



Women of **DISTINCTION**

HONORING WOMEN IN NEW YORK

Cass Johnson, RN

Cass Johnson, RN is a graduate of The New York City College of Technology and began her career in the Infectious Disease/Medical Surgical unit of Brookdale University Hospital in 2004. She spent six years in that department, providing compassionate care to patients diagnosed with AIDS and their family members. Ms. Johnson enjoyed the challenge, and it was at the bedside where she honed her skills.

Yearning for more growth, she opted for an internal transfer to the Surgical Intensive Care Unit in 2010. It was in SICU where Ms. Johnson grew even more professionally. Ms. Johnson is loved and respected by her patients. She has built an excellent rapport with them and provides care with evidence-based practices. Over the past 10 years as a critical care nurse, she has earned her certification in Trauma Nurse Core Course (TNCC) and Trauma Care after Resuscitation (TCAR).

Ms. Johnson has proven to be a hard worker, an excellent leader and mentor and is well respected by her colleagues. She is frequently called upon to orient new members to the critical care units. She also steps in to be an acting charge nurse on numerous occasions.

When COVID-19 became rampant throughout the New York City area, Ms. Johnson stepped up to the call to action. She assisted with the spearheading of the new Medical Intensive Unit that was designated to patients diagnosed with COVID-19. Ms. Johnson has continued to work courageously, providing her patients with compassionate care.

***Cass Johnson, RN was selected as a
2020 Woman of Distinction honoree by Senator Roxanne J. Persaud.***

