

OPEN DOOR BENEFIT HONORS LONGSTANDING WESTCHESTER RESIDENT WITH COMMUNITY LEADERSHIP AWARD

Event Honors Howard Schrader of the Overseas Division of Chubb Limited

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OSSINING , NY, USA, December 7, 2018 /EINPresswire.com/ -- Ossining, NEW YORK – The Open Door Foundation presented longstanding Scarborough resident Howard Schrader with the

The majority of Open Door patients are living at or below the federal poverty line. Howard's work at Open Door has had a tremendous impact on the greater community, overcoming barriers to good health." Sue Greene Fuirst, Open Door Foundation President "Community Leadership Award" at its signature Fall benefit, "Tune In2 Support Open Door" on November 14 at Brae Burn Country Club. Schrader is General Counsel and Executive Vice President of the Chubb Overseas General Division of Chubb Limited and has played a leading role in the governance of both the Open Door Foundation and Open Door Family Medical Center – a non-profit pioneer community health center providing primary medical care and wellness programs to low-income families throughout Westchester and Putnam. Open Door also honored Scott Fein of BioReference Laboratories, with the "Industry Leadership Award."

Howard Schrader has spent the past 20 years standing

behind the people and patients of Open Door, having served on the Open Door Board since 1998. Open Door provides more than 300,000 patient visits annually serving nearly 57,000 people who might not otherwise have access to health care services.

"Some of our most critical services are not covered by third-party reimbursements or government grants including Care Coordination, Integrated Behavioral Health Care, and Wellness and Chronic Disease Prevention Programs," said Lindsay Farrell, Open Door Family Medical Center President and CEO. She added, "Taken together these services cost over \$2 million annually. Howard has been instrumental in providing critical philanthropic support to fill these financial holes so we can provide quality comprehensive health care and wellness programs to the community,"

A life-long Westchester resident, Schrader led the successful capital campaign that refurbished and expanded Open Door's flagship Ossining site and has been a prolific Open Door fundraiser ever since. He led the re-launch of the Open Door Foundation, served as its first Chairman, and continues to serve on the Open Door Board.

At Chubb, Howard helped establish and helps direct the activities of the Chubb Rule of Law Fund, which has distributed almost a million dollars in grants to projects which support strong, stable and fair legal institutions in the 54 countries and territories in which Chubb operates.

Sue Greene Fuirst, Open Door Foundation President commented, "The majority of Open Door patients are living at or below the federal poverty line. Howard's work at Open Door has had a tremendous impact on the greater community, overcoming barriers to good health including food insecurity, language barriers, low literacy levels, unstable housing, and lack of insurance."

A graduate of Brown University and Columbia Law School, Howard resides in Scarborough with his wife Nancy (also an Open Door volunteer) and their children.

About Open Door Family Medical Center and Foundation **Open Door Foundation was** established in 1990 as a 501(c)3 nonprofit organization to raise funds that benefit Open Door Family Medical Center and community health initiatives. Open Door Family Medical Center provides healthcare and wellness services to individuals and families in need throughout Westchester and Putnam Counties in New York. A pioneer Federally **Oualified Health Center, Open Door** provides more than 300,000 patient visits annually, serving nearly 57,000 individual patients who might not otherwise have access. Open Door offers integrated services and a holistic approach to building healthier communities. Primary care, dental care, behavioral health care, clinical nutrition, wellness programs and



Lindsay Farrell, Open Door President and CEO, presents the Community Leadership Award to Howard Schrader, General Counsel and Executive Vice President of the Chubb Overseas General Division of Chubb Limited. Photo by Lynda Shenkman

chronic disease management are the foundation of our clinical programs. For more than 45 years, Open Door has developed a proven model of cost-effective healthcare for patients in need that benefits the entire community. Open Door operates centers in Brewster, Mamaroneck, Mt. Kisco, Ossining, Port Chester, and Sleepy Hollow, New York, in addition to seven school based health centers. Open Door is accredited by the Joint Commission and is recognized by the National Committee on Quality Assurance as a Level 3 Patient Centered Medical Home. Open Door achieves clinical results that consistently surpass national benchmarks for patient outcomes related to diabetes management and to blood pressure control among others. Learn more by calling Amy Wolfson, Chief External Relations Officer (914) 502-1416 or online at www.opendoormedical.org.

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