



Date: May 18, 2016

St. Ann's Care Center Rated Among Top-Performing Skilled Nursing Facilities in New York State

Department of Health rating reflects highest levels of care, compliance and efficiency

St. Ann's Care Center was named one of the top-performing skilled nursing facilities in the state this week by the New York State Department of Health.

Established in 2012, St. Ann's Care Center offers 72 private skilled nursing beds for long-term care. It is located on the St. Ann's Community at Cherry Ridge campus in Webster.

"We have always been proud of the quality of care we deliver at St. Ann's Care Center," said Michael E. McRae, President and CEO of St. Ann's Community. "It is a testament to the skill, dedication, and compassion of our staff that St. Ann's Care Center is recognized as one of the best in the state. We are proud of our entire team for this accomplishment and what it means for those we serve."

The statewide distinction is the result of St. Ann's Care Center ranking at the top of the Department of Health's Nursing Home Quality Initiative for the last three years. The initiative assigns points to facilities in three categories: Quality, Compliance, and Efficiency. Based on its score, St. Ann's Care Center ranked among the top-performing facilities. It is one of only 33 skilled nursing facilities in the state—and only three in Rochester—to achieve that ranking.

The list, released by the Department of Health this week, is available on the Nursing Home Quality Initiative website:

http://www.health.ny.gov/health_care/medicaid/redesign/nursing_home_quality_initiative.htm

About St. Ann's Community

St. Ann's Community is Rochester's leading senior housing and health services provider, with a tradition of quality care dating back to 1873. St. Ann's offers a continuum of care that includes independent retirement living, assisted living, skilled nursing, memory care, short-term transitional care, wound healing, palliative care, and adult day programs. One of the area's

largest employers, St. Ann's has more than 1,200 employees who are *Caring for the Most Important People on Earth*. More information: www.stannscommunity.com.

#

MEDIA CONTACT:

Tom Petronio

(585) 697-6406

tpetronio@mystanns.com