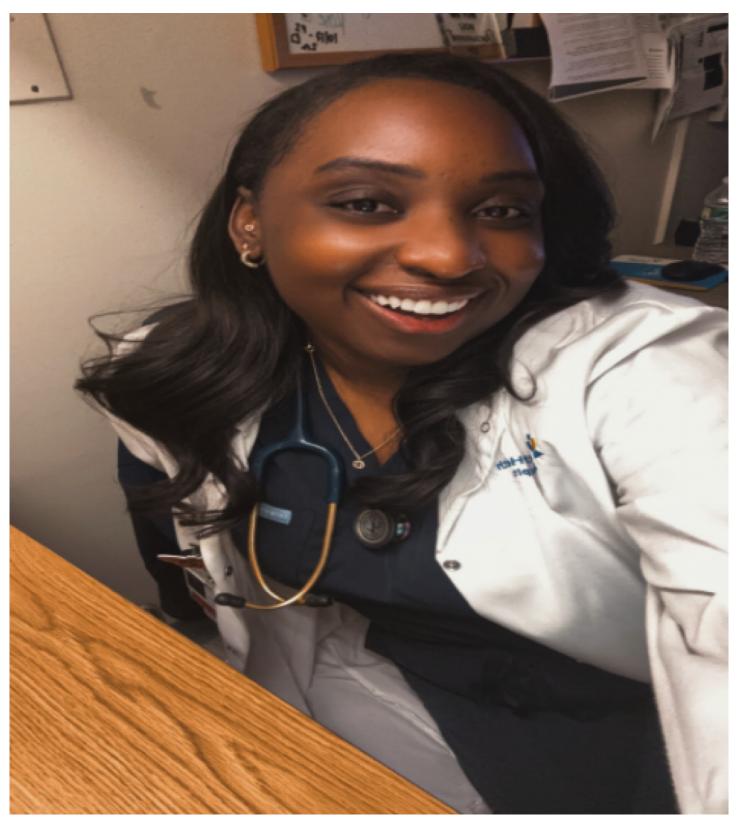
## Astajia Auguste, RN, CCRN: Champion of Nursing Excellence at Mercy Hospital

**Empowering Healthcare Teams with Knowledge, Compassion, and Leadership** 



Hospital is proud to announce that Astajia Auguste, RN, CCRN, a dedicated Critical Care Registered Nurse, has made significant contributions as a Nurse Educator, fostering a culture of collaboration and excellence among the healthcare team. As part of Catholic Health Long Island, Astajia has consistently demonstrated her commitment to supporting frontline staff in both routine and high-pressure situations.

Astajia's approach to nursing education emphasizes the importance of teamwork and communication. She routinely conducts mock drills and simulation sessions for night shift nurses, enhancing their clinical skills and reinforcing the critical nature of interdisciplinary collaboration. Her efforts have not gone unnoticed; many new graduate nurses have expressed their gratitude for her unwavering support and mentorship, highlighting how her guidance has positively impacted their professional development.

Her commitment to the I-CARE core values—Integrity, Compassion, Accountability, Respect, and Excellence—shines through in every interaction. Astajia embodies these principles, ensuring that they are at the forefront of her communication and actions. Her kindness, professionalism, and competence make her an invaluable asset to the Mercy Hospital team and the patients they serve.

Astajia's academic achievements are impressive. She holds an Associate of Science in Registered Nursing from Helene Fuld College of Nursing, a Bachelor of Science in Nursing from United States University, and a Master of Science in Nursing from Stony Brook University. In addition to her formal education, she is an active member of the Sigma Theta Tau International Honor Society of Nursing, the second-largest nursing organization globally, with approximately 135,000 active members.

Recognized as both a coach and a role model, Astajia attributes her success to the mentorship she has received throughout her career. "I believe in raising the bar for one another and our patients," she states, illustrating her dedication to continuous improvement within the nursing profession.

Astajia Auguste exemplifies the spirit of nursing excellence at Mercy Hospital, setting a standard for quality care and teamwork that inspires her colleagues and enhances patient outcomes. Her contributions not only uplift the nursing staff but also significantly impact the lives of the patients they care for every day.

## **Learn More about Astajia Auguste:**

Through her online profile, <a href="https://todaysnurse.org/nurse/4150286">https://todaysnurse.org/nurse/4150286</a>

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