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Sunnyside Village Awarded the Natan Award

Sarasota, Fla (March 23, 2023) Sunnyside Village was honored to receive the Mennonite Health Services Association (MHS) Natan Award at the Mennonite Health Assembly, on March 9, in Denver, Colorado.

The Natan Award is given annually to an MHS member's employee or team of employees who have exemplified Christ-like serving leadership, demonstrated by their generosity and willingness to support their teammates and clients.

"We were honored to present Sunnyside Village with the first annual Natan Award for their Christ-like service in leadership," stated MHS Association. "We are touched and inspired by the work of their team – Congratulations Sunnyside Village!"

MHS selected Sunnyside Village for the team effort of residents and staff that helped to raise and distribute the following:

- \$51,000 for a Heroes Fund to assist team members during COVID.
- \$16,700 to donate to the Ukrainian relief efforts.
- \$57,000 to assist their employees impacted by Hurricane Ian and distribute hurricane supplies to southern Florida peer communities.

"Receiving the Natan Award is such a great honor, and it confirms that, yet again, Team Sunnyside is doing excellent work," stated Allison Newhouse, Sunnyside Foundation Director of Development.

For more information, call 941-371-4245 or visit SunnysideVillage.org.

Sunnyside Village is a not-for-profit Christian senior living community. Since 1968, Sunnyside's mission has been to honor God by enriching the lives of residents, staff, and the community by providing homes, services and programs in a Christian environment. Sunnyside Village offers independent living, assisted living, memory care, short-term rehabilitation, long-term comprehensive care, and palliative care, all within our distinctive 35-acre neighborhood. SNF#1535096, AL#0007952 SunnysideVillage.org

Mennonite Health Services Association (MHS) is a not-for-profit organization that supports Mennonite and other Anabaptist faith-grounded health and human service providers.
<https://mhsonline.org/>

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Karen Lehman, President/CEO of MHS, presents the Natan Award to Sunnyside Village team members.