

BREAKING

the Silence.

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a community education event promoting increased mental health awareness



Presidential Historian and Pulitzer Prize-Winning Author

## Doris Kearns Goodwin

AN INVITATION TO SPONSOR

Join us in ending the stigma and supporting those in our community facing mental health challenges through your sponsorship today.

THURSDAY

October 5, 2023

Holland Performing Arts Center Omaha, Nebraska OUR 2023 GUEST SPEAKER

## Doris Kearns Goodwin

Currently, one in three Nebraskans faces a mental health challenge. But misconceptions about mental health cause many to avoid talking about it or to seek treatment and support. Ending that stigma, and understanding how people with mental illness enrich all of our lives, is the purpose of Breaking the Silence.

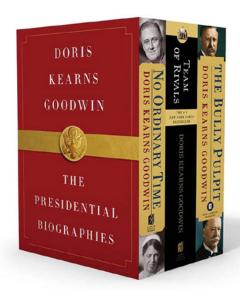
This annual event draws families, friends, co-workers, healthcare professionals, businesses and community together to increase our awareness and understanding of mental illness and further our support of those most affected by it.

We are thrilled to welcome Presidential Historian and Pulitzer Prize-Winning Author Doris Kearns Goodwin as the featured speaker of Breaking the Silence 2023. Ms. Goodwin will speak to how the mental health struggles faced by some of our most consequential presidents impacted their leadership.

Following her six critically acclaimed books, her seventh book, "Leadership In Turbulent Times," focusing on Abraham Lincoln, Theodore Roosevelt, Franklin Roosevelt and Lyndon Baines Johnson, was an instant bestseller.

Her award-winning book "Team of Rivals: The Political Genius of Abraham Lincoln" was the inspiration for Steven Spielberg's film "Lincoln," which earned 12 Academy Award nominations. The book is often cited as an inspiration for business and political leaders and was awarded the prestigious Lincoln Prize and the inaugural Book Prize for American History.

Ms. Goodwin earned the Pulitzer Prize in History for "No Ordinary Time: Franklin and Eleanor Roosevelt: The Home Front in World War II." Her book "The Fitzgeralds and the Kennedys," was adapted into an award-winning television miniseries.



Please help us continue "Breaking the Silence" about mental illness through your generous sponsorship today.

#### YOUR SPONSORSHIP WILL HELP:

- Bring Doris Kearns Goodwin's extensive research and remarkable storytelling talent to all in attendance and offer a rare perspective on the mental health struggles of some of our most influential presidents.
- Sustain Breaking the Silence as one of the largest educational efforts of its kind in Nebraska and across the Midwest.
- Enable participants of Community Alliance services to meet Doris Kearns Goodwin and benefit from her insight and encouragement in a separate, client-only daytime event and provide a limited number of client scholarships to the evening program.
- Extend Community Alliance's treatment, rehabilitation, outreach and community services to more than 5,000 individuals and families in the coming year.



#### Sponsorship Levels

All guests will be welcomed with a pre-program reception including hors d'oeuvres and complimentary beverages. The program, featuring Doris Kearns Goodwin, will start promptly at 7:00 p.m. in the Peter Kiewit Concert Hall. Coffee and dessert will be served immediately following.

#### MENTAL HEALTH CHAMPION \$25,000

- Premier theatre-style seating for up to 24 on main floor of Peter Kiewit Concert Hall
- Prominent logo recognition on printed materials, event webpage, on-screen projection and event signage\*
- · Pre-program private reception
- · Post-event dessert and coffee
- Complimentary valet parking passes

#### MENTAL HEALTH HERO \$15,000

- Preferred theatre-style seating for up to 16 on main floor of Peter Kiewit Concert Hall
- Prominent logo recognition on printed materials, event webpage, on-screen projection and event signage\*
- Pre-program private reception
- Post-event dessert and coffee
- Complimentary valet parking passes

### MENTAL HEALTH AMBASSADOR \$10,000

- Preferred theatre-style seating for up to 14 on main floor of Peter Kiewit Concert Hall
- Logo recognition on printed materials, event webpage, on-screen projection and event signage\*
- Pre-program reception
- Post-event dessert and coffee
- Complimentary valet parking passes

#### THANK YOU

in advance for your generous sponsorship in support of mental health awareness

#### \$5,000

- Reserved theatre-style seating for up to 12 on main floor of Peter Kiewit Concert Hall
- Logo recognition on printed materials, event webpage, on-screen projection and event signage\*
- · Pre-program reception
- · Post-event dessert and coffee

# MENTAL HEALTH ADVOCATE \$2,500

- Reserved theatre-style seating for up to 10 in Peter Kiewit Concert Hall
- Name recognition on printed materials, event webpage, on-screen projection and event signage\*
- Pre-program reception
- · Post-event dessert and coffee

## MENTAL HEALTH SUPPORTER \$1,500

- Reserved theatre-style seating for up to 8 in Peter Kiewit Concert Hall
- Name recognition on printed materials, event webpage, on-screen projection and event signage\*
- Pre-program reception
- Post-event dessert and coffee

# ADDITIONAL TICKETS AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE AT \$125 EACH

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#### COMMUNITY ALLIANCE

Helping people with mental illness achieve their unique potential and to live, work, learn and contribute in a community of mutual support.

Community Alliance is growing to meet the needs of our community. This year, we will serve more than 5,000 of our friends, neighbors and loved ones, offering the personalized care and support needed to address the mental health and substance use challenges impacting their lives. We help each person to chart their unique course toward healing and wellness by offering a broad continuum of services including:

- Psychiatric and Counseling Services Providing individualized diagnosis, counseling, therapy and medication support to address an array of mental health and substance use challenges.
- Primary Health Care On-site physical health services and health and wellness programs integrated with our mental health services in a way that supports whole health and recovery.
- Rehabilitation Services Services designed to restore strengths and skills for those living with serious mental illness, including both residential and day-time programs.
- Employment and Community Services Providing in-home and onthe-job support, supportive housing, and help linking and coordinating with needed community and social services.
- Specialized Homeless Services Outreach and support services
  to engage individuals living with mental illness and experiencing
  homelessness, and helping them to transition to stable housing and
  ongoing mental health care.
- **Family and Peer Support** Offering practical, hands-on understanding and tools from others who have been there.

Community Alliance services are nationally accredited and make a real and lasting difference in the lives of those we serve, including measurably improved mental health, physical health, social well-being and community stability.

For more information about Community Alliance or to discuss sponsorship opportunities, please contact us.



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Community Alliance is recognized as a charitable and educational organization under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. All proceeds from Breaking the Silence are utilized to support and extend our outreach and direct services to individuals and families throughout the metro Omaha area and beyond.



#### Sponsorship Request Form

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