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Dear NAMI Lansing Members, Donors, and Friends,

As we enter this season of gratitude and giving, I want to thank each of you—our Members, Volunteers, generous Donors and, Supporters for your continued support of NAMI Lansing. Your contributions make a lasting difference, allowing us to provide education, advocacy, and support to individuals and families impacted by mental health conditions.

The holidays can be a time of joy, but they can also be difficult for many who are navigating mental health struggles or supporting loved ones in need. Your kindness helps ensure that no one walks this journey alone. Together, we are building a community of understanding, compassion, and hope.

As we look ahead, we are excited to share that NAMI Lansing will soon celebrate 50 years of support! Founded in 1976 as Oasis Fellowship, our organization joined the NAMI movement in 1999, strengthening our mission to improve the lives of those impacted by mental health conditions. With your continued partnership, we will honor this milestone in 2026 by expanding our reach, deepening our impact, and continuing to stand as a beacon of HOPE for all who need it.

From our NAMI Lansing family to yours—may your holidays be filled with peace, gratitude, and wellness. Thank you for helping us make a difference.

With Gratitude,

Katreva N. Bisbee

Katreva N. Bisbee, President
NAMI Lansing



NAMI Hope Award Winner Sheri Jones and President Katreva N. Bisbee

"When our son was struggling with mental health challenges, we felt lost and afraid and didn't know what to do or where to turn for resources. NAMI Family Support Group gave us a place to learn about his illness and how to support him in building a fulfilling life. Through peer-led support and shared experiences, we found both hope and practical tools & no longer felt alone. We felt empowered to speak with doctors, advocate for our son, and challenge the stigma. More than a support group, it's a community of hope, strength, and understanding. I appreciate the knowledge and power given back to our family." — Angela Williams



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Celebrating Collaboration



Grand opening of the Nonprofit Hub, NAMI Lansing's new home



Benefit Hosts Brian and Ellen Jeffries



Long-time volunteers Greta DeWolf and Maureen McMullen

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In honor of Margaret and Kevin Keeler by C. Richard Herrold
In honor of Brian and Ellen Jeffries by Frederick Murphy
In honor of Liz and Scott Pratt by Barbara Abrahams and Dan Murphy

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Expanding Outreach



Man Up 2.0, Comedy and Conversations on Men's Mental Health.
Panelists Antonio Botello III, Tom Arthur, Melik Brown, Jaideep Taggart Singh, Rob Powell, and Bobby Hoffman.



Mental Illness Awareness Week at MSU cosponsored with MSU Mental Health Research Connect



Cyndi Williams, Patti Oates, Emily White, and Marcie Schwarz at the **Community Mental Health Zoo Event**

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Available Mon – Friday, 10 AM to 10 PM ET
Call 1-800-950-6264 or Text NAMI to 62640

Holiday Greetings

Coming in 2026

NAMI Lansing's

50th Anniversary Celebration!