Hello Friends of HDSA,

Please join us in providing Help for Today and Hope for Tomorrow for those impacted by Huntington’s disease. As you know, the Huntington’s Disease Society of America (HDSA) helps fund neuro genetic research efforts, and supports our community of affected individuals and their families who are dealing with this debilitating fatal disease, including my own family. We need humanitarians and philanthropists such as yourself to fortify hope in our community by contributing to the HDSA Missouri Chapter.

Our 2022 Family is Everything Harvest: A Celebration of Hope Event on November 18th will be a wonderful opportunity to support HDSA and be a part of an uplifting hopeful experience. To participate you may choose to attend the event, be an Event Sponsor (see attached defined levels and benefits), donate a merchandise gift for our Silent Auction, and/or simply contribute monetarily.

The event will take place at Shrewsbury City Center Sunset Room in St. Louis, MO. Event Tickets & Sponsorship Opportunities are on sale now at https://missouri.hdsa.org/COH.

We hope you will consider supporting us in one of the following ways:
- Donate: Please consider a tax-deductible donation to HDSA.
- Attend: Purchase tickets and come enjoy the event!
- Event Sponsor: Be a Sponsor ~ Opportunities range from $100-$5,000.
- Silent Auction: Donate a Gift Card, Certificate or Item to the auction.

You may send a Sponsor selection and payment or In-Kind donation to us through Email or Online using the attached forms. If you have in-kind/product donations I would be happy to arrange pickup or provide my shipping address! If you have questions about donating or becoming an Event Sponsor, please feel free to contact me at AnnaDOneto@gmail.com.

Kindly,

Anna Oneto
Huntington's Disease Society of America Missouri Chapter
Vice President
Huntington’s disease families are very fortunate to have an HDSA Center of Excellence designated in Missouri, at Washington University in St. Louis. WashU provides vital care and support to our Missouri families. Centers of Excellence are established to provide comprehensive medical care and social services specific to patients and families affected by Huntington’s disease (HD). The Centers also strive to provide access to vital healthcare for underserved low income or uninsured HD patients, by providing its services on a sliding fee scale and reserving a pool of funds to support treatment for these individuals. The Centers cooperate with others around the country to deliver the latest in treatments as well as collaborate on important medical research and clinical trials, bringing “help for today” to individuals and families affected by HD.

On Friday, November 18, 2022, a group of dedicated volunteers and the Missouri Chapter of Huntington’s Disease Society of America will be hosting its Annual “Celebration of Hope” at the Shrewsbury City Center Sunset Room in St. Louis. HDSA hosts this annual event to benefit Huntington’s disease and the HDSA Centers of Excellence across the country. This year we will be honoring Brown & Crouppen Law Firm for their significant contributions to the HD community. This truly is a “Celebration of Hope” and leaves attendees with a renewed inspiration and vision of “hope for tomorrow” for a brighter future for Huntington’s disease.

Huntington’s disease is a fatal, degenerative brain disorder that devastates families for generations upon generations and affect them emotionally, socially and economically. HD slowly diminishes one’s ability to think, eat, talk, walk and reason, patients become entirely dependent upon others for care. Symptoms typically appear in the prime of one’s life between 30 to 50 years old, however symptoms of Juvenile HD have been seen in children as young as two years old.

More than 41,000 people in the United States are currently diagnosed with HD and over 200,000 people are at risk. Each of their siblings and children has a 50% risk of developing the disease. The HDSA Upper Great Lakes Region encompasses Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Michigan, Missouri, Ohio, Kansas, Kentucky, Minnesota, North Dakota, South Dakota, and Wisconsin. In this region alone, there are 295,000 individuals and immediate family members touched by HD. Currently there is no cure and only two FDA-approved treatments for one symptom of the disease.
# Sponsorship Opportunities

## Platinum Sponsor
- Eight (8) tickets to the Celebration of Hope
- Prominent Logo/Name placement at event
- Sponsor mentioned at all pre- and post-event publicity
- Recognition from the podium
- Sponsorship acknowledgement on HDSA MO site for 2023

## Toast to Hope Sponsor
- Six (6) tickets to the Celebration of Hope
- Prominent Logo/Name placement at event
- Sponsor mentioned at all pre- and post-event publicity
- Recognition from the podium

## Gold Sponsor
- Four (4) tickets to the Celebration of Hope
- Logo included on information sheet
- Sponsor mentioned at all pre- and post-event publicity

## Silver Sponsor
- Two (2) tickets to the Celebration of Hope
- Logo included on information sheet
- Sponsor mentioned at all pre- and post-event publicity

## Ticket Sponsor
- Tickets gifted to HD Community Members who may need assistance with event costs.
- Name listed as event ticket sponsor
- Two (2) gifted tickets to the Celebration of Hope
Sponsorship Form

Select sponsorship level:

☐ Platinum Sponsor $5,000  ☐ Toast to Hope Sponsor $2,500
☐ Gold Sponsor $1,000  ☐ Silver Sponsor $500
☐ Other donation amount: $____________________
☐ Celebration of Hope Standard Ticket $45

Submit completed form by email or online

Email: annadoneto@gmail.com OR mamatoe66@gmail.com
Online: https://missouri.hdsa.org/COH
Checks can be made payable to: HDSA

Payment Information:

Cash: _____  Check: _____  Send Invoice: _____  Credit Card: _________

Name on card: _________________________________________________________
Credit Card Number: _________________________________________________
Expiration Date: __________  CVV: ________________________________
Cardholder signature: __________________________  Zip Code: ____________

Sponsoring Company Information:

Company name: _______________________________________________________
Company contact: ______________________________________________________
Company address: _____________________________________________________
City: _______________________  State: _____  Zip Code: _______________
Contact phone number: ________________________________________________