

No. R-89. House concurrent resolution recognizing the week of May 9–15, 2021 as National Skilled Nursing Care Week in Vermont.

(H.C.R.61)

Offered by: Representative Wood of Waterbury

Offered by: Senator Lyons

Whereas, older Vermonters and individuals of any age with physical or intellectual disabilities who reside in skilled nursing facilities, residential care homes, or assisted living residences are worthy of honor and respect, and

Whereas, the dedicated staffs in Vermont's skilled nursing facilities, residential care homes, and assisted living residences have risen to the unprecedented challenges of the COVID-19 pandemic to care for their residents and patients, and

Whereas, skilled nursing facilities and their residents will be participating in celebratory events during National Skilled Nursing Care Week, and

Whereas, the General Assembly encourages Vermonters to join in these celebratory events to support family, friends, loved ones, and caregivers in any way possible, now therefore be it

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives:

That the General Assembly recognizes the week of May 9–15, 2021 as National Skilled Nursing Care Week in Vermont, and be it further

Resolved: That the Secretary of State be directed to send a copy of this resolution to the Vermont Health Care Association and to the Commissioner of the Department of Disabilities, Aging, and Independent Living.