

Mental Health Colorado is a nonprofit, nonpartisan organization working to pass laws, change practices, and build a movement to create healthier minds across the lifespan for all Coloradans.







Strong Start for All Children & Support for Families

We champion legislation to increase access to behavioral health services for Coloradans under the age of 21. We have helped secure millions to increase the number of behavioral health professionals in schools, add treatment options in the community for high-risk youth with co-occurring conditions, and bolster policies that ensure parents do not need to relinquish custody for their children to access behavioral health services. We work to ensure all young people have access to behavioral health care through low barrier programs like iMatter and school-based health centers.

Access to Housing, Healthcare, Supports, & Services

We are the state's leading advocacy organization in ensuring that behavioral health services and supports are high-quality and accessible. We have passed some of the most robust parity laws in the nation and helped to establish mental wellness exams. We have championed legislation to increase access to services delivered by peers and have been one of the few states in the nation to pass a fee to support access to the 988 crisis line. In addition to our advocacy work, our SAFER transitional housing program provides much-needed housing, support, and resources for unhoused individuals with unmet health needs in Arapahoe County.

Well-Being in Aging

We supported legislation that will increase food security and improve access to quality care and prescriptions for chronic pain for older adults in Colorado.We aim to increase our focus on supporting the aging population in Colorado and are actively seeking new partnerships to enhance our impact and understanding of related needs.

Reduced Potential Harm from Drugs & Alcohol

We advocated for and helped pass legislation that will help protect individuals involved in an emergency overdose situation, as well as increased access to Narcan and Medication Assisted Treatment (MAT). We continue to support access to life-saving overdose prevention sites in our state and have worked on expanding coverage in Colorado's Medicaid program for people needing substance use-related care. We oppose laws and practices that exacerbate harms associated with substance use.

Decriminalize Mental Health Conditions

We have worked tirelessly to defeat legislation that would further criminalize people with unmet health needs. We work with advocacy partners to reduce the number of people involved in the incompetent to proceed system and have been responsible for large increases in funding for co-responder programs and expansion of Colorado's crisis response system. Our Care Not Cuffs campaignunites and educates leaders, advocates, and communities working to disentangle mental health and criminal justice to improve health outcomes, preserve public safety, and save taxpayer dollars.

End Discrimination

We tackle discrimination against people with mental health and/or substance use conditions in every part of our advocacy efforts. We have passed legislation to require training for providers and teachers in appropriate mental health responses. We work to address the disproportionate use of solitary confinement in county jails for people with health conditions. Outside of the legislature, our organization is working on a "Know Your Rights" campaign to educate people receiving services about their rights.



Through sponsorship, businesses and organizations demonstrate their generosity and social responsibility while helping to provide essential funding for Mental Health Colorado to pass laws, change practices, & build a movement toward healthier minds across the lifespan.





We're committed to making our partnership **mutually beneficial and impactful**.

Below is our promise to you as a valued sponsor:



Engagement

We encourage you to actively engage with our organization, including attending our events, participating in our activities, and networking with our members, stakeholders, and like-minded sponsors.



We are eager to collaborate with you on special projects, events, or campaigns that align with our shared values and objectives.



We will publicly recognize your support and commitment to Mental Health Colorado through various channels, including website, newsletter, social media, and promotional materials.



We view our relationship with sponsors as a longterm commitment, built on trust and shared values. We aim to cultivate lasting, mutually beneficial partnerships.



March 6, 2024

Location: First Baptist Church of Denver

Legislative Education & Advocacy Day







On Legislative Education and Advocacy Day, our goal is to empower and equip advocates with the knowledge, tools, and opportunities to engage in effective lobbying efforts, meaningful interactions with our legislators, and learning experiences with leading experts. We continue to cultivate a platform where passionate individuals can actively shape the future of mental health policies.

Levels & Benefits:

\$5,000 - <u>Leader</u>

- Special recognition and speaking opportunity at LEAD event
- A message from your company's CEO or spokesperson on the LEAD registration page
- Dedicated pre- & post-event social media post on Facebook, Instagram, & LinkedIn with direct tag to organization
- Year-long visibility on Mental Health Colorado's website
- Your organization's logo on event collateral and February enewsletter

\$2,500 - <u>Reformer</u>

- A message from your company's CEO or spokesperson on the LEAD registration page
- Dedicated pre- and post-event social media post on Facebook, Instagram, & LinkedIn
- Year-long visibility on Mental Health Colorado's website
- Your organization's logo on event collateral

\$1,000 - <u>Advocate</u>

- Year-long visibility on Mental Health Colorado's website
- Dedicated pre-event social media post on Facebook, Instagram, & LinkedIn
- Your organization's logo on event collateral

\$750 - <u>Supporter</u>

- Year-long visibility on Mental Health Colorado's website
- Your organization's logo on event collateral

Expected Attendance: 100 guests Sponsorship Deadline: February 28, 2024



Fall 2024

Location: Grand Hyatt Denver



At our 41st Annual Tribute, we will once again celebrate and pay tribute to the unwavering dedication of individuals and organizations who champion the mental health and wellbeing of Coloradans across the lifespan. We will gather to recognize the efforts of those who have, in countless ways, made a profound impact on the health landscape in Colorado.

Levels & Benefits: \$25,000 - <u>CHAMPION</u>

- Admission for 20 guests
- Dedicated e-newsletter feature
- Speaking opportunity at the event
- A video message from your company's CEO on event registration page
- Dedicated pre- & post-event social media post on Facebook, Instagram, & LinkedIn
- Year-long visibility on Mental Health Colorado's website
- Your organization's logo on event collateral

\$15,000 - <u>LEADER</u>

- Admission for 15 guests
- Special spoken recognition at the event
- A video message from your company's CEO on event registration page
- Dedicated pre- & post-event social media post on Facebook, Instagram, & LinkedIn
- Year-long visibility on Mental Health Colorado's website
- Your organization's logo on event collateral

\$10,000 - <u>Reformer</u>

- Admission for 15 guests
- Dedicated pre-event social media post on Facebook, Instagram, & LinkedIn
- Year-long visibility on Mental Health Colorado's website
- Your organization's logo on event collateral

\$5,000 - <u>ADVOCATE</u>

- Admission for 10 guests
- Year-long visibility on Mental Health Colorado's website
- Your organization's logo on event collateral

\$2,500 - <u>SUPPORTER</u>

- Admission for 6 guests
- Year-long visibility on Mental Health Colorado's website
- Your organization's logo on event collateral

Expected Attendance: 400 guests Sponsorship Deadline: August 31, 2024



ANNUAL SPONSORSHIP

\$100,000

<u>Mental Health Colorado's Elite Sponsorship</u>

- Headlining Sponsor and Special Recognition as Elite Sponsor of the Year at all events & webinars
- Year-long visibility on the main page of our website as 'Mental Health Colorado's Elite Sponsor of the Year'
- Company name and logo listed on our digital and printed Annual Report
- Lunch & Learn for leadership and staff on 'Well-Being in Your Workplace and Community' with CEO, Vincent Atchity
- Op-ed inclusion in up to 3 monthly e-newsletters
- Special spoken recognition at LEAD, Unmasked, & Tribute Gala
- 20 tickets to our 41st Annual Tribute Gala
- 10 tickets to our 4th Annual Unmasked Masquerade
- Dedicated social media posts on Facebook, Instagram, and LinkedIn before LEAD, Unmasked, & Tribute
- Company logo displayed on our booth at all community events

\$50,000 <u>Mental Health Champion</u>

- Logo recognition at all events & webinars
- Year-long visibility on our website
- Lunch & Learn for leadership and staff on 'Well-Being in Your Workplace and Community' with CEO, Vincent Atchity
- Op-ed inclusion in one monthly e-newsletter
- 16 tickets to our 41st Annual Tribute Gala
- 6 tickets to our 4th Annual Unmasked Masquerade
- Dedicated social media posts on Facebook, Instagram, and LinkedIn before 2 selected events

\$25,000 <u>Mental Health Leader</u>

- Logo recognition at all events & webinars
- Year-long visibility on our website
- Lunch & Learn for leadership and staff on 'Well-Being in Your Workplace and Community' with CEO, Vincent Atchity
- 10 tickets to our 41st Annual Tribute Gala
- 4 tickets to our 4th Annual Unmasked Masquerade
- Dedicated social media post on Facebook, Instagram, and LinkedIn before 1 selected event



While we are grateful for the generous support of our sponsors, we understand that not everyone can commit to a sponsorship. However, you can still play a vital role in advancing our cause through an individual donation or Workplace Giving Program.



To donate with a check:

Mental Health Colorado 303 E. 17th Ave., 4th Floor Denver, CO 80203

To donate (one-time or recurring) with a bank card:

mentalhealthcolorado.org/donate



Other Donations:

To make arrangements for legacy gifts, non-monetary donations, and other contributions, please contact Ashley Perales at <u>aperales@mentalhealthcolorado.org</u>.

By choosing to donate, you are contributing to a more compassionate and understanding Colorado, where mental health is prioritized and supported!