



Corrections and Community Supervision

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MEMORANDUM

To: All Staff

From: Anthony J. Annucci
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Subject: National Nurses Week

Date: May 6, 2020

Today, as we mark the beginning of National Nurses Week, we extend our deepest gratitude to the dedicated nurses of this Department. In this especially difficult time for medical professionals across the globe, our nurses continue to not only come to work each day in a challenging correctional setting, but during a global health emergency, in order to provide needed care for patients.

As we face this unprecedented pandemic together, we are grateful to have some of the most devoted, brightest and caring nursing professionals working in our facilities across the state. Our nurses so often rise above the call of duty and do all they can to ensure their patients receive the best possible care. For that, we are profoundly appreciative.

While National Nurses Week is an incredible opportunity to recognize nurses everywhere, we do not limit our gratitude to one week each year. We are grateful to all medical professionals, both within DOCCS and in the community, who keep our staff and the incarcerated population healthy and well, so that we can continue to carry out the Department's mission each and every day.