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**Wyganowski Presented 2017 NHIF Lynn Giglione Memorial Scholarship Award for Home and Specialty Infusion Nursing at NHIA Annual Conference**

Alexandria, VA, May 24, 2017 – The National Home Infusion Foundation (NHIF) presented its *Lynn Giglione Memorial NHIF Scholarship Award for Home and Specialty Infusion Nursing* to Nicole Wyganowski, RN, Registered Case Manager/High-Tech Infusion Specialist with Fairview Pharmacy and Home Infusion Services at the National Home Infusion Association Annual Conference held May 22-25 in Orlando. Wyganowski provides care to outpatient populations requiring access to implanted devices and administration of volatile medications.

The scholarship, awarded annually, aims to strengthen and promote learning, leadership, care provision, and professional advancement among home and specialty infusion nurses. It recognizes a nurse who has distinguished herself or himself with contributions toward improving the lives of patients and advancing the home and specialty infusion therapy industry. The scholarship funds transportation and attendance to the NHIA conference, the premier industry

gathering for the home and specialty field which provides comprehensive, high-quality education and networking specifically tailored to advance the leadership capabilities of infusion professionals.

Throughout her 15-year nursing career, Wyganowski has worked to improve policies and procedures, trained and mentored new nurses and other staff on producing solid health care documentation, contributed toward the launch of an electronic health record (EHR) system, and created new policies for chemotherapy, in-home mixing, and training. She has developed and implemented patient specific care plans and has worked with patients on the care and maintenance of vascular access devices, medication information, and supply management.

“Nicole’s dedication to caring for her patients and her enthusiasm for attaining and sharing knowledge reflects Lynn Giglione’s unwavering commitment to improving the lives of patients and advancing the field,” said NHIF Board Member and Vice President, Pharmacy Services of Advanced Home Care Janice Wilhelm, MBA, RN, in presenting the award.

“I have had the honor to care for patients in their most broken states and to celebrate their many victories towards health,” said Wyganowski. “I am so pleased to receive this award and look forward to using what I learn to work alongside my colleagues to improve the care of patients.”

The National Home Infusion Foundation (NHIF) is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization that aims to advance the home and specialty infusion field and to support the enhancement of patient care and patient outcomes through leadership, research, and education. Established by the National Home Infusion Association (NHIA), the Foundation focuses on shaping the future of the industry to ensure the most value to patients and the health care community overall. For more information on the Foundation visit [www.nhiafoundation.org](http://www.nhiafoundation.org). To learn more about NHIA, visit [www.nhia.org](http://www.nhia.org).