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Comments

First I would like to inquire about the inclusion of PTSD, and other mental health issues in the in Zadroga act. The survivors of 9/11, of which I am one are out there suffering everyday concerning our health issues. I wake up every day asking, will today be the day I find out I have a life threatening illness. The mental strain put on the First responders cannot, and should not be ignored. As someone who was at the trade center for both collapses, and who inhaled, absorbed, and ingested the toxic dust I would hope that the powers that be take into consideration mental health issues.