



# *Proclamation*

## *By the Governor of Alabama*

*WHEREAS, the citizens of Alabama now residing in nursing homes, also known as skilled nursing care centers, have contributed immeasurably to the heritage, success and growth of our state; and*

*WHEREAS, our nursing home residents of any age or ability are themselves living history and a precious resource that should be treasured by all Alabamians; and*

*WHEREAS, the staff and volunteers in nursing homes help residents live life to their fullest potential by providing a holistic approach to long-term care and short-term rehabilitation; and*

*WHEREAS, the member nursing homes of the Alabama Nursing Home Association are holding events in observance of National Skilled Nursing Care Week guided by this year's national theme of "Sharing Our Wisdom"; and*

*WHEREAS, National Skilled Nursing Care Week begins on Mother's Day, May 9 and continues through Saturday, May 15, 2021; and*

*WHEREAS, this will be the 53rd anniversary of National Skilled Nursing Care Week;*

*NOW, THEREFORE, I, Kay Ivey, Governor of Alabama, do hereby proclaim May 9-15, as*

# *National Skilled Nursing Care Week*

*in the state of Alabama.*



*Given Under My Hand and the Great Seal of the Office of the Governor at the State Capitol in the City of Montgomery on the 16<sup>th</sup> day of April 2021.*

*Kay Ivey*

*Kay Ivey, Governor*