whereas, Rogers Memorial employs a medical staff of nationally recognized
2	experts in the diagnosis and treatment of various behavioral health concerns,
3	through a continuum of inpatient, residential, and day treatment care; and
4	Whereas, through collaboration with local, regional, and national
5	organizations Rogers Memorial has raised awareness that mental illnesses are
6	common, real, and highly treatable and has helped to reduce the stigma against
7	these illnesses and the people dealing with them; and
8	Whereas, Rogers Memorial has insured the best quality and most cost effective
9	mental health and chemical dependency services through partnerships with area
10	medical and surgical treatment providers; and
11	Whereas, Rogers Memorial has served over 6,000 children, adolescents, adults,
12	and older adults last year alone; now, therefore, be it
13	Resolved by the senate, the assembly concurring, That on the occasion of
14	Rogers Memorial Hospital's centennial year, administrators and staff from the past
15	and present are congratulated on 100 years of improving the health and lives of
16	countless individuals, and, be it further
17	<i>Resolved, That</i> the senate chief clerk shall transmit a copy of this resolution
18	to Rogers Memorial Hospital with the legislature's best wishes of another 100 years
19	of improving people's lives.
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