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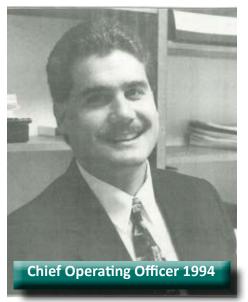
# PEARLS OF GRATITUDE HONORING JAY P. CAHALAN

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#### Jay P. Cahalan 1994-2022 (Retired)



















### 35th Annual Hospital Ball Honoree Clara Kellner Award Recipient

#### Jay P. Cahalan

Jay retired from Columbia Memorial Health in December 2022 after 28 years of service, ten of those years as President/CEO, and eighteen years as Chief Operating Officer.

Jay has been instrumental in CMH strategy and a part of every major initiative since the mid 1990's.

During his tenure, he led the development of Columbia Memorial Health's Primary Care and Multi-Specialty Physician Network, transforming CMH from an inpatient centered community hospital to a clinically integrated community health system. He was part of the team that expanded facilities and services on the Hudson Campus and was key to the acquisition and development of the Catskill and Valatie Campus locations. Directly involved with initiating CMH's several medical satellite locations, Jay's efforts helped create CMH's unique network of coordinated clinical services. In 2016, CMH became the first hospital to formalize a strategic affiliation with Albany Medical Center and was later joined by Saratoga and Glens Falls Hospitals, which with Albany Medical Center Hospital, and the Albany Visiting Nurses Association, now comprises the Albany Med Health System.

A natural team builder, Jay's leadership style has helped attract the best and the brightest to CMH. Jay continues to serve CMH as a Foundation Trustee and is an active member on several community organizations including, the Bank of Greene County Board of Directors. Jay resides in Athens with his wife, Leila.

The Hospital and Foundation Board of Trustees are honored to present the 2023 Clara Kellner Award to Jay P. Cahalan in recognition of his exceptional leadership and devoted service to Columbia Memorial Health.



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- Jay and Leila Cahalan

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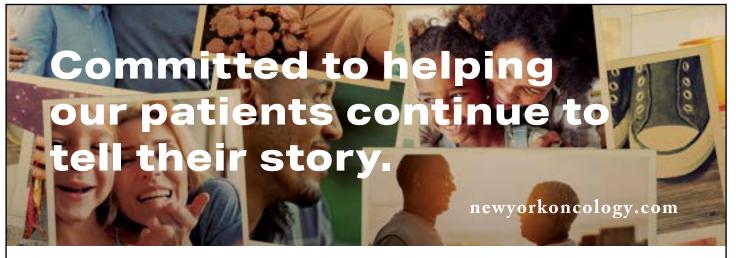
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Congratulations to Jay P. Cahalan on a well-deserved retirement!



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#### Jay Cahalan

Thank you for your wise leadership and steadfast devotion to Columbia Memorial Hospital!

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# Congrats Jay!

"It is hard to imagine the hospital without you guiding it with your wisdom and intelligence, occasional wit, energy, enthusiasm, and strategic vision. You truly made a difference, a big difference. We salute you and wish you the best in your next endeavors."

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Jay P. Cahalan

With gratitude for your exceptional leadership, devoted service, and spirit of giving to support the work and Mission of Columbia Memorial Health.

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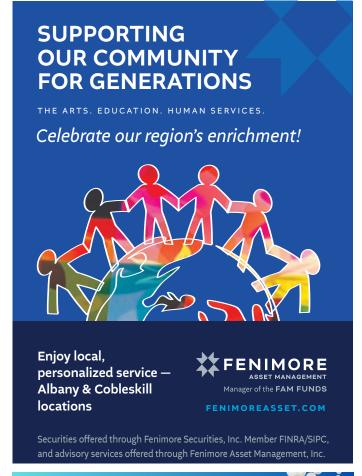
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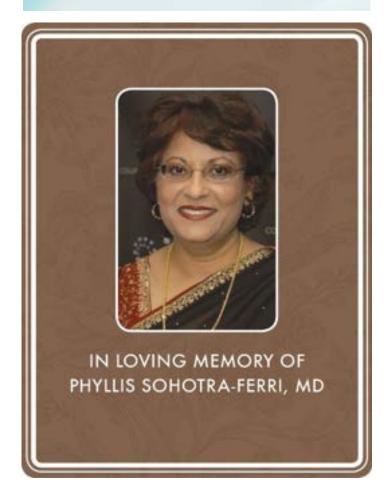
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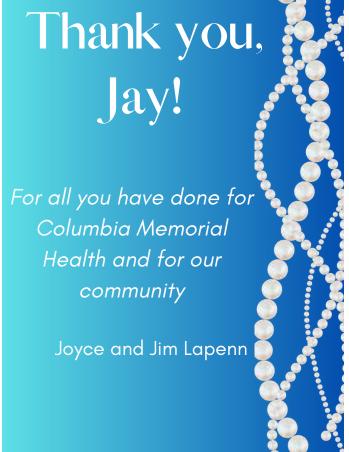
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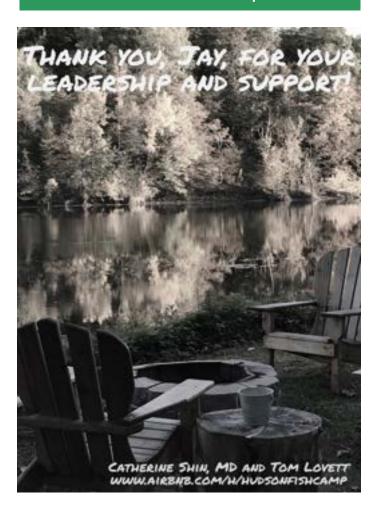




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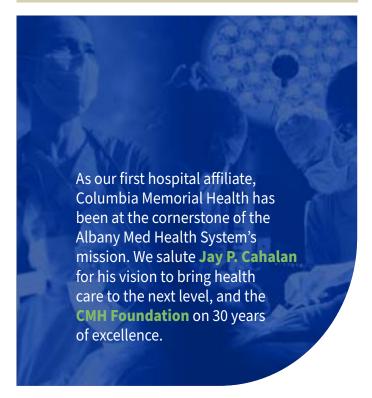




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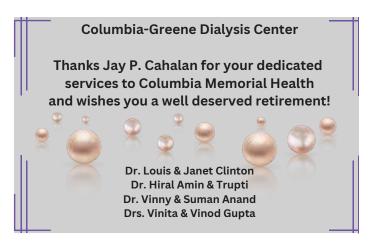






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#### Congratulations, Jay!

"Thank you for steering Columbia Memorial Health through the calm and turbulent times. It has been an honor and a pleasure to work with you."

Fair Winds and Following seas, my friend!

-Mary Gail Biebel

#### Dear Jay,

Tonight we honor your decades of tireless service to CMH and celebrate the legacy of hard work and commitment you leave behind.

Congratulations on your retirement and enjoy the possibilites that await!

Dr. Carlee and Michael Drummer





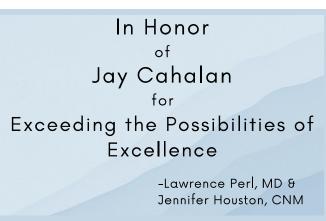
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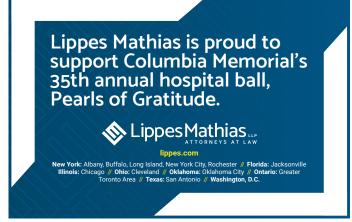




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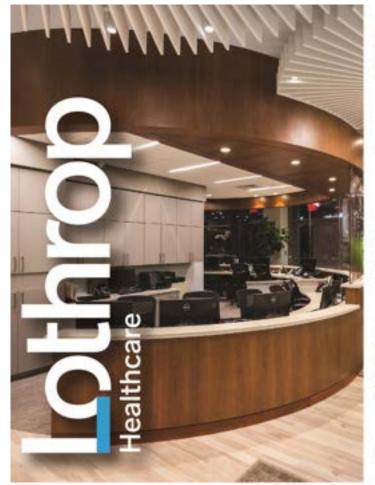
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Michelle & Timothy Plummer

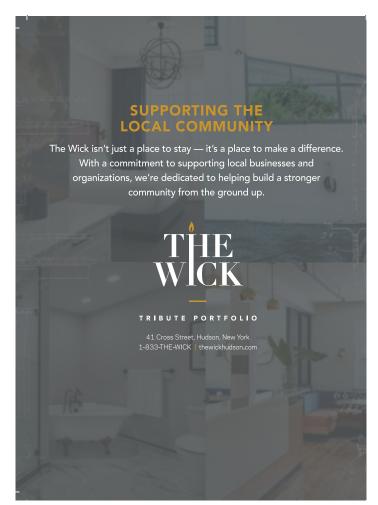
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