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***The State Society on Aging of New York, the Collaborative for Palliative Care, and the  
Finger Lakes Geriatric Education Center at the University of Rochester Medical Center  
present***

**Vulnerable Older Adults and Long Term Care in COVID-19:  
Palliative Care Models and Reducing Risks and Disparities**

Thursday September 17, 2020  
3:00pm – 4:30pm ET

**Speakers**

**Mary Beth Morrissey, PhD, MPH, JD**

*State Society on Aging of New York Policy Committee Co-  
Chair, Fordham University Global Health Care Innovation  
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**Melissa Lang, DrPH, MPH, MPA, MA**

*President & CEO, Aging on Aging of South  
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**Thomas V. Caprio, MD, MPH, MS**

*Professor and Director, Finger Lakes Geriatric Education  
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**Katherine Irene Pettus, PhD**

*Advocacy Officer, International Association  
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**Ann Marie Cook, MPA**

*President/CEO, Lifespan of Greater Rochester*

**Karla Usher**

*Community Member/Law Student*

With opening remarks by current SSA President **Christian Gonzalez-Rivera, MUP**,  
*Director of Strategic Policy Initiatives, Brookdale Center for Healthy Aging, Hunter College*

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