



Meeting of the NYS Genetics Task Force:

WEDNESDAY, December 6, 2017

**** FARKAS Auditorium ****

NYU School of Medicine (Main Entrance)

550 First Avenue (between 30th and 31st Streets) NYC

~Be sure to bring a picture ID for admission to the NYU building~

- 9:00 am** **Continental Breakfast and Poster Session**
- 9:45 am** **Newborn Screening for Spinal Muscular Atrophy in New York State**
Denise M Kay, Ph.D.
Research Scientist, Division of Genetics
Wadsworth Center, NYSDOH
- 10:30** **Clinical Trials in Spinal Muscular Atrophy**
Kristin Engelstad, MC, CGC
Columbia University Department of Neurology
- 10:45 am** **Business Meeting**
- 11:00 am** **Break**
- 11:15 am** **Genetic Testing in the Epilepsies: Is Bigger Always Better?**
Amanda Bergner, MS, CGC
Director, Genetic Counseling Training Program
Columbia University Medical Center
- 11:45am** **Experiences of Whole Exome Sequencing in a Broad Adult and Pediatric Epilepsy Cohort**
Natalie Lippa, MS, CGC
Institute for Genomic Medicine
Columbia University Medical Center

Mark your calendars for our upcoming meeting dates:

Wednesday, February 21, 2018

Wednesday, June 6, 2018

Please contact a board member with any speaker suggestions or announcements:

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