



## **Rally to Improve NYC's Response to Individuals Experiencing Mental Health Crises**

On the first anniversary of the shooting death of Saheed Vassell by the NYPD, join families, City Council members, and other advocates as we demand reforms to prevent more deaths and injuries during police encounters.

**When: Thursday, April 4**

**Time: 12:00 p.m.**

**Where: Steps of City Hall**

4, 5, 6 trains to Brooklyn Bridge, R train to City Hall

Individuals with mental health concerns and their advocates request that NYC implement:

- Non-police alternatives in response to crisis situations
- More preventative care to avoid 911 calls
- Alternate number to call, not 911
- More roles for mental health peers, at all levels
- Crisis Intervention Team (CIT) Training for 36,000 police officers

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