



Callen-Lorde is New York City's health center dedicated to serving the lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender communities

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Callen-Lorde announces the Fourth Annual Community Health Awards

On November 22, 2004, Callen-Lorde Community Health Center will host the **Fourth Annual Callen-Lorde Community Health Awards** at Capitale. Callen-Lorde will honor leaders who are committed to the health and well-being of lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and HIV/AIDS-affected New Yorkers.

Honorees at this year's event include New York State Senate Minority Leader **David A. Paterson**, former Executive Editor of Essence Magazine and freelance writer **Linda Villarosa** and renowned surgeon and gay men's health advocate **Stephen E. Goldstone, MD, FACS**.

Tickets prices are \$1,000, \$600, \$400 or \$225 each. An order form is available online at www.callen-lorde.org. Proceeds from this event will assist Callen-Lorde in its mission of providing quality, respectful health care to all who seek its services, regardless of sexual orientation, insurance coverage or ability to pay. More event information can be found at www.callen-lorde.org

The event begins with cocktails, hors d'oeuvres and dinner at 6:00 p.m., followed by dessert and the awards presentation. It will conclude by 9:00 p.m.

Capitale is located at 130 Bowery at Grand Street. Originally the Bowery Savings Bank, this national landmark building was designed by Stanford White and built in 1893 and is now one of New York's premier settings for elegant functions.

Callen-Lorde Community Health Center is New York's only medical facility dedicated to meeting the diverse health care needs of the lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender (LGBT) community, and people living with HIV/AIDS. Callen-Lorde offers primary medical care, gynecological care, a full spectrum of HIV care, laboratory services, mental health treatment, a new oral health clinic, and a comprehensive adolescent health outreach program. In 1998, Callen-Lorde opened the doors to its new 27,000-square-foot facility in Chelsea, and has provided over 100,000 patient visits to date - 40% of these were uninsured.

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