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The Mental Health Association in Michigan Announces Fundraiser Some Like it Hot - a Night of Improv

The Mental Health Association in Michigan (MHAM) is announcing a new kind of fundraiser for them. This November 23, the biggest socializing night of the year, MHAM will host a night of improv at the Planet Ant Theatre, in Hamtramck, MI. But wait, there's a twist. Local comedians are going to be up for the challenge. A hot pepper challenge that is. For a \$15 ticket, attendees will witness some of the most-brave comedians who dare to eat various chili peppers and live to tell about it. For additional on the fly cash donations during the show, who knows what else they will do to entertain you for the cause. This improv show will be full of laughs, standup comics and unexpected twists.

MHAM is a Michigan affiliate of Mental Health America, incorporated as a non-profit entity under Michigan statutes in 1937 and holds 501(c)3 tax-exempt non-profit status. MHAM is under the leadership of President and CEO, Marianne Huff, LMSW. Ms. Huff says, "We are so thankful to Planet Ant Theatre for working with us to do this unique fundraising event and on one of their busiest nights of the year. Our goal is to bring awareness about MHAM as an organization and showcase the mission so others can know there are people out there advocating for some of the populations most vulnerable, and that would be those diagnosed with a mental health disorder. We also work with families who are trying desperately to navigate the mental health system to get their loved ones the help and treatments they need."

Please go to www.mha-mi.com for the latest updates and events for MHAM.

The Mental Health Association in Michigan's mission is to promote quality mental health and substance use disorder supports and services and the availability of mental health treatment through advocacy and education. MHAM represents a broad base of people working together as an advocate for individuals with mental illness and maintains a non-partisan posture in its social action and public efforts.

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If you would like more information about this event, please call the MHAM at 517.898.3907 or email Kristen Taylor at kristen@mha-mi.com.