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EMPLOYEES HONORED FOR SERVICE AT MISSISSIPPI STATE HOSPITAL

WHITFIELD—Mississippi State Hospital (MSH) recently honored employees with April anniversary dates for their years of service to the hospital. Service Awards are given to employees in the month of their date of hire, beginning with one year, followed by every fifth anniversary year. Employees receive a Certificate of Appreciation and a Service Award Pin. The program is sponsored by Friends of Mississippi State Hospital, Inc.

Mississippi State Hospital April service award recipients include: (first row, 1 to r) Cheryl Johnson of Jackson, 1 year; Amy Carruth of Brandon, 1 year; Jackie Yates of McCall Creek, 5 years; Stephanie Young of Pearl, 5 years; Linda Butler of Jackson, 20 years; Sydney Rankins of Pearl, 1 year; Sheila Hicks of Greenwood, 5 years; (second row, 1 to r) George Berry of Jackson, 20 years; Diana Hunter of Jackson, 20 years; Chenille Hewitt of Ridgeland, 1 year; Patrick Webb of Jackson, 20 years; Martha Robinson of Pearl, 15 years; Elisha Hawkins of Jackson, 1 year; Clarice Shirley of West, 15 years; (third row, 1 to r) Ross Ainsworth of Richland, 25 years; Jeff Luckey of Mendenhall, 15 years; Jamie Shows of Pearl, 10 years; Kevin Frazier, 15 years; McKinley Albert of Byram, 1 year; Earnest Brooks of Brandon, 1 year; and Latrice Brown of Jackson, 1 year.

MSH, a program of the Mississippi Department of Mental Health, was founded in 1855 and facilitates improvement in the quality of life for Mississippians who are in need of mental health, chemical dependency or nursing home services by rehabilitating to the least restrictive environment and utilizing a range of psychiatric and medical services that reflect the accepted standard of care and are in compliance with statutory and regulatory guidelines. The hospital is accredited by the Joint Commission.

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PHOTO ATTACHED: April Service Award group