

District Manager's Report

September, 2022

NYCDOHMH Reported: September 29th marks the one-year anniversary of the New York City Public Health Corps (PHC), a joint initiative between Health and Hospitals (H+H) and the NYC Department of Health and Mental Hygiene (NYCDOHMH).

In recognition of this anniversary, NYCDOHMH celebrating the work and partnerships created to address the needs of New Yorkers as they recover and manage through the COVID19 pandemic; by hosting the event series “Public Health Corps Anniversary: Recognition Event and Festival in your Borough”.

PHC in Your Borough will occur September 17th to September 24th, with one event in each borough. This event will highlight CHW's from local CBOs, FQHCs, DOHMH and H+H that have been pivotal in making the first year of the program such a success.

MANHATTAN EVENT: PHC Recognition Awards

DATE: September 19th, 2022

TIME: 2pm-6pm

LOCATION: East Harlem Health Action Center [158 E 115th St, New York, NY 10029](#)

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DOE Reported: September 8, 2022, DOE welcomed students back to New York City public schools for the first day of the 2022-23 school year. They were so excited to begin this journey together. Over the course of the next year, DOE looks forward to helping the City's children learn and grow,

academically and socially. The first step is ensuring that students and families have the tools they need for a strong start and continued success this school year.

Check out their [Back to School Checklist](#) for helpful tips on preparing your child for a great start to the new year!

MTA REPORTED: With the start of the new school year, MTA are reaching out to remind you that all Bronx local bus routes, including the **M100** and **M125**, saw a significant transformation on June 26, 2022, when the MTA implemented the [Bronx Local Bus Network Redesign](#).

MTA is sharing this information with its constituencies via social media and any other communication methods to ensure that students know if their commute has changed before boarding the bus to school.

MTA is urging your students and caregivers to check out their student's trip before putting them on an MTA bus on the first day of school. Many bus lines saw changes to their routing, bus stops, and schedules.

The best resource to check out your trip is the "Plan a Trip" tool on new.mta.info or to [download our apps](#) before you travel. They'll give you up-to-the-minute information on subway, bus, and commuter rail arrivals, and you can save trips for the routes you take most often.

To further assist school kids, the MTA will be running a Customer Ambassador Program during the first week of school at key stops throughout the borough to help students navigate the changes in service. Look for MTA employees in orange vests near key stops on September 8, 9, 12, and 13. They will be out from 6:30 a.m. to 9:30 a.m., and from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. each day. Click on the route designation for more information!

- [Bx11](#) at Boston Road and Louis Nine Boulevard
- [Bx11](#) and [Bx18](#) at E 170 Street and Jerome Avenue
- [Bx15](#) and [M125](#) at 3 Avenue and E 150 Street
- [Bx18](#) and [Bx11](#) at W 170 Street and Jerome Avenue
- [Bx29](#) and [Q50](#) at Bruckner Boulevard and Wilkinson Avenue
- [Bx30](#) at E Gun Hill Road and White Plains Road

- [Bx30](#) at Boston Road and Gun Hill Road
- [Bx36](#) at E Tremont Avenue and E 177 Street
- [Bx36](#) at Webster Avenue and E Tremont Avenue
- [Bx36](#) at E Tremont Avenue and Boston Rd
- [Bx36](#) at Webster Avenue and E 180 Street
- [Bx36](#) at White Plains Rd and Westchester Avenue
- [Bx4](#) and [M125](#) at Bergen Avenue and E 149 Street
- [Bx40/42](#) at E Burnside Avenue and Grand Concourse
- [Bx40/42](#) at E Tremont Avenue and Unionport Road
- [Bx40/42](#) at E Tremont Avenue and Webster Avenue
- [Bx4A](#) at W Farms Rd and Westchester Avenue
- [Bx4A](#) and [Bx11](#) and [Bx35](#) at W Farms Road and Westchester Avenue

To improve speeds, the Bronx Local Bus Network Redesign focused on simplifying and straightening circuitous routes and balancing bus stops. Since implementation, Bronx riders, on average, are experiencing shorter waits at bus stops, faster times once the bus arrives, and greater reliability of service. Some routes have had dramatic time savings, particularly the Bx36 crosstown route, saving over 10 minutes in each direction and up to 15 to 20 minutes during the rush hour.

To learn more about the Bronx Local Bus Network Redesign project, please visit our [project page](#). You can also jump directly to reviewing your routes [here](#) and schedules [here](#).

Did you Know???

New Yorkers can now apply for the state's first cannabis retail dispensary licenses! These licenses will be prioritized for New Yorkers most harmed by cannabis prohibition.

[@NYC SBS](#) has all the resources to help you apply: <http://nyc.gov/cannabis>

NYCEM Reported: September is National Preparedness Month and a good time to take steps to prepare for the types of emergencies that could affect us where we live, work, learn, and worship. Take the next step to

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preparedness and request a Ready NY event, preparedness material, and more by emailing intergov@oem.nyc.gov.

Respectfully Submitted by:

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