



BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF GEORGIA

A PROCLAMATION

NURSING ASSISTANTS WEEK

- WHEREAS:** Nursing homes, home care providers, hospitals, and other long-term care agencies have accepted the responsibility for providing quality care for the elder, frail, and disabled citizens in our Georgia communities; and
- WHEREAS:** The happiness and wellbeing of these Georgians largely depend on the nursing assistants, home care aides, patient care assistants, and others who provide 85-90 percent of the daily, hands-on care in nursing homes and other long-term care settings; and
- WHEREAS:** These career nursing assistants are instrumental in promoting and safeguarding the physical, mental, emotional, social, and spiritual well-being of residents, clients, and their families; and
- WHEREAS:** Career nursing assistants are trained professionals who collaborate closely with other health care providers to provide quality care and also elevate the status of their chosen profession; now
- THEREFORE:** I, BRIAN P. KEMP, Governor of the State of Georgia, do hereby proclaim June 13-20, 2019 as NURSING ASSISTANTS WEEK in Georgia and encourage all Georgians to express appreciation for all that caregivers do to better our state and those who reside within.

In witness thereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the Executive Department to be affixed this 6th day of May in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Nineteen.



B. Kemp

GOVERNOR

ATTEST

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