

JUNE 2019 SUPPORT GROUPS

MANHATTAN, NY

Tuesday, June 18th, 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
Speaker: Michael Armstrong, Respiratory Therapist
Topic: How to help ALS patients with their breathing
Next month's support group meets: July 16th, 2019

QUEENS, NY

Wednesday, June 19th, 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
Topic: Open Discussion
Next month's support group meets: July 17th, 2019

JAMES J. PETERS BRONX VA MEDICAL CENTER

Tuesday, June 25th, 2019 from 1:00 to 3:00 pm
(please note date change, meeting will be the 4th Tuesday of the month)
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: July 23rd, 2019

NASSAU COUNTY, NY

Monday, June 3rd, 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
Speaker: Jessica Bottone, SLP
Topic: Communication & Swallowing
Next month's support group meets: July 1st, 2019

SUFFOLK COUNTY, NY

Tuesday, June 4th, 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
Speaker: Kathleen McCloskey, SLP
Topic: Communication & Swallowing
Next month's support group meets: July 2nd, 2019

WESTCHESTER, NY/WHITE PLAINS

Tuesday, June 11th, 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: July 9th, 2019

LOWER HUDSON VALLEY, NY

Tuesday, June 4th, 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: July 2nd, 2019

NORTHERN NJ/SADDLEBROOK

Thursday, June 6th, 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
Speaker: Ben Lieman, ATP; ALS Association, Greater NY Chapter
Topic: Assistive Technology
Next month's support group meets July 11th, 2019

CENTRAL NJ

Saturday, June 15th, 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
Speaker: Ben Lieman, ATP; ALS Association, Greater NY Chapter
Topic: Assistive Technology
Next month's support group meets July 20th, 2019

PLEASE NOTE THERE ARE NO TELEPHONE SUPPORT GROUPS FROM 6/10 THROUGH 6/28

PATIENT GROUP WILL BEGIN AGAIN ON JULY 1st.
CAREGIVER GROUP WILL BEGIN AGAIN ON JULY 3rd.
PATIENT group: Every Monday from 2:30 to 3:30 pm
CAREGIVER group: Every Wednesday from 4 to 5 pm
Contact: Susan Zimmerman, LCSW, (212) 720-3050
Topics include: Open Discussion, Stress Reduction,
Mindfulness and Meditation Techniques

NEW VIRTUAL SUPPORT GROUP

Date: Tuesday, July 16th, 2019
Time: 1:00 pm to 2:00 pm
Contact: Charisse Viscomi-Santos, LPN
Speakers: Ben Lieman, ATP and Kyle Mohammed, ELP Coordinator
RSVP by Monday July 1st to Charisse at csantos@als-ny.org
or 201-926-5374