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Dear Friends,

It is a pleasure to join you in celebrating 129 years of VNS Health, one of New York's most critical healthcare institutions.

VNS Health has long been a pioneer of home- and community-based health, setting standards that are now modeled nationwide and have led to more equitable access to healthcare. Since its founding, VNS Health has been an indispensable part of our city's healthcare fabric, from everyday care, to natural disasters, to viral outbreaks. At a time when healthcare is unaffordable and unreliable for so many, we are fortunate to have VNS Health working tirelessly to serve all New Yorkers, especially the most vulnerable patients.

It is also an honor to extend my congratulations to this year's Lillian D. Wald Award winners, Mike Valentine, Martha Wolfgang, Peter Hutchings. Thank you for your dedication to VNS Health and New Yorkers' well-being.

On behalf of the Borough of Manhattan, I wish you success in the years to come.

Sincerely,

Mark Levine

Manhattan Borough President