



Office of the Governor
State of Missouri

Proclamation

WHEREAS, the people of Missouri who are now residing in nursing facilities have contributed immeasurably to the life stories of the great State of Missouri, as well as the success and growth of our State over the years; and

WHEREAS, skilled nursing care residents of any age or ability across Missouri each have their own unique life story to tell; and

WHEREAS, member facilities of the Missouri Health Care Association are sponsoring activities in observance of National Skilled Nursing Care Week guided by this year's theme, "Celebrating Life's Stories;" and

WHEREAS, residents and caregivers alike will pay tribute to life's most significant events, relationships, and experiences that shape the unique perspectives of the residents, families, staff, and volunteers in long-term and post-acute care; and

WHEREAS, during Skilled Nursing Care Week, skilled nursing facilities will pay homage to the kaleidoscope of perspectives that residents, families, and staff bring to interactions every day with the theme, "Celebrating Life's Stories," making this a special week of coordinated activities providing residents and their families the opportunity to enjoy and celebrate one another's precious lives.

NOW THEREFORE, I, Eric R. Greitens, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI, do hereby proclaim May 13-19, 2018 to be

SKILLED NURSING CARE WEEK IN MISSOURI

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Missouri, in the City of Jefferson, this 3rd day of April, 2018.



Eric R. Greitens
Governor

Attest:

Secretary of State