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## MARCH 2021 Full Board Report to Manhattan Community Board 6

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### Video Report to CB6:

#### Highlights

1. Senator Krueger's Virtual Town Hall on Telehealth Basics: What It Is, and How to Access the Service. **On Friday, March 5th from 2 pm – 3:30 pm**, Dr. Sarah Czaja, Director for the Center on Aging and Behavioral Research at Weill Cornell, will join Senator Krueger to provide an overview of what telehealth is, when to use it, and how to get the most out of your virtual telehealth care visit. Hospital representatives will host breakout rooms for a workshop on how to make a virtual visit with your specific health network doctor. During this portion of the program, hospital representatives will share information about your network's portal, how to make an appointment online, and answer your technology-related questions about telehealth. Participating Hospitals Include: Lenox Hill Hospital (Northwell Health); Memorial Sloan Kettering; NYU Langone; Mount Sinai; NewYork-Presbyterian/Weill Cornell Medicine; Hospital for Special Surgery; and Bellevue. Please RSVP for the town hall on March 5th by going to: <https://tinyurl.com/telehealthtownhall>.
2. Senator Krueger's Virtual Town Hall on Conspiracy Theories: How They Take Hold & How We Can Stop Them. "The human preference for plausible meaning over stubborn facts makes us especially susceptible to conspiracy theories in a world constantly flooded with information" -Richard A. Friedman MD. **On Thursday, March 11th from 7 pm – 8:15 pm**, Richard A. Friedman, MD, Professor of Psychiatry at Weill Cornell College of Medicine and New York Times Op-Ed Columnist will join Senator Krueger to discuss conspiracy theories, why we create these dangerous falsehoods, and what we can do to combat and eradicate them. Please RSVP for the Virtual Town Hall on March 11th by registering at <https://tinyurl.com/conspiracytownhall>.
3. The Senate has acted on legislation this month related to nursing home protections; utility safety reforms; aid for college students; COVID workforce safety standards; combating "ghost guns"; maternal and reproductive health; and more. Read our Albany Update for specifics. [https://docs.google.com/document/d/1kNQ\\_Nmc394ffaMO31WoE45f-RfRVHBE6XNgP3ZC6vIQ/edit?usp=sharing](https://docs.google.com/document/d/1kNQ_Nmc394ffaMO31WoE45f-RfRVHBE6XNgP3ZC6vIQ/edit?usp=sharing)
4. Having problems with unemployment? Call our office. We continue to work with the Department of Labor to get our constituents their benefits.
5. Check out our Covid 19 Resource Guide for information on everything from support for businesses to vaccine assistance. <https://www.lizkrueger.com/novel-coronavirus-covid-19/>