

## SENATOR ANDREW LANZA & JCC of Staten Island

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# SPECIAL NEEDS RESOURCE FAIR "What Every Caregiver Should Know"



#### 10:30 a.m.

#### Parent To Parent - Advocating Through Letter Writing

Workshop on advocating more effectively through written communication

### 11:15 a.m.

#### Daniel Ajello, Esq. - Financial Planing, Trusts & IEP's

Presentation about financial planning, the legalities surrounding trusts & effective IEP's

#### 12:00 noon

Autism Speaks Inc. - Advocacy, Research & Family Services

### 12:30 p.m.

NYC DOE, Office of Travel Training - Independent Travel

Teaches students with disabilities (age 14-21) to navigate public transportation independently

## **ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSIONS**

NYC DOE Special Education - **DOE Issues for Students with Disabilities** Staten Island Legal Services - **Legal Assistance for People with Disabilities** NYC DOE - **Pre-K Applications** OPWDD/SIDDRO - **Accessing the Home and Community Based Services Waiver** 

Mayor's Office For People With Disabilities (MOPD)