

# Governor's Proclamation



**WHEREAS**, Central Service Technicians are responsible for sterilizing, storing, assembling and distributing the medical devices and surgical supplies needed for patient care; and

**WHEREAS**, Central Service Technicians support patient care services in settings ranging from hospitals to ambulatory surgical centers; and

**WHEREAS**, the Central Service Department of a healthcare facility is the heart of all activity involving instruments, supplies and equipment required for patient care areas including operating rooms, endoscopy suites, intensive care units and birth centers; and

**WHEREAS**, Central Service Technicians play an important role in patient care and are responsible for first-line processes to prevent patient infections; and

**WHEREAS**, International Central Service Week recognizes the contribution Central Service Technicians make to patient safety.

**NOW THEREFORE, I, MATTHEW H. MEAD**, Governor of the State of Wyoming, do hereby proclaim October 8 – 14, 2017 as

## CENTRAL SERVICE WEEK

in Wyoming.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Executive Seal of the Governor of Wyoming to be affixed this 22 day of September, 2017.



A blue ink signature of Matthew H. Mead.

Matthew H. Mead  
Governor