

MENTAL HEALTH ADVOCACY DAY



Agenda

*****Thursday, March 17, 2016*****

8:00 a.m.-Noon

Time	Event
Begins at 8:00 AM	Registration in Room 11
8 AM - 9 AM	Bagels and Coffee with Legislators in Cafeteria <i>(set up meetings with your legislators)</i>
9 AM - 10 AM	Advocacy Training with Peter Mallery & Ken Liebertoff (Room 11)
9 AM - 10 AM	Testimony Scheduling (to be determined)
10 AM - 11 AM	WELCOME ADDRESS (Kickoff - Room 11) Tentative Speakers including: Governor Peter Shumlin, Lieutenant Governor Phil Scott, Speaker of the House Shap Smith, Commissioner Frank Reed, DMH, and Senator John Campbell. Leadership and Advocacy Awards to be presented.
11 AM - 12 PM	Sharing Stories (Room 11) How have mental health services made a difference in our lives?
12 PM - 1 PM	Lunch and Cupcakes with Legislators

****Please note that the Pavilion Building is the back-up if Room 11 becomes unavailable.**

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