CenterLight Health System CEO Tara Buonocore-Rut Honored as ‘Healthcare Hero’ by Schneps Media
Dedicates Award to CenterLight Front Line Staff

July 8, 2021— New York City — CenterLight Health System President and CEO Tara Buonocore-Rut was named a 2021 Healthcare Hero by Schneps Media at its recent 2021 Healthcare Heroes Gala. CenterLight operates Teamcare, New York’s largest Program of All-inclusive Care for the Elderly (PACE).

Spotlighting excellence and applauding innovation, the Schneps Media gala honored healthcare leaders and professionals who deliver and support quality care across the New York area. View the gala at: https://vimeo.com/569651882.

Buonocore-Rut accepted the award on behalf of CenterLight front line staff, for their dedication, valor and ability to provide care and services that kept the System’s more than 2,400 frail, elderly participants living safely at home during the pandemic.

“Those are really the individuals that we are honoring with this award,” she said. “All of the front line workers that risked their lives, risked their health, didn’t know what they were going to deal with every day, were in fear of bringing this virus home to their families – and did it anyway.”

With 14 locations throughout the New York area, CenterLight empowers older adults to continue to live independently, at home through a comprehensive, team-based approach. Providing individualized care to thousands of New Yorkers, CenterLight staff speaks 26+ languages and dialects, including English, Spanish, Chinese (Mandarin, Cantonese), Russian, Korean, Arabic, Albanian, Creole, South Asian (Hindi, Punjabi, Bengali) and more.

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