



NEW YORK STATE LEGISLATURE
PUBLIC HEARING CALENDAR

For Immediate Release:

June 3, 2011

June 7 Joint – Senate Standing Committee on Health

Chair: Senator Kemp Hannon
and Senate Standing Committee on Codes

Chair: Senator Stephen Saland

Public Hearing: To consider legislation criminalizing the improper transfer and
inappropriate possession of non-controlled substances and the subsequent
effects on Medicaid expenditures and public health

Place: Van Buren Hearing Room A, Legislative Office Building, 2nd Floor,
Albany, New York

Time: 12:30 – 3:00 P.M.

Contact: Caitlin McGowan (518) 455-2200 or
Caroline Chauvin (518) 455-2411

Media Contact: Lauren Brookmeyer (516) 739-1700 or
Carol Wilber (518) 828-1529 / Wilber@nysenate.gov

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June 8 Joint – Assembly Standing Committee on Corporations, Authorities and Commissions

Chair: Assembly Member James F. Brennan

and Assembly Standing Committee on Local Governments

Chair: Assembly Member William B. Magnarelli

Public Hearing: Regulatory Oversight of Local Public Authorities and Development
Corporations regarding the Public Authorities Reform Act of 2009 (PARA)

Place: Hamilton Hearing Room B, Legislative Office Building, 2nd Floor, Albany,
New York

Time: 10:00 A.M.

Contact: Funsho Owolabi (518) 455-4881

Media Contact: Assembly Press Office (518) 455-3888

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**June 9 Joint—Assembly Standing Committee on Mental Health, Mental Retardation and
Developmental Disabilities**

Chair: Assembly Member Felix W. Ortiz

Assembly Standing Committee on Codes

Chair: Assembly Member Joseph R. Lentol

and Assembly Standing Committee on Oversight, Analysis and Investigation

Chair: Assembly Member Jonathan L. Bing

Public Hearing: Safety and Quality of Care in Residential Facilities and Programs Licensed
by the Office for People with Developmental Disabilities (OPWDD)

Place: Little Theatre, Roosevelt Hall, Farmingdale State College, SUNY, 2350
Broadhollow Road, Farmingdale, New York

Time: 10:30 A.M.

Contact: Katie Birchenough (518) 455-4371

Media Contact: Assembly Press Office (518) 455-3888

- June 10 **Joint—Assembly Standing Committee on Mental Health, Mental Retardation and Developmental Disabilities**
Chair: Assembly Member Felix W. Ortiz
Assembly Standing Committee on Codes
Chair: Assembly Member Joseph R. Lentol
and Assembly Standing Committee on Oversight, Analysis and Investigation
Chair: Assembly Member Jonathan L. Bing
Public Hearing: Safety and Quality of Care in Residential Facilities and Programs Licensed by the Office for People with Developmental Disabilities (OPWDD)
Place: Assembly Hearing Room, 250 Broadway, Room 1923, 19th Floor, New York, New York
Time: 10:30 A.M.
Contact: Katie Birchenough (518) 455-4371
Media Contact: Assembly Press Office (518) 455-3888
- June 13 **Joint—Assembly Standing Committee on Mental Health, Mental Retardation and Developmental Disabilities**
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Assembly Standing Committee on Codes
Chair: Assembly Member Joseph R. Lentol
and Assembly Standing Committee on Oversight, Analysis and Investigation
Chair: Assembly Member Jonathan L. Bing
Public Hearing: Safety and Quality of Care in Residential Facilities and Programs Licensed by the Office for People with Developmental Disabilities (OPWDD)
Place: Hamilton Hearing Room B, Legislative Office Building, 2nd Floor, Albany, New York
Time: 10:00 A.M.
Contact: Katie Birchenough (518) 455-4371
Media Contact: Assembly Press Office (518) 455-3888
- June 14 **Senate Standing Committee on Environmental Conservation**
Chair: Senator Mark J. Grisanti
Public Hearing: To discuss Ballast Water issue
Place: Van Buren Hearing Room A, Legislative Office Building, 2nd Floor, Albany, New York
Time: 10:00 A.M. – 2:00 P.M.
Contact: Laura Manley (518) 455-3240
Media Contact: Douglas Curella (716) 854-8705
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- June 15 **Senate Standing Committee on Veterans, Homeland Security and Military Affairs**
Chair: Senator Greg Ball
Public Hearing: To consider opportunities to improved New York State’s Homeland Security Operations and how far we have come since September 11, 2011
Place: Van Buren Hearing Room A, Legislative Office Building, 2nd Floor, Albany, New York
Time: 9:00 A.M. – 1:30 P.M.
Contact: Gerry Gershonowitz (845) 279-3773
Media Contact: Dana Antenucci (845) 200-9716
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