Dear Reader,

Mount Sinai Nursing comprised of the Departments of Nursing at The Mount Sinai Hospital (MSH) and Mount Sinai Queens (MSQ) continues to provide the highest level of nursing professionalism. We are so proud of our Mount Sinai Nurses. They are shaping health care, improving patient outcomes and empowering leaders. As you read some of the activities and accomplishments of the past year, in our newsletters, we hope the message of nurse professionalism makes you as proud and inspired as we are.

Our nurses embody the Mount Sinai Nursing Professional Practice Model, the overarching conceptual framework for nurses, nursing care, and interdisciplinary patient care. Our Mount Sinai nurses continually collaborate, communicate and develop professionally to provide the highest quality care for our patients and their families. You will read examples of how the nursing mission and vision and Relationship Centered Care (RCC) tenets are extended to all care team members and the global community.

As you read about the expansion of critical care services and nurse led initiatives you will be in awe of our transdisciplinary highly qualified visionary nurse clinicians, evidence-based practice leaders, and nurse scientists who build these bridges to promote efficient and effective care with reliable and lasting improvement in patient experience that thrives in a culture of safety and quality. Our culture of excellence includes but is not limited to the numerous achievements in 2017 described in our web pages.

With deep gratitude and admiration,

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