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SAINT FRANCIS NAMES NEW CHIEF INFORMATION OFFICER

Linda Shanley, M.B.A., To Fill Position

(HARTFORD, Conn.) – Linda Shanley, M.B.A., of Burlington, has joined Saint Francis Hospital and Medical Center as the Vice President/Chief Information Officer.

In her new position, Shanley will be responsible for all activities related to information technology, including telecommunications and information systems. She will report directly to Kate Roche, Executive Vice President and Chief Operating Officer.

Shanley obtained her master's degree in business administration from the University of Hartford and a bachelor's of science in medical technology from the University of Connecticut.

Prior to joining Saint Francis, Shanley served as the Chief Information Officer at Stony Brook University Medical Center, Stony Brook, N.Y. She also previously served as the Assistant Vice President of Clinical Enterprise Systems at the University of Connecticut Health Center.

“In today's ever-changing world of healthcare technology, Linda's experience, as well as her ability to maintain and develop key information systems, will help ensure Saint Francis'

readiness for the many innovations ahead,” 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.