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(L to R): State Representative Walter Timilty honors The Boston Home's Donna Flaherty of Milton for MECF scholarship

**Milton Resident Donna Flaherty of The Boston Home  
Honored by State Representative for Scholarship**

Dorchester, MA – Milton resident Donna Flaherty, L.P.N., recently promoted to Charge Nurse at The Boston Home (TBH) in Dorchester, was honored by State Representative Walter Timilty, also from Milton, with a citation from the Massachusetts House of Representatives for “being a dedicated caregiver.” The honor was in recognition of a scholarship she received from the Massachusetts Extended Care Federation (MECF). She also received The Kristen Veal Coffman and Family Scholarship from The Boston Home.

Flaherty expects to complete her RN degree in December through the Massasoit College part-time nursing program.

*Founded in 1881, The Boston Home is a not-for-profit, specialized care residence for adults with advanced Multiple Sclerosis and other progressive neurological diseases. The Boston Home is recognized as “the standard for care of adults with MS” by the National Multiple Sclerosis Society. The Boston Home is the only facility of its kind in New England and one of only a few in the United States. The Boston Home Institute advances standards for care through research and education. The Boston Home Outpatient Services provide therapeutic and social programs for outpatients. For more information, visit [www.thebostonhome.org](http://www.thebostonhome.org).*

*Massachusetts Extended Care Federation (MECF) is the voice of the long- term care provider community in Massachusetts, representing more than 500 skilled nursing facilities, assisted living residences, and continuing care retirement communities.*

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