

Understanding Brain Injury

Margo B. Singer, Program Coordinator,
Brain Injury Association of NYS

Monday, November 12, 2018 - 6:30 to 8 p.m.

Locations:

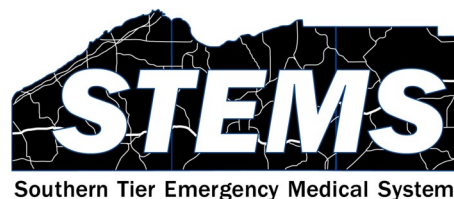
Southern Tier Health Care System (live)
via distance learning:
Town of Cuba Ambulance
Gerry Volunteer Fire Department
Jones Memorial Hospital



Every nine seconds a person sustains a brain injury in the U.S., which can result in a lifelong disability, especially if not properly treated. In New York State, more than 500 people sustain a brain injury each day. Annually, traumatic brain injuries result in more than 2,000 deaths, 19,000 hospitalizations, and over 112,000 emergency department visits among NYS residents.

This presentation will discuss what is brain injury, including incidence, prevalence and epidemiology; how brain injury can occur and common challenges after brain injury; working with children affected by brain injury; systems of care available in the rehabilitation continuum; as well as resources and supports available from the Brain Injury Association of NY and other state/local organizations. Resource Toolkits will be provided.

Register online at www.sthcs.org/stems



Southern Tier Emergency Medical System

A program of

