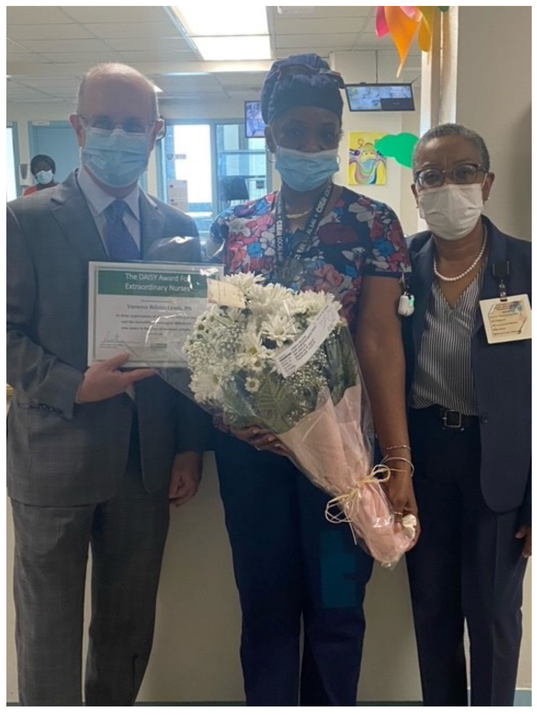
The DAISY Award
FOR EXTRAORDINARY NURSES
IN MEMORY OF J. PATRICK BARNES



We would like to highlight our first two recipients of the DAISY Awards granted to Vanessa Bristol-Lewis, RN, from NS42 Pediatrics (Inpatient Services), and Wona Magsuci, RN, from Suite D (Outpatient Services). Last month, they were awarded in their respective areas by Chief Executive Officer, Dr. David Berger and Chief Nursing Officer, Cheryl Rolston.

The DAISY Award for Extraordinary Nurses is an international award program specific for licensed and registered nurses – it is the epitome of nursing recognition. The award celebrates the extraordinary clinical skill and compassionate care provided by nurses.

During the recognition ceremony, Ms. Bristol-Lewis and Ms. Magsuci were presented with a bouquet of daisies, freshly baked cinnamon buns to share with friends and colleagues, and the "Healer's Touch" Sculpture. This symbolic sculpture represents the bond between nurses and their patients. The sculpture is signed by artists of the Shona Tribe in Zimbabwe, and are hand-carved from Serpentine mineral rock.

Please join us in congratulating Ms. Bristol-Lewis and Ms. Magsuci on such an extraordinary achievement. We are proud of their dedication and compassion they have demonstrated towards the well-being of our patients.