



## Disaster Mental Health: Assisting Children Following Disasters and Large-Scale Traumatic Events (HPP Deliverable 4) - Recording Available Now!

### Background

This web streamed training, the sixth the New York State Department of Health has produced in collaboration with the New York State Office of Mental Health and SUNY New Paltz Institute for Disaster Mental Health, will include two related segments. The first part will focus on how participants can support the needs of children following disasters and other collective traumatic events, in a developmentally appropriate and trauma-informed manner. The second segment will address the potential mental health consequences for responders when assisting or treating children following a traumatic event.

The webcast will provide skills for coping with these emotional challenges and maintaining responder resilience as well as addressing the needs of child survivors directly.

This three-hour training will be broadcast live from the NYS Office of General Services Media Service Center and simultaneously web streamed to groups gathered in sites around the state.

### Target Audience

Mental health, hospital, public health workers, or anyone likely to become involved in the disaster response in their communities.

### Faculty

Dr. Robin Gurwitch, Duke University Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences and the Center for Child and Family Health

### Recorded Webcast

A recording of the webcast is now available in the NYSDOH Learning Management System

- 1) If you have not previously registered for the in-person training, you can now register for the Recorded Webcast section of OHEP-DMH-2019.
- 2) If you registered for but did not attend the in-person training, you will need to unenroll for the section that you are registered for before you will be able to enroll to view the Recorded Webcast of OHEP-DMH-2019.
- 3) If you attended the webcast in-person at a NYSDOH host site, you can click on "My Courses," "Completed Courses," and "Launch Course" for OHEP-DMH-2019 to view the Recorded Webcast.

### Questions Regarding Training

Direct questions to [prepedap@health.ny.gov](mailto:prepedap@health.ny.gov) or 518-474-2893.

### Registration

To enroll in the training, please go to [www.NYlearnsPH.com](http://www.NYlearnsPH.com) and either register or login to the LMS. Search Course Catalog for: **OHEP-DMH-2019** OR click this shortcut to the course enrollment page on the [LMS](#).

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