

A TOWN HALL SERIES

KNOCK OUT OPIOID ABUSE

Monmouth County
May 23, 2017
Middletown
High School South
7 p.m. to 9 p.m.



Moderator: Angelo M. Valente, Executive Director, Partnership for a Drug-Free New Jersey
Welcome: Mary Ann Christopher, Vice President, Clinical Operations and Transformation, Horizon BCBSNJ
 William O. George III, Ed. D., Superintendent of Middletown Township Public Schools
 William Bucco, Monmouth County Mental Health and Addiction Services

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Assemblyman Declan O'Scanlon

Assemblyman Declan O'Scanlon was raised in Little Silver and graduated from Monmouth University with degrees in finance and psychology. Declan first entered the political arena when he was elected to the town council of Little Silver where he served for 14 years.

He was then elected to the State Assembly in 2008. The Assemblyman lives in his hometown of Little Silver with his wife Heather and their two children, Ely and Colin.



Christopher J. Gramiccioni, Monmouth County Prosecutor

Christopher Gramiccioni was appointed as the Monmouth County Prosecutor, where he oversees the day-to-day operations of more than 300 employees and the administration of a \$23 million budget. He is also responsible for the

coordination of law enforcement efforts of 45 municipal police departments and two college police departments, and works with court and judicial personnel and all county representatives. Prior to his appointment, Christopher served as the Office's First Assistant Prosecutor from 2011 to 2012.



Mary Pat Angelini

Mary Pat Angelini, MPA is the Chief Executive Officer of Preferred Behavioral Health Group (PBHG) – a leading, non-profit behavioral healthcare organization. In her role, she oversees the provision of programs and services that teach, improve, enhance and maintain mental

health and healthy lifestyles across the age continuum.

Prior to her current role at PBHG, she served as Executive Director of Prevention First, where she oversaw programs to counter the negative effects of drugs, violence and bullying. Both non-profits have been the recipient of many awards under her leadership. Mary Pat also served in NJ's General Assembly from 2008-2016.



Victor Almeida, DO

Victor Almeida, DO, is Director of the Emergency Department at Monmouth Medical Center in Long Branch. He is immediate past president of the New Jersey chapter of the American College of Emergency Physicians, and is a fellow of both the American College

of Osteopathic Emergency Physicians and American College of Emergency Physicians. He is board-certified in emergency medicine.



Ninette Tuerk MSW, LCSW, LCADC, CCS

Ninette Tuerk is a Licensed Clinical Social Worker, Licensed Certified Alcohol and Drug Counselor and a Certified Clinical Supervisor. She has over 30 years' experience working in the mental health and substance

abuse field, and as the Clinical Department Manager for Outpatient Addictions at Hackensack Meridian Health, Ninette has the administrative and clinical responsibility for outpatient addiction treatment at both Jersey Shore University Medical Center and Riverview Medical Center.

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