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## Honouring You This Nurses' Week

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Dear Nursing Team,

As we celebrate Nurses Week, I want to take a moment to recognize and thank each and every one of you for the dedication, compassion, and resilience you bring to Cassellholme every single day.

Though I've only been in my role as Acting Director of Care for six weeks, I already feel immense pride in what we've started to accomplish together. Transition brings change, and I'm deeply grateful for the openness and professionalism you've shown as we begin to refine our systems, clarify roles, and strengthen the way we work as a team.

Your willingness to embrace change, to adapt and collaborate, shows not only your commitment to our Residents but also to one another. It's clear to me that this is a team driven by heart, guided by knowledge, and deeply committed to making a difference.

Thank you for your hard work, your honesty, your humour, and your care. This week, and every week, I hope you feel the appreciation you deserve. I'm truly proud to be part of this team, and I look forward to continuing this journey together as we grow, lead, and improve the lives of those we serve.

With gratitude and admiration,

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