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## **New Human Resource Manager For United Cerebral Palsy Association of Suffolk**



**Hauppauge, NY...** Stephen H. Friedman, President and CEO of United Cerebral Palsy Association of Suffolk, Inc. (UCP) is pleased to announce that Michele Berti joined the organization's staff as Human Resources Manager. She is responsible for the day-to-day operations of the Human Resources department, and handles all employee relations for UCP and affiliate Community Program Centers (CPC) staff.

"We welcome Ms. Berti to the UCP Suffolk professional family," Friedman said. "Her in-depth Human Resources experience further enhances our strong leadership team."

Berti joins UCP Suffolk with over 20 years experience in the Corporate HR field. Her previous positions include Acting Director, Esselte Pendaflex, Assistant Vice-President, NatWest Bank, Generalist, Entenmann's and various HR positions at Macy's. Berti holds a Bachelor of Arts degree from S.U.N.Y. at Buffalo, earned her Master's degree in Public Administration/Human Resources from Michigan State University and resides in Smithtown with her husband and daughter.

**About United Cerebral Palsy:** UCP Suffolk, based in Hauppauge, NY, provides services to 4,000 children and adults with disabilities annually throughout Suffolk County, sixty five percent of whom have a disability other than cerebral palsy. The Children's Center offers early intervention, preschool and school age educational programs. Programs for adults include adult day services, job training and placement and residential opportunities. UCP also operates a comprehensive Health Center. For information, visit [www.ucp-suffolk.org](http://www.ucp-suffolk.org) or call 631-232-0011.

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