

**TRAINING/EXAMINATION**: Tuesday, November 13, 2018 8:00 am – 4:30 pm Holiday Inn, Saratoga Springs, NY

## \* \* \* Presenters: \* \* \*

## Karen Thomas, Certified Brain Injury Specialist Trainer

This class is offered by the Brain Injury Association of New York State and is specifically designed to help review material for the certification examination and to strengthen the network of dedicated, competent brain injury specialists across NYS. Starting six weeks prior to the class, enrollees will have access to weekly webinars and receive study tips and detailed home study information that corresponds with the chapters in the Essential Brain Injury Study Guide.

Registration Deadline for Application and Payment: September 10, 2018

COST: \$575 for the one-day class, study guide/manual, 6-week webinar/email study course, lunch, exam, and one-year subscription to the *Journal of Head Trauma Rehabilitation*.

## To register for a BIANYS CBIS class, all forms and payment go to BIANYS rather than to ACBIS:

- 1. Please request application from Karen Thomas via e mail kthomas@bianys.org
- 2. Mail to BIANYS with payment for the class. Checks should be made to BIANYS.
  - a. Mail to: BIANYS, Attn: Karen Thomas, 4 Pine West Plaza, Suite 402, Albany, NY 12205.
  - b. You may also pay by credit card by contacting us at 518-459-7911.
- 3. Email your resume/CV to <a href="kthomas@bianys.org">kthomas@bianys.org</a> so that we can process your application, and send it to the BIAA for approval and employment verification.

By Sept 10, 2018: BIANYS will send you a confirmation email, register you for the class, pay for your exam and will mail you "The Essential Brain Injury Guide" so you can study before the class.

**REQUIREMENTS:** Please review the <a href="www.acbis.pro">wwww.acbis.pro</a> website to learn more about CBIS and to ensure that you have the 500 hours of paid experience to qualify to sit for this examination. The CBIS and CBIST certifications are developed and administrated through the Brain Injury Association of America and the requirement to sit for the exam is a high school education and 500 hours of paid work experience working with brain injury. Personal and volunteer experience is not counted at this time. Registrants are required to bring a laptop with wireless internet capabilities to the training.

Questions may be directed to Karen Thomas, CBIST, Director of Family Services (518) 459-7911.



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