DOCCS’ Executive Members Recognize Nurses Week
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Acting DOCCS Commissioner Anthony J. Annucci along with Deputy Commissioner/Chief Medical Officer Dr. Carl Koenigsmann are recognizing Nurses Week and the hard work of more than 1,000 skilled nurses who perform their duties every day in the 54 prisons across the state.

“We work in a very difficult setting with a challenging clientele that is very different from almost every other nursing setting. Our patients rely on health staff, most importantly the nurse, to advocate for them and ensure their health care needs are met,” said Dr. Koenigsmann.

Governor Andrew M. Cuomo signed a proclamation declaring May 6 -12 Nurses Week in New York State.

Open nursing positions exist throughout New York State correctional facilities where nurses play an important role in patient outcomes, while reinforcing our mission of quality care. Please consider applying for a nursing position and joining the many dedicated nurses within our agency.