

People On The Move

LuMarie Polivka-West, senior director of the Florida Health Care Association's (FHCA's) Quality Credentialing Foundation, was named the recipient of the 2006 Walter M. Johnson Jr. Circle of Excellence Award—the association's highest honor. During her 14-year tenure at FHCA, she has held many key roles among FHCA's training and professional development efforts and in ensuring that the survey process is consistent. The Circle of Excellence is presented to an FHCA member who has made significant contribu-

tions during the past year but who also has been a supporter of FHCA through the years.

Robin Gliboff has been promoted to associate executive director of Greenspring, Springfield, Va. Prior to her appointment, she served as Greenspring's director of resident life and was responsible for a department that helps residents explore their interests and assists them with needed services. She has promoted locally

and nationally a variety of topics focusing on the behavioral health needs of older adults and has provided training and education on a broad range of behavioral health issues.



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Harborside Healthcare, Boston, has appointed **Marian Chuga** administrator of St. Joseph's Manor. Chuga began her career as an admissions assistant at Harborside Healthcare Arden House in 1998. From Arden House she was asked by Harborside to act as interim administrator and train new administrators.

Mimi Howard has been named community relations director of Sterling Glen of Roslyn, N.Y. Prior to joining Sterling Glen, she was a business consultant whose client base included physicians and investors seeking to establish wellness centers and medical spas throughout the tri-state area. Past work experience also includes executive-level marketing positions with Procom Technology and Dot Hill Systems Corp.

Bridget Bogdanich has been promoted to community relations director of Sterling Glen of Glen Cove, N.Y. Previously Bogdanich was a preschool teacher. She turned her attention to work with seniors because she says they have so much wisdom to impart, and she values their kindness. Her main responsibility is to promote



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senior living care by building strong relations with the community.

The Tennessee Health Care Association (THCA) Board of Directors has named **Ron Taylor** executive director. He has served as THCA's director of government relations for 28 years. Taylor served a stint as interim executive director four years ago and is very knowledgeable of THCA's operations, history, and goals.

Thomas Robert Etechells, executive director of Beverly Healthcare-Hillview, Altoona, Pa., has been appointed to serve as a member of the Pennsylvania State Board Examiners of Nursing Home Administrators. He will be responsible for supervising nursing facility administrators to ensure that they are complying with licensure and registration requirements, investigating complaints against administrators, and developing standards of professional conduct.

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