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SAINT FRANCIS NAMES NEW CHIEF HUMAN RESOURCES OFFICER

Dawn Bryant, M.S., To Fill Position

(HARTFORD, Conn.) – Dawn Bryant, M.S., of Hartford, has joined Saint Francis Hospital and Medical Center as the Senior Vice President/Chief Human Resources Officer.

In her new position, Bryant will be responsible for all human resources activities, including talent acquisition and management, compensation, benefits, employee relations and organizational development. She will report directly to Kate Roche, Executive Vice President and Chief Operating Officer.

Bryant obtained her master's degree in evaluative clinical sciences at Dartmouth College, Hanover, N.H. She received her bachelor's of science in English education from the University of Kansas, Lawrence, Kan.

Prior to joining Saint Francis, Bryant served as Vice President of Human Resources and Organizational Development at Carondelet Health, Kansas City, Mo.

“Dawn is a strong addition to our Executive Team. Her skills as a results-oriented Human Resources executive will be crucial in developing effective Human Resource strategies

for the future of Saint Francis,” states Christopher M. Dadlez, President and Chief Executive Officer.

About Saint Francis

Saint Francis *Care* is an integrated healthcare delivery system established by Saint Francis Hospital and Medical Center, an anchor institution in north central Connecticut since 1897. Licensed for 617 beds and 65 bassinets, it is a major teaching hospital and the largest Catholic hospital in New England. Other major entities of Saint Francis *Care* include The Mount Sinai Rehabilitation Hospital, the Connecticut Joint Replacement Institute, the Hoffman Heart and Vascular Institute of Connecticut, the Saint Francis/Mount Sinai Regional Cancer Center, and the Joyce D. and Andrew J. Mandell Center for Comprehensive Multiple Sclerosis Care and Neuroscience Research. Its services are supported by a network of five major Access Centers and eight additional medical office centers sited throughout the region. For more information, visit www.stfranciscare.com.