

**WHEN:** Saturday, April 17, 2010

**WHERE:** Frank Auditorium  
**Evanston Hospital**  
2650 Ridge Avenue  
Evanston, Illinois

**PARKING:** Free in hospital parking lot

**PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION:** Evanston Hospital is one block east of the CTA Purple Line Central Street station (transfer from Red Line at Howard). For further public transportation information, call CTA at 836-7000.

~ SYMPOSIUM SPEAKERS ~

**Matthew Cohen, JD** is a partner in the law firm of Monahan and Cohen. He is referred to as one of Illinois' top attorneys specializing in special education and mental health law, combining an active private practice with extensive work in the public sector.

**Edward Pirok, MD, PhD** is a Chicago psychiatrist in private practice with a strong specialty in medication management. He evaluates and treats medically complicated patients, working with individuals and families who have a willingness to participate in an integrated treatment plan.

**Kevin Roy** is the **ABC7 News** weekend morning anchor. He has received five Emmys and numerous other honors, including multiple awards for his documentary, *Son of Suicide*, which explored his family's experience after the suicide of his mother.

**Patricia Meaden, PhD** is an Assistant Professor and scientist-practitioner at Rush University Medical School, a clinical psychologist maintaining a private practice in psychotherapy for adolescents and adults with severe mood disorders and families affected by chronic mental illness.

**Frederick Miller, MD, PhD**, chair of the Dept. of Psychiatry at Evanston Hospital and medical consultant to DBSA-GC, is a senior attending physician at Evanston Hospital and specializes in adult psychiatry.

**Manuel S. Silverman, PhD** is our *Ask the Experts* panel moderator. He is vice-president of DBSA-GC and a clinical psychologist in private practice.

~ FOR FURTHER INFORMATION ~

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**11<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL SYMPOSIUM**  
**PATHS TO RECOVERY**  
Legal, Medical, Familial, and  
Psychological Issues

- 8:00 am **Registration / Continental Breakfast**
- 8:45 am **Welcome: Judith Sturm, President, DBSA-GC**
- 9:00 am **Legal Issues in Mental Health: Matthew Cohen, Attorney-at-Law**
- 10:15 am **Break**
- 10:30 am **Medical Issues in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century: Edward Pirok, MD, PhD**
- 11:45 am **Box Lunch / Video in Auditorium: Stephen Fry: The Secret Life of a Manic-Depressive, Part 2**
- 1:00 pm **Surviving Suicide: Kevin Roy, ABC7 News**
- 2:15 pm **Family Issues in Recovery: Patricia Meaden, PhD**
- 3:30 pm **Break**
- 3:45 pm **Ask the Experts Panel: Dr. Miller and Dr. Silverman join our presenters.**
- 5:00 pm **Wrap-up**

~ REGISTRATION FORM ~

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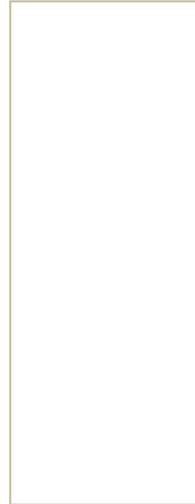
Participants will:

- 1) Develop new understandings of psychological, medical, legal, and family issues in recovery.
- 2) Learn the latest principles and practices in treatment of mood disorders.
- 3) Learn the latest trends in medical management of mood disorders.
- 4) Gain particular information about the recovery process families.
- 5) Obtain specific skills in working with a mood-disordered population
- 6) Gain valuable insights into the personal aspects of living with mood disorders.
- 7) Gain a personal as well as professional perspective on life as a mood-disordered person.

~ WHO MAY BE INTERESTED ~

- Consumers of mental health services who encounter mood disorders and disordered behavior patterns in their own lives.
- Family, friends, and co-workers of persons with mood disordered behavior patterns.
- Social Workers Licensed Professional Counselors, Nurses, School Counselors, EAP Counselors, drug and alcohol counselors, and other mental health professionals.
- Students studying mental health for future professional goals.

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