



The CLMHD Children's & Family Committee:  
**Expanding Access to Children's  
Behavioral Healthcare Services**

**October 8, 2014 9:30-4:00**

*Thank you for joining us today.*

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- 9:30 -9:55** Registration
- 10:00 – 10:15** Opening Remarks: **Ann Marie T. Sullivan, M.D.**, Commissioner, NYS Office of Mental Health
- 10:15-10:30** Update on MRT Children's Behavioral Health: **Donna Bradbury, Associate Commissioner, Division of Integrated Community Services for Children & Families, NYS Office of Mental Health**
- 10:30-11:30** First Episode Psychosis from Parachute NYCDOMH (provides alternatives to hospitalization for people experiencing emotional crises) and OnTrackNY (an OMH program that provides recovery-oriented treatment for young people who have recently begun to experience psychosis).  
**Lisa Dixon, MD; NYS Psychiatric Institute, OnTrackNY & Pablo Sadler, MD; NYCDOHMH; Project Director Parachute NYC**
- 11:30-12:30** **Bruce Kamrat, MSW/Director, Wraparound Milwaukee** is a unique system of care serving over 1,400 children with serious emotional and mental health needs and their families. Created as one of the first publicly operated managed care entities in the country, Wraparound Milwaukee pools over \$45 million per year from Medicaid, Mental Health, Child Welfare, Juvenile Justice, and local schools to provide a comprehensive array of services and supports for families.
- 12:30-1:15** Lunch
- 1:15-2:00** **Suzanne Fields, MSW, LICSW, Formerly Senior Advisor to the Administrator on Health Care Financing for SAMHSA.** Prior to joining SAMHSA, Ms. Fields worked for the Technical Assistance Collaborative (TAC), a national nonprofit consulting firm where she assisted over 20 states in reform efforts, dissemination of best practices, financing, system design & delivery and quality initiatives. She also consulted with numerous national advocacy and trade associations. Prior to joining TAC, Fields was Director of the Office of Behavioral Health for Massachusetts Medicaid.
- 2:00-3:00** **Knute Rotto, ACSW, CEO of Value Options (Connecticut) Chris Counihan, MSW, Director of the Office of Behavioral Health MassHealth (Massachusetts) and Kathleen Enerlich, MS, Executive Director of PerformCare (New Jersey).** Learn about their experiences with Managed Behavioral Health Care for Children Three State's Experiences
- 3:00-4:00** Q and A with the Panel/Take Aways From the Day:  
Facilitated by **Kathy Alonge-Coons, LCSW-R**  
**Commissioner Rensselaer County Department of Mental Health/Chair of CLMHD Children & Families Committee**
- 4:00** Adjourn

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