



## NEW YORK STATE COALITION FOR CHILDREN'S MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES

# 2014 ANNUAL PUBLIC POLICY FORUM

**Tuesday, October 21, 2014**

Holiday Inn on Wolf Road, Albany, New York

### PROGRAM

9:00AM - 10:00AM  
**REGISTRATION**

10:00AM - 10:15AM  
**WELCOME & SETTING THE STAGE**  
**Clyde Comstock**, *President, NYS Coalition for Children's Mental Health Services; COO, Hillside Family of Agencies*

10:15AM - 12:15PM  
**THROUGH THE NEXT DOOR: SYSTEM-WIDE INTEGRATION FOR CHILDREN AND FAMILIES**  
**Facilitator: Ray Schimmer**, *Consultant*

**Speakers:**  
**Greg Allen**, *MSW, Director, Program Development and Management, Office of Health Insurance Programs, NYS Department of Health (invited)*  
**James P. DeLorenzo**, *Assistant Commissioner, P-12: Office of Special Education, NYS Education Department*  
**Bruce Feig**, *Consultant, Sachs Policy Group*  
**Ed Fennell**, *President, NYS Rare Disease Alliance*  
**Jeff Gold**, *Senior Vice President, Insurance and Managed Care, HANYS*  
**Robert Holtz**, *Vice President, Behavioral Health Services, CDPHP*  
**Lara Kassel**, *Coalition Coordinator, Medicaid Matters NY*  
**Andrea Smyth**, *Executive Director, New York State Coalition for Children's Mental Health Services*

12:15PM - 1:15PM  
**LUNCH**

1:15PM - 2:15PM  
**NEW YORK STATE'S COMMITMENT TO MANAGED CARE READINESS AND HEALTH HOME IMPLEMENTATION**  
**Donna Bradbury**, *MA, LMHC, Associate Commissioner, Director Division of Children and Family Services NYS Office of Mental Health*  
**Lana Earle**, *Deputy Director, Division of Program Development and Management, Office of Health Insurance Programs, NYS Department of Health*  
**Steve Hanson**, *Associate Commissioner, NYS Office of Alcoholism and Substance Abuses Services*  
**Laura Velez**, *Deputy Commissioner, Child Welfare and Community Services, NYS Office of Children and Family Services*

2:15PM - 2:30PM  
**BREAK**

2:30PM - 3:15PM  
**TOOLS FOR PROVIDER SUPPORT UNDER MANAGED CARE**  
**Representatives**, *NYS Coalition for Children's Mental Health Services*

3:15PM  
**ADJOURNMENT**

**TO REGISTER - VISIT [WWW.CMHNY.ORG](http://WWW.CMHNY.ORG)**

Questions about Registration? Email: [info@cmhny.org](mailto:info@cmhny.org)

**For Hotel Reservations: Holiday Inn on Wolf Road**

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for a discounted \$129 single/double rate, please refer to the group: CMHNY

Hotel Reservations also available at The Desmond. See Registration Information for more details.

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The NYS Coalition for Children's Mental Health Services is pleased to announce a paper-free registration process! All registrations will be submitted online. Go to [www.cmhny.org](http://www.cmhny.org) to register and complete the form. If you have any questions or need further instructions email us at [info@cmhny.org](mailto:info@cmhny.org). To make your hotel reservations, you must call the hotel or use the link below.

## PARTICIPANT REGISTRATION INFORMATION

The registration fee includes meals but  
**DOES NOT INCLUDE  
HOTEL COSTS**

**\$75.00** Coalition Members

**\$100.00** Non-Members

**\$35.00** State/Local  
Government Agencies ONLY

Checks should be made payable to:

**New York State Coalition for Children's Mental Health Services**

*Mail to:* PO Box 7124, Albany, New York 12224

CANCELLATION AND LATE FEE POLICY: Conference registration cancellations received before October 16th entitle registrants to a full refund. NO REFUNDS will be issued for cancellations received after October 16th. Refunds will NOT be made for no-shows. However, substitutions will be allowed.

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or visit <https://bookings.ihotelier.com/bookings.jsp?groupID=1304319&hotelID=12446>

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