

Are You a Member of the Catastrophic Leave Bank?

The Catastrophic Leave Bank (CLB) was negotiated in order to donate sick days to colleagues with catastrophic illnesses. Only those who donate to the CLB may benefit from the bank.

- You may donate a maximum of 3 days per year providing the donors own sick days do not fall below 10 days at the time of the donation.
- You may now automatically donate 1 day per year by checking the appropriate box on the form. *If you checked the box last year, you need not submit another form.*
- You are eligible to participate in the CLB during any year in which you donated at least 1 day.
- All decisions regarding the authorization of CLB days to a catastrophically ill member are made by the Catastrophic Leave Bank Committee.
- The deadline to donate days is **November 15**.

Ask your site secretary for a "Request to Donate Sick Leave" form or use the one on the back of this *Contact*.

Trust Fund Committee Welcomes Allied Administrators

The MTA Retiree Supplemental Health Fund Plan will now be administered by Allied Administrators. The Trust Fund routinely reviews contracts with vendors. The committee decided that the members of the Association would be best served by Allied Administrators.

Allied Administrators
(800) 736-0401
MTA@alliedadministrators.com.


This change will not change the benefits of the Trust Fund in any way.

For more information contact Olivia Cervantes at

Everyone experiences stress now and then...

If you or someone you love is troubled by alcohol or drug abuse, marital-family problems, eating disorder, depression, or thoughts of suicide, one simple call can begin the healing process...

For **confidential** assistance call **ease**
1 800 882-1341
(benefit)



Entertainment and Theme Park Tickets Are Available from TSA Special Services

TSA Special Services offers discount entertainment and theme park tickets to MTA members. To find out more go to tsaspecialservices.com, link to the web page through montebelloteachers.com or call (800) 540-2373.

TSA Special Services also offers auto purchasing and leasing services, travel assistance, and investment services.

The MTA office does not stock discount tickets.

You're Invited to the YRE Informational Meeting Tuesday, August 10 • 3:30 p.m. at