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## COJO of Flatbush Honors Beth Israel's Rhona Hetsrony

The Council of Jewish Organizations (COJO) of Flatbush honored Beth Israel Medical Center's Rhona Hetsrony, Vice President for Administration, Kings Highway Division at COJO's 31<sup>st</sup> Annual Community Legislative Breakfast on Sunday, March 14. Ms. Hetsrony accepted the Distinguished Medical Rofeh Award on behalf of Beth Israel and its parent organization, Continuum Health Partners.

Other honorees included US Senator Kirsten Gillibrand, US Representative Anthony Weiner, NYS Senator John L. Sampson, NYS Assemblywoman Helene E. Weinstein, NYC Deputy Mayor for Operations Edward Skyler and Councilman Lewis A. Fidler.

Ms. Hetsrony has been the administrator of Beth Israel-Kings Highway Division since 2004. She has led the effort to improve and enhance the hospital's facilities and services, and has worked hard to foster a good relationship between the hospital and the community it serves.

Under the leadership of Executive Director Rabbi Yechezkel Pikus, COJO of Flatbush is a network of more than 200 social, educational, religious, fraternal, financial and health care institutions. It serves as a community resource center for the neighborhoods of Southern Brooklyn and offers a wide array of social services that provide a safety net for individuals and families, as well as employment opportunities and small business programs.

Through Beth Israel's alliance with COJO, Ms. Hetsrony ensures a seamless delivery of hospital services to patients and the community at large.