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BISONO RECEIVES NOBLE CAREGIVER IN ASSISTED LIVING AWARD

ALBANY, N.Y. – Anna Bisono, Housekeeper at Maple Pointe Assisted Living in Rockville Centre, NY has received the 2015 Noble Caregiver in Assisted Living Award from the New York State Center for Assisted Living (NYSCAL). The award was presented on June 30 at the 2015 NYSCAL Awards program during the association's annual convention in Saratoga Springs, NY.

Anna has worked in the housekeeping department at Maple Pointe for eight years. She makes each day special for her residents. She never makes them feel intruded upon and treats them as if she is visiting an old friend and helping them to tidy up. She has also become a leader and role model to other staff members at Maple Pointe.

"Anna's commitment and dedication to our residents is greatly appreciated," said Tammy Marshall, Executive Director of Maple Pointe Assisted Living. "We are proud that she has been honored with this prestigious award from NYSCAL."

The NYSCAL Noble Caregiver in Assisted Living Award recognizes frontline caregivers for their contributions that lead to improved quality of life for the residents and create a better work environment for the adult care/assisted living community's staff.

Winners received an engraved obelisk and were invited to attend the NYSHFA/NYSCAL annual convention.

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The New York State Health Facilities Association/New York State Center for Assisted Living (NYSHFA/NYSCAL) is a member-driven association of providers of long term care services, caring for individuals of all ages in proprietary, not-for-profit, and government-sponsored skilled nursing, post-acute, rehab, adult care and assisted living communities across the state of New York. NYSHFA/NYSCAL is dedicated to assisting its members in achieving excellence in the provision of efficient and effective quality long term care services through leadership, professional development and active involvement in the shaping of public policy.