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BURRY RECEIVES ASSISTED LIVING NURSE OF THE YEAR AWARD

ALBANY, N.Y. – Esther Burry, LPN Supervisor at Maple Pointe Assisted Living in Rockville Centre, NY has received the 2015 Assisted Living Nurse of the Year 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.

Ms. Burry has worked at Maple Pointe since 2007 and has more than 20 years of experience as a licensed practical nurse. In addition to providing nursing services, she is responsible for overseeing all front line staff during her shift as well as training and orienting new employees.

"Esther uses her knowledge and skills to positively affect our residents' quality of life," 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 Assisted Living Nurse of the Year Award recognizes an assisted living nurse who demonstrates outstanding compassion, supervisory success, innovation, achievement, and capabilities in their provision of high quality resident-centered care in a service-oriented culture in an assisted living community.

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.