



**ACHCA**  
American College of  
Health Care Administrators  
New York Chapter



*You are cordially invited to attend the  
22nd Annual  
American College of Health Care Administrators Reception  
Benefiting  
The Sister Joan Cassidy and Michael Cuseo  
Cultural Diversity Endowment Fund  
In Memory Of Sister Joan Cassidy, CNHA, FACHCA  
And Michael Cuseo, RPh, Chem Rx*

**HONORING**

***Joseph Peixoto***  
***Procure LTC Pharmacy***  
***Recipient of the President's Award***  
***And***  
***Sr. Audrey Harsen***  
***Our Lady of Consolation Nursing and***  
***Rehabilitative Care Center***  
***Recipient of the Distinguished Service Award***

***Master of Ceremonies***  
***Keith Chambery, FACHCA, President,***  
***New York Chapter - ACHCA***

***Thursday, June 14, 2018***

***Leonard's Palazzo***  
***555 Northern Boulevard***  
***Great Neck, New York***

**Cocktail Reception: 6:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.**

Dear Fellow Colleagues and Friends,

On behalf of the New York Chapter of the American College of Health Care Administrators Academy of Long Term Care Leadership and Development, we are asking you to join us in our fundraising efforts for the Sister Joan Cassidy and Michael Cuseo Cultural Diversity Endowment.

In 1998, the American College of Health Care Administrators (ACHCA) granted the first award from the Sister Joan Cassidy Endowment Fund. In 2007, the New York Chapter of ACHCA proposed to honor Michael Cuseo of Chem Rx and to change the name of the fund to the Sister Joan Cassidy and Michael Cuseo Cultural Endowment Fund. This was adopted at the Annual Board Meeting at the ACHCA National Convocation in April.

In 2015 the Executive Committee of the New York Chapter elected to rebuild this endowment within the chapter and utilize the fund exclusively for the members of the New York Chapter.

We commemorate the loss of our beloved member, Sister Joan Cassidy, CNHA, FACHCA, who passed away on October 15, 1998 after a long and courageous battle with cancer. She was a member of the Sisters of Charity of St. Vincent de Paul, Halifax. Loved by all who knew her, she was well respected in the long-term care field. She embodied the highest moral qualities and brought a level of professionalism and ethics to ACHCA on both a state and national level.

Michael Cuseo was instrumental in establishing Chem Rx as the premiere Long-Term Care pharmacy in New York. He generously devoted his time, talents and professional efforts as Chem Rx's Supervising Pharmacist for over thirty years. Michael took a deep interest in the pharmaceutical aspects of the nursing home industry, but more importantly, will be remembered for his warm personality and infectious sense of humor. All who were fortunate enough to make his acquaintance, will fondly remember Michael.

The President's Award, presented annually at this event, is the most prestigious honor that the New York Chapter of the American College of Health Care Administrators bestows to individuals who represent the ideals and mission of the College, and the integrity, and cultural diversity as defined by Sr. Joan Cassidy and Michael Cuseo through their leadership and dedication to the College. It is with that in mind that we will be honoring Joseph Peixoto of Procure LTC Pharmacy.

There will also be a special presentation to Sr. Audrey Harsen of Our Lady of Consolation Nursing and Rehabilitative Care Center who will receive the Chapter's Distinguished Service Award for over forty years of service to the New York Membership. Her dedication and sincerity to our mission and ideals has created a path for all to follow.

We look forward to seeing all of our friends and associates at this worthwhile event.

Sincerely,

The Executive Committee

Please return the enclosed reply materials by

**June 1, 2018**

To

New York Chapter

American College of Health Care Administrators

c/o Larry I. Slatky

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Schenectady, New York 12303

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I AM PLEASED TO ATTEND the 22nd Annual Cultural Diversity Endowment Reception in memory of Sister Joan Cassidy and Michael Cuseo on Thursday, June 14, 2018 from 6:00 - 9:00 p.m. at Leonard's Palazzo, Great Neck, New York.

- PLATINUM BENEFACTOR at \$5000 each                       PLATINUM Tickets at \$550 each  
10 tickets to reception. Platinum listing in sponsor program
- GOLD BENEFACTOR at \$2500 each                       GOLD Tickets at \$275 each  
10 tickets to reception. Gold listing in sponsor program
- SILVER BENEFACTOR at \$1250 each                       SILVER Tickets at \$150 each  
10 tickets to reception. Silver listing in sponsor program
- FRIENDS OF SISTER JOAN CASSIDY AND MICHAEL CUSEO at \$ 125 each
- I AM UNABLE TO ATTEND but will make a tax-deductible contribution to support the Sister Joan Cassidy and Michael Cuseo Cultural Diversity Endowment Fund
- ENCLOSED IS MY CHECK FOR \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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**Please check one:**    \_\_\_\_\_ **Regular Dining**                      \_\_\_\_\_ **Glatt Kosher Dining**

For more information, contact Larry Slatky of the New York Chapter American College of Health Care Administrators at (518) 869-2231.

Make checks payable and mail to the New York Chapter of the American College of Health Care Administrators,  
c/o Larry Slatky, 428 Ridgehill Road, Schenectady, New York 12303.

The estimated value of the evening is \$25.00 per person.

The balance of the ticket price is a contribution, which is deductible to the extent allowed by law.

Sister Joan Cassidy and Michael Cuseo Cultural  
Diversity Endowment Fund

*List of Attending Guests*

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