



**HOPE** STREET  
MARGOLIS  
FAMILY CENTER

## Champions for Children Luncheon

HONORING

**The Honorable Donna Ellman Garber and Linda Ellman  
Perkins&Will**

TO BENEFIT

**Hope Street Margolis Family Center**

Wednesday, June 1, 2022  
11:00 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.  
Jonathan Club

**Celebrating  
30 Years**



**California Hospital  
Medical Center Foundation.**  
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# Welcome back!

Dear Friends and Guests,

On behalf of the entire Hope Street Margolis Family Center and California Hospital Medical Center family, we welcome you back after two very challenging years being apart. COVID-19 proved to be a formidable opponent to our mission, but we responded to the challenge by providing in-person and remote services, coordinating food distributions and transforming our facilities into classrooms where students had access to virtual school distance learning—all to provide the best support possible to our children and families.

This year we celebrate our milestone 30th anniversary. For the past three decades, Hope Street has served the communities of central, downtown and south Los Angeles—leading the charge on social determinants of health to improve the overall health and well-being of these communities. What started in 1992 as a response to the needs of families following the civil unrest has grown to serve over 5,000 children and family members annually.


Today, we are recognized as a model public health program by community partners and government leaders.

Thanks to generous supporters like you, Hope Street is able to provide critical health, education and recreation programs to the most vulnerable people in our communities.

100% of your contributions will support the continuity and expansion of comprehensive educational, health and recreational services.

We gather today to celebrate and recognize the significant impact Hope Street has made and to those who have grown up alongside us. On behalf of the Hope Street Margolis Family Center Advisory Board and California Hospital Medical Center, we welcome you as we celebrate **Oh the Places You'll Go!**

Sincerely,



Eloise Appel, EdD  
Event Co-Chair



Linda Ellman  
Event Co-Chair

## PROGRAM

### Reception

### Silent auction and raffle

*Video: Oh, The Places You'll Go*  
Produced by Linda Ellman\*

### Welcome

Eloise Appel, EdD, Event Co-Chair  
Genesis Marquez, Hope Street Margolis Family Center Student

### President's message

Alina Moran, MPA, FACHE, FAB, President of Dignity Health—California Hospital Medical Center

*Video: Hope Street Margolis Family Center: A Journey 30 Years in the Making*  
Produced by Linda Ellman

### Hope Street Margolis Family Center alumni remarks

Carla Delgadillo

### Fund-A-Need

Grant Snyder

### Lunch served

### 2022 Champions for Children honoree Perkins&Will

Introduced by Jonathan Perez

*Video: Perkins&Will tribute*

### 2022 Champions for Children honorees The Honorable Donna Ellman Garber and Linda Ellman

Introduced by Meri Jimenez

*Video: The Honorable Donna Ellman Garber and Linda Ellman tribute*

### Closing remarks

### Raffle winners announced

Eloise Appel, Linda Ellman, Genesis Marquez

*\*Animation credit: Farmers Insurance and RPA.*

## MENU

### STARTER

### Compressed baby arugula and manchego salad

Almond, dates, fuji apple, pistachio oil

### ENTRÉE

### Harissa-rubbed branzino

Lebneh yoghurt, saffron rice, roasted fennel

### Roasted root vegetables *(vegetarian)*

Pickled cauliflower, roasted macadamia mushroom vinaigrette

### DESSERT

### Valrhona chocolate cake

Blackberry, banyuls, cocoa ganache

### Harry's Berries strawberry field

Strawberry cake, gaviota mousse, elderflower, basil

*Coffee and tea*



# HOPE STREET MARGOLIS FAMILY CENTER PROGRAMS

## Our mission: Educating children, strengthening families and transforming communities.

Hope Street Margolis Family Center (Hope Street) was established in 1992 as a collaboration between the University of California, Los Angeles (UCLA) and Dignity Health–California Hospital Medical Center (CHMC).

Today, Hope Street continues its proven track record of empowering and strengthening families by addressing the social determinants of health through a continuum of care including early childhood education, child welfare, behavioral health, parent education, health, youth and social services that support the entire family from birth to adulthood.

As a program of CHMC, a 501(c)(3) nonprofit hospital, Hope Street relies on the generosity of the community and philanthropic supporters.



*"The Healthy Family" mural created by Todd Gray and Kyungmi Shin.*

## Champions for Children Award

Hope Street Margolis Family Center created the Champions for Children Award to honor those in the community who, through exceptional work and dedication, have helped further the mission and values of Hope Street.

Hope Street presents each honoree a framed print of the life-sized mural on display in the lobby of Hope Street Margolis Family Center at California Hospital Medical Center. The mural, "The Healthy Family," was designed, photographed and installed by Todd Gray and Kyungmi Shin. One of four photo collages displayed throughout the building, "The Healthy Family" greets children, families and visitors as they enter Hope Street. It was created to reflect the spirit of community health, family, arts, recreation and academic excellence.



2022 CHAMPIONS FOR CHILDREN HONOREES

The Honorable Donna Ellman Garber and Linda Ellman

Donna Ellman Garber and her daughter, Linda Ellman, share a common belief: the stronger the threads that connect us to communities, the stronger the future you weave.

At 96 years old, Donna’s career has followed a thread connecting medicine to community service and politics spanning across LA and the world—from helping wounded service members during the Korean War and Care Medico missions in Honduras and Algeria to creating senior housing for low-income residents during her 12-year tenure on the Beverly Hills City Council and two terms as the city’s mayor.

Linda is a three-time Emmy Award-winning television news, entertainment and documentary filmmaking veteran.



With a career spanning nearly 50 years, she has helped break the glass ceiling for women journalists. Because of the lessons her mother instilled in her as a child, Linda is now strengthening threads that connect students and families to their communities as an Adjunct Professor for Syracuse University Los Angeles Semester and a member of the Hope Street Advisory Board.

Thanks to this dynamic mother-daughter duo, Hope Street has received upgraded computers, funding for its Youth Education and Leadership Program and captivating awareness videos to showcase the generational, family-centered approach that makes the center uniquely impactful for the families and community we serve.

Perkins&Will

At its core, architecture and design firm Perkins&Will creates places and spaces that make a positive difference in communities. Known for high profile projects such as the Smithsonian Institution’s National Museum of African American History and Culture and Destination Crenshaw in Los Angeles, to name a few, Perkins&Will knows design has the power to make people’s lives better across the world and right here in Los Angeles. In 2019, the firm partnered with Hope Street Margolis Family Center through its Social Purpose program, which provides nonprofit organizations with pro bono professional services to address human needs like

affordable housing, childcare, healthcare and education. Thanks to their partnership, The Nest was created—a free early education center located near USC that supports families experiencing economic hardship and homelessness. Designed pro bono by Perkins&Will, The Nest will serve as a close-knit, nurturing environment that provides a place of refuge, safety and comfort, as well as classrooms where children can explore, take risks and spread their wings. Thanks to Perkins&Will’s commitment in creating lasting, positive and inclusive growth in our community, The Nest will serve 32 children and their families.

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# THE NEST

The Nest is Hope Street’s fourth and newest early childhood center that opened in April 2022.

In March 2019, California Hospital Medical Center was awarded Early Head Start expansion funding from the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services Administration for Children and Families to provide center-based services for 32 toddlers and young children and home-based services for nine pregnant women, infants and toddlers.

In 2019, Hope Street partnered with architectural firm Perkins&Will, who designed the center pro bono through its Social Purpose program.

The Nest joins Angelica Lutheran Church, Mercy Housing California and Hope Street Margolis Family Center as licensed early care and education centers that help fill the community’s urgent need for high-quality childcare and school readiness services. These centers provide full-day, year-round early care and education for 192 infants, toddlers and preschool-aged children, within fully inclusive settings. Services are designed to meet the specific needs of low-income parents employed in the nearby garment and light manufacturing district.

## Why “The Nest”?

The center’s innovative and inspirational design is based on the concept of a “nest” —with classrooms serving as places of refuge, safety and comfort as well as places where children can explore, take risks and spread their wings.



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As a community health, education and recreation program of Dignity Health–California Hospital Medical Center, Hope Street Margolis Family Center’s mission is to **educate children, strengthen families and transform our community**. Thanks to our generous donors, Hope Street’s programs provide low-income families living in downtown Los Angeles and surrounding communities with services that support physical and mental well-being, education, recreation and the arts.

100% of all contributions directly support Hope Street’s programs through the California Hospital Medical Center Foundation, a 501(c)(3) charitable organization (Federal Tax Identification Number 95-4000909).



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