APRIL 2019 SUPPORT GROUPS

MANHATTAN, NY

Tuesday, April 16th, 2019 from 6:00 to 8:00 pm Mount Sinai Downtown at Union Square Phillips Ambulatory Care Center Neurology Dept., 5th Floor Conference Room 10 Union Square East (b/w 14th & 15th Sts.), New York, NY 10003 Contact: Jody Wiesel, PhD, (917) 699-9751 Speakers: Jillian Saperstein and Ally Davis, ALS Association, Greater NY Chapter

Topic: Walks & Advocacy

Next month's support group meets: May 21st, 2019

QUEENS, NY

Wednesday, April 17th, 2019 from 6:00 to 8:00 pm
The Silvercrest Center for Nursing and Rehabilitation
144-45 87th Avenue - 1st Floor Dining Room/Lounge
Briarwood, NY 11435
Contacts: Michelle McKenzie, LMSW, (718) 644-1750
Speakers: Melissa Ramirez Knezevic, PT & Desiree Alvarado, OT
Topic: PT & OT for ALS patients
Next month's support group meets: May 17th, 2019

JAMES J. PETERS BRONX VA MEDICAL CENTER

Tuesday, April 9th, 2019 from 1:00 to 3:00 pm 130 West Kingsbridge Road JJPVAMC Room 5C-02, 5th Floor, Bronx, NY 10468 Contacts: Michelle McKenzie, LMSW (718) 644-1750 Ernest Acheampong, RN (718) 584-9000 ext. 5388 Topic: Open Discussion Next month's support group meets: May 14th, 2019

NASSAU COUNTY, NY

* PLEASE NOTE MEETING DATE CHANGE *

Monday, April 1st, 2019 from 6:00 to 8:00 pm Northwell Health at Plainview Hospital. (Second Floor Classroom) 888 Old Country Road, Plainview, NY 11803 Contacts: Cindy Keyser-Posner, LMSW. (631) 416-2767

Theresa Imperato, RN, (516) 946-5467

Speakers: Ben Lieman, ATP and Kyle Mohammed, ELC, The ALS Association, Greater New York Chapter

Topic: Home Modifications: Enhancing Independence Through Safety & Mobility

Next month's support group meets: May 6th, 2019

SUFFOLK COUNTY, NY

Tuesday, April 2nd, 2019 from 6:00 to 8:00 pm Stony Brook Neurology Offices 181 North Belle Mead Road Suite 5, East Setauket, NY 11733 Contacts: Theresa Imperato, RN, (516) 946-5467 Cindy Keyser-Posner, LMSW, (631) 416-2767 Speakers: Ben Lieman, ATP and Kyle Mohammed, ELC, The ALS Association, Greater New York Chapter Topic: Home Modifications: Enhancing Independence Through Safety & Mobility Next month's support group meets: May 7th, 2019

WESTCHESTER, NY/WHITE PLAINS

Tuesday, April 9th, 2019 from 6:00 to 8:00 pm Burke Rehabilitation Center 785 Mamaroneck Avenue, Building 7, White Plains, NY 10601 Contacts: Helen Mayer, RN, (845) 520-0952 Nancy Brenner, LCSW, (914) 406-3513 Topic: Open Discussion Next month's support group meets: May 14th, 2019

LOWER HUDSON VALLEY, NY

Tuesday, April 2nd, 2019 from 6:00 to 8:00 pm Ambulatory Surgery Center Bldg. C, 3rd Fl. 200 Westage Business Center, Fishkill, NY 12524 Contacts: Helen Mayer, RN, (845) 520-0952 Nancy Brenner, LCSW, (914) 406-3513 Topic: Open Discussion Next month's support group meets: May 7th, 2019

NORTHERN NJ/SADDLEBROOK

Thursday, April 4th, 2019 from 7:00 to 9:00 pm Kessler Institute for Rehabilitation 300 Market Street, Saddle Brook, NJ 07663 Contacts: Debbie Schlossberg, LMSW (732) 710-8832 Mary Ann Mertz, RN, (908) 552-5573 Topic: Walks & Advocacy Next month's support group meets: May 2nd, 2019

CENTRAL NJ

PLEASE NOTE NEW TIME & DATE CHANGE FOR THIS MONTH

Saturday, April 13th, 2019 from 2:00 to 4:00 pm Robert Wood Johnson Fitness & Wellness Center 100 Kirkpatrick Street, Community Education Room, Level 2 New Brunswick, NJ 08901 Contacts: Debbie Schlossberg, LMSW, (732) 710-8832 Mary Ann Mertz, RN, (908) 552-5573 Topic: Walks & Advocacy

TELEPHONE SUPPORT GROUPS

PATIENT group: Every Monday from 2:30 to 3:30pm CAREGIVER group: Every Wednesday from 4 to 5pm Contact: Susan Zimmerman, LCSW, (212) 720-3050 Topics include: Open Discussion, Stress Reduction, Mindfulness and Meditation Techniques

Next month's support group meets May 18th, 2019