## ABOUT OUR PARTNERSHIP

The Community Nurses are part of the Mobile Integrated Health (MIH) team, a collaboration between the Lebanon Fire Department, Dartmouth Health and Community Nurse Connection. The Community Nurses are employees of the City of Lebanon providing care to West Lebanon and Lebanon residents, as well as providing care to the Towns of Enfield and Grantham.

# The Community Nurses operate with the goals of:

- Preventing unnecessary emergency medical transports and emergency room visits
- Following up with patients after hospital discharge
- Preventing hospital admissions/readmissions
- Improving the overall health of our patients and communities

**Contact us:** MIH Lebanon Fire Department 12 South Park St. Lebanon, NH 03766

603-448-8810 mih@lebanonnh.gov Community Nurses use their nursing skills, experience, and judgment in evaluating an individual's healthcare needs and may refer them to appropriate healthcare professionals and community resources and services. All duties performed are within the scope of the New Hampshire Nurse Practice Act and in collaboration with others.

Through collaboration with the Lebanon Community Paramedic, primary care providers, care managers, social service agencies, city municipalities, and the community the community nurses can address health inequities and gaps in care to improve health for people living in Lebanon, Enfield, and Grantham.

We provide a safe space to receive health care coordination and treat all our clients with respect.



#### Lebanon Fire Department Community Nursing





Part of the Mobile Integrated Health Team and Community Nurse Connection









## WHO IS ELIGIBLE

#### THIS PROGRAM IS FOR PATIENTS WHO MEET THE FOLLOWING CRITERIA:

- Age 18 years or older
- Resides in City of Lebanon (includes West Lebanon), Enfield or Grantham
- Identified medical need
- Able to participate in their own care (excludes dementia, severe persistent mental health), OR patient has a caregiver who can be present during visits
- Not actively receiving similar services from another organization (such as visiting nurse or hospice)

#### COMMUNITY NURSE SERVICES PROVIDED:

- Care management and care transitions
- Chronic disease support
- Monitoring vital signs
- Medication reconciliation
- Home safety evaluations
- Other interventions within the nursing scope of practice
- Assisting with telehealth
- Connecting with care providers



Mobile Integrated Health Healthcare in the comfort of your home Dartmouth

## **HOW TO REFER**

Anyone can make a referral for a Community Nurse for themselves or another community member. If you have a primary care physician, talk to them about receiving a visit from a Lebanon Community Nurse.

To make a referral send the patients name, date of birth, contact information, need requested and a brief description of the person in need to mih@lebanonnh.gov