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Legal Council for Health Justice Invites Guests to a Night in Hollywood on May 4

Chicago, Ill. — Legal Council for Health Justice will host its fifth annual May Ball at the historic, HGTV-featured home of Dr. Nabeela Rasheed in Chicago's West Loop on Saturday, May 4. Philip Tortorich, founding partner at Actuate Law LLC, is the honorary chair. All proceeds from the ball directly support Legal Council's programs providing free, expert legal help to individuals with low incomes who are living with HIV, facing homelessness and children with chronic illnesses.

The theme for this year's ball is *Hollywood: Glitz and Glamour* and features cuisine by Gem Catering, cocktails by Sidetrack, entertainment by DJ Nevin, and other surprises.

Jena Levin, President of the Board of Directors commented, "Legal Council continues to provide expert legal assistance to some of the most vulnerable in our communities across the region and has honored this mission for more than three decades. I am grateful to Phil for chairing the May Ball and to Nabeela for allowing Legal Council and our most passionate supporters into her beautiful home."

May Ball tickets are available at mayball2019.eventbrite.com or by calling 312.605.1976.

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Through its programs serving children, families, adults, and seniors, more than 2,400 individuals will receive legal care from Legal Council this year.

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