AGENDA
HARVARD FORUMS ON HEALTH:
IMPROVING MENTAL HEALTH CARE
UCLA Neuropsychiatric Institute Auditorium
November 12, 2003
8:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Moderator: David Gergen, Professor of Public Service, John F. Kennedy School of Government, Harvard University; Editor-At-Large, U.S. News & World Report

8:30 Welcome from UCLA
- Gerald Levey, MD, Vice Chancellor, UCLA Medical Sciences, and Dean, UCLA David Geffen School of Medicine

Introduction to the Forum series
- Barry Bloom, PhD, Dean, Harvard School of Public Health

Welcome and Introduction of Kenneth Wells
- Andrew Leuchter, MD, Professor and Vice Chair, Department of Psychiatry and Biobehavioral Sciences, UCLA Neuropsychiatric Institute, UCLA David Geffen School of Medicine

8:40-8:55 State of the Issue – A National Overview of Mental Health Care
- Kenneth Wells, MD, Professor of Psychiatry and Biobehavioral Sciences, UCLA Neuropsychiatric Institute

8:55-9:05 National Poll results
- David Blumenthal, MD, MPP – Director, Interfaculty Program for Health Systems Improvement, Harvard University, and Director, Harvard Forums on Health

9:05-10:00 Individual Testimony
- Philip Burguières, Vice Chairman, Houston Texans; CEO, EMC Holdings, LLC
- Catherine Bond, Client Training Coordinator, Project Return: The Next Step
- Kathy Cronkite, Journalist and Author

10:00-11:00 Spotlight on Innovative Initiatives
- Thresholds, Chicago, IL – Extending Assertive Community Treatment, Debbie Pavick, Assistant Director
- The Village – Expanding the Initiative Throughout Los Angeles – Marvin Southard, DSW, Director, LA County Dept. of Mental Health
- Wraparound Milwaukee, Milwaukee, WI – Bruce Kamradt, Director
11:00-11:10  Break

11:10-11:30  A Personal Story
  ■ Carrie Fisher, Actress and Author

11:30-11:35  From Personal Experiences and Local Innovation to National Reform
  ■ Howard Goldman, MD and David Gergen

11:35-12:45  Viewpoints Panel
  ■ Howard Goldman, MD, Director, Center for Mental Health Services Research, University of Maryland
  ■ Clarissa Marques, PhD, Managed Behavioral Health Expert and former Executive Vice President, Magellan Behavioral Health
  ■ Isaac Brown, Director of Advocacy, Baltic Street Mental Health Board, New York, NY
  ■ California Assemblyman Darrell Steinberg
  ■ David Feinberg, MD, Associate Professor, Department of Psychiatry and Biobehavioral Sciences, UCLA Neuropsychiatric Institute

12:45  Final Word
  ■ David Blumenthal and Andrew Leuchter

1:00  Conclude