



U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development

in collaboration with the

Homeless Alliance of Western New York

Presents



Coordinating Services and Accessing Resources

Wednesday, November 16, 2016

8:30AM – 4:30PM

Salvation Army
960 Main Street
Buffalo, NY 14202

- 8:30AM- 9:00AM **Registration** – Continental Breakfast
- 9:00AM – 9:05AM Welcoming
Dale Zuchlewski, Executive Director, Homeless Alliance of Western New York
Major Thomas Applin, Salvation Army of Buffalo
Samuel Miller, Senior Management Analyst, Homeless Coordinator, HUD Region II (NY/NJ)
- 9:10AM – 9:20AM Greeting **Joan Spilman**, HUD, Buffalo Field Office Director
- 9:20AM – 9:30AM **Peggy Meinl**, Program Manager, HUD, Buffalo's Office of Community Planning & Development
- 9:30AM – 10:00AM **Abbielyn Miller**, Data Analyst and SNAPs Specialist, Office of Special Needs Assistance Programs, U.S. HUD
- 10:00AM – 10:45AM **Michelle Frank**, Assistant Director McKinney- Vento, NYS Technical and Education Assistance Center for Homeless Student (NYS-TEACHS)
- 10:45AM – 11:30AM **Robert Angelo**, Regional Representative, Secretary of the US Department of Labor, Thomas Perez
Demone Smith, Executive Director of the Buffalo Employment & Training Center
Anthony Alicea, US DOL Veterans Employment Training Services
Carolyn Bright, NY DOL Career Center Manager and Director of WNY Strikeforce
- 11:45AM – 1:15PM **Lunch and Networking**
- 1:15PM – 2:00PM **Dennis Romero**, Regional Administrator, Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administrator (SAMHSA), United States Department of Health and Human Services
- 2:00PM – 2:45PM Re-entry Discharge Policies & Practices
Eric Weigel, Director Community Integration, Erie County, NY
Jason Barnum, Prison Re-Entry Coordinator, Delphi, Rochester, NY
Eric Boerdner, Prison Re-Entry Coordinator, Community Missions, Niagara Falls, NY
- 2:45PM – 3:30PM **Rick Umholtz**, Director, Bureau of Housing and Support Services, NYS Office of Temporary and Disability Assistance
Brenda McAteer, Project Manager, Bureau of Housing & Support Services (BHSS), NYS Office of Temporary and Disability Assistance
Denard Cummings, Director, Bureau of Housing and Partnership for Long-Term Care, NYS Department of Health (NYSDOH)
- 3:30PM- 4:00PM **Round Table Discussion** – Accessing federal and state resources US grants.gov, NYS grants.gov
- 4:00PM- 4:15PM **Action Items**
- 4:30PM **Closing**