



Virtual Benefit Raises Over \$100,000

Turning Point Behavioral Health Care Center hosted its annual RISING TO THE CHALLENGE benefit virtually due to concerns of guests gathering. Our thanks to our community for its wonderful support of this event and of the work that it helps to sustain!

Turning Point is pleased to announce that the benefit raised over \$100,000 to support Turning Point's many programs. **Christian Farr of NBC5 News** served as Master of Ceremonies and featured in the auction were exciting destination packages to Switzerland, Cancun, and Yellowstone as well as a very special Zoom Visit with **Jeff Tweedy of Wilco**. Turning Point was pleased to welcome back **David A. Goodman, Founder and President of Auction Results®, LLC**, to lead the live auction.

This year's virtual RISING TO THE CHALLENGE benefit was generously sponsored by Wellness Sponsor NorthShore University HealthSystem.

"We are deeply grateful to our sponsors and to our extraordinary community for its generous support of our first virtual benefit," said Turning Point CEO Ann Fisher Raney. "Turning Point has continued to serve its many clients remotely throughout the COVID-19 crisis, and we could not have hoped for a more successful evening in support of the expert, affordable, and compassionate care that Turning Point provides."

TURNING POINT BEHAVIORAL HEALTH CARE CENTER, established in 1969, is a non-profit outpatient mental health center, serving children and adults, with a mission to provide "solid support, when you need it most." Each year, Turning Point serves

approximately 1,300 children and adults from throughout the Chicago metropolitan area, approximately 90% of whom are low income. Located in Skokie and recognized as a leader in innovation and community support, Turning Point was honored with the 2017 Excellence in Mental Health Award from the Illinois Association for Behavioral Health, the 2015 Impact Award for Excellence in Behavioral Healthcare Management from the National Council for Behavioral Health, and the 2017 Public Health Partners of Excellence Award from the Skokie Health Department and Board of Health, in recognition of exceptional contributions to the health of Skokie.