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**NICHOLAS V. CAGLIUSO, SR., APPOINTED CORPORATE DIRECTOR OF  
EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT FOR CONTINUUM HEALTH PARTNERS**



**New York, NY (June 19, 2008) Nicholas V. Cagliuso, Sr.**, has been appointed Corporate Director of Emergency Management for Continuum Health Partners, the parent company of five distinguished voluntary teaching hospitals including Beth Israel Medical Center, St. Luke's and Roosevelt Hospitals, Long Island College Hospital of Brooklyn and The New York Eye & Ear Infirmary. Mr. Cagliuso previously served as Coordinator of Emergency Preparedness for the New York-Presbyterian Healthcare System, where he led emergency management efforts across its 40 acute care, long term care and specialty sites in New York, New Jersey, Connecticut and Texas.

A survivor of the September 11<sup>th</sup> terrorist attacks in New York, (Mr. Cagliuso was on the 86<sup>th</sup> floor of One World Trade Center), his decision to grow his career in emergency

management has deep emergency roots. Since 1996, Mr. Cagliuso has held increasingly responsible positions in the public and not-for-profit sectors of New York City, serving as an Emergency Preparedness Analyst in the Office of Emergency Management of the Port Authority of New York and New Jersey, and as Research Assistant to the Medical Director of the Fire Department of New York City Emergency Medical Service (FDNY\*EMS).

Mr. Cagliuso is the author of three book chapters on emergency management, including “Hospital Emergency Preparedness” in the recently released “Disaster Management

Handbook,” and is an Editorial Board member of the *Journal of Homeland Security and Emergency Management*. He also serves as a reviewer for the American Medical Association’s journal *Disaster Medicine and Public Health Preparedness*.

He holds faculty appointments in Metropolitan College of New York's Master of Public Administration Program in Emergency and Disaster Management and New York Medical College’s Master of Public Health Program in its Center for Disaster Medicine.

A graduate of John Jay College in New York City and New York Medical College in Valhalla, New York, Mr. Cagliuso received from each respectively a B.S., cum laude in Fire Science with honors and a Master of Public Health degree in Emergency Medical Services. He is a Ph.D. candidate at Milano: The New School for Management and Urban Policy in New York City, where his dissertation examines stakeholder perceptions of hospital emergency preparedness in the United States.

Mr. Cagliuso currently resides in Nassau County, New York with his wife, Jeannine and their sons, Nick, Jr., and Christopher.

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