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***Bayshore Community Health Services Adds One of
New Jersey's Top Docs to its Cancer Care Team***

Holmdel - Reaching a new horizon on cancer care is the goal of Michael Kane, MD, FACP, and the cancer care team at Bayshore Community Hospital.

Bayshore has announced that Dr. Kane will join its staff on January 1 as medical director of oncology, serving the needs of area cancer patients and helping to raise awareness of cancer prevention, education, and life after cancer. Dr. Kane's practice will be based in Holmdel.

"I'm excited to add my expertise to the staff at Bayshore. I am looking forward to working with my colleagues to provide care to cancer patients and their families and assist in expanding the scope of service," explains Dr. Kane. "In addition to providing state of the art cancer care, our program will also stress counseling and complementary programs such as yoga and music therapy. I also plan to introduce cutting edge treatment options to include the latest clinical trials."

Michael Joel Kane, MD, is a nationally known oncologist who was most recently selected for inclusion in *The Best Doctors in America* and *Best Doctors in the New York Metro Area* as well as "Top Docs" in New Jersey and "Top Docs for Women." He comes to Bayshore from the Cancer Center at Mountainside Hospital and other renowned cancer-care facilities, including the Cancer Institute of New Jersey and the Robert Wood Johnson Medical School.

"It is exciting to have a physician of Dr Kane's caliber joining our cancer care team at Bayshore," said Raimonda Clark, RN, MA, MEd, Bayshore's President and CEO. "Dr. Kane will help us to bring cancer treatment to a new level at Bayshore, creating a healthier future for so many of our area's residents, and enabling them to receive the treatment and support they need without traveling far from home."

Dr. Kane is a past-President of the Oncology Society of New Jersey. He served as an extramural reviewer for the New Jersey Comprehensive Cancer Care Plan in the area of breast cancer. Dr. Kane is board certified by the American Board of Internal Medicine in medical oncology and internal medicine.

Bayshore's current cancer services include inpatient and ambulatory chemotherapy, immunotherapy and biological therapy as well as brachytherapy, diagnostic biopsy techniques and a comprehensive range of oncological surgical procedures.

Bayshore's Patient and Family Resource Center is specifically designed to meet the needs of cancer patients and their families. Bayshore's Community Education Department conducts regular screenings and education for prostate, breast, colon and skin cancers. Bayshore also conducts long-term studies benchmarking its cancer services against national programs to establish the best possible outcome.

Bayshore Community Hospital's cancer program has been approved by the Commission on Cancer of the American College of Surgeons. Along with the addition of Dr. Kane, this status ensures patients that they will have access to excellent comprehensive care, including a range of state-of-the-art services and equipment. Bayshore Community Hospital is affiliated with Robert Wood Johnson University Hospital and The Cancer Institute of New Jersey.

For more information about Bayshore's cancer program, call (732) 962-7275 or visit www.bchs.com

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