

2014 EDUCATION FORUMS

April 12, 2014

Hospital for Special Surgery
535 E 70th St.
New York, NY 10021

May 4, 2014

Hofstra University
1000 Fulton Ave
Hempstead, New York 11550

June 6, 2014

Yale University
West Campus
141 Frontage Rd.
Orange, CT 06477

August 9, 2014

Niagara Falls Memorial Medical Center
621 10th St
Niagara Falls, NY 14301

September 13, 2014

Albany College of Pharmacy & Health Sciences
106 New Scotland Ave
Albany, NY 12208

September 27, 2014

Norwich, CT
Location TBD

October 11, 2014

African American Health Awareness Day
Rochester Airport Marriott
1890 Ridge Rd. W
Rochester, NY 14615

October 25, 2014

Rutger's University
56 College Ave
New Brunswick, New Jersey

November 23, 2014

HSS – Research Forum
Hospital for Special Surgery
535 E 70th St.
New York, NY 10021

2014 STEPPING OUT TO CURE SCLERODERMA WALKS

Binghamton, NY

June 1, 2014 | 9 a.m.
Otsiningo Park

Long Island, NY

June 1, 2014 | 9 a.m.
Wantagh Park

Albany, NY

June 1, 2014 | 6:30p.m.
Crossgates Mall

Rochester, NY

June 7, 2014 | 9 a.m.
Seneca Park

Plattsburgh, NY

June 8, 2014 | 9 a.m.
Beekmantown Town
Hall Park

Ridgefield Park, NJ

June 8, 2014 | 9 a.m.
Overpeck Park

Syracuse, NY

June 8, 2014 | 9 a.m.
Onondaga Lake Park

Hartford, CT

June 14, 2014 | 9 a.m.
Blue Back Square

Manhattan, NY

June 15, 2014 | 9 a.m.
Riverside Park 96th St.

Poughkeepsie, NY

June 21, 2014 | 9 a.m.
Vassar College

Buffalo, NY

June 21, 2014 | 10 a.m.
Eastern Hills Mall

Stamford, CT

June 22, 2014 | 9 a.m.
Westhill High School



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Binghamton, NY 13905
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STATEN ISLAND, NY SCLERODERMA FOUNDATION SUPPORT GROUP

North Shore LIJ
Staten Island Hospital
Board Room
375 Seguine Ave
Staten Island, NY 10309
1:00 p.m.

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WHAT IS SCLERODERMA

Literally, scleroderma means “hard skin”; however, the disease is better defined as being characterized by a hardening of the body’s connective tissue.

Approximately 300,000 individuals in the United States are affected

by the disease, African-Americans more frequently so and at an earlier age. Scleroderma

is a chronic, autoimmune disease which, while currently having no cure, has several new treatment options that improve quality of life and life expectancy.

DEAR FRIENDS,

Each of our meetings will feature open discussion, a guest speaker or DVD presentation on topics that provide information and skills needed to help cope with chronic illness. We hope you will join us as we provide an atmosphere of camaraderie and mutual support.

Your Tri- State Volunteer,
Jeanne Ryan

TRI-STATE SUPPORT GROUPS OFFER

- Mutual support to people with scleroderma.
- An opportunity to talk with others who have gone through similar health challenges.
- A chance to share experiences, practical suggestions, and ways of coping.
- A welcome place to get information and learn from others in a warm and caring atmosphere.
- Educational information provided by the Scleroderma Foundation.

TRI-STATE’S THREE-FOLD MISSION:

Support

To provide education and emotional support to people with scleroderma and their families.

Research

To stimulate and support research designed to identify the cause of and cure for scleroderma, as well as improve methods of treatment.

Education

To enhance the public’s awareness of this disease.

2014 MEETING SCHEDULE

February 15

April 26

May 17

June 21

August 23

September 20

November 22

December 20

June is Scleroderma Awareness Month

Find out how to get involved at sclerodermatristate.org