



**SENATE PUBLIC HEARING  
IMPACT OF COVID-19 ON PRISONS AND JAILS**

Tuesday, September 22nd, 2020 10 A.M.

Virtual

**WITNESS LIST**

1. Anthony Annucci, Acting Commissioner, **New York State Department of Corrections (DOCCS)**
2. Cynthia Brann, Commissioner, **New York City Department of Corrections**  
Patricia Yang DrPH, Senior Vice President, **New York City Health & Hospitals (H+H)**  
**Correctional Health Services (CHS)**  
Robert Cohen MD, Member, **New York City Board of Correction**
3. Steven Drake, Executive Board Member, **NYS Public Employees Federation (PEF)**  
Benny Boscio, President, **Correction Officers' Benevolent Association (COBA)**
4. Danny Glover, Founding Member and Chair of AFJ Board of Directors, **Alliance of Families of Justice**  
Felicia Henry, Research Fellow, **Correctional Associations**  
Elizabeth Gaynes, President/CEO, **Osborne Association**  
Amelia Adams, President, **Adams Advisors LLC/Bard Prison Initiative**  
Lisette Banenga, **New York Consortium for Higher Education in Prisons (NYCHEP)**
5. Maurice Wilcox, **Formerly Incarcerated at Eastern Correctional Facility**  
Albert Beckary, **Formerly Incarcerated at Fishkill Correctional Facility**  
Jermaine Barrett, **Formerly Incarcerated at Green Haven Correctional Facility**
6. Karen L. Murtagh, Executive Director, **Prisoners Legal Services (PLS)**  
Stan Germán, Executive Director, **New York County Defenders Service**  
Kelsey De Avila, Project Director, **Brooklyn Defenders**  
Susan Gottehrer, Nassau County Chapter Director, **New York Civil Liberties Union (NYCLU)**  
Martha Grieco, Prisoners' Rights Attorney, **Bronx Defenders**
7. Sharon White-Harrigan, Executive Director, **Women's Community Justice Association (WCJA)**

Sophie Gebreselassie, Staff Attorney, **The Prisoners Right Project**  
Kenyatta Thompson, Lead Organizer, **Katal Center for Health, Equity, & Justice**  
Michelle Lewin, Executive Director, **Parole Preparation Project**  
Andre Ward, Associate Vice President of The David Rothenberg Center for Public Policy, **The Fortune Society**

8. Andrew Pragacz, Advocacy Coordinator, **Justice & Unity in the Southern Tier**  
Marvin Mayfield & Cynthia Carter-Young, Statewide Organizer & Member Leader, **Center for Community Alternatives**  
DeAnna Hoskins, President, **Just Leadership USA (JLUSA)**  
Alexander Horowitz, Executive Director, **New Yorkers United for Justice**
9. Saul Trofino, Client, **Housing Works**  
Nick Encalada-Malinowski, Civil Rights Campaign Director, **Vocal-NY**  
Jerome Wright, Statewide Organizer, **Campaign for Alternatives to Isolated Confinement/HALT**  
Susan Li, Community Organizer, **Release Aging People in Prison (RAPP)**
10. Joshua Rosenthal, Senior Staff Attorney, **Disability Rights New York**  
Anne Kelsey, Staff Attorney, **Center for HIV Law and Policy**  
Tracie Gardner, Vice President of Policy & Advocacy, **Legal Action Center**  
Sharon Griest Ballen, Chair, **Prison Relations Advisory Committee, Town of Bedford**
11. Serena Liguori, Executive Director, **New Hour for Women and Children LI**  
Stephen Hart PhD, **Buffalo, New York**  
Lisa Napoli, Supervising Attorney, **Appellate Advocates**