

WASHINGTON, DC
MURIEL BOWSER, MAYOR

Proclamation



WOUND CARE AWARENESS WEEK

JUNE 3 - 7, 2019

WHEREAS, it is estimated that 6.7 million people currently live with chronic wounds; and

WHEREAS, untreated chronic wounds can lead to a diminished quality of life and possible amputation of the affected limb; and

WHEREAS, wound care physicians and health care providers take great pride in caring for their patients; and

WHEREAS, raising awareness, early detection and preventive maintenance can help the spread of infection and amputation; and

WHEREAS, this week is an opportunity to learn about the importance of wound care and how it can benefit saving lives and limbs:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, THE MAYOR OF WASHINGTON, DC, do hereby proclaim June 3 -7, 2019 as "WOUND CARE AWARENESS WEEK".

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Muriel Bowser", written over a horizontal line.

