## ESSENTIAL CARE VISITOR ANNOUNCES New York State Nursing Home Remembrance Rally on 3/12/2021

MEDIA ALERT (03/08/2021) (New York, New York) Essential Care Visitor is announcing a non-partisan Nursing Home Remembrance Rally New York on the Capitol Steps in Albany on Friday, March 12, 2021 at 12:00 PM.

"The one year anniversary of separation brings up a lot of emotion and complicated grief for many family members with loved ones isolated in nursing homes - and those we have lost throughout the pandemic. We wanted to offer a space for New York State Families. Our Rally is a non-partisan event. There will be a moment of silence at *1:00 PM EST* ~ we ask everyone throughout New York State to stop and pause for one minute in remembrance. 1:00 PM is the exact time last year when many were told we would no longer be able to visit our loved ones. One year later ~ we still cannot get in fully to serve and care for our family members - and we want to shed light on this isolation that has caused unnecessary pain and in many cases - loss," states Ms. Marcella Goheen, Founder of www.essentialcarevisitor.com.

WHAT:	Memorial Rally for Nursing Home Residents and Families (RAIN OR SHINE)	
WHEN:	Friday 3/12/2021 @ 12:00 PM	
WHY:	To acknowledge all those we have lost an still living in nursing facilities	
WHERE:	Capitol Steps, Albany, New York	
WHO:	New York State Families	
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Essential Rally Website: www.takeournursinghomesback.com		
Info on Rally Link: www.nationalnursinghomeletinday.com		
Rally Schedule: 11:30 AM Arrivals		
	12:00 PM Rally Begins	
	12:30 PM Speakers	
	1:00 PM Moment of Silence	
	3:00 PM Rally Ends	
COVID-19 Protocols: Socially Distanced, Please Wear Masks		
PRESSER INFORMATION: Monday, March 8, 2021 @ 3:00 PM		
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**RSVP by 2:30 PM**: press@essentialcarevisitor.com

PRESSER TOPIC:	March 12, 2021 Rally, Personal Caregiver Bill, & Update on Supreme Court Case
Presser Link:	https://essentialcarevisitor.com/essential-press-room

## ESSENTIAL ATTACHMENTS for March 8, 2021

Attachment Senate Personal Caregiver Bill ~ waiting for Governor Cuomo's Signature Attachment Assembly Version Personal Caregiver Bill ~ waiting for Governor's Signature New York State Nursing Home Rally - Anniversary Day 3/12/2021 ~ Capitol Steps, Albany, NY \*NEW: Essential Care Visitor has been offering Compassionate Care Tool Box Tutorial

> One Year Anniversary - Acknowledging all those who Live in Nursing Homes March 12, 2021 @ 12:00 PM 1:00 PM National Nursing Home Moment of Silence www.nationalnursinghomeletinday.com

**Essential Daily Reminder:** "The Secret of Change is to focus all of your energy not on fighting the old, but on building the new." *Socrates* 

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**Essential Care Visitor** is an online advocacy campaign to serve essential caregivers and their families with loved ones living in long term care facilities nationwide. Founded on March 12, 202 at 5:00 PM.

**Takeournursinghomesback.com** is our Official Rally Portal that has hosted our Rallies throughout the pandemic as we continue to advocate for nursing home residents.