



39th Annual MPF Benefit

NOVEMBER 5, 2021

Honoring

Congresswoman Debbie Dingell

*for her mental health advocacy and
contributions to mental health care in Michigan.*



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On Friday, November 5, 2021, Michigan Congresswoman Debbie Dingell took a precious half hour out of her hectic evening of negotiating the Social Spending and Infrastructure Bills to keep her appointment with the Michigan Psychoanalytic Foundation (MPF). In this Zoom meeting, we honored her for her efforts to reduce the stigmas associated with mental illness. From her office in the Capitol Building, Rep. Dingell set aside prepared comments and spoke from her heart. She first spoke passionately about her concerns for the country and the importance of the two bills she was working hard to negotiate. She then turned to the topic of mental illness and spoke movingly about her father's and sister's struggles with mental illness and the suffering experienced

by the family. She decried the meager services available to people struggling with addictions and mental illness and the lack of attention our society gives to patients and their families. She gave numerous examples of stigma interfering with her husband's work and with her own comfort in sharing her life experiences with other people. In deciding to be open about her family's troubles, Rep. Dingell gives a great gift to all of us who have similar struggles and may feel isolated and alone.

The meeting was hosted by MPF President John Gilkey, M.D., also president of the Michigan Psychoanalytic Institute (MPI). Ronald Benson, M.D., gave the "introduction," after Rep. Dingell had returned to her important work. ♦



l to r: Attendees in their Zoom windows; Debbie Dingell, Honoree; John Gilkey, M.D., MPF and MPI President; Ronald Benson, M.D.

About the Foundation and the Institute

The Michigan Psychoanalytic Foundation is the fund-raising organization dedicated to the [Michigan Psychoanalytic Institute](https://www.mpi-mps.org) (MPI). MPI provides training and educational programs in adult and child/adolescent psychoanalysis and psychotherapy. Our innovative educational approaches like a fully integrated child and adult curriculum and our Early Admissions program, have become national models for psychoanalytic education. Our graduate psychoanalysts are devoted educators for psychoanalysts and psychotherapists worldwide. We have over 90 facul-

ty, comprising a wide range of clinical expertise. Many of our faculty have published significant contributions advancing our understanding of clinical, theoretical, research, and educational issues. Most of our faculty also volunteer their time teaching and offering consultation at local training programs. *All Institute classes are taught by analysts volunteering their time and expertise.* Low fee psychoanalytic treatment is provided in Ann Arbor and Farmington Hills by the [Mel Bornstein Clinic](https://www.melbornsteinclinic.com), which is affiliated with MPI. ♦



Don Spivak, M.D.

**In memory of our beloved colleague
Don Spivak, M.D.**

**We will miss his generous spirit,
invaluable insights, inclusivity,
and passionate devotion to children and parents.**

The Monday Study Group

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**In loving memory of our friend, colleague & partner
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**She is remembered for her intelligence, humor, warmth,
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Congresswoman Debbie Dingell



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The MPI Candidates Organization

Dear MPI/MPS,

We hope that you and your family are healthy in this pandemic era.

We, Korean group, feel grateful for having amazing teachers and colleagues in MPI/MPS.

We all miss you a lot.

Even though the coronavirus is still raging out of control, we do feel hopeful that things calm down in this world, and we will be able to see each other again.

Love from S. Korea to MPI/MPS,

Korean long-distance group

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We are grateful to the Michigan Psychoanalytic Community for your support and for our continuing close relationship. You enhance our mission as a caring, early intervention psychoanalytic school for children and their families of Southeastern Michigan.



Don Spivak, M.D.

WLP is deeply saddened at the recent loss of our co-director, Dr. Don Spivak. We will miss him more than words can express. The positive impact of Dr. Spivak's work at WLP stretches far and wide across the community and beyond.

Dr. Spivak, a founder of WLP, was passionately dedicated to its mission and every aspect of its growth since its inception 12 years ago. He was always generous with his expert knowledge and vast experience. Dr. Spivak had a rich store of anecdotes that he utilized to provide invaluable insight with parents, staff, and others he mentored both formally and informally at WLP. His contributions have a profound impact on our school community and the Michigan Psychoanalytic Community. Our future growth will be a tribute to his strength, generosity, inclusiveness, and vision.

Dr. Nancy Blieden, Director, Board of Directors, Staff and Families
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**Thank you,
Rep. Debbie Dingell,
for your ongoing
work to advance
mental health care
in Michigan!**

**Miriam & Dan
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To our Honoree

Congresswoman Debbie Dingell



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to our community.

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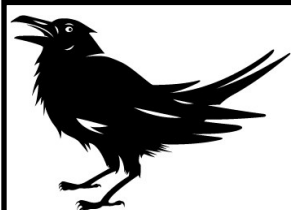


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We salute and thank the Honorable Debbie Dingell
for her efforts to de-stigmatize mental illness
and support our efforts to improve the mental health of Michiganders.

There is no health without mental health!

Gregory W. Dalack, M.D., Chair

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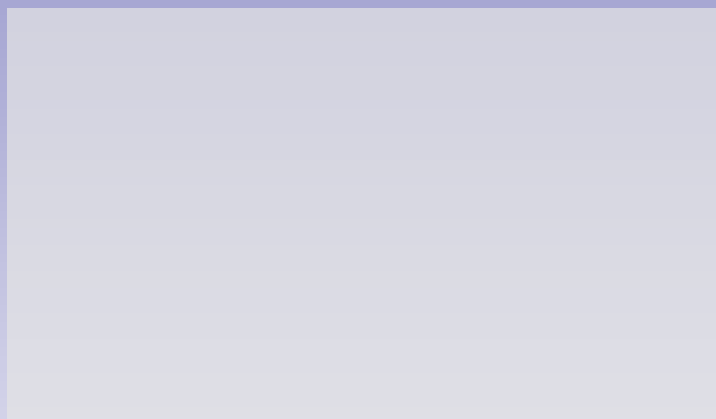
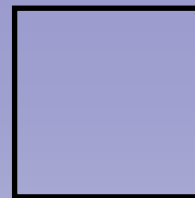
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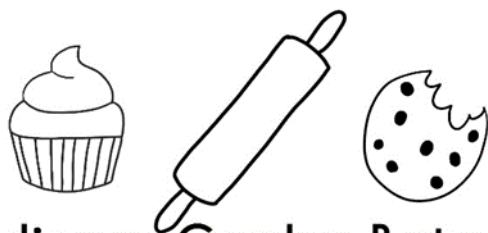
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