

New York StateWide Senior Action Council, Inc.

ULSTER COUNTY CHAPTER



Message from Claire O'Brien, President:

Please join us for our next Third Thursday at Three zoom meeting on September 17 at 3PM. Our guest speaker will be Julia Solow, Lead Hudson Valley Organizer, Hand in Hand. Hand in Hand, a co-convenor of the NY Caring Majority, partnered with researchers from the City University of New York to examine the scope and causes of the home care crisis in the Hudson Valley and to give voice to current, former and potential home care workers.

Workers throughout the Hudson Valley responded to online surveys and participated in in-person interviews:

- Workforce data were analyzed
- Recruitment and retention challenges were explored
- Demographic trends were studied

A report detailing the results of the study, [Essential but Undervalued: Understanding the Home Care Workforce Shortage in the Hudson Valley](#), was released at a virtual press conference on Wednesday, July 29. The report, important and unprecedented, tells a compelling story of the multiple challenges facing home care workers, provides critical data on the causes and effects of the current and impending workforce shortage, describes the home care needs of a growing aging population, and presents strategies designed to help resolve the crisis.



There will be no Ulster Chapter meeting on the Third Thursday of OCT. Instead, we encourage everyone to register for **StateWide's Virtual Convention** that will be occurring that week.



DATE & TIME:

Thursday, Sept 17
3:00 PM



SPEAKER:

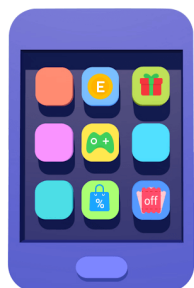
Julia Solow, Lead Hudson Valley Organizer, Hand in Hand

An email will be sent to those members who have an email address in our records so that you have easy access to the zoom link for connecting. If you do not receive an email and need the link, you can find it on StateWide's web page (www.nysenior.org). Click on the calendar of events for September 17th, open the flyer for this meeting and click on the link.

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- Call 646-558-8656
- Type in your meeting ID: 810 7194 6185#
- Password: 648 696#



ZOOM (to join meeting by computer)

- Copy and paste the link (below) into your browser:
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However, If you plan to join using your computer for the first time, you will need to download and run ZOOM.

1. Once you paste the link into your browser and it brings you to the ZOOM page, you will see an option to download and run ZOOM (see image on right). Click on it.
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3. Type in your Meeting Password: 648 696
4. Join the meeting with Computer Audio

