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September 7, 2011

Jeffery Smith, Administrator  
Eastern Nebraska Veterans Home  
12505 South 40<sup>th</sup> Street  
Bellevue, NE 68123

Dear Mr. Smith:

On August 9-11, 2011, the Nebraska Western Iowa Health Care System survey team conducted an annual survey of the Eastern Nebraska Veterans Home in Bellevue, Nebraska. The survey team has completed its review and validated the home is in compliance with VA regulations and standards for the domiciliary and nursing home. Based on the team's report, you will receive a Full Certification rating for 2011.

Please find the annual survey documents for your office enclosed.

If you have any questions, please contact Colleen Donovan, Nebraska Western Iowa Health Care representative at 308-385-2719

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Nancy Gregory".

Nancy Gregory, FACHE  
Acting Director  
Nebraska Western Iowa Health Care System

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Jorge I. Ramirez, MD".

Jorge I. Ramirez, MD, FAAHPM  
Acting Director VISN 23  
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Enclosures

cc: John Hilgert, Nebraska Department of Veterans Affairs  
cc: Jan Murphy, VISN 23 Director  
cc: Chief Network Officer (10N)  
cc: Chief Consultant, Geriatrics and Extended Care (114)