



NEW YORK STATE LEGISLATURE

2023 JOINT BUDGET HEARING

February 13, 2023 – 11:30 AM

HUMAN SERVICES

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| 1. New York State Office of Children and Family Services | Suzanne Miles-Gustave Esq. Acting Commissioner |
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| 2. New York State Office of Temporary & Disability Assistance | Daniel Tietz Commissioner |
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| 3. New York State Office for the Aging | Greg Olsen Acting Director |
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| 4. NYS Division of Veterans' Services | Rev. Viviana DeCohen Director |
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PANEL A:

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| 5. Early Care & Learning Council | Meredith Chimento Executive Director |
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| 6. All Our Kin | Steve Morales NY Policy Director |
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| 7. Hunger Solutions New York | Krista Hesdorfer Government Relations Manager |
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| 8. Adirondack Birth to Three Alliance | Katelyn Ryan Director |
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9. Docs for Tots

Elizabeth Isakson
Executive Director

PANEL B:

10. AARP New York

Beth Finkel
State Director

11. New York StateWide Senior Action Council

Gail Myers
Deputy Director

12. Project Guardianship

Kimberly George
President and CEO

13. Association on Aging in New York

Rebecca Preve
Executive Director

PANEL C:

14. New York State Network for Youth Success

Trudy Morgan
Policy Director

15. New York State YouthBuild Coalition

Bonnie Landi
President

16. Northern Rivers Family of Services

William Gettman
CEO

17. Prevent Child Abuse New York

Timothy Hathaway
Executive Director

18. Council of Family and Child Caring Agencies

Kathleen Brady-Stepien
President & CEO

19. Children's Health Home of Upstate NY

Nicole Bryl
CEO

PANEL D:

20. New York State Coalition Against
Domestic Violence

Joan Gerhardt
Director of Public Policy
And Advocacy

21. Empire Justice Center

Jessica Radbord
Senior Attorney, Public
Benefits Advocacy &
Litigation

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| 22. Schuyler Center for Analysis and Advocacy | Dede Hill Director of Policy |
| 23. SAGE - Advocacy & Services for LGBTQ+ Elders | MJ Okma Senior Manager for Advocacy and Government Relations |
| 24. Supportive Housing Network of New York | Stephen Piasecki |
| 25. NY Association of Training and Employment | Melinda Mack Executive Director Upstate Coordinator |
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PANEL E:

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| 26. Hudson Valley National Center for Veteran Reintegrating | Gavin Walters Sr. NYS Dwyer Coalition Coordinator |
| 27. NYS Council of Veteran Organizations | Kirby Hannan Board Member |
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