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Sinai Wound Program Nurse Heather Revaleon, RN, WCC Earns National Alliance of Wound Care Certification

STOUGHTON, MA — Karen J. Hughes, Vice President for Nursing at New England Sinai Hospital, has announced that Heather Revaleon, RN, WCC, recently earned certification as a Wound Care Nurse from the National Alliance of Wound Care. Revaleon is one of three Wound Care Nurses providing this specialized and high level of care to patients treated in Sinai's Wound Program. Revaleon joined Sinai in 1996 and has been a member of the Wound Center staff since January. She is a resident of Brockton.

According to Vivian Seide Sternweiler, MS, RN, CWCN, Coordinator of Sinai's Wound Program, "Our patients receive an exceptional level of expert care by professionals who are committed to helping them heal and Heather's skill and dedication are one reason why we succeed in healing some of the more challenging wound cases."

New England Sinai Hospital's Wound Program is the *only* long term acute care hospital in New England with three certified wound care nurses. Five million Americans live with chronic wounds that are often painful, disfiguring and disrupt simple, every day activities. The Sinai Wound Program, both inpatient and outpatient areas, utilize a team approach and combines the latest in treatment, education and support to promote healing and get patients back into their everyday routines.

New England Sinai Hospital is a 212-bed, non-sectarian, not-for-profit, long-term acute-care hospital with its main campus in Stoughton, MA and inpatient satellite units at Tufts-New England Medical Center in Boston and Caritas Carney Hospital in Dorchester. Recognized as a regional leader in pulmonary and medically complex care, Sinai also offers a wide range of outpatient programs and services. Sinai is a teaching affiliate of Tufts University School of Medicine.