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Registration

Welcome: 4:30pm - 4:45pm

- Bert Baron, Host, 1450 WCTC
- Timothy McMahon, Special Agent, Drug Enforcement Administration New Jersey Division
- Acting Prosecutor Christopher J. Gramiccioni, Acting Prosecutor, Monmouth County
- Assemblywoman Mary Pat Angelini (R Monmouth)
- Angelo M. Valente, Executive Director, Partnership for a Drug-Free New Jersey

Discussion Panel: Responding to the Issue of Opiate Abuse in New Jersey – Developing Solutions 4:45pm-6:10pm

Moderator: Bert Baron, Host, 1450 WCTC

- Assistant Special Agent in Charge Dennis Mihalopoulos, Drug Enforcement Administration -New Jersey Division (4:45pm -5:00pm)
- NJPMP Administrator James Mielo, New Jersey Division of Consumer Affairs, Office of the Attorney General (5:00pm -5:15pm)
- Andrew E. Blustein, Partner/Director, Garfunkel Wild, P.C. Attorney At Law (5:15pm-5:35pm)
- Sindy M. Paul, Medical Director, New Jersey Board of Medical Examiners (5:35pm-5:50pm)

Questions and Answers: 5:50pm -6:05pm

Break: 6:05pm-6:10pm

Mishael Azam, Chief Operating Office and Senior Manager, Legislative Affairs, Medical Society of New Jersey (6:07pm to 6:10pm)

Discussion Panel: A Local Perspective on the National Epidemic of Prescription Drug Abuse 6:10 pm-7:05 pm

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- Dr. Ramon Solhkhah, Chairman, Department of Psychiatry, Jersey Shore University Medical Center (6:10pm -6:25 pm)
- Dr. Robert Pedowitz, Medical Director, Family Practice of CentraState, CentraState Medical Center (6:25pm - 6:40 pm)
- Dr. Victor M. Almeida, DO, Emergency Physician, Monmouth Medical Center (6:40pm 6:55pm)

Questions and Answers: 6:55 pm – 7:05 pm

















Face of the Issue: 7:05pm -7:30pm Donna Destefano, Elaine Pozycki