

HOME CARE AIDES:

BUILDING THE CARE DELIVERY SYSTEM FOR THE FUTURE

MONDAY, APRIL 22, 2013

OVERVIEW OF THE DAY

9:00 - 9:30 - INTRODUCTIONS FROM

- City Council Speaker Christine C. Quinn
- Council Member Maria del Carmen Arroyo
- Marisol Violet, Home Health Management Services

9:30 - 10:20 - HOME ATTENDANTS TO HOME HEALTH AIDES: NEW YORK CITY'S RESPONSE TO A CHANGING SYSTEM

(Moderated by Arnold Ng, Human Resources Administration)

- Enzo Pastore, AARP
- Andrea Thomas-Randall, Sunnyside Community Services
- Faith Wiggins, 1199SEIU Bill Michelson Home Care Education Fund

10:25 - 11:10 - PLENARY SESSION ON MEDICAID CHANGES IN NEW YORK STATE AND THE FUTURE OF THE HOME HEALTH AIDE

- Jason A. Helgerson, Medicaid Director, New York State

11:15 - 12:05 - PROMOTING QUALITY HOME HEALTH AIDE TRAINING AND STAFFING

(Moderated by Carol Rodat, PHI)

- Mark Andaya, Partners In Care
- Russell Lusak, SelfHelp Community Services, Inc.
- Zena McKenzie, Best Choice Home Health Care
- Kimberly Smith, Robin Hood Foundation

12:10 - 1:00 - EXPANDING THE AIDE'S ROLE TO MEET CONSUMER NEED

(Moderated by Helen Schaub, 1199SEIU)

- Bridget Gallagher, Jewish Home Lifecare System
- Matt Kudish, Alzheimer's Association, New York City Chapter
- Rick Surpin, Independence Care System