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## The Brothers of Mercy Skilled Nursing & Rehabilitation Center Receives 'High Performing' Rating from U.S. News & World Report

National Recognition Cites Positive Patient Outcomes & Ample Staffing

**Clarence, NY** – The Brothers of Mercy Nursing & Rehabilitation Center received the highest possible rating of "High Performing" and was named a Best Nursing Home for 2024 for its Long-Term Care program as announced by the *U.S. News & World Report* today.

The *U.S. News & World Report*, the global authority in health care rankings and consumer advice, evaluated more than 15,000 skilled nursing homes across the nation to assess the highest performing long-term care facilities. This nationally-recognized honor is a symbol of excellence in the health care system, and the rankings are determined and awarded by an unbiased trust agent. Through an in-depth analysis of publicly available data, the rankings evaluated factors such as patient and resident outcomes, infection rates, staffing levels, success in preventing hospital visits, health inspection results and other indicators of quality care obtained from CMS (Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services)

The Brothers of Mercy, also a 5-star CMS-rated facility, is one of the only 19% of all United States skilled nursing facilities that earned a "High Performing" rating. It is also one of the 5% of facilities that meet existing staffing requirements and proposed staffing requirements by the Biden administration.

"Receiving this national ranking for our long-term care program brings great pride to The Brothers of Mercy staff," said **Peter Eimer, Chief Executive Officer** of The Brothers of Mercy. "The commitment and thoroughness that the Skilled Nursing & Rehabilitation staff provides to ensure the highest quality of personalized care for each resident shows with our facility achieving this high performing ranking."

The Brothers of Mercy Skilled Nursing Center provides comprehensive inpatient therapies, including physical, occupational, speech, cardiac, pulmonary and neurologic, for patients across Western New York. Its location in the Clarence Hollow area, just nine miles east of Millard Fillmore Suburban Hospital, is very convenient for northtown residents to receive the rehabilitation or chronic disease management they need to improve their quality of life.

## **About The Brothers of Mercy Wellness Campus:**

The Brothers of Mercy is a nonprofit Catholic provider of comprehensive, compassionate residential, health care and rehabilitation services for Western New Yorkers. The organization operates a Medicare-rated 5-star, 126-acre Wellness Campus in Clarence, NY. With a continuum of lifestyle options, the ministry of care features skilled nursing, inpatient & outpatient therapies, assisted living & memory care, independent living, spiritual care, respite, hospice and companion care. It is the largest retirement community in the region, as ranked by *Buffalo Business First*, and is ranked on *U.S. News & World Report* and *Newsweek*'s "America's Best Nursing Homes" list for New York.

In 2024, The Brothers of Mercy's will commemorate its 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary of serving seniors seeking their best quality of life. From its origins of riding bicycles through the streets of Buffalo to deliver home care, the mission has remained devoted to serving the essential health needs of the community through the motto of "The Charity of Christ Urges On." State. For more information, call 716-759-6985, email <a href="mailto:info@brothersofmercy.org">info@brothersofmercy.org</a> or visit <a href="mailto:BrothersofMercy.org">BrothersofMercy.org</a>.