

**From Blueprint to Action:  
Ending the Epidemic (ETE) Regional Discussion  
9:00 AM – 12:45 PM  
August 18, 2015  
Northeast Region**

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**AGENDA**

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| 1. | Welcome<br><i>Dan O’Connell, Director, AIDS Institute</i><br><i>Darius Shahinfar, Treasurer, City of Albany</i>  | 9:00 - 9:15 am   |
| 2. | Ending the Epidemic<br><i>Elizabeth Whalen, MD, Albany County</i><br><i>Commissioner of Health</i><br><i>Charles King, President and CEO, Housing Works</i><br><i>NYS Ending the Epidemic Task Force Co Chair</i><br><i>NYS AAC Ending the Epidemic Subcommittee</i>   | 9:15 - 9:45 am   |
| 3. | Discussion on regional best practices, identified needs<br>and service gaps<br><i>Johanne Morne, Moderator</i>   | 9:45 - 10:30 am  |
| 4. | <i>BREAK</i>   | 10:30 - 10:40 am |
| 5. | Regional Planning Discussions<br><ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Facilitated discussions will occur in smaller groups to identify key recommendations of the Blueprint that are a priority to the local participants.</li><li>▪ Discussion will prioritize existing initiatives and identify best practices and opportunities for future partnership and planning.</li></ul> <i>Shona Ruggeri, HAB* Member, Facilitator</i><br><i>Sherry Piscitella, HAB* Member, Facilitator</i><br><i>Perry Junjulas, Executive Director, The Damien Centers of Albany &amp; Schenectady</i><br><i>NYS AAC Ending the Epidemic Subcommittee Member, Facilitator</i><br><i>Jacqui Williams, NBLCA** Member, Facilitator</i> | 10:40 - 11:45 am |
| 6. | Report Out from Regional Planning Discussions<br><i>Johanne Morne</i>  | 11:45 - 12:30 pm |
| 7. | Call to Action and Closing<br><i>Charles King</i>  | 12:30 - 12:45 pm |

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