



VNS Health

2024 Benefit



Building Healthy Communities

*November 14, 2024
The Ziegfeld Ballroom, NYC*



Celebrating a Legacy of Care and Excellence

BAYADA Home Health Care proudly congratulates **Ann and Mark Baiada** on receiving the prestigious **Lillian D. Wald Award** for their lifetime commitment to compassionate home health care.



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HONORING

Ann and Mark Baiada

FOUNDER OF BAYADABILITY REHAB SOLUTIONS AND
FOUNDER AND CHAIRMAN OF BAYADA HOME HEALTH CARE

MASTER OF CEREMONIES

Kori Chambers

PIX11 ANCHOR

Dear Friends,



Welcome to our VNS Health 2024 Benefit!

We're excited to have you join us on Thursday evening, November 14th, when we come together to celebrate our two esteemed honorees, **Ann and Mark Baiada**. We're also deeply grateful for your invaluable support of VNS **Health's Charitable Care and Community Impact programs**.

Building Healthy Communities – the theme of this year's Benefit – is what VNS Health has been doing for the past 131 years. Every day, we provide expert and compassionate care to our patients, health plan members and clients, enabling them to live their best lives in their homes and communities, where they belong. Last year alone, together with our supporters, grantors and donors, we provided more than \$66 million in charitable care and community impact benefits to tens of thousands of vulnerable New Yorkers.

Building healthy communities is also what our honorees – legendary health care leaders **Ann and Mark Baiada** – have been doing for decades, which is why they're so deserving of our **2024 Lillian D. Wald Award**. Named after the nation's first public health nurse and founder of our organization, the Lillian D. Wald Award is presented annually to those who have made significant contributions to the health and welfare of others.

Ann Baiada, RN, is a champion of the nursing profession. Her unwavering commitment to clinical excellence motivated her to create two training and mentoring programs at BAYADA Home Health Care – Project White Cap, a training program for new nurses, and Project White Shoes, an annual training for clinical leaders. Ann also founded BAYADAbility Rehab Solutions, the nation's first and only home health care rehabilitation nursing program, in 1998. Her passion for nursing and her ability to empower and inspire led to the creation of an award in her honor, the Ann Baiada Award for Excellence in Nursing Leadership in 2006, and the establishment of the Ann Baiada Center for Clinical Excellence in 2010.

Mark Baiada founded BAYADA Home Health Care in 1975 with the mission to help people live safely at home with comfort, independence and dignity. Almost 50 years later, BAYADA has grown from its humble beginnings to become a global leader in home health care, serving clients from more than 380 offices in 22 states with additional locations in Germany, India, Ireland, New Zealand, and South Korea.

In early 2019, Mark, now Chairman of BAYADA, oversaw the company's transition to a nonprofit organization. Unprecedented in the industry, the transition was made to ensure that BAYADA's mission, purpose, and business model would endure, and to help BAYADA realize its vision of helping millions of people worldwide experience a better quality of life at home.

Thank you, Ann and Mark, for all you've done – and continue to do – for home care patients around the world!

This year, we once again welcome back our dear friend **Kori Chambers**, the Emmy Award-winning anchor of PIX11 News, as our evening's Master of Ceremonies. This is Kori's fourth straight year as our Master of Ceremonies, and we are so thankful for his involvement.

Thank you again for joining us in celebrating our 2024 Benefit. And thank you, too, for supporting us throughout the year as together we continue the ongoing work of building healthy communities!



Andrew N. Schiff, MD
CHAIR OF THE BOARD
VNS HEALTH



Dan Savitt
PRESIDENT AND CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER
VNS HEALTH

JERROLD NADLER
12TH DISTRICT, NEW YORK



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November 14, 2024

VNS Health
220 East 42nd Street, 2nd Floor
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Dear Friends:

I write to congratulate VNS Health on the occasion of its 2024 Benefit Dinner: "Building Healthy Communities."

Since 1893, VNS Health has been an innovative leader in home and community-based health care for each stage of life. Guided by the principles of empathy, integrity, and agility, VNS Health continues to help New Yorkers improve their health and wellbeing through high-quality, cost-effective health care that allows them to live, age, and heal in their homes while being connected to family and community.

I would like to join VNS Health in expressing my appreciation to tonight's honorees Ann Baida, the Founder of BAYADA Ability Rehab Solutions, and Mark Baiada, the Founder and Chairman of BAYADA Home Health Care as the recipients of Lillian D. Wald Award. Ann and Mark Baida have displayed a dedication to the health and welfare of others and a philanthropic spirit that make them worthy of this special recognition.

I thank VNS Health for its indispensable work to the over 51,000 patients, clients and plan members in their care on any given day, that makes high-quality health care services accessible to New Yorkers. I extend my very best wishes to both VNS Health and its honorees on this exciting occasion.

Sincerely,

JERROLD NADLER
Member of Congress

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November 14, 2024

VNS Health
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Dear Friends:

I am pleased to extend my warmest greetings to all gathered for the VNS Health 2024 Benefit – Building Healthy Communities.

It is also with great pleasure that I extend special congratulations to this year's honorees, Ann and Mark Baiada, on the occasion of receiving the Lillian D. Wald Award for their contributions to the health and welfare of others.

For more than 130 years, VNS Health has worked tirelessly to provide health services, education, and a safety net to the most vulnerable New Yorkers. Today, with more than 51,000 patients, clients, and plan members in its care on any given day, VNS Health helps New Yorkers live, age, and heal in their homes while maintaining a connection to their family and community.

Please accept my thanks for the work you have done, and for continued success in improving the health and well-being of the community.

With kindest regards, I am

Sincerely,

Thomas R. Suozzi
Member of Congress

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NEW YORK STATE ASSEMBLY

November 14, 2024

Dear Friends:

Welcome to the VNS Health 2024 Benefit – *Building Healthy Communities*.

Founded in 1893 by Lillian Wald, VNS Health was a pioneer in the fields of social reform, nursing and public health, providing health services, education and a safety net to the most vulnerable New Yorkers in lower Manhattan during a time when disease was rampant. Over a century later, VNS Health continues to help vulnerable and marginalized communities, including ethnic and racial minorities, veterans, LGBTQ+ individuals, immigrants, the frail elderly and people with mental illness and physical disabilities. You can all be proud of the commitment and support you continue to offer to our most vulnerable.

In 2023, VNS Health – with your generous supporters and community partners – provided over \$66 million in charitable care and community benefit programs. I join with you all in celebrating such large support.

I would like to extend my most sincere congratulations to this year’s recipients of the *Lillian D. Wald Award*: Ann Baiada, Founder of BAYADAYAbility Rehab Solutions, and Mark Baiada, Founder and Chairman of BAYADA Home Health Care. The *Lillian D. Wald Award* is presented each year in recognition of those who have made significant contributions to the health and welfare of others. I join with their friends and family in saluting them for a job well done.

Again, congratulations to today’s honorees and best wishes to VNS Health for your continued success.

Sincerely,

CARL E. HEASTIE
Speaker

SENATOR
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33RD DISTRICT



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November 14, 2024

To the VNS Health community,

I am sending the warmest wishes to VNS Health as you celebrate your annual gala. I'm incredibly proud to work with and support VNS Health and their dedicated team, who make such a difference in the Bronx and across New York. I also want to congratulate Ann and Mark Baiada, founders of BAYADAbility Rehab Solutions and BAYADA Home Health Care, for receiving the Lillian D. Wald Award in recognition of their contributions to the health and welfare of others.

For more than 130 years, VNS Health has provided health services, education, and a safety net to the most vulnerable New Yorkers, serving more than 51,000 patients in the last year. VNS Health's work focuses on vulnerable and marginalized communities to bring compassionate healthcare to those in need and has made a real difference for our neighbors in the Bronx.

I'd like to express my deep gratitude to VNS Health for providing more than \$65 million in charitable care and community benefit programs. Thank you for your continued work in the community, and I look forward to continuing to work with VNS Health.

Sincerely,

Gustavo Rivera
New York State Senator
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Assemblywoman
Amy Paulin

Assembly District 88



November 14, 2024

Dear Friends of VNS Health,

It is my great honor to recognize the outstanding work of VNS Health on the occasion of their 2024 Building Healthy Communities Benefit.

VNS Health has been committed to meeting the needs of New Yorkers for over 130 years. They are the largest nonprofit home- and community-based health care organization in the country, and today, more than 10,000 team members work together to make a difference in the lives of more than 51,000 patients and members on any given day. VNS Health helps New Yorkers live, age, and heal in their homes, connected to family and community.

The work of extraordinary members of the community, as well as local organizations, provide essential support that allows VNS Health to uphold its mission. Therefore, in celebration of their commitment to provide health services, education, and a safety net to the most vulnerable New Yorkers, it is my great pleasure to recognize this year's honorees, Ann and Mark Baiada, who are receiving the Lillian D. Wald Award for their significant contributions to the health and welfare of others.

Thank you to VNS Health and all its supporters for your tireless efforts on behalf of our community. I wish you all continued success.

Sincerely,

Amy R. Paulin
Member of Assembly



JUMAANE D. WILLIAMS

The Public Advocate For the City of New York

To VNS Health,

On behalf of the City of New York, I would like to offer you my congratulations and well-wishes as you celebrate The VNS Health 2024 Benefit, "*Building Healthy Communities*". For over a century, VNS Health has not only led the way in healthcare, but has also helped to strengthen the community through its commitment to managing care for millions of individuals with compassion and kindness. Through your efforts, you meet the needs of New Yorkers, while making a difference in the lives of your patients. I offer you my gratitude for your tireless efforts.

VNS Health is at the front lines of public health and has created care accessibility in homes and throughout the community. Through your three core values of empathy, integrity and agility, you allow your team to unify in shared beliefs and do what is best for the patients' well-being.

I want to offer particular congratulations to today's honorees:

- Ann Baiada, Founder of BAYADAbility Rehab Solutions
- Mark Baiada, Founder and Chairman of BAYADA Home Health Care

As Public Advocate, I know the importance of community outreach and connection, helping others, and spreading a positive message throughout New York City. I support your work in assisting and inspiring others, and appreciate your dedication. Congratulations on The VNS Health 2024 Benefit, and I wish you success for many years to come.

Sincerely,

Jumaane D. Williams
Public Advocate



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Mark Levine, Borough President



November 14, 2024

Dear Friends,

It is a pleasure to join you in celebrating 130 years of VNS Health, one of New York's most critical healthcare institutions.

VNS Health has long been a pioneer of home- and community-based health, setting standards that are now modeled nationwide and have led to more equitable access to healthcare. Since its founding, VNS Health has been an indispensable part of our city's healthcare fabric, from everyday care, to natural disasters, to viral outbreaks. At a time when healthcare is unaffordable and unreliable for so many, we are fortunate to have VNS Health working tirelessly to serve all New Yorkers, especially the most vulnerable patients.

It is also an honor to extend my congratulations to this year's Lillian D. Wald Award winners, Ann and Mark Baiada. Thank you for your dedication to VNS Health and New Yorkers' well-being.

On behalf of the Borough of Manhattan, I wish you success in the years to come

Sincerely,

Mark Levine
Manhattan Borough President



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November 14, 2024

Dan Savitt
President and Chief Executive Officer
VNS Health
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Dear Mr. Savitt:

Greetings to you and to all the friends and supporters of VNS Health on the occasion of the VNS Health 2024 Benefit, which has the theme of "Building Healthy Communities."

This evening's event is a great opportunity to celebrate VNS Health for working with its supporters and community partners to provide over \$66 million in charitable care and community benefit programs in 2023. VNS Health has excelled at improving the health and well-being of patients, members, and families by providing expert, accessible, and cost-effective health care in the home and community.

Tonight is also a great opportunity to salute your distinguished honorees, who are being presented with the Lillian D. Wald Award in recognition of their outstanding contributions to the health and welfare of others. I therefore extend my heartfelt congratulations to Ann and Mark Baiada.

On behalf of the 2.4 million residents of Queens, "The World's Borough," I extend our sincere congratulations and thanks to you and everyone at VNS Health for your outstanding work. I hope all in attendance enjoy tonight's VNS Health 2024 Benefit, and I wish you and everyone associated with VNS Health continued success in all your worthy endeavors.

Sincerely,

Donovan Richards Jr.
President
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November 14th, 2024

Dear VNS Health Team,

I am delighted to extend my heartfelt congratulations on the occasion of the VNS Health 2024 Benefit, "Building Healthy Communities." This event is a testament to the profound impact that dedicated individuals and organizations can have on public health and community well-being.

It is with great admiration that I acknowledge the presentation of the Lillian D. Wald Award to Ann and Mark Baiada. Ann's visionary leadership in founding BAYADA Ability Rehab Solutions and Mark's enduring commitment as the founder and chairman of BAYADA Home Health Care exemplify the values and pioneering spirit embodied by the award's namesake, Lillian D. Wald. Their work has significantly advanced the quality of care and support available to individuals and families in need, making them truly deserving of this prestigious recognition.

Ann and Mark Baiada have not only led remarkable organizations but have also set a high standard for compassion and excellence in healthcare. Their efforts have undoubtedly improved countless lives and have contributed immensely to the strengthening of our healthcare system.

As Chair of the NYC Council Health Committee, I am deeply appreciative of VNS Health's unwavering dedication to promoting health and wellness across our city. Your continued commitment to celebrating and supporting those who make extraordinary contributions to public health is inspiring.

Once again, congratulations to Ann and Mark Baiada on receiving the Lillian D. Wald Award. May the 2024 Benefit be a memorable and impactful event that furthers our collective mission of building healthier communities for all.

Warmest regards,

Lynn Schulman
Chair, NYC Council Health Committee
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Dear VNS Health,

I'm writing to express my sincere congratulations on the amazing success of the VNS Health 2024 Benefit, "Building Healthy Communities." The incredible support VNS Health has given to our most vulnerable neighbors throughout the year showcases how much you truly care for New Yorkers.

I especially want to congratulate Ann and Mark Baiada on receiving the Lillian D. Wald Award. Both Ann and Mark have shown a remarkable dedication to the public health of our city and our neighbors, and for that I truly commend their leadership. Their commitment is an inspiration to all of us and a worthy homage to the legacy of Lillian D. Wald, one of the most influential and respected social reformers of the 20th century.

Once again, I want to thank you for your amazing work and for your continued partnership with the New York City Council and my office.

Sincerely,

Hon. Majority Leader Amanda Farías
New York City Council, District 18

LILLIAN D. WALD AWARD PAST RECIPIENTS

April Anthony (2018)
Peter G. Bergmann, Esq. (2007)
Adam S. Boehler (2021)
Richard S. Braddock (2000)
Frank J. Branchini (2013)
Douglas D. Broadwater (2014)
Bert E. Brodsky (2017)
Samuel C. Butler (2012)
Kathy Hirata Chin (2017)
Peter R. Dolan (2001)
Eugenie F. Doyle, MD (2022)
Steven M. Durels (2019)
Claire M. Fagin, PhD, RN, FAAN (2013)
Alice Cooney Frelinghuysen (2016)
Mary Pat Gallagher, MD (2008)
Stephen V.R. Goodhue (2004)
Albert H. Gordon (1979)
John R. Greed (2020)
Barbara and Donald Jonas (2007)
Attallah Kappas, MD (2010)
Robert M. Kaufman, Esq. (2011)
Dr. Gerald Laubach (1983)
Arthur Levitt, Jr. (1986)
Robert V. Lindsay (1982)
Ruth Watson Lubic, RN, CNM, EdD (2003)
John F. McGillicuddy (1981)
Samuel L. (Tony) Milbank (2018)
Phyllis J. Mills, BSN, RN (2002)
Roger Morley (1979)
Juliet Patterson (2012)
Charles Peebler, Jr. (1992)
Jeffrey M. Peek (2005)
Carl H. Pforzheimer III (2004)
Emily and John Rafferty (2021)
Carol Raphael (Special Recognition 2009)
Irwin Redlener, MD (2003)
Beatrice Renfield (2002)
Corinne H. Rieder, EdD (2016)
Leon Root, MD (2008)
John W. Rowe, MD (2009)
John M. Schiff (1978)
Andrew N. Schiff, MD (2015)
H. Marshall Schwarz (2000)
Steven P. Shelov, MD, MS (2008)
David B. Snow, Jr. (2011)
Tara I. Stacom (2014)
John R. Stafford (1992)
Mike Valentine (2023)
The VNSNY Volunteers (2015)
Thomas Von Essen (2001)
Mark Wagar (2010)
Rawleigh Warner, Jr. (1980)
Stephen A. Warnke (2022)
Thomas R. Wilcox (1978)
Martha Wolfgang and Peter Hutchings (2023)
John E. Zuccotti (2006)

LILLIAN D. WALD



In the 1890s, in the midst of what would become known as the Gilded Age, two women in matching dark blue uniforms, each carrying a small black bag of first aid supplies, were a familiar sight on the teeming streets of Manhattan's Lower East Side. Lillian Wald and Mary Brewster had both recently graduated from the New York School of Nursing and were living in a neighborhood populated mainly by immigrants—families who found themselves living in cramped walk-up tenements, struggling to maintain their health as they tried to dig their way out of poverty.

One day in 1893, the young daughter of an immigrant student in Lillian Wald's home nursing class asked Wald to attend to her mother, who lay suffering with an untreated hemorrhage back in her small tenement room. The experience shook Lillian to her core, and at that moment she decided she would devote her life to caring for the poor and vulnerable.

The two nurses began providing nursing services to the community, dispensing healing and advice while wearing badges reading "Visiting Nurse Under the Auspices of the Board of Health." So was born the organization that would one day become the VNS Health.

Recruiting other nurses to assist in their endeavors, Lillian Wald and Mary Brewster headed out on their daily neighborhood rounds, which included educating residents about disease transmission and personal hygiene and providing medical care for illnesses, with all fees based on the patient's ability to pay. Thus, the term "public health nurse" was established by Wald. Additionally, Wald was instrumental in creating the first public school nurse position, and in 1900 she convinced the New York Board of Education to let a schoolteacher hold the first-ever class for children with learning disabilities or physical handicaps. She also initiated the first school lunch program in 1905, and in 1912, after years of lobbying, persuaded the U.S. government to establish the Federal Children's Bureau, charged with investigating and reporting on all matters pertaining to the welfare of children among all classes of people. Wald also believed that every person was entitled to equal and fair health care regardless of their socio-economic status, race, gender, or age, and went on to cofound Lincoln House to extend health care to black New Yorkers and joined Florence Kelley and Henry Moskowitz in founding the National Association for Colored People (NAACP) in 1909. Wald was elected the first president of the National Organization for Public Health Nursing in 1912 and remained a leader and innovator in public health throughout the rest of her life.

Today, VNS Health continues to embody this idealistic woman's wish to nurse the sick and destitute, as we work to fulfill Lillian's vision through a wide range of programs and activities. We are proud to be carrying out her legacy, and to be part of the broader public health and social support network that she helped to establish.

The Lillian D. Wald Award is presented annually to those who have made significant contributions to the health and welfare of others.



Ann & Mark Baiada

FOUNDER OF BAYADABILITY
REHAB SOLUTIONS AND
FOUNDER AND CHAIRMAN OF
BAYADA HOME HEALTH CARE



Ann Claffey Baiada, RN, a champion of the nursing profession, is the Founder of BAYADAbility Rehab Solutions, retired CRRN and former Director of BAYADA Home Health Care.

Ann has an unwavering commitment to clinical excellence, which motivated her to create two training and mentoring programs at BAYADA – Project White Cap, a training program for new nurses, and Project White Shoes, annual training for clinical leaders. In recognition of her vision to develop strong clinical leaders as a means to ensure clinical excellence and future growth, Mrs. Baiada was named one of the Best 50 Women in Business award from NJBiz in 2010.

Mrs. Baiada also founded BAYADAbility Rehab Solutions, the first and only home health care rehabilitation nursing program, in 1998. Her passion for nursing and her ability to empower and inspire, led to the establishment of an award in her honor, the Ann Baiada Award for Excellence in Nursing Leadership in 2006, and the development of the Ann Baiada Center for Clinical Excellence in 2010.

Her compassion, generosity, and personal sense of responsibility have been recognized through various honors. Most recently, Mrs. Baiada received the Legacy Award from the Legacy Foundation in 2021 and she and her husband, Mark, were recipients of the 2021 Lifetime of Service and Achievement Award from Chestnut Hill College and the 2022 Lawrence S. Smith Distinguished Service Award from the YMCA of Greater Philadelphia. In September 2022, she received The Tip O’Neill Irish Diaspora Award in County Donegal, Ireland.

Of all her achievements, Mrs. Baiada considers her five children and 11 grandchildren to be her most rewarding success. She and Mark reside in Moorestown, NJ.

Mark Baiada founded BAYADA Home Health Care in 1975 with the mission to help people have a safe home life with comfort, independence, and dignity. Almost fifty years later, BAYADA has grown from its humble beginnings to become a global leader in home health care serving clients from more than 380 offices in 22 states with locations in Germany, India, Ireland, New Zealand, and South Korea.

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The values Mr. Baiada learned from studying such role models as Benjamin Franklin, Andrew Carnegie, and St. Francis of Assisi, guided him to success as a family man, businessman, and philanthropist. Honored as an Ernst & Young “Entrepreneur of the Year” for the Philadelphia region, Mr. Baiada credits much of his success to his belief: “Think big. Work hard. Show love.” He also credits his company’s consistent growth to his people-first focus—hiring like-minded and like-hearted people who share in his vision and providing them with the support to achieve great things.

Mr. Baiada’s work as a humanitarian has been recognized with various honors, including most recently, the 2019 President’s Award from the Nursing Foundation of Pennsylvania; 2018 Judge Lois G. Forer Child Advocacy Award ; 2017 Martha Esposito Award from the Home Care & Hospice Association of NJ; Distinguished Graduate Award from the Archdiocese of Philadelphia’s Office of Catholic Education (OCE), Business Leadership Organized for Catholic Schools (BLOCS), Faith in the Future (FIF), and Independence Mission Schools (IMS) in 2017; and the Legacy of Giving Award from the Community Foundation of South Jersey in 2016.

He too, like Ann, considers his family to be his greatest achievement of all his successes.

Menu

APPETIZER

Pumpkin Ravioli

Asiago, Pepitas, Wilted Arugula, Citrus &
Sage Brown Butter
*Jacques Dumont, Sauvignon Blanc,
Loire Valley, France*

ENTRÉE

New York Strip

Pomme Puree, Brussel Sprouts, Demi-Glace,
Micro Basil
*Domaine Geraud, Pinot Noir, Hérault,
Languedoc, France*

DESSERT RECEPTION

Fried Apple Cinnamon Raviolis

Mocha Tiramisu Parfait

Lemon Meringue Pie Pops

Chocolate Dipped Cheesecake Pops

Toasted S'mores Tart

Espresso Boca Negra Cake

Rice Krispy Squares

Seasonal Fruit Martinis

Program

WELCOME

Kori Chambers

MASTER OF CEREMONIES
PIX11 ANCHOR

REMARKS

Dan Savitt

PRESIDENT AND CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER
VNS HEALTH

AWARDS PRESENTATION

Ann and Mark Baiada

FOUNDER OF BAYADABILITY REHAB SOLUTIONS AND
FOUNDER AND CHAIRMAN OF BAYADA HOME HEALTH CARE

VNS HEALTH GALA VIDEO

DINNER, DANCING, & DESSERT RECEPTION



Like many New Yorkers, Kori Chambers is a proud first-generation American. His parents left Jamaica in the 1970s looking for opportunity for their growing family. Joining PIX11 in 2013 was an exciting homecoming for the Bronx native. Kori is the co-anchor of the PIX11 News at 5, 6, 6:30 and 10 p.m.

In recent years, Kori has won several Emmy awards for his work anchoring the PIX11 News at 5 and 10. From covering breaking news, to filing special reports, to running the New York City Marathon for charity, Kori has been busy. To top it off, he's also the father of a bright and active young daughter.

Kori's first big break was right here in New York, sitting next to Regis Philbin as a fill in cohost on Live! With Regis and Kelly. His career also includes work as a reporter and anchor in Chicago, Detroit, Las Vegas and Springfield, MA.



Building Healthy Communities

For more than 130 years, VNS Health has been delivering a wide range of care and support in homes and neighborhoods to build healthier communities. We see all the things that make up the life of a person, a family, and a community.

Thanks to the support of our generous donors, we can give hope to our neighbors who might otherwise not be able to find, access, or afford the health care they need and deserve.

In 2023, we provided over \$66 million in charitable care and community impact programs that improved the lives of tens of thousands of New Yorkers, young and old.



Andrew N. Schiff, MD

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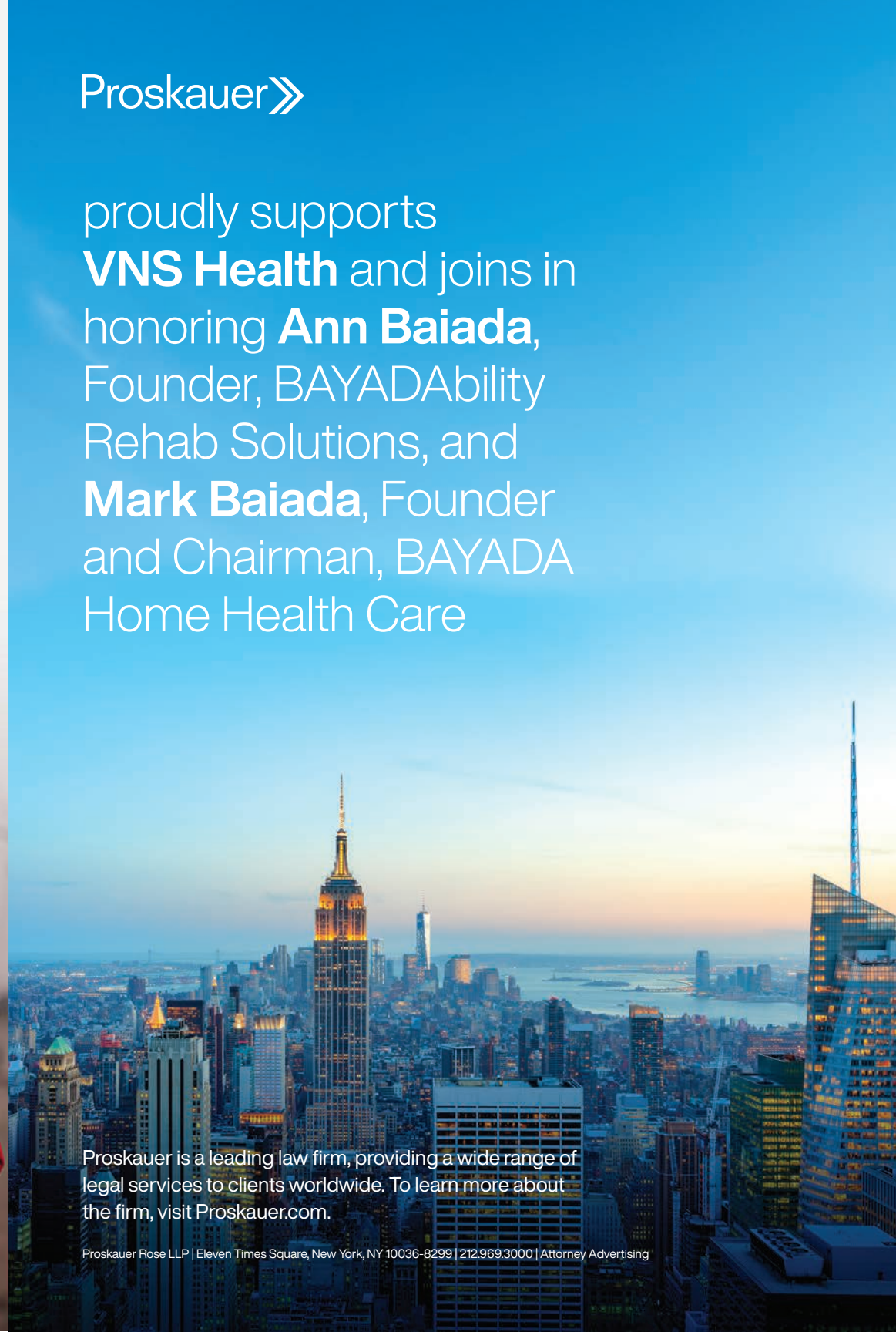


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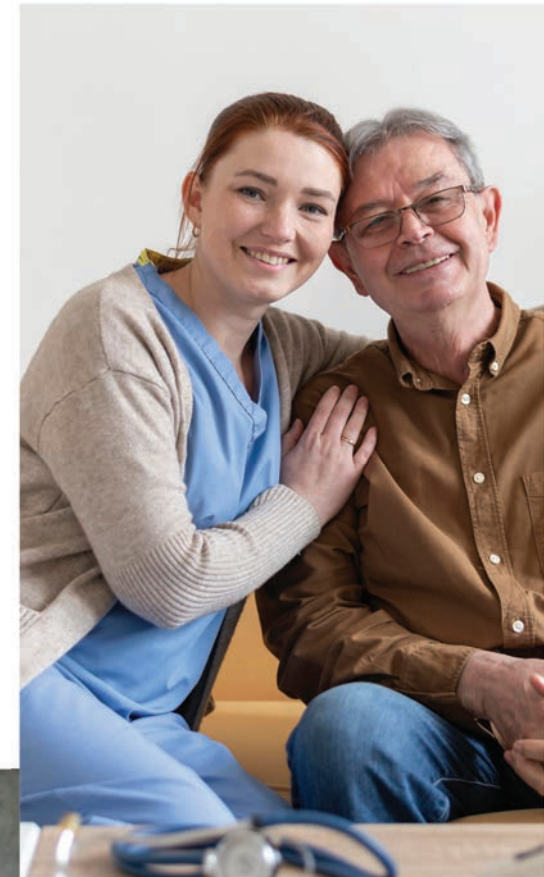
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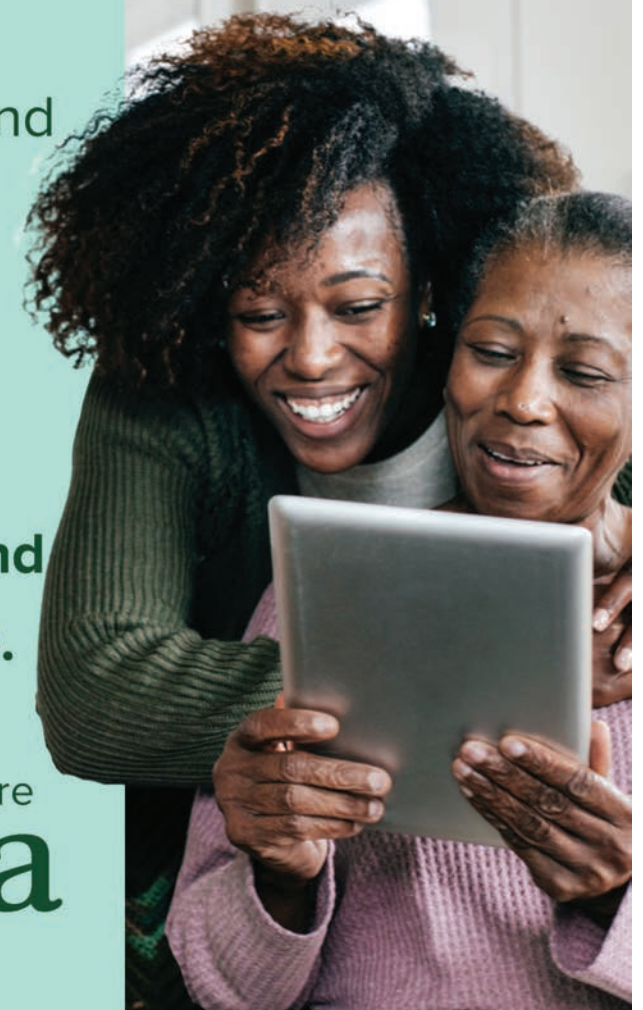
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