



Rensselaer County DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE
DOMESTIC VIOLENCE CONFERENCE
Hudson Valley Community College, 80 Vandenburg Avenue, Troy, NY
April 19, 2017 8:00 AM TO 4:00 PM



Understanding victim's rights, medical impact and prosecution of strangulation cases

This program is funded by a Legislative grant awarded through the office of Senator Kathy Marchione and the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services (DCJS).

Confirmed Speakers

- Professor Mary A. Lynch, Albany Law School
- David R. Warren, Service Director, Domestic Violence Services, Unity House of Troy
- Dr. John Janikas, Director of Emergency Medicine at Albany Memorial Hospital, St. Mary's Hospital and Samaritan Hospital
- Lisa Baehre, Assistant District Attorney, Niagara County
- Bob Passonno, Coordinator of the Criminal Justice Training Programs for the New York State Office for the Prevention of Domestic Violence
- Kelly Fox, Survivor Testimonial

Conference Agenda

Conference Registration

8:30am-9:00am

Registration

9:00am-9:30am

Welcome

DA Abelove, Senator Kathy Marchione,
HVCC President Matonak

Session 1 "About The Victims"

9:30am-10:00am

Survivor Testimonial

Kelly Fox

10:00am-11:00am

Psychological Effects

Professor Mary Lynch & David Warren

11:00am-12:00pm

All Things Medical

Dr. John Janikas

12:00pm-1:00pm

Catered Lunch

Session 2 "All Things Legal"

1:00pm-2:00pm

Identify, Arrest & Charge

Bob Passonno

2:00pm-3:00pm

Prosecution of Cases

Lisa Baehre

Session 3 "Victim's Rights"

3:00pm-4:00pm

Educate & Advocate

TBD

Who Should Attend

Domestic Violence Prosecutors

Educators

Victim Advocacy / Social Workers

Law Enforcement

Judicial Officers

Medical Professionals

Policy Makers

Community-based Service Providers

Clergy

FOR MORE INFORMATION OR TO RSVP FOR THE CONFERENCE

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RSVP by April 12, 2017