We are delighted to announce:

2019 Legislative Breakfast!

Co-hosted by: New York County Medical Society, New York County Psychiatric Society and the New York Council on Child and Adolescent Psychiatry

Sunday, January 27, 2019, 9:30 a.m. to 12:00 noon

Location: New York Academy of Medicine, 1216 Fifth Avenue, NYC

At this enjoyable breakfast, we'll be joined by a number of key New York legislators including NYS Senator Gustavo Rivera; NYS Assemblymembers Richard Gottfried, Linda Rosenthal, Daniel O'Donnell and Carmen de la Rosa; New York City Council Member Mathieu Eugene; and more.

It's a lively occasion with plenty of time for our audience to take part. Our format: Brief presentations by each of our legislative guests, followed by questions and answers with everyone.

Among the topics we may discuss:

- "Single Payer" is much talked about now that the legislature will be under Democratic control or maybe the idea will morph into some sort of voluntary, multi-layer but government-run system?
- Marijuana medical, recreational;
- The opioid crisis (now complicated by hyper-powerful drugs such as fentanyl);
- The effects of big hospital mergers on the public's access to care;
- The ongoing fight for mental health/substance abuse reimbursement parity;
- And many other issues. Your suggestions welcome!

Admission is \$35 for members of any of the three hosting Societies, and \$50 for nonmembers. Medical students and residents are free of charge. (Members of MSSNY, APA and AACAP attend at member rates.) Several parking garages are nearby.

RSVP now! Call Lisa Joseph at (212) 684-4698, or email <u>ljoseph@nycm.org</u>. Or click on the Register Now link below.

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