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Good afternoon,

Care New England is proud to work with universities and schools in training the next generation of caregivers. Indeed, this training is part of our mission, it is who we are. Last month, The Warren Alpert Medical School of Brown University held its 12th Annual Dean's Excellence in Teaching Awards Reception to recognize and thank the dedicated faculty and residents who effectively teach and mentor the school's medical students.

Of course, we are delighted that so many of our own faculty were recognized, including those below from Butler, Kent, and Women & Infants hospitals.

**Clinical Faculty Advisory Committee (CFAC) Honorees – Nominated by department chairs, division directors, and residency and fellowship program directors, these honorees are clinical faculty who have exhibited exceptional teaching and service to medical education.**

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**Preclerkship – Presented to faculty for their exemplary teaching in preclinical courses.**

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Associate Professor of Pathology and Laboratory Medicine  
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Professor of Diagnostic Imaging  
*Women & Infants Hospital*

**Doctoring – Presented to faculty for their exemplary teaching in the Doctoring program.**

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Clinical Professor of Medicine  
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**Clerkship – Presented to faculty for their exemplary teaching in core clerkships.**

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**Clinical Electives – Presented to faculty for their exemplary teaching in clinical electives.**

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Professor of Surgery  
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Stephen Carr, MD  
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Cheston Cunha, MD  
Assistant Professor of Medicine  
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*Kent Hospital*  
*Women & Infants Hospital*

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Professor of Medicine  
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Associate Professor of Diagnostic Imaging  
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Rashmi Licht, MD  
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*Women & Infants Hospital*

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Clinical Assistant Professor of Orthopedics  
*Kent Hospital*

Also part of our commitment to training is our involvement with residents and fellows at each of our hospitals. Indeed, these advanced students are now well on their way to successful careers in health care – some are staying within our midst to continue their education or join our staff, while others are taking their knowledge to other parts of our nation and the world. I'd like to offer my sincere congratulations to all of our graduates in such programs as family medicine, obstetrics and gynecology, pediatrics, pathology and laboratory medicine, emergency medicine, gastroenterology, and behavioral health! While not inclusive of all programs and recognitions, I've included several photos below highlighting the great accomplishments of these graduates.

On another note, the Fourth of July is this week and I think we are all due for a little celebration! Each and every one of your efforts to drive forward our goals of Quality, Service, and Access to our local community does not go unnoticed. I truly appreciate all the good work I see being done throughout CNE – the compassion, caring, and professionalism that you demonstrate each day is, and continues to be, inspiring. In celebration of the upcoming holiday, I invite you to share your Fourth of July celebrations with us! Simply submit your pictures to [marketing@carene.org](mailto:marketing@carene.org) so they can be shared across our Care New England social media platforms. Please note that by submitting photos permission is being granted to post in carenews and on social media.

Have a great and relaxing Fourth of July with your friends and family!

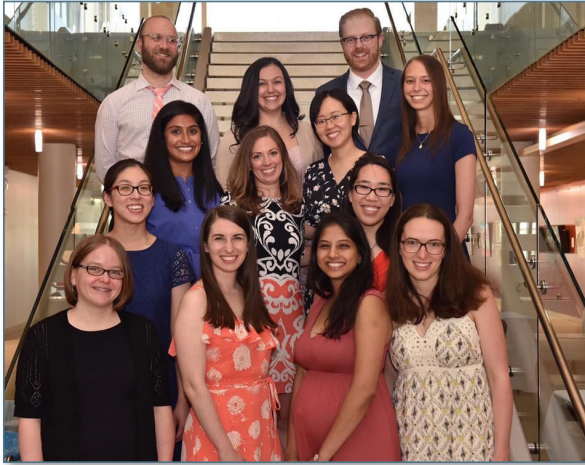
Sincerely,



James E. Fanale, MD  
President and Chief Executive Officer

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## KENT HOSPITAL

### Kent Hospital recognized for participation in national movement to improve care for older adults

**Age-Friendly  
Health Systems**

**Committed to  
Care Excellence  
for Older Adults**

Kent Hospital has successfully completed the year-long Institute for Healthcare Improvement (IHI) process to upgrade our health system status from "participant" to "Age-Friendly Health System Committed to Care Excellence." With this recognition, Kent is among the first health care systems in the country implementing age-friendly health care and is considered a leader in this movement.

The Age-Friendly Health Systems initiative was launched in 2017 by The John A. Hartford Foundation and IHI with a commitment to make 20 percent of hospitals and health systems in the United States age-friendly by 2020.

This initiative is an important part of our core vision to provide members of our community with the best care possible. As part of this initiative, Kent has implemented a set of evidence-based interventions designed to improve care for older patients, known as the 4Ms:

1. **What Matters:** Know and align care with each older adult's specific health outcome goals and care preferences including, but not limited to, end-of-life care, and across settings of care.
2. **Medication:** If medication is necessary, use age-friendly medication that does not interfere with What Matters to the older adult, Mobility, or Mentation across settings of care.
3. **Mentation:** Prevent, identify, treat, and manage dementia, depression, and delirium across settings of care.
4. **Mobility:** Ensure that older adults move safely every day in order to maintain function and do What Matters.

As part of this recognition, Kent will be featured on the IHI website showcasing the hospital's updated status and important role in the age-friendly initiative. To maintain this status, Kent will continue to submit program data to IHI on a monthly basis regarding the number of patients touched by this model of care. That said, Kent has already submitted three consecutive monthly counts of a number of older adults being reached with the 4Ms of care.

Special thanks to everyone who played a part in this honorable recognition, especially Ana Tuya Fulton, MD, FACP, AGSF, executive chief of geriatrics and palliative care; Maria-Aileen Soriano-Pisaturo, MD, director of palliative care; and all members of the ACE inpatient, palliative care, and geriatric medicine units.

## BUTLER HOSPITAL

### Hospital staff volunteer at PrideFest



On Saturday, June 15, staff from Butler Hospital and The Providence Center volunteered their time and effort at PrideFest, held in downtown Providence. The event was coordinated by Rhode Island Pride, whose mission is "creating opportunities for integrating and promoting visibility for the lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgender community; as well as promoting equal rights and diversity through public education and the arts; and providing safe opportunities and venues for people to come out with the ability to express and celebrate their sexual identities."

The annual event draws more than 50,000 individuals from the LGBTQ community together in celebration of their individuality and culture. The staff did an excellent job in promoting Butler's partial hospital and intensive outpatient programs (IOP) as well as ambulatory services offered by The Providence Center. Thank you to our volunteers!

Volunteers pictured left to right: Erin Ursillo, LMHC, manager, Young Adult Programs; Micaela Condon, LICSW, program therapist, True Self IOP; Courtney McCarthy, LICSW, program therapist, Young Adult Partial; Lindsay Millerick, MA, program therapist, CBT Partial; Kristen Sundin, LICSW, program therapist, Young Adult Partial; Ariana Verducci, MS, program therapist, CBT Partial; Victoria Sokolowski, LCSW, program therapist, Integrated Therapies Partial; and Gerrit Van Schalkwyk, MD, unit chief, Adolescent Unit and Young Adult Partial.

Not Pictured: Cassie Caragale, clinical therapist at The Providence Center.

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## The Providence Center begins filming 50th anniversary video

This week, staff members at The Providence Center (TPC), with help from the Marketing Department, began shooting a video to commemorate their 50th anniversary. More than a dozen individuals throughout each of TPC's service lines were interviewed and shared their experiences. The sincerity and passion of employees at TPC were exuded in every interview, and although being filmed on camera is never easy, they rose to the challenge, providing wonderful feedback and heartfelt stories about client lives they have impacted. Pictured here are some behind-the-scenes shots from the first two days of filming.



*Pictured left to right, top to bottom: Melissa Bernier, manager of Anchor Recovery Center; Sandrine Guilherme, supervisor at Prairie Ave outpatient; Taylor D'Addario, grant manager; Maureen Gouveia, clinical therapist; Andrew Denicola, substance abuse therapist; and Frank Rossi, video production specialist.*

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### Happy Father's Day to our NICU Dads



Father's Day was celebrated in Women & Infants' NICU when JoJo's Cupcakes and Integra Community Care donated delicious cupcakes to be enjoyed by our special Dads!

Many thanks also to Erin Huetteman, NICU family support program coordinator for March of Dimes - RI/ Southeastern MA, and Kaila Defosse, provider network coordinator at Integra for making the delicious delivery!

### Annual system-wide mandatory education

Care New England is introducing a system-wide core curriculum for annual mandatory education, also known as "mandatories," through the [HealthStream](#) learning management system.

This core curriculum will apply to all CNE operating units and include modules in the following subject areas: Safety, Quality, Risk, Infection Prevention and Control, Human Resources, HIPAA & Compliance, and Environment of Care. **The core curriculum was assigned on June 1, 2019 with a completion date of November 30, 2019.** We recommend you pace yourself, please do not let the marathon become a sprint; you have six months to complete all assignments.

Most courses will now include a pre-assessment to provide workforce members with strong existing knowledge of a subject area an opportunity to "test out" of a course if passed with an 80 percent or higher on the first attempt. There may also be some operating unit-specific or role-based courses not included in the system-wide core curriculum that will be assigned separately. Butler Hospital will continue to its practice of conducting an annual Education Fair, covering the same curriculum.

If you have questions regarding HealthStream or your annual mandatory education assignment, please contact [TeamHS@CareNE.org](mailto:TeamHS@CareNE.org).

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