



**SENATE STANDING COMMITTEES ON MENTAL HEALTH AND DEVELOPMENTAL
DISABILITIES AND HEALTH**

**PUBLIC HEARING ON
SUICIDE AND SUICIDE PREVENTION**

June 4, 2019 – 10:00 AM

HEARING ROOM A – LEGISLATIVE OFFICE BUILDING

WITNESS LIST

Panel 1:

Ann Marie Sullivan, MD	NYS Office of Mental Health, Commissioner	Albany
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Panel 2:

Sarah Ravenhall, MHA, CHES	NYS Association County Health Officials	Albany
Brigid Pigott	Rockland County Department of Mental Health	Pomona

Panel 3:

Dr. Michael Lindsey	NYU/McSilver Institute	NYC
Edward Staehr	NY FarmNet at Cornell University	Ithaca
Rosa M. Gil, DSW	Comunilife	NYC

Panel 4:

Tiffany Folk	Tristan Foundation, Director	Rochester
Donna Besler	Ontario Suicide Prevention Coalition	Canandaigua

Panel 5:

Glenn Liebman	Mental Health Association of NYS (MHANYS)	Albany
Mathew Shapiro and Roy Ettore	National Alliance on Mental Illness	Albany
Kathleen Carney	Lexington Center, Clinic Director	Airmont

Panel 6:

Seth Diamond	Westchester Jewish Community Services	White plains
Brett A. Scudder	Suicide Intervention Services Foundation	Bronx
Sam Dorison	Trevor Project, Chief of Staff	NYC

Panel 7:

Ben Esposito	NYS Camp Director's Association	Centerport
Jeffery M. Daly, MD	Medical Director, Child and Adolescent Outpatient Psychiatric Services, Four Winds Hospital	
	Medical Director, Project TEACH Region 2	Saratoga

Panel 8:

Isabel Ebrahimi	Help Is Here Coaching, ADHD Coach	Nyack
Anamul Haque	Suicide Prevention Advocate	Brooklyn

Submitted Written Testimony Only

New York State Department of Health
New York State Office of Children and Family Services
County of Suffolk, Veterans Service Agency