# Medical Malpractice
**Medicaid Redesign Work Group**
**October 17, 2011**
**11:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.**

## Meeting Agenda

### Welcome and Introductions
- **Ken Raske**, Co-Chair
- **Joseph Belluck**, Co-Chair

11:30-11:45

- Charge to the Work Group
- Plan for Work Group meetings

### Medicaid Redesign Team Overview
- **Lora Lefebvre**, Deputy Director, Office of Health Systems Management, DOH

11:45-12:00

- MRT Process
- MRT Work Groups and respective charges
- Global cap on Medicaid expenditures

### 2011 Medical Malpractice Initiatives

12:00-12:15

- New York State Medical Indemnity Fund – **Lora Lefebvre**

12:15-12:30

- Agency for Healthcare Research & Quality (AHRQ) Grant to the Unified Court System - **Susan Senecal**, Director, NYS Medical Liability Reform and Patient Safety Demonstration Project

### Cost of Medical Malpractice Coverage for Hospital and Physicians in New York State and the Impact of These Costs on Providers, the State’s Medicaid Program, and the Delivery of Health Care

12:45-1:45

- Geoff Taylor, Senior Vice President for Corporate Communications and Public Policy, Excellus BlueCross BlueShield
- **Donald Fager**, Vice President and Assistant Secretary, Medical Liability Mutual Insurance Company (MLMIC)
- **Susan Waltman**, Executive Vice President and General Counsel, GNYHA
- **Michelle Mello**, Professor of Law and Public Health, Harvard, School of Public Health

2:00-2:30

- **Arthur Levin**, Director, Center for Medical Consumers
- **Lorraine Ryan**, Senior Vice President, Legal, Regulatory, and Professional Affairs, Greater New York Hospital Association (regarding Federal, state, and hospital patient safety initiatives)
- **Dr. Andrew Kleinman**, Plastic Surgeon and MSSNY Treasurer

### Impact of Adverse Outcomes on Provider Malpractice Costs; Practices Being Undertaken to Reduce the Number of Adverse Events; Success of Those Practices; And Impact on Malpractice Coverage Costs

2:30-3:30