

1.11.21 Notes from the Governor's 2021 State of the State Address:

Seven Point Plan Outline:

- Defeat COVID
- Vaccinate New York
- Manage short term economic crisis
- Invest in the future
- Transition to green energy
- Understand long term effects of COVID
- Address systemic injustice

Defeat COVID:

- Slow the spread
- Manage the amount of hospitalizations
- Reimagine the public health system
- Pass the Medical Supplies Act to increase domestic manufacturing of PPE and medical supplies
- Improvements to telehealth
- Open more testing sites

Vaccines:

- Launch the New York State Public Health Corps.
- Statewide collaboration for vaccine distribution and administration
- Offer citizen public health training through Cornell University

Economic crisis:

- Hold the federal government accountable
- Legalize Adult-Use Recreational Cannabis
- Establish state-sponsored mobile sports betting

Invest in the future:

- Expand broadband access and make it affordable
- Invest in infrastructure
- Convert vacant commercial space to affordable public housing

Transition to green energy:

- Increase research and development for green technology

Address systemic injustice:

- Enact common-sense gun safety reform
- Give mental health professionals and social workers larger roles
- Increase transparency in police departments
- Reform public safety at a local level
- Listening sessions
- Dashboards for reform
- Advisory panels for hiring new police officers
- Ensure immigrants are protected
- Give funding to undocumented families