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**SAINT FRANCIS NAMES KATHLEEN N. MUELLER, M.D.,**

**MEDICAL DIRECTOR OF INTEGRATIVE MEDICINE**

*Trained in Acupuncture, Hypnosis*

(HARTFORD, Conn.) – Kathleen N. Mueller, M.D., of Windsor, has been named Medical Director of Integrative Medicine at Saint Francis Hospital and Medical Center.

Dr. Mueller received her medical degree from the University of Connecticut School of Medicine and served as a resident in the University of Connecticut/Saint Francis Family Medicine Residency Program.

A diplomate of the American Board of Family Medicine, Dr. Mueller is a member of the American Academy of Family Physicians. She served as President of the Connecticut Academy of Family Physicians from 2007 to 2008 and presently is a member of the organization's Board of Directors. Dr. Mueller is a member of the *Core Content Review of Family Medicine* editorial board and holds an appointment as an Clinical Instructor in Family Medicine at the University of Connecticut School of Medicine.

Dr. Mueller has completed training in hypnosis with the American Society for Clinical Hypnosis. She has trained in acupuncture at Harvard Medical School and the American Academy of Pain Research.

At Saint Francis, Dr. Mueller will direct the medical aspects of the Hospital's Integrative Medicine Program, which embraces a wide range of complementary therapies. In addition to her duties at Saint Francis, Dr. Mueller also practices as a member of Holistic Health Partnering, LLC, Windsor.

Founded in 1897, Saint Francis is a major teaching hospital licensed for 617 acute inpatient beds and 65 bassinets. It is the largest Catholic hospital in New England.