The NYAPRS Executive Seminar prides itself on ensuring that “everyone is in the room” when we come together to discuss the breaking trends and candid challenges facing the behavioral health and substance use community. Join your colleagues for this timely event and make sure you’re in that room by registering today! See details inside and registration information at www.nyaprs.org
Thursday, April 21, 2016

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9:15AM - 9:45AM
Key Roles for Behavioral Health Providers in Advancing Population Health
Ron Manderscheid, Ph.D., Executive Director, National Association of County Behavioral Health & Developmental Disability Directors
Population health requires action – across all sectors – to improve the health of communities and to achieve the triple aim of improving care for individuals, reducing costs, and improving health. The presenter will offer a framework for understanding the shifts that the behavioral health sector will need to make to effectively operate within this new environment.

9:45AM–11:00AM
The Social Determinants for Behavioral and Population Health: Addressing Poverty, Race, Homelessness and Exclusion
Jeff Olivet, MA, President/CEO, Center for Social Innovation
Ruth Shim, MD, MPH, Vice Chair, Education and Faculty Development, Chief of Outpatient Psychiatric Services, Associate Professor of Psychiatry, Hofstra Northwell School of Medicine Lenox Hill Hospital Department of Psychiatry, Northwell Health
Moderator: Steve Coe, Executive Director, Community Access
It has become very clear that we cannot promote population and behavioral health without addressing social, economic and housing status and other factors that contribute to social injustice and health care disparities and inequities. The presenters will discuss strategies to overcome barriers and challenges to integrating social factors into the promotion of full population health.

11:00AM - 11:15AM
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Taking Stock: State Budget Report, Medicaid Redesign Update

Opening: Tracie M. Gardner, Assistant Secretary for Health, Office of the Governor
Greg Allen, MSW, Director, Program Development & Management, Office of Health Insurance Programs, NYS Department of Health, Albany, NY
Pat Lincourt, LCSW, Director, Division of Practice Innovation and Care Management, NYS OASAS
Robert Myers, Ph.D., Senior Deputy Commissioner & Division Director, Adult Services, State Hospitals and Managed Care, NYS Office of Mental Health, Albany, NY

Moderator: Harvey Rosenthal, Executive Director, NYAPRS

Hear and discuss this progress report from state policy makers on the status of the various initiatives, including the impact of the enacted State Budget and the roll out of the HCBS, HARP, Health Homes, DSRIP and other initiatives.

12:15PM - 1:00PM

Lunch

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1. When You’ve Seen One DSRIP ....

Peggy Chan, MPH, Director, DSRIP, NYS Department of Health, Albany, NY
Carol Tegas, Executive Director, Fingerlakes PPS
Mark Ropiecki, Director of Program Management, Care Compass Network
Keith W. Leahey, MSW, Executive Director, Mental Health Association of the Southern Tier
Joseph Conte, Ph.D., MPA, Executive Director, Staten Island PPS (invited)
Fern Zagor, LCSW, ACSW, CEO, Staten Island Mental Health Society (invited)

Moderator: Meggan Schilkie, MBA,Principal, Health Management Associates

Hear about the successes and challenges Performing Provider Systems (PPSs) are encountering in partnering with behavioral health and substance use agencies as they advance the state’s DSRIP initiative. Learn how collaborations and care integration across the continuum is working as providers partner to jointly achieve positive health and behavioral healthcare outcomes.
2. **New Partners, New Payers: Collaborations for Success**

**Beverly Grossman**, MSW, Senior Policy Director, Community Healthcare Association of NYS

**Peggy Leonard**, MS, RN-BC, Senior Vice President for Clinical Services, MVP Health Care

**Sabina Lim**, MD, MPH, Vice President, Behavioral Health, Mount Sinai Health System, Chief of Strategy, Behavioral Health, Mount Sinai Health System

**Jorge Petit**, MD, Regional Senior VP of the New York Region, Beacon Health Options

**Moderator: Jackie Negri**, Principal and Consultant, Negri Management Resources, LLC

Well-functioning integrated healthcare systems require payers and providers to work together in alignment, requiring fundamental changes in how both groups work and interact with each other. Learn about innovative collaborations between behavioral health and medical providers and new managed care and DSRIP payers and the potential these have to reduce costs, improve processes, and most importantly, enhance care and outcomes for Medicaid beneficiaries.

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

**Break with Vendors**

**2:30PM - 3:45PM**  CONCURRENT WORKSHOPS 1-3

**Workshop 1: Coming Back, Moving Forward: Recovery from Trauma and Addiction**

**Steve Samra**, MPA, Associate, Center for Social Innovation, Deputy Project Director, BRSSTACS

**Jeffrey McQueen**, MBA, Director Consumer Link, Director Vet2Vet, Mental Health Association of Nassau County

**Moderator: Jeff Olivet**, MA, President/CEO, Center for Social Innovation

The experience of trauma is far too common in the lives of people with behavioral health conditions. The consequences of such traumas extend far beyond the events themselves and often become the major challenge individuals must overcome in order to achieve their health, vocational and social goals. Join national and state leaders in a discussion around the impact of trauma on population health and to consider strategies that best advance the success of both survivors and the providers who seek to support them.
Workshop 2: Effective Strategies & Innovations to Advance Outreach and Engagement

DOUGLAS G. FISH, MD, Medical Director, Division of Program Development & Management, Office of Health Insurance Programs, New York State Department of Health

CAROLE A MATYAS, MSW, Vice President Behavioral Health Operations, Wellcare Health Plans, Inc.

SERGIO MATOS, Executive Director, Community Health Worker Network of NYC and President of Health Innovation Associates, LLC

TANYA STEVENS, Deputy Director, NYAPRS

Moderator: Edye Schwartz, DSW, LCSW-R, Director of System’s Transformation, NYAPRS

Our ability to form positive relationships that engage and support the health activation of individuals with complex needs and personal and social challenges are critical to the success of the HARP, health home and DSRIP initiatives. The presenters will share details about promising person-centered approaches that are proving to be essential to promote successful and sustained efforts to advance improved population health and reduced recidivism.

Workshop 3: New Developments in Peer Support

ALLEN DANIELS, Ph.D., Ed.D., Independent Behavioral Health Care Consultant and Board Member, The College for Behavioral Health Leadership

ANDRE L. JOHNSON, President/CEO, Detroit Recovery Project

STEVE MICCIO, CEO, PEOPLe, Inc

ELLEN HEALION, MA, Hands Across Long Island

Moderator: Harvey Rosenthal, Executive Director, NYAPRS

Over the past decade, peer support services and strategies have emerged as essential elements of an effective behavioral health and greater healthcare system. Learn about the findings of the Carter Centers Pillars of Peer Support Summits and the results of a recently released wage and salary survey. Hear firsthand accounts of how peer support is helping individuals to advance their health and wellness and to reduce avoidable relapses and readmissions.

3:45PM - 4:00PM

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4:00PM - 5:15PM CONCURRENT WORKSHOPS 4-6

**Workshop 4: Strategies to Reduce Recidivism and Criminalization**

**Tracie Gardner**, Assistant Secretary for Health, Office of the Governor

**Judge Ginger Lerner-Wren**, JD, Broward County Court Judge, Adjunct Professor, Nova - Southeastern University Criminal Justice Institute

**Jerry Miller**, NYS Office of Mental Health

**Moderator: Dan Abreu**, MS, CRC, LMHC, Senior Project Associate, Policy Research Associate and Senior Technical Assistance Specialist, SAMHSA’s GAINS Center for Behavioral Health and Justice Transformation

There is a very strong correlation between poor health outcomes and high rates of criminal justice involvement and recidivism. This panel will look at promising practices that help improve the health and community tenure of individuals with behavioral conditions who currently or might otherwise have contact with the criminal justice system. It will feature the developer of the nation’s first mental health court as well as noted state and national proponents of promising criminal justice diversion and re-entry approaches.

**Workshop 5: The Essential Role of Cultural Competence within a Performing Provider System**

**Lenore Reid-Rose**, MBA, Director, Cultural and Linguistic Competence, Coordinated Care Services, Inc.

**Carol Tegars**, Executive Director, Finger Lakes Performing Provider System

The success of DSRIP and each local PPS will depend on the capability of each partner to demonstrate a strong cultural competency component in the design and delivery of their services. Come and learn how one PPS is helping their network partners to overcome cultural barriers and to successfully engage beneficiaries and to help them improve their own health and social outcomes.

**Workshop 6: Harnessing Technology to Advance Wellness and Improve our Outcomes**

**Allen Daniels**, Ph.D., Ed.D., Independent Behavioral Health Care Consultant and Board Member, The College for Behavioral Health Leadership

**Virna Little**, Psy.D., LCSW, SAP, Vice President for Psychosocial Services / Community Affairs, The Institute for Family Health

The presenters will describe innovative ways in which organizations are using technology to best promote agency and consumer success. Participants will see some of the latest advances in technology and electronic health records and understand how these tools advance care and service value. They will also learn how the new Healthy Behavior Change E-Guide pulls together information on the real revolution in health care - the empowerment of people, families and communities to take charge of their own health.
9:00AM - 10:30AM
The Intersection and Integration of Mental Health and Addiction Recovery Services

**Tom Hill,** MSW, Senior Advisor to the SAMHSA Administrator on Addiction and Recovery

**Becky Vaughn,** MS.Ed, Senior Vice President for Addictions, National Council for Behavioral Health

**John Coppola,** MSW, New York Association of Alcoholism and Substance Abuse Providers

**Moderator:** Pam Mattel, LCSW, CASAC, Chief Operating Officer, Acacia Network

Systems, services and supports have developed separately in the mental health and substance use fields for years resulting in different experiences, language and expectations for those who choose to access services within one or both systems. The resulting services have not supported a holistic view of recovery and the time has finally come to break down the barriers that separate us and embrace truly working together. Join our national and state experts as they explore ways that mental health and substance use services must and will break down the silos we have created and develop a seamless person centered system of care delivery for people working on mental health and substance use issues.

10:30AM - 10:45AM
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Can Nonprofits Survive and Succeed?

**Allison Sesso,** MPA, Executive Director, Human Services Council of New York

**Barry Brogan,** RN, MAPP, Executive Director, North County Behavioral Healthcare Network

**Steve Coe,** MA, Executive Director, Community Access

**Donna Colonna,** CEO, Services for the UnderServed

**Amy Kohn,** MSW, Ph.D., CEO, Mental Health Association of Westchester

**Keith W. Leahey,** MSW, Executive Director, Mental Health Association of the Southern Tier

**Steve Miccio,** CEO, PEOPLe, Inc.

**David Rivel,** CEO, The Jewish Board of Family and Children’s Services

**Moderator:** Jackie Negri, Principal and Consultant, Negri Management Resources, LLC

This closing session will offer a very candid ‘rubber meets the road” discussion with panelists and attendees around the challenges that community behavioral health nonprofits face, especially as we move more deeply into the Medicaid Managed Care and Value based payment environments. The conversation will
be informed by the findings from a recently released “Call to Action” report by the Human Services Coalition that looks at rate, workforce, payment, regulatory and mandate related issues, as well as the management and risk assessment responsibilities of nonprofit leaders.

12:15PM
Closing Remarks
Harvey Rosenthal, Executive Director, NYAPRS

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POWERFUL PUBLIC POLICY ADVOCACY that has helped achieve landmark legislative advances and budget victories through prominent statewide events and action drives, local forums and media work and at-the-table influence.

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REGIONAL FORUMS AND SPECIAL EVENTS that bring the issues of the day back home and use local input to help shape state and national developments.

STATE OF THE ART TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE AND TRAINING aimed at helping members to knowledgeably stay steps ahead in their efforts to provide recovery and person-centered, culturally competent services that promote health and wellness, employment and asset development and innovation.

NATIONALLY ACCLAIMED ANNUAL CONFERENCE AND EXECUTIVE SEMINAR that present timely issues of the day and those to come in inspiring, information-packed programs filled with opportunities to connect, celebrate and recharge at discounted prices.

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