

THE KENNEDY WILLIS CENTER
2017 HUMAN SERVICES
WORKFORCE SUMMIT

*Closing the
Caregiver Gap*
Friday, October 20, 2017

**A one-day Summit to Address Challenges and Solutions to
Workforce Recruitment and Retention in
Disability, Health and Human Service Settings**

Presentation Schedule

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| 8:25 a.m. | Welcome and 2017 Workforce Summit Overview
Paul C. Landers, Pathfinder Village Chief Executive Officer
New York State Senator James L. Seward |
| 8:30 a.m. | The Commissioner's Outlook
Acting Commissioner Kerry A. Delaney
New York State Office for People with Developmental Disabilities |
| 8:45 to
10:15 a.m. | The Caregiver Gap: A National Perspective
Amy S. Hewitt, PhD, and Barbara A. Kleist, PhD, University of Minnesota
John Raffaele, National Association of Direct Support Professionals |
| 10:15 a.m. | Stretch Break & Refreshments |
| 10:30 to
11:45 a.m. | Philanthropy's Role in Workforce Development
Douglas Bauer, Chief Executive Officer of The Clark Foundation
Melinda Mack, Executive Director, New York Assoc. of Training & Employment Professionals |
| 11:45 a.m. | Performance by the Pathfinder Village Hand Bell Choir
<i>in celebration of National Down Syndrome Awareness Month</i> |
| Noon to
12:30 p.m. | KEYNOTE ADDRESS
Hamdi Ulukaya, Founder and Chief Executive Officer of Chobani, LLC |
| 12:30 p.m. | Luncheon Buffet |
| 1:15 to
2:15 p.m. | Alternative Pathways for Addressing the Workforce Crisis and Supporting DSPs
Mark Davis, President, Ohio Provider Resource Association
Bethany Toledo, Executive Director, Ohio Alliance of Direct Support Professionals |
| 2:15 to
3:15 p.m. | The Value of Technology for the People We Support
Ann Hardiman, Executive Director, and Carol Napierski, Sr. Director of Administration
New York State Association of Community and Residential Agencies |
| 3:15 to
3:30 p.m. | Next Steps: Where Do We Go From Here?
Helen E. Stepowany, Senior Director, Kennedy Willis Center at Pathfinder Village |