



RPC - WESTERN NY REGION

Allegany Cattaraugus Chautauqua Erie Genesee Niagara Orleans Wyoming

Western Region RPC Board Members

RPC Co-Chair: Mark O'Brien, Erie County Commissioner of Mental Health

RPC Co-Chair: Kirsten Vincent, CEO – Recovery Options Made Easy

RPC Coordinator: Tiffany Moore

Effective: August 25, 2020

Community Based Providers

Mental Health: Elizabeth Woike-Ganga, BestSelf Behavioral Health

Substance Abuse: Mallory Bryant, Horizon Health Services

HCBS: Nancy Singh, Restoration Society, Inc.

Housing: Chris Syracuse, DePaul

Children's: Elizabeth McFarland, Child and Family Services of Erie County

Rural: Jennifer Gesing, The Resource Center

Director of Community Services

Chautauqua County: Patricia Brinkman

Niagara County: Laura Kelemen

Cattaraugus County: Mary O'Leary

Erie County: Mark O'Brien

Genesee County: Lynda Battaglia

Wyoming County: Kelly Dryja

Orleans County: Danielle Figura (Interim)

Allegany County: Robert Anderson

Key Partners

Daniel Porreca, HEALTHeLINK

Al Hammond, Millennium Collaborative Care

Nathan Franus, Finger Lakes Preferred Provider System

Karen Hall, Population Health Collaborative

State Government Representatives

Christine Smith, New York State Office of Mental Health

Chris Marcello, New York State Office of Mental Health

Carol Cornacchio, New York State Office of Alcohol and Substance Abuse Services

Dana Brown, New York State Office of Children and Family Services

Hospitals and Health System Providers

Kristy Lauer, The Chautauqua Center

Jillian Brown, Erie County Medical Center

Bruce Nisbet, Health Home Partners of Western New York, LLC

Sharon Bauer, Health Homes of Upstate New York

Vicki Landes, Niagara Falls Memorial Medical Center

Trish McClennan, WCA/UPMC Chautauqua

Peer/Family/Youth Advocates

Michele Brooks - Family

Susan Gagne – Family

Gail McKee – Peer and Family

Stephanie Orlando - Peer

Michelle Scheib – Peer

Kirsten Vincent - Peer

Managed Care Organization (MCO)/Health and Recovery Plan (HARP)/Behavioral Health Organization (BHO)

Debra Meyers, Beacon Health Options

Colleen Klintworth, Excellus

Ivette Morales, Fidelis

Patricia Hunter, Health Now

Philip Salemi, Independent Health

Michelle Clavecilla-Chan, MVP Healthcare

Jennifer Earl, United Health Care

Linda O'Donnell, Molina Healthcare