Overview
This year's training will address the needs of a wide spectrum of individuals who are affected by a mass shooting event; surviving victims, families of those wounded or killed, witnesses of the attack and first responders and receivers.

While the training will focus on disaster mental health interventions for these disparate groups it will also address the characteristics that may shape the immediate response to mass shootings – for example, how necessary law enforcement actions may affect survivors’ experiences during the event and how the common politicization of these events may increase subsequent distress.

The training, sponsored by SUNY New Paltz Institute of Disaster Mental Health, will use an applied approach, teaching specific skills and providing opportunities to practice them, in the course of the webcast. It will also incorporate personal stories from individuals who have provided DMH services to those directly involved in a mass shooting incident.

Target Audience
Disaster Mental Health Responders.

Date
January 15, 2016 @1-4 p.m.

Faculty
- James Siemianowski, Director, Quality Management & Improvement Division, Connecticut Department of Mental Health & Addiction Services
- Kathryn Dean, MSSW, Coordinator, Connecticut Disaster Behavioral Health Response Network, Connecticut Department of Mental Health & Addiction Services

Registration
Click on https://www.nylearnsp.com and search Course Catalog for OHEP-DMH-2016.

Questions Regarding Training
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NYSDOH Learning Management System (LMS)
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Simultaneous Webcast Sites
(Addresses and room location for sites can be found in LMS under Course Details)
- American Red Cross, Syracuse, NY susan.pope@redcross.org
- Bassett Medical Center, Cooperstown, NY brinton.muller@bassett.org
- Carthage Area Hospital, Carthage, NY tjaconski@cahny.org
- Erie County Medical Center, Buffalo, NY dmccartan@ecmc.edu
- FF Thompson Hospital, Canandaigua, NY lynnette.ward@thompsonhealth.org
- Guthrie Corning Hospital, Corning, NY Philip_Robert@guthrie.org
- HANYS, Rensselaer, NY kroach@hanys.org
- Herkimer County Office Building, Herkimer countyoffice.org
- Ira Davenport Hospital, Bath, NY treed@ah.arohealth.org
- Lakeshore Hospital, Irving, NY rmanning@tlchealth.org
- Mount Alverno Center, Warwick, NY Elise_Steppens@bshsi.org
- Nassau University Hospital, East Meadow, NY Mary Harms mharms@numc.edu
- Olean General Hospital, Olean, NY dmliller@ogh.org
- St. Joseph’s Hospital, Syracuse, NY William.Traver@sihsyr.org
- South Nassau Communities Hospital, Oceanside george.banno@snch.org
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- Warren County Municipal Center, Lake George, NY lstebbins@alensfallshosp.org
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