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Form **990**Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service**Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax**

Under section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code (except black lung benefit trust or private foundation)

OMB No 1545-0047

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▶ The organization may have to use a copy of this return to satisfy state reporting requirements.

A For the 2009 calendar year, or tax year beginning and ending**B** Check if applicable

- ☐ Address change
☐ Name change
☐ Initial return
☐ Terminated
☐ Amended return
☐ Application pending

Please use IRS label or print or type
See Specific Instructions**C Name of organization****MENTAL HEALTH AMERICA, INC.**

Doing Business As

Number and street (or P.O. box if mail is not delivered to street address) Room/suite
2000 N. BEAUREGARD ST., 6TH FLR.

City or town, state or country, and ZIP + 4

ALEXANDRIA, VA 22311**F Name and address of principal officer: DAVID SHERN
SAME AS C ABOVE****D Employer identification number****13-1614906****E Telephone number****(703) 684-7722****G Gross receipts \$****7,423,500.****H(a) Is this a group return for affiliates?**☐ Yes ☒ No**H(b) Are all affiliates included?**☐ Yes ☐ No

If "No," attach a list. (see instructions)

H(c) Group exemption number ▶**I Tax-exempt status:** ☒ 501(c) (3) (insert no.) ☐ 4947(a)(1) or ☐ 527**J Website:** **WWW.MENTALHEALTHAMERICA.NET****K Form of organization:** ☒ Corporation ☐ Trust ☐ Association ☐ Other ▶**L Year of formation:** **1950****M State of legal domicile:** **NY****Part I Summary**

Activities & Governance		Revenue		Expenses		Net Assets or Fund Balances	
1	Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities: ACHIEVING VICTORY OVER MENTAL ILLNESSES AND ADDICTIONS THROUGH ADVOCACY, EDUCATION AND RESEARCH.						
2	Check this box ☐ if the organization discontinued its operations or disposed of more than 25% of its net assets.						
3	Number of voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1a)	3	32				
4	Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b)	4	32				
5	Total number of employees (Part V, line 2a)	5	43				
6	Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary)	6	0				
7a	Total gross unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, column (C), line 12	7a	0.				
b	Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, line 34	7b	0.				
8	Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h)	Prior Year	Current Year				
9	Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g)	6,898,224.	3,048,776.				
10	Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d)	473,488.	529,770.				
11	Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e)	11,894.	<471,179.>				
12	Total revenue - add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	63,150.	68,926.				
13	Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1-3)	7,446,756.	3,176,293.				
14	Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4)	399,288.	427,369.				
15	Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5-10)						
16a	Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e)	3,323,776.	2,910,457.				
b	Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25) ▶ 466,580.	64,800.					
17	Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a-11d, 11f-24f)	3,156,847.	2,469,993.				
18	Total expenses. Add lines 13-17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	6,944,711.	5,807,819.				
19	Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 18 from line 12	502,045.	<2,631,526.>				
20	Total assets (Part X, line 16)	Beginning of Current Year	End of Year				
21	Total liabilities (Part X, line 26)	8,503,410.	6,862,844.				
22	Net assets or fund balances. Subtract line 21 from line 20	1,154,636.	804,552.				
		7,348,774.	6,058,292.				

Part II Signature Block

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than officer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge.

Sign
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Signature of officer

Date

Type or print name and title

VP, Finance + HRPaid
Preparer's
Use OnlyPreparer's
signature

Date

Check if
self-
employed ☐Preparer's identifying number
(see instructions)Firm's name (or
yours if
self-employed),
address, and
ZIP + 4**RAFFA, P.C.
1899 L STREET, NW, SUITE 900
WASHINGTON, DC 20036**

EIN ▶

Phone no. ▶ **(202) 822-5000**

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? (see instructions)

☒ Yes ☐ No

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Part III Statement of Program Service Accomplishments

1 Briefly describe the organization's mission:

MENTAL HEALTH AMERICA IS DEDICATED TO PROMOTING MENTAL HEALTH,
PREVENTING MENTAL AND SUBSTANCE USE CONDITIONS AND ACHIEVING VICTORY
OVER MENTAL ILLNESSES AND ADDICTIONS THROUGH ADVOCACY, EDUCATION,
RESEARCH AND SERVICES.

2 Did the organization undertake any significant program services during the year which were not listed on the prior Form 990 or 990-EZ?

☐ Yes ☒ No

If "Yes," describe these new services on Schedule O.

3 Did the organization cease conducting, or make significant changes in how it conducts, any program services?

☐ Yes ☒ No

If "Yes," describe these changes on Schedule O.

4 Describe the exempt purpose achievements for each of the organization's three largest program services by expenses. Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations and section 4947(a)(1) trusts are required to report the amount of grants and allocations to others, the total expenses, and revenue, if any, for each program service reported.

4a (Code:) (Expenses \$ 1,703,641. including grants of \$ 120,000.) (Revenue \$ 169,683.)

EDUCATION: MHA EDUCATES THE PUBLIC ABOUT THE IMPORTANCE OF MENTAL
HEALTH, THE SYMPTOMS AND TREATMENT OF DISORDERS, AND THE PATHS TO
RECOVERY FOR FULL, PRODUCTIVE LIVES. THROUGH OUR MEDIA OUTREACH,
RESOURCE CENTER, PARTNERSHIPS AND PUBLIC OUTREACH PROGRAMS - INCLUDING
OUR FLAGSHIP CAMPAIGN FOR AMERICA'S MENTAL HEALTH - WE HAVE HELPED
REDUCE STIGMA AND ENABLED MILLIONS OF PEOPLE OF ALL AGES AND
BACKGROUNDS TO CONFRONT THEIR MENTAL HEALTH PROBLEMS, GET SCREENED AND
GET HELP.

4b (Code:) (Expenses \$ 1,551,635. including grants of \$ 31,445.) (Revenue \$ 360,087.)

CONSTITUENCY SERVICES: MHA WILL FACILITATE AND SUPPORT MENTAL HEALTH
ASSOCIATION AFFILIATE EFFORTS TO PROVIDE HIGH QUALITY, CULTURALLY
COMPETENT MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES AND SUPPORT TO CHILDREN, ADULTS AND
SENIORS ACCORDING TO LOCAL NEEDS AND AFFILIATE SUPPORT.

4c (Code:) (Expenses \$ 1,164,356. including grants of \$ 275,924.) (Revenue \$)

ADVOCACY: MHA ADVOCATES FOR LAWS AND POLICIES THAT PROMOTE HEALTH,
ENSURE ACCESS TO EFFECTIVE CARE, AND PROTECT THE RIGHTS OF PEOPLE WHO
HAVE MENTAL HEALTH ISSUES, AND THEIR FAMILIES. IN ALLIANCE WITH OUR
NATIONWIDE AFFILIATE NETWORK, MHA FIGHTS SUCCESSFULLY AT THE FEDERAL,
STATE AND LOCAL LEVELS TO OVERCOME THE SOCIAL INEQUITIES THAT PREVENT
PEOPLE FROM REACHING THEIR FULL POTENTIAL. THROUGH GRASSROOTS
ACTIVITIES, COALITIONS AND OUTREACH, OUR WORK HAS TRIGGERED REFORMS
THAT IMPROVE THE LIVES OF ALL AMERICANS AND THE COMMUNITIES IN WHICH
THEY LIVE.

4d Other program services (Describe in Schedule O.)

(Expenses \$ 347,069. including grants of \$) (Revenue \$ 68,178.)

4e Total program service expenses ► \$ 4,766,701.

Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules

	Yes	No
1 Is the organization described in section 501(c)(3) or 4947(a)(1) (other than a private foundation)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule A</i>	X	
2 Is the organization required to complete Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors?	X	
3 Did the organization engage in direct or indirect political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part I</i>		X
4 Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization engage in lobbying activities? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II</i>	X	
5 Section 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), and 501(c)(6) organizations. Is the organization subject to the section 6033(e) notice and reporting requirement and proxy tax? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part III</i>	N/A	
6 Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds or any similar funds or accounts where donors have the right to provide advice on the distribution or investment of amounts in such funds or accounts? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part I</i>		X
7 Did the organization receive or hold a conservation easement, including easements to preserve open space, the environment, historic land areas, or historic structures? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part II</i>		X
8 Did the organization maintain collections of works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part III</i>		X
9 Did the organization report an amount in Part X, line 21, serve as a custodian for amounts not listed in Part X; or provide credit counseling, debt management, credit repair, or debt negotiation services? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IV</i>		X
10 Did the organization, directly or through a related organization, hold assets in term, permanent, or quasi-endowments? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part V</i>	X	
11 Is the organization's answer to any of the following questions "Yes"? <i>If so, complete Schedule D, Parts VI, VII, VIII, IX, or X as applicable</i>	X	
• Did the organization report an amount for land, buildings, and equipment in Part X, line 10? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VI</i>		
• Did the organization report an amount for investments - other securities in Part X, line 12 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VII</i>		
• Did the organization report an amount for investments - program related in Part X, line 13 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VIII</i>		
• Did the organization report an amount for other assets in Part X, line 15 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IX</i>		
• Did the organization report an amount for other liabilities in Part X, line 25? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X</i>		
• Did the organization's separate or consolidated financial statements for the tax year include a footnote that addresses the organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under FIN 48? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X</i>		
12 Did the organization obtain separate, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Parts XI, XII, and XIII</i>	X	
12A Was the organization included in consolidated, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? <i>If "Yes," completing Schedule D, Parts XI, XII, and XIII is optional</i>	Yes	No
		X
13 Is the organization a school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule E</i>		X
14a Did the organization maintain an office, employees, or agents outside of the United States?		X
b Did the organization have aggregate revenues or expenses of more than \$10,000 from grantmaking, fundraising, business, and program service activities outside the United States? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Part I</i>		X
15 Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of grants or assistance to any organization or entity located outside the United States? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Part II</i>		X
16 Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of aggregate grants or assistance to individuals located outside the United States? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Part III</i>		X
17 Did the organization report a total of more than \$15,000 of expenses for professional fundraising services on Part IX, column (A), lines 6 and 11e? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part I</i>		X
18 Did the organization report more than \$15,000 total of fundraising event gross income and contributions on Part VIII, lines 1c and 8a? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part II</i>		X
19 Did the organization report more than \$15,000 of gross income from gaming activities on Part VIII, line 9a? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part III</i>		X
20 Did the organization operate one or more hospitals? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule H</i>		X

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Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules (continued)

	Yes	No
21 Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants and other assistance to governments and organizations in the United States on Part IX, column (A), line 1? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and II</i>	21 X	
22 Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants and other assistance to individuals in the United States on Part IX, column (A), line 2? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and III</i>	22	X
23 Did the organization answer "Yes" to Part VII, Section A, line 3, 4, or 5 about compensation of the organization's current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J</i>	23 X	
24a Did the organization have a tax-exempt bond issue with an outstanding principal amount of more than \$100,000 as of the last day of the year, that was issued after December 31, 2002? <i>If "Yes," answer lines 24b through 24d and complete Schedule K. If "No," go to line 25</i>	24a	X
b Did the organization invest any proceeds of tax-exempt bonds beyond a temporary period exception?	24b	
c Did the organization maintain an escrow account other than a refunding escrow at any time during the year to defease any tax-exempt bonds?	24c	
d Did the organization act as an "on behalf of" issuer for bonds outstanding at any time during the year?	24d	
25a Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations. Did the organization engage in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person during the year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I</i>	25a	X
b Is the organization aware that it engaged in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person in a prior year, and that the transaction has not been reported on any of the organization's prior Forms 990 or 990-EZ? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I</i>	25b	X
26 Was a loan to or by a current or former officer, director, trustee, key employee, highly compensated employee, or disqualified person outstanding as of the end of the organization's tax year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II</i>	26	X
27 Did the organization provide a grant or other assistance to an officer, director, trustee, key employee, substantial contributor, or a grant selection committee member, or to a person related to such an individual? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part III</i>	27	X
28 Was the organization a party to a business transaction with one of the following parties, (see Schedule L, Part IV instructions for applicable filing thresholds, conditions, and exceptions)		
a A current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i>	28a	X
b A family member of a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i>	28b	X
c An entity of which a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee of the organization (or a family member) was an officer, director, trustee, or direct or indirect owner? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i>	28c	X
29 Did the organization receive more than \$25,000 in non-cash contributions? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule M</i>	29	X
30 Did the organization receive contributions of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets, or qualified conservation contributions? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule M</i>	30	X
31 Did the organization liquidate, terminate, or dissolve and cease operations? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part I</i>	31	X
32 Did the organization sell, exchange, dispose of, or transfer more than 25% of its net assets? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part II</i>	32	X
33 Did the organization own 100% of an entity disregarded as separate from the organization under Regulations sections 301.7701-2 and 301.7701-3? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part I</i>	33	X
34 Was the organization related to any tax-exempt or taxable entity? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Parts II, III, IV, and V, line 1</i>	34	X
35 Is any related organization a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2</i>	35	X
36 Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2</i>	36	X
37 Did the organization conduct more than 5% of its activities through an entity that is not a related organization and that is treated as a partnership for federal income tax purposes? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part VI</i>	37	X
38 Did the organization complete Schedule O and provide explanations in Schedule O for Part VI, lines 11 and 19? Note. All Form 990 filers are required to complete Schedule O	38 X	

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Part V Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance

		Yes	No
1a Enter the number reported in Box 3 of Form 1096, Annual Summary and Transmittal of U.S. Information Returns. Enter -0- if not applicable.	1a 8		
b Enter the number of Forms W-2G included in line 1a. Enter -0- if not applicable.	1b 0		
c Did the organization comply with backup withholding rules for reportable payments to vendors and reportable gaming (gambling) winnings to prize winners?		1c X	
2a Enter the number of employees reported on Form W-3, Transmittal of Wage and Tax Statements, filed for the calendar year ending with or within the year covered by this return.	2a 43		
b If at least one is reported on line 2a, did the organization file all required federal employment tax returns? Note. If the sum of lines 1a and 2a is greater than 250, you may be required to e-file this return. (see instructions)		2b X	
3a Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year covered by this return?			3a X
b If "Yes," has it filed a Form 990-T for this year? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O.		3b	
4a At any time during the calendar year, did the organization have an interest in, or a signature or other authority over, a financial account in a foreign country (such as a bank account, securities account, or other financial account)?			4a X
b If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country: _____ See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for Form TD F 90-22.1, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts.			
5a Was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction at any time during the tax year?			5a X
b Did any taxable party notify the organization that it was or is a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?			5b X
c If "Yes," to line 5a or 5b, did the organization file Form 8886-T, Disclosure by Tax-Exempt Entity Regarding Prohibited Tax Shelter Transaction?		5c	
6a Does the organization have annual gross receipts that are normally greater than \$100,000, and did the organization solicit any contributions that were not tax deductible?			6a X
b If "Yes," did the organization include with every solicitation an express statement that such contributions or gifts were not tax deductible?		6b	
7 Organizations that may receive deductible contributions under section 170(c).			
a Did the organization receive a payment in excess of \$75 made partly as a contribution and partly for goods and services provided to the payor?			7a X
b If "Yes," did the organization notify the donor of the value of the goods or services provided?		7b	
c Did the organization sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of tangible personal property for which it was required to file Form 8282?		7c	X
d If "Yes," indicate the number of Forms 8282 filed during the year.	7d		
e Did the organization, during the year, receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?		7e	X
f Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract?		7f	X
g For all contributions of qualified intellectual property, did the organization file Form 8899 as required?		7g	
h For contributions of cars, boats, airplanes, and other vehicles, did the organization file a Form 1098-C as required?		7h	
8 Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds and section 509(a)(3) supporting organizations. Did the supporting organization, or a donor advised fund maintained by a sponsoring organization, have excess business holdings at any time during the year?	N/A	8	
9 Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds.			
a Did the organization make any taxable distributions under section 4966?	N/A	9a	
b Did the organization make a distribution to a donor, donor advisor, or related person?	N/A	9b	
10 Section 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter:			
a Initiation fees and capital contributions included on Part VIII, line 12	N/A	10a	
b Gross receipts, included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, for public use of club facilities		10b	
11 Section 501(c)(12) organizations. Enter:			
a Gross income from members or shareholders	N/A	11a	
b Gross income from other sources (Do not net amounts due or paid to other sources against amounts due or received from them)		11b	
12a Section 4947(a)(1) non-exempt charitable trusts. Is the organization filing Form 990 in lieu of Form 1041?		12a	
b If "Yes," enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year	12b		

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Part VI Governance, Management, and Disclosure For each "Yes" response to lines 2 through 7b below, and for a "No" response to line 8a, 8b, or 10b below, describe the circumstances, processes, or changes in Schedule O. See instructions.**Section A. Governing Body and Management**

	Yes	No
1a Enter the number of voting members of the governing body	32	
1b Enter the number of voting members that are independent	32	
2 Did any officer, director, trustee, or key employee have a family relationship or a business relationship with any other officer, director, trustee, or key employee?		X
3 Did the organization delegate control over management duties customarily performed by or under the direct supervision of officers, directors or trustees, or key employees to a management company or other person?		X
4 Did the organization make any significant changes to its organizational documents since the prior Form 990 was filed?		X
5 Did the organization become aware during the year of a material diversion of the organization's assets?		X
6 Does the organization have members or stockholders?	X	
7a Does the organization have members, stockholders, or other persons who may elect one or more members of the governing body?	X	
7b Are any decisions of the governing body subject to approval by members, stockholders, or other persons?		X
8 Did the organization contemporaneously document the meetings held or written actions undertaken during the year by the following:		
a The governing body?	X	
b Each committee with authority to act on behalf of the governing body?	X	
9 Is there any officer, director, trustee, or key employee listed in Part VII, Section A, who cannot be reached at the organization's mailing address? If "Yes," provide the names and addresses in Schedule O		X

Section B. Policies (This Section B requests information about policies not required by the Internal Revenue Code.)

	Yes	No
10a Does the organization have local chapters, branches, or affiliates?		X
b If "Yes," does the organization have written policies and procedures governing the activities of such chapters, affiliates, and branches to ensure their operations are consistent with those of the organization?		
11 Has the organization provided a copy of this Form 990 to all members of its governing body before filing the form?	X	
11A Describe in Schedule O the process, if any, used by the organization to review this Form 990		
12a Does the organization have a written conflict of interest policy? If "No," go to line 13	X	
b Are officers, directors or trustees, and key employees required to disclose annually interests that could give rise to conflicts?	X	
c Does the organization regularly and consistently monitor and enforce compliance with the policy? If "Yes," describe in Schedule O how this is done	X	
13 Does the organization have a written whistleblower policy?	X	
14 Does the organization have a written document retention and destruction policy?	X	
15 Did the process for determining compensation of the following persons include a review and approval by independent persons, comparability data, and contemporaneous substantiation of the deliberation and decision?		
a The organization's CEO, Executive Director, or top management official	X	
b Other officers or key employees of the organization	X	
If "Yes" to line 15a or 15b, describe the process in Schedule O. (See instructions.)		
16a Did the organization invest in, contribute assets to, or participate in a joint venture or similar arrangement with a taxable entity during the year?		X
b If "Yes," has the organization adopted a written policy or procedure requiring the organization to evaluate its participation in joint venture arrangements under applicable federal tax law, and taken steps to safeguard the organization's exempt status with respect to such arrangements?		

Section C. Disclosure

17 List the states with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed: **AL, AK, AZ, AR, CA, CO, CT, FL, GA, IL, IN, KS**

18 Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Forms 1023 (or 1024 if applicable), 990, and 990-T (501(c)(3)s only) available for public inspection. Indicate how you make these available. Check all that apply.
☒ Own website ☐ Another's website ☒ Upon request

19 Describe in Schedule O whether (and if so, how), the organization makes its governing documents, conflict of interest policy, and financial statements available to the public.

20 State the name, physical address, and telephone number of the person who possesses the books and records of the organization: **THE ORGANIZATION - (703) 684-7722**
2000 N. BEAUREGARD ST., 6TH FLR, ALEXANDRIA, VA 22311

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Part VII Compensation of Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, Highest Compensated Employees, and Independent Contractors**Section A. Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees**

1a Complete this table for all persons required to be listed. Report compensation for the calendar year ending with or within the organization's tax year. Use Schedule J-2 if additional space is needed.

• List all of the organization's **current** officers, directors, trustees (whether individuals or organizations), regardless of amount of compensation. Enter -0- in columns (D), (E), and (F) if no compensation was paid.

• List all of the organization's **current** key employees. See instructions for definition of "key employee."

• List the organization's five **current** highest compensated employees (other than an officer, director, trustee, or key employee) who received reportable compensation (Box 5 of Form W-2 and/or Box 7 of Form 1099-MISC) of more than \$100,000 from the organization and any related organizations.

• List all of the organization's **former** officers, key employees, and highest compensated employees who received more than \$100,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations.

• List all of the organization's **former** directors or trustees that received, in the capacity as a former director or trustee of the organization, more than \$10,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations.

List persons in the following order: individual trustees or directors; institutional trustees; officers; key employees; highest compensated employees; and former such persons.

☐ Check this box if the organization did not compensate any current officer, director, or trustee

(A) Name and Title	(B) Average hours per week	(C) Position (check all that apply)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
JOHN MORRIS CHAIR	5.00	X		X				0.	0.	0.
JOEL HORNBERGER SECRETARY/TREASURER	3.00	X		X				0.	0.	0.
SERGIO AGUILAR-GAXIOLA IMMEDIATE PAST CHAIR	3.00	X		X				0.	0.	0.
PENDER MCELROY CHAIR ELECT	5.00	X		X				0.	0.	0.
WILLIAM BEARDSLEE VICE-CHAIR	3.00	X		X				0.	0.	0.
ANN BOUGHTIN VICE-CHAIR	3.00	X		X				0.	0.	0.
JACKI BROWNSTEIN VICE-CHAIR	3.00	X		X				0.	0.	0.
FAYE GARY VICE-CHAIR	3.00	X		X				0.	0.	0.
GREGG GRAHAM VICE-CHAIR	3.00	X		X				0.	0.	0.
MARK HEYRMAN VICE-CHAIR	3.00	X		X				0.	0.	0.
MONTY MOELLER VICE-CHAIR	3.00	X		X				0.	0.	0.
RICHARD VAN HORN VICE-CHAIR	3.00	X		X				0.	0.	0.
MOLLY VAN ORT VICE-CHAIR	3.00	X		X				0.	0.	0.
KARL WILSON VICE-CHAIR	3.00	X		X				0.	0.	0.
JACK AKESTER DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
ERIC ASHTON DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
CHARLOTTE BROWN DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.

Part VII Section A. Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees (continued)

(A) Name and title	(B) Average hours per week	(C) Position (check all that apply)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
ELAINE CRIDER DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
DAVID FASSLER DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
ROBERT HENDRICKSON DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
ANISHA IMHOFF-KERR DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
PADDY KUTZ DIRECTOR	2.00	X						0.	0.	0.
BRENDA LEE DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
SHERRI LUTHE DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
JACKI MCKINNEY DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
JOSEPH DE RAISMES DIRECTOR	10.00	X						0.	0.	0.
CLINT RAYNER DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
1b Total								788,389.	0.	30,893.

2 Total number of individuals (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 in reportable compensation from the organization **6**

- 3 Did the organization list any **former** officer, director or trustee, key employee, or highest compensated employee on line 1a? If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual
- 4 For any individual listed on line 1a, is the sum of reportable compensation and other compensation from the organization and related organizations greater than \$150,000? If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual
- 5 Did any person listed on line 1a receive or accrue compensation from any unrelated organization for services rendered to the organization? If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such person

	Yes	No
3		X
4	X	
5		X

Section B. Independent Contractors

1 Complete this table for your five highest compensated independent contractors that received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization.

(A) Name and business address	(B) Description of services	(C) Compensation
GYMR, 1825 CONNECTICUT AVENUE, NW, SUITE 300, WASHINGTON, DC 20009	PUBLIC RELATIONS SERVICES	118,322.

2 Total number of independent contractors (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 in compensation from the organization **1**

SEE SCHEDULE J-2 FOR PART VII, SECTION A CONTINUATION

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Part VIII Statement of Revenue

				(A) Total revenue	(B) Related or exempt function revenue	(C) Unrelated business revenue	(D) Revenue excluded from tax under sections 512, 513, or 514
Contributions, gifts, grants and other similar amounts	1 a Federated campaigns	1a	56,709.				
	b Membership dues	1b	2,005.				
	c Fundraising events	1c					
	d Related organizations	1d					
	e Government grants (contributions)	1e	420,732.				
	f All other contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts not included above	1f	2,569,330.				
	g Noncash contributions included in lines 1a-1f \$		513.				
	h Total. Add lines 1a-1f			3,048,776.			
Program Service Revenue	2 a AFFILIATE SUPPORT	Business Code	900099	360,087.	360,087.		
	b CONFERENCE REGIS.		900099	169,683.	169,683.		
	c						
	d						
	e						
	f All other program service revenue						
	g Total. Add lines 2a-2f			529,770.			
	Other Revenue	3 Investment income (including dividends, interest, and other similar amounts)			111,290.		
4 Income from investment of tax-exempt bond proceeds							
5 Royalties				9,432.			9,432.
6 a Gross Rents		(i) Real	(ii) Personal				
b Less: rental expenses							
c Rental income or (loss)							
d Net rental income or (loss)							
7 a Gross amount from sales of assets other than inventory		(i) Securities	(ii) Other	3627788.			
b Less: cost or other basis and sales expenses				4210257.			
c Gain or (loss)				<582469.>			<582,469.>
d Net gain or (loss)							
8 a Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ _____ of contributions reported on line 1c) See Part IV, line 18		a					
b Less: direct expenses		b					
c Net income or (loss) from fundraising events							
9 a Gross income from gaming activities. See Part IV, line 19		a					
b Less: direct expenses		b					
c Net income or (loss) from gaming activities							
10 a Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances		a		68,178.			
b Less: cost of goods sold		b		36,950.			
c Net income or (loss) from sales of inventory				31,228.	31,228.		
Miscellaneous Revenue	Business Code						
11 a SUBLEASE INCOME		900099	28,266.			28,266.	
b							
c							
d All other revenue							
e Total. Add lines 11a-11d			28,266.				
12 Total revenue. See instructions.			3,176,293.	560,998.	0.	<433,481.>	

Part IX Statement of Functional Expenses

Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations must complete all columns.

All other organizations must complete column (A) but are not required to complete columns (B), (C), and (D).

Do not include amounts reported on lines 6b, 7b, 8b, 9b, and 10b of Part VIII.	(A) Total expenses	(B) Program service expenses	(C) Management and general expenses	(D) Fundraising expenses
1 Grants and other assistance to governments and organizations in the U.S. See Part IV, line 21	427,369.	427,369.		
2 Grants and other assistance to individuals in the U.S. See Part IV, line 22				
3 Grants and other assistance to governments, organizations, and individuals outside the U.S. See Part IV, lines 15 and 16				
4 Benefits paid to or for members				
5 Compensation of current officers, directors, trustees, and key employees	233,605.	186,884.	23,361.	23,360.
6 Compensation not included above, to disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B)				
7 Other salaries and wages	2,276,902.	1,800,422.	243,548.	232,932.
8 Pension plan contributions (include section 401(k) and section 403(b) employer contributions)	32,351.	25,594.	3,451.	3,306.
9 Other employee benefits	188,579.	149,221.	20,092.	19,266.
10 Payroll taxes	179,020.	141,707.	19,036.	18,277.
11 Fees for services (non-employees)				
a Management	581,346.	506,587.	38,692.	36,067.
b Legal	17,797.	15,508.	1,185.	1,104.
c Accounting	29,430.	25,645.	1,959.	1,826.
d Lobbying				
e Professional fundraising services. See Part IV, line 17				
f Investment management fees	39,816.	26,686.	8,950.	4,180.
g Other	33,643.	22,549.	7,562.	3,532.
12 Advertising and promotion				
13 Office expenses	196,621.	151,998.	27,812.	16,811.
14 Information technology	2,145.	1,347.	388.	410.
15 Royalties				
16 Occupancy	453,100.	303,577.	104,213.	45,310.
17 Travel	273,649.	242,973.	12,192.	18,484.
18 Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials				
19 Conferences, conventions, and meetings	421,563.	411,087.	4,185.	6,291.
20 Interest	2,213.		2,213.	
21 Payments to affiliates				
22 Depreciation, depletion, and amortization	148,887.	99,754.	34,244.	14,889.
23 Insurance	30,830.	20,663.	6,930.	3,237.
24 Other expenses. Itemize expenses not covered above. (Expenses grouped together and labeled miscellaneous may not exceed 5% of total expenses shown on line 25 below.)				
a SUBSCRIPTION DUES	100,749.	79,657.	9,877.	11,215.
b PRINTING AND ART WORK	83,796.	74,346.	4,648.	4,802.
c BAD DEBT EXPENSE	36,102.	36,102.		
d DIRECT MAIL	18,306.	17,025.		1,281.
e				
f All other expenses				
25 Total functional expenses. Add lines 1 through 24f	5,807,819.	4,766,701.	574,538.	466,580.
26 Joint costs. Check here ☐ if following SOP 98-2. Complete this line only if the organization reported in column (B) joint costs from a combined educational campaign and fundraising solicitation				

Part X Balance Sheet

		(A) Beginning of year		(B) End of year
Assets	1 Cash - non-interest-bearing	760,357.	1	470,009.
	2 Savings and temporary cash investments	300,202.	2	503,761.
	3 Pledges and grants receivable, net	2,584,082.	3	1,678,584.
	4 Accounts receivable, net	172,786.	4	48,263.
	5 Receivables from current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees. Complete Part II of Schedule L.		5	
	6 Receivables from other disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B). Complete Part II of Schedule L.		6	
	7 Notes and loans receivable, net		7	
	8 Inventories for sale or use	71,302.	8	108,879.
	9 Prepaid expenses and deferred charges	85,090.	9	67,163.
	10a Land, buildings, and equipment: cost or other basis. Complete Part VI of Schedule D.	10a 1,364,629.		
	b Less: accumulated depreciation	10b 869,711.	10c	494,918.
	11 Investments - publicly traded securities	4,091,441.	11	3,488,667.
	12 Investments - other securities. See Part IV, line 11.		12	
	13 Investments - program-related. See Part IV, line 11.		13	
	14 Intangible assets		14	
	15 Other assets. See Part IV, line 11.	2,600.	15	2,600.
16 Total assets. Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 34).	8,503,410.	16	6,862,844.	
Liabilities	17 Accounts payable and accrued expenses	357,412.	17	236,455.
	18 Grants payable		18	
	19 Deferred revenue	3,372.	19	25,000.
	20 Tax-exempt bond liabilities		20	
	21 Escrow or custodial account liability. Complete Part IV of Schedule D.		21	
	22 Payables to current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, and disqualified persons. Complete Part II of Schedule L.		22	
	23 Secured mortgages and notes payable to unrelated third parties	338,750.	23	
	24 Unsecured notes and loans payable to unrelated third parties		24	
	25 Other liabilities. Complete Part X of Schedule D.	455,102.	25	543,097.
	26 Total liabilities. Add lines 17 through 25.	1,154,636.	26	804,552.
	Net Assets or Fund Balances	Organizations that follow SFAS 117, check here ☒ and complete lines 27 through 29, and lines 33 and 34.		
27 Unrestricted net assets		2,978,488.	27	2,820,627.
28 Temporarily restricted net assets		4,081,315.	28	2,948,694.
29 Permanently restricted net assets		288,971.	29	288,971.
Organizations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here ☐ and complete lines 30 through 34.				
30 Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds			30	
31 Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building, or equipment fund			31	
32 Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds			32	
33 Total net assets or fund balances		7,348,774.	33	6,058,292.
34 Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances		8,503,410.	34	6,862,844.

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Part XI Financial Statements and Reporting

1 Accounting method used to prepare the Form 990: ☐ Cash ☒ Accrual ☐ Other _____
 If the organization changed its method of accounting from a prior year or checked "Other," explain in Schedule O.

2a Were the organization's financial statements compiled or reviewed by an independent accountant?

b Were the organization's financial statements audited by an independent accountant?

c If "Yes" to line 2a or 2b, does the organization have a committee that assumes responsibility for oversight of the audit, review, or compilation of its financial statements and selection of an independent accountant?

If the organization changed either its oversight process or selection process during the tax year, explain in Schedule O.

d If "Yes" to line 2a or 2b, check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were issued on a consolidated basis, separate basis, or both:

☒ Separate basis ☐ Consolidated basis ☐ Both consolidated and separate basis

3a As a result of a federal award, was the organization required to undergo an audit or audits as set forth in the Single Audit Act and OMB Circular A-133?

b If "Yes," did the organization undergo the required audit or audits? If the organization did not undergo the required audit or audits, explain why in Schedule O and describe any steps taken to undergo such audits

	Yes	No
2a		X
2b	X	
2c	X	
3a		X
3b		

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SCHEDULE A
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Public Charity Status and Public Support

Complete if the organization is a section 501(c)(3) organization or a section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust.

▶ Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ. ▶ See separate instructions.

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MENTAL HEALTH AMERICA, INC.

Employer identification number

13-1614906

Part I Reason for Public Charity Status (All organizations must complete this part.) See instructions

The organization is not a private foundation because it is: (For lines 1 through 11, check only one box.)

- 1 ☐ A church, convention of churches, or association of churches described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(i).
- 2 ☐ A school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii). (Attach Schedule E.)
- 3 ☐ A hospital or a cooperative hospital service organization described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii).
- 4 ☐ A medical research organization operated in conjunction with a hospital described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii). Enter the hospital's name, city, and state: _____
- 5 ☐ An organization operated for the benefit of a college or university owned or operated by a governmental unit described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(iv). (Complete Part II.)
- 6 ☐ A federal, state, or local government or governmental unit described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(v).
- 7 ☒ An organization that normally receives a substantial part of its support from a governmental unit or from the general public described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi). (Complete Part II.)
- 8 ☐ A community trust described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi). (Complete Part II.)
- 9 ☐ An organization that normally receives: (1) more than 33 1/3% of its support from contributions, membership fees, and gross receipts from activities related to its exempt functions - subject to certain exceptions, and (2) no more than 33 1/3% of its support from gross investment income and unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 tax) from businesses acquired by the organization after June 30, 1975. See section 509(a)(2). (Complete Part III.)
- 10 ☐ An organization organized and operated exclusively to test for public safety. See section 509(a)(4).
- 11 ☐ An organization organized and operated exclusively for the benefit of, to perform the functions of, or to carry out the purposes of one or more publicly supported organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or section 509(a)(2). See section 509(a)(3). Check the box that describes the type of supporting organization and complete lines 11e through 11h.
- a ☐ Type I b ☐ Type II c ☐ Type III - Functionally integrated d ☐ Type III - Other
- e ☐ By checking this box, I certify that the organization is not controlled directly or indirectly by one or more disqualified persons other than foundation managers and other than one or more publicly supported organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or section 509(a)(2).
- f ☐ If the organization received a written determination from the IRS that it is a Type I, Type II, or Type III supporting organization, check this box.
- g ☐ Since August 17, 2006, has the organization accepted any gift or contribution from any of the following persons?
- (i) A person who directly or indirectly controls, either alone or together with persons described in (ii) and (iii) below, the governing body of the supported organization?
- (ii) A family member of a person described in (i) above?
- (iii) A 35% controlled entity of a person described in (i) or (ii) above?
- h ☐ Provide the following information about the supported organization(s)

	Yes	No
11g(i)		
11g(ii)		
11g(iii)		

(i) Name of supported organization	(ii) EIN	(iii) Type of organization (described on lines 1-9 above or IRC section (see instructions))	(iv) Is the organization in col. (i) listed in your governing document?		(v) Did you notify the organization in col. (i) of your support?		(vi) Is the organization in col. (i) organized in the U.S.?		(vii) Amount of support
			Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	
Total									

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Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ) 2009

Part II Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Sections 170(b)(1)(A)(iv) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)

(Complete only if you checked the box on line 5, 7, or 8 of Part I)

Section A. Public Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a) 2005	(b) 2006	(c) 2007	(d) 2008	(e) 2009	(f) Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.")	6844452.	7243519.	8174548.	6898224.	3048776.	32209519.
2 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf						
3 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge						
4 Total. Add lines 1 through 3	6844452.	7243519.	8174548.	6898224.	3048776.	32209519.
5 The portion of total contributions by each person (other than a governmental unit or publicly supported organization) included on line 1 that exceeds 2% of the amount shown on line 11, column (f)						15367617.
6 Public support. Subtract line 5 from line 4						16841902.

Section B. Total Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a) 2005	(b) 2006	(c) 2007	(d) 2008	(e) 2009	(f) Total
7 Amounts from line 4	6844452.	7243519.	8174548.	6898224.	3048776.	32209519.
8 Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources	245,878.	200,653.	320,698.	253,101.	148,988.	1169318.
9 Net income from unrelated business activities, whether or not the business is regularly carried on						
10 Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part IV.)						
11 Total support. Add lines 7 through 10						33378837.
12 Gross receipts from related activities, etc. (see instructions)					12	3,223,458.
13 First five years. If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and stop here ▶ ☐						

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage

14 Public support percentage for 2009 (line 6, column (f) divided by line 11, column (f))	14	50.46 %
15 Public support percentage from 2008 Schedule A, Part II, line 14	15	52.23 %
16a 33 1/3% support test - 2009. If the organization did not check the box on line 13, and line 14 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ▶ ☒		
b 33 1/3% support test - 2008. If the organization did not check a box on line 13 or 16a, and line 15 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ▶ ☐		
17a 10% -facts-and-circumstances test - 2009. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, or 16b, and line 14 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test, check this box and stop here. Explain in Part IV how the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ▶ ☐		
b 10% -facts-and-circumstances test - 2008. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, or 17a, and line 15 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test, check this box and stop here. Explain in Part IV how the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ▶ ☐		
18 Private foundation. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, 17a, or 17b, check this box and see instructions ▶ ☐		

Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ) 2009

Part III Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Section 509(a)(2) (Complete only if you checked the box on line 9 of Part I.)**Section A. Public Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a) 2005	(b) 2006	(c) 2007	(d) 2008	(e) 2009	(f) Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.")						
2 Gross receipts from admissions, merchandise sold or services performed, or facilities furnished in any activity that is related to the organization's tax-exempt purpose						
3 Gross receipts from activities that are not an unrelated trade or business under section 513						
4 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf						
5 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge						
6 Total. Add lines 1 through 5						
7a Amounts included on lines 1, 2, and 3 received from disqualified persons						
b Amounts included on lines 2 and 3 received from other than disqualified persons that exceed the greater of \$5,000 or 1% of the amount on line 13 for the year						
c Add lines 7a and 7b						
8 Public support (Subtract line 7c from line 6)						

Section B. Total Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a) 2005	(b) 2006	(c) 2007	(d) 2008	(e) 2009	(f) Total
9 Amounts from line 6						
10a Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources						
b Unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 taxes) from businesses acquired after June 30, 1975						
c Add lines 10a and 10b						
11 Net income from unrelated business activities not included in line 10b, whether or not the business is regularly carried on						
12 Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part IV)						
13 Total support (Add lines 9, 10c, 11, and 12)						
14 First five years. If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and stop here ☐						

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage

15 Public support percentage for 2009 (line 8, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))	15		%
16 Public support percentage from 2008 Schedule A, Part III, line 15	16		%

Section D. Computation of Investment Income Percentage

17 Investment income percentage for 2009 (line 10c, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))	17		%
18 Investment income percentage from 2008 Schedule A, Part III, line 17	18		%

19a 33 1/3% support tests - 2009. If the organization did not check the box on line 14, and line 15 is more than 33 1/3%, and line 17 is not more than 33 1/3%, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ☐

b 33 1/3% support tests - 2008. If the organization did not check a box on line 14 or line 19a, and line 16 is more than 33 1/3%, and line 18 is not more than 33 1/3%, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ☐

20 Private foundation. If the organization did not check a box on line 14, 19a, or 19b, check this box and see instructions ☐

Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ) 2009

SCHEDULE C
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Political Campaign and Lobbying Activities

For Organizations Exempt From Income Tax Under section 501(c) and section 527

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▶ **Complete if the organization is described below.**
▶ **Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ. ▶ See separate instructions.**

If the organization answered "Yes," to Form 990, Part IV, line 3, or Form 990-EZ, Part VI, line 46 (Political Campaign Activities), then

- Section 501(c)(3) organizations: Complete Parts I-A and B. Do not complete Part I-C.
- Section 501(c) (other than section 501(c)(3)) organizations: Complete Parts I-A and C below. Do not complete Part I-B.
- Section 527 organizations: Complete Part I-A only

If the organization answered "Yes," to Form 990, Part IV, line 4, or Form 990-EZ, Part VI, line 47 (Lobbying Activities), then

- Section 501(c)(3) organizations that have filed Form 5768 (election under section 501(h)): Complete Part II-A. Do not complete Part II-B.
- Section 501(c)(3) organizations that have NOT filed Form 5768 (election under section 501(h)): Complete Part II-B. Do not complete Part II-A.

If the organization answered "Yes," to Form 990, Part IV, line 5 (Proxy Tax), then

- Section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6) organizations: Complete Part III.

Name of organization

MENTAL HEALTH AMERICA, INC.

Employer identification number

13-1614906

Part I-A Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c) or is a section 527 organization.

- 1 Provide a description of the organization's direct and indirect political campaign activities in Part IV.
- 2 Political expenditures ▶ \$
- 3 Volunteer hours

Part I-B Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(3).

- 1 Enter the amount of any excise tax incurred by the organization under section 4955 ▶ \$
- 2 Enter the amount of any excise tax incurred by organization managers under section 4955 ▶ \$
- 3 If the organization incurred a section 4955 tax, did it file Form 4720 for this year? ☐ Yes ☐ No
- 4a Was a correction made? ☐ Yes ☐ No
- b If "Yes," describe in Part IV

Part I-C Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c), except section 501(c)(3).

- 1 Enter the amount directly expended by the filing organization for section 527 exempt function activities ▶ \$
- 2 Enter the amount of the filing organization's funds contributed to other organizations for section 527 exempt function activities ▶ \$
- 3 Total exempt function expenditures. Add lines 1 and 2. Enter here and on Form 1120-POL, line 17b ▶ \$ ☐ Yes ☐ No
- 4 Did the filing organization file Form 1120-POL for this year?
- 5 Enter the names, addresses and employer identification number (EIN) of all section 527 political organizations to which payments were made. For each organization listed, enter the amount paid from the filing organization's funds. Also enter the amount of political contributions received that were promptly and directly delivered to a separate political organization, such as a separate segregated fund or a political action committee (PAC). If additional space is needed, provide information in Part IV.

(a) Name	(b) Address	(c) EIN	(d) Amount paid from filing organization's funds. If none, enter -0-	(e) Amount of political contributions received and promptly and directly delivered to a separate political organization. If none, enter -0-

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Part II-A Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(3) and filed Form 5768 (election under section 501(h)).

- A** Check ☐ if the filing organization belongs to an affiliated group
- B** Check ☐ if the filing organization checked box A and "limited control" provisions apply

Limits on Lobbying Expenditures (The term "expenditures" means amounts paid or incurred.)		(a) Filing organization's totals	(b) Affiliated group totals												
1a Total lobbying expenditures to influence public opinion (grass roots lobbying)															
b Total lobbying expenditures to influence a legislative body (direct lobbying)		59,240.													
c Total lobbying expenditures (add lines 1a and 1b)		59,240.													
d Other exempt purpose expenditures		5,748,579.													
e Total exempt purpose expenditures (add lines 1c and 1d)		5,807,819.													
f Lobbying nontaxable amount. Enter the amount from the following table in both columns.		440,391.													
<table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>If the amount on line 1e, column (a) or (b) is:</th> <th>The lobbying nontaxable amount is:</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Not over \$500,000</td> <td>20% of the amount on line 1e</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Over \$500,000 but not over \$1,000,000</td> <td>\$100,000 plus 15% of the excess over \$500,000.</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Over \$1,000,000 but not over \$1,500,000</td> <td>\$175,000 plus 10% of the excess over \$1,000,000.</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Over \$1,500,000 but not over \$17,000,000</td> <td>\$225,000 plus 5% of the excess over \$1,500,000</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Over \$17,000,000</td> <td>\$1,000,000</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>		If the amount on line 1e, column (a) or (b) is:	The lobbying nontaxable amount is:	Not over \$500,000	20% of the amount on line 1e	Over \$500,000 but not over \$1,000,000	\$100,000 plus 15% of the excess over \$500,000.	Over \$1,000,000 but not over \$1,500,000	\$175,000 plus 10% of the excess over \$1,000,000.	Over \$1,500,000 but not over \$17,000,000	\$225,000 plus 5% of the excess over \$1,500,000	Over \$17,000,000	\$1,000,000		
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Not over \$500,000	20% of the amount on line 1e														
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Over \$1,000,000 but not over \$1,500,000	\$175,000 plus 10% of the excess over \$1,000,000.														
Over \$1,500,000 but not over \$17,000,000	\$225,000 plus 5% of the excess over \$1,500,000														
Over \$17,000,000	\$1,000,000														
g Grassroots nontaxable amount (enter 25% of line 1f)		110,098.													
h Subtract line 1g from line 1a. If zero or less, enter -0-		0.													
i Subtract line 1f from line 1c. If zero or less, enter -0-		0.													
j If there is an amount other than zero on either line 1h or line 1i, did the organization file Form 4720 reporting section 4911 tax for this year?			☐ Yes ☐ No												

4-Year Averaging Period Under Section 501(h)

(Some organizations that made a section 501(h) election do not have to complete all of the five columns below. See the instructions for lines 2a through 2f on page 4.)

Lobbying Expenditures During 4-Year Averaging Period

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2006	(b) 2007	(c) 2008	(d) 2009	(e) Total
2a Lobbying nontaxable amount	542,845.	506,389.	493,996.	440,391.	1,983,621.
b Lobbying ceiling amount (150% of line 2a, column(e))					2,975,432.
c Total lobbying expenditures	23,889.	94,427.	104,421.	59,240.	281,977.
d Grassroots nontaxable amount	135,711.	126,597.	123,499.	110,098.	495,905.
e Grassroots ceiling amount (150% of line 2d, column (e))					743,858.
f Grassroots lobbying expenditures					

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Part II-B Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(3) and has NOT filed Form 5768 (election under section 501(h)).

	(a)		(b)
	Yes	No	Amount
1 During the year, did the filing organization attempt to influence foreign, national, state or local legislation, including any attempt to influence public opinion on a legislative matter or referendum, through the use of:			
a Volunteers?			
b Paid staff or management (include compensation in expenses reported on lines 1c through 1i)?			
c Media advertisements?			
d Mailings to members, legislators, or the public?			
e Publications, or published or broadcast statements?			
f Grants to other organizations for lobbying purposes?			
g Direct contact with legislators, their staffs, government officials, or a legislative body?			
h Rallies, demonstrations, seminars, conventions, speeches, lectures, or any similar means?			
i Other activities? If "Yes," describe in Part IV			
j Total. Add lines 1c through 1i			
2a Did the activities in line 1 cause the organization to be not described in section 501(c)(3)?			
b If "Yes," enter the amount of any tax incurred under section 4912			
c If "Yes," enter the amount of any tax incurred by organization managers under section 4912			
d If the filing organization incurred a section 4912 tax, did it file Form 4720 for this year?			

Part III-A Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(4), section 501(c)(5), or section 501(c)(6).

	Yes	No
1 Were substantially all (90% or more) dues received nondeductible by members?	1	
2 Did the organization make only in-house lobbying expenditures of \$2,000 or less?	2	
3 Did the organization agree to carryover lobbying and political expenditures from the prior year?	3	

Part III-B Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(4), section 501(c)(5), or section 501(c)(6) if BOTH Part III-A, lines 1 and 2 are answered "No" OR if Part III-A, line 3 is answered "Yes."

1 Dues, assessments and similar amounts from members	1	
2 Section 162(e) nondeductible lobbying and political expenditures (do not include amounts of political expenses for which the section 527(f) tax was paid).		
a Current year	2a	
b Carryover from last year	2b	
c Total	2c	
3 Aggregate amount reported in section 6033(e)(1)(A) notices of nondeductible section 162(e) dues	3	
4 If notices were sent and the amount on line 2c exceeds the amount on line 3, what portion of the excess does the organization agree to carryover to the reasonable estimate of nondeductible lobbying and political expenditure next year?	4	
5 Taxable amount of lobbying and political expenditures (see instructions)	5	

Part IV Supplemental Information

Complete this part to provide the descriptions required for Part I-A, line 1; Part I-B, line 4; Part I-C, line 5; and Part II-B, line 1i. Also, complete this part for any additional information.

Schedule D
(Form 990)Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service**Supplemental Financial Statements**▶ Complete if the organization answered "Yes," to Form 990,
Part IV, line 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, or 12.

▶ Attach to Form 990. ▶ See separate instructions.

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Name of the organization

MENTAL HEALTH AMERICA, INC.

Employer identification number

13-1614906

Part I Organizations Maintaining Donor Advised Funds or Other Similar Funds or Accounts. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 6

	(a) Donor advised funds	(b) Funds and other accounts
1 Total number at end of year		
2 Aggregate contributions to (during year)		
3 Aggregate grants from (during year)		
4 Aggregate value at end of year		
5 Did the organization inform all donors and donor advisors in writing that the assets held in donor advised funds are the organization's property, subject to the organization's exclusive legal control?		☐ Yes ☐ No
6 Did the organization inform all grantees, donors, and donor advisors in writing that grant funds can be used only for charitable purposes and not for the benefit of the donor or donor advisor, or for any other purpose conferring impermissible private benefit?		☐ Yes ☐ No

Part II Conservation Easements. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 7

1 Purpose(s) of conservation easements held by the organization (check all that apply)

☐ Preservation of land for public use (e.g., recreation or pleasure)	☐ Preservation of an historically important land area
☐ Protection of natural habitat	☐ Preservation of a certified historic structure
☐ Preservation of open space	

2 Complete lines 2a through 2d if the organization held a qualified conservation contribution in the form of a conservation easement on the last day of the tax year.

	Held at the End of the Tax Year
a Total number of conservation easements	2a
b Total acreage restricted by conservation easements	2b
c Number of conservation easements on a certified historic structure included in (a)	2c
d Number of conservation easements included in (c) acquired after 8/17/06	2d

3 Number of conservation easements modified, transferred, released, extinguished, or terminated by the organization during the tax year ▶ _____

4 Number of states where property subject to conservation easement is located ▶ _____

5 Does the organization have a written policy regarding the periodic monitoring, inspection, handling of violations, and enforcement of the conservation easements it holds? ☐ Yes ☐ No

6 Staff and volunteer hours devoted to monitoring, inspecting, and enforcing conservation easements during the year ▶ _____

7 Amount of expenses incurred in monitoring, inspecting, and enforcing conservation easements during the year ▶ \$ _____

8 Does each conservation easement reported on line 2(d) above satisfy the requirements of section 170(h)(4)(B)(i) and section 170(h)(4)(B)(ii)? ☐ Yes ☐ No

9 In Part XIV, describe how the organization reports conservation easements in its revenue and expense statement, and balance sheet, and include, if applicable, the text of the footnote to the organization's financial statements that describes the organization's accounting for conservation easements

Part III Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 8.

1a If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116, not to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education, or research in furtherance of public service, provide, in Part XIV, the text of the footnote to its financial statements that describes these items.

b If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116, to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education, or research in furtherance of public service, provide the following amounts relating to these items:

(i) Revenues included in Form 990, Part VIII, line 1 ▶ \$ _____

(ii) Assets included in Form 990, Part X ▶ \$ _____

2 If the organization received or held works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets for financial gain, provide the following amounts required to be reported under SFAS 116 relating to these items:

a Revenues included in Form 990, Part VIII, line 1 ▶ \$ _____

b Assets included in Form 990, Part X ▶ \$ _____

Part III Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets (continued)

3 Using the organization's acquisition, accession, and other records, check any of the following that are a significant use of its collection items (check all that apply):

a ☐ Public exhibition

d ☐ Loan or exchange programs

b ☐ Scholarly research

e ☐ Other _____

c ☐ Preservation for future generations

4 Provide a description of the organization's collections and explain how they further the organization's exempt purpose in Part XIV

5 During the year, did the organization solicit or receive donations of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets

to be sold to raise funds rather than to be maintained as part of the organization's collection?

☐ Yes

☐ No

Part IV Escrow and Custodial Arrangements. Complete if organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 9, or reported an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21

1a Is the organization an agent, trustee, custodian or other intermediary for contributions or other assets not included on Form 990, Part X?

☐ Yes

☐ No

b If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIV and complete the following table:

	Amount
1c Beginning balance	
1d Additions during the year	
1e Distributions during the year	
1f Ending balance	

2a Did the organization include an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21?

☐ Yes

☐ No

b If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIV

Part V Endowment Funds. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 10.

	(a) Current year	(b) Prior year	(c) Two years back	(d) Three years back	(e) Four years back
1a Beginning of year balance	351,159.	389,706.			
b Contributions					
c Net investment earnings, gains, and losses	<37,938.>	<38,547.>			
d Grants or scholarships					
e Other expenditures for facilities and programs					
f Administrative expenses					
g End of year balance	313,221.	351,159.			

2 Provide the estimated percentage of the year end balance held as:

a Board designated or quasi-endowment ▶ <2.48> %

b Permanent endowment ▶ 92.26 %

c Term endowment ▶ 10.22 %

3a Are there endowment funds not in the possession of the organization that are held and administered for the organization by:

(i) unrelated organizations

(ii) related organizations

	Yes	No
3a(i)		X
3a(ii)		X
3b		

b If "Yes" to 3a(ii), are the related organizations listed as required on Schedule R?

4 Describe in Part XIV the intended uses of the organization's endowment funds

Part VI Investments - Land, Buildings, and Equipment. See Form 990, Part X, line 10.

Description of investment	(a) Cost or other basis (investment)	(b) Cost or other basis (other)	(c) Accumulated depreciation	(d) Book value
1a Land				
b Buildings				
c Leasehold improvements		303,759.	111,378.	192,381.
d Equipment		1,060,870.	758,333.	302,537.
e Other				

Total. Add lines 1a through 1e (Column (d) must equal Form 990, Part X, column (B), line 10(c)) ▶

494,918.

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Part VII Investments - Other Securities. See Form 990, Part X, line 12

(a) Description of security or category (including name of security)	(b) Book value	(c) Method of valuation Cost or end-of-year market value
Financial derivatives		
Closely-held equity interests		
Other		
Total. (Col (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col (B) line 12.) ►		

Part VIII Investments - Program Related. See Form 990, Part X, line 13

(a) Description of investment type	(b) Book value	(c) Method of valuation: Cost or end-of-year market value
Total. (Col (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col (B) line 13.) ►		

Part IX Other Assets. See Form 990, Part X, line 15.

(a) Description	(b) Book value
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col (B) line 15.) ►	

Part X Other Liabilities. See Form 990, Part X, line 25

1. (a) Description of liability	(b) Amount
Federal income taxes	
CHARITABLE GIFT ANNUITIES	16,895.
CAPITAL LEASE OBLIGATIONS	211,066.
DEFERRED RENT AND LEASE INCENTIVES	315,136.
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col (B) line 25.) ►	
	543,097.

2. FIN 48 Footnote. In Part XIV, provide the text of the footnote to the organization's financial statements that reports the organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under FIN 48.

Part XI Reconciliation of Change in Net Assets from Form 990 to Audited Financial Statements

1	Total revenue (Form 990, Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	1	3,176,293.
2	Total expenses (Form 990, Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2	5,807,819.
3	Excess or (deficit) for the year. Subtract line 2 from line 1	3	<2,631,526.>
4	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	4	1,441,044.
5	Donated services and use of facilities	5	
6	Investment expenses	6	
7	Prior period adjustments	7	<100,000.>
8	Other (Describe in Part XIV)	8	
9	Total adjustments (net). Add lines 4 through 8	9	1,341,044.
10	Excess or (deficit) for the year per audited financial statements. Combine lines 3 and 9	10	<1,290,482.>

Part XII Reconciliation of Revenue per Audited Financial Statements With Revenue per Return

1	Total revenue, gains, and other support per audited financial statements	1	4,807,528.
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12		
a	Net unrealized gains on investments	2a	1,441,044.
b	Donated services and use of facilities	2b	153,241.
c	Recoveries of prior year grants	2c	
d	Other (Describe in Part XIV)	2d	36,950.
e	Add lines 2a through 2d	2e	1,631,235.
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1	3	3,176,293.
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, but not on line 1:		
a	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b	4a	
b	Other (Describe in Part XIV)	4b	
c	Add lines 4a and 4b	4c	0.
5	Total revenue. Add lines 3 and 4c. (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 12.)	5	3,176,293.

Part XIII Reconciliation of Expenses per Audited Financial Statements With Expenses per Return

1	Total expenses and losses per audited financial statements	1	5,998,010.
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part IX, line 25:		
a	Donated services and use of facilities	2a	153,241.
b	Prior year adjustments	2b	
c	Other losses	2c	
d	Other (Describe in Part XIV)	2d	36,950.
e	Add lines 2a through 2d	2e	190,191.
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1	3	5,807,819.
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part IX, line 25, but not on line 1:		
a	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b	4a	
b	Other (Describe in Part XIV)	4b	
c	Add lines 4a and 4b	4c	0.
5	Total expenses. Add lines 3 and 4c. (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 18.)	5	5,807,819.

Part XIV Supplemental Information

Complete this part to provide the descriptions required for Part II, lines 3, 5, and 9; Part III, lines 1a and 4; Part IV, lines 1b and 2b; Part V, line 4; Part X, line 2; Part XI, line 8; Part XII, lines 2d and 4b; and Part XIII, lines 2d and 4b. Also complete this part to provide any additional information.

PART V, LINE 4: THE FUNDS ARE TO BE USED DURING FINANCIALLY DIFFICULT

TIMES OR FOR PROJECTS/PROGRAMS THAT THE ORGANIZATION WOULD LIKE TO INVEST
IN WHEN THERE IS NO OTHER FUNDING AVAILABLE TO MOVE IT FORWARD.

BOARD RESTRICTED FUNDS REQUIRE THAT THE PRINCIPAL BE INVESTED IN
PERPETUITY AND THAT ONLY THE INCOME BE EXPENDED TO SUPPORT THE TRAINING
AND USE OF VOLUNTEERS AND/OR TO PAY HOSPITAL ATTENDANTS SERVICING THOSE
WHO ARE MENTALLY ILL. THEY ALSO REQUIRE THAT THE PRINCIPAL BE INVESTED IN

Part XIV Supplemental Information (continued)

PERPETUITY AND THAT ONLY THE INCOME BE EXPENDED TO SUPPORT RESEARCH AS TO THE CAUSE AND CURE OF MENTAL ILLNESS GIVING ATTENTION TO THE THERAPEUTIC USE OF MEGA-VITAMINS.

PART X: EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 2009, MHA PERFORMED AN EVALUATION OF UNCERTAIN TAX POSITIONS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2009, AND DETERMINED THAT THERE WERE NO MATTERS THAT WOULD REQUIRE RECOGNITION IN THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS OR WHICH MAY HAVE ANY AFFECT ON ITS TAX-EXEMPT STATUS. AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2009, THE STATUTE OF LIMITATIONS FOR TAX YEARS 2006 THROUGH 2008 REMAINS OPEN WITH THE US FEDERAL JURISDICTION OR THE VARIOUS STATES AND LOCAL JURISDICTIONS IN WHICH MHA FILES TAX RETURNS. IT IS MHA'S POLICY TO RECOGNIZE INTEREST AND/OR PENALTIES RELATED TO UNCERTAIN TAX POSITIONS, IF ANY, IN INCOME TAX EXPENSE. AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2009, NO PROVISION FOR INCOME TAXES WAS MADE AS MHA HAD NO SIGNIFICANT NET TAXABLE UNRELATED BUSINESS INCOME.

PART XII, LINE 2D - OTHER ADJUSTMENTS:

COST OF GOODS SOLD

PART XIII, LINE 2D - OTHER ADJUSTMENTS:

COST OF GOODS SOLD

**SCHEDULE I
(Form 990)**

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

**Grants and Other Assistance to Organizations,
Governments, and Individuals in the United States**

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 21 or 22.
▶ Attach to Form 990.

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Name of the organization

MENTAL HEALTH AMERICA, INC.

Employer identification number
13-1614906

Part I General Information on Grants and Assistance

1 Does the organization maintain records to substantiate the amount of the grants or assistance, the grantees' eligibility for the grants or assistance, and the selection criteria used to award the grants or assistance?

☒ Yes ☐ No

2 Describe in Part IV the organization's procedures for monitoring the use of grant funds in the United States

Part II Grants and Other Assistance to Governments and Organizations in the United States. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 21, for any recipient that received more than \$5,000. Check this box if no one recipient received more than \$5,000. Use Part IV and Schedule I-1 (Form 990) if additional space is needed ▶ ☐

1 (a) Name and address of organization or government	(b) EIN	(c) IRC section if applicable	(d) Amount of cash grant	(e) Amount of non-cash assistance	(f) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(g) Description of non-cash assistance	(h) Purpose of grant or assistance
MENTAL HEALTH AMERICA OF SHIPROCK CR 6406 LOT 31 KIRTLAND, NM 87417	26-0032615	501(C)(3)	93,000.	0.			ELIMINATING BEHAVIORAL HEALTH DISPARITIES
MENTAL HEALTH AMERICA OF NORTH DAKOTA - 523 N 4TH STREET - BISMARCK, ND 58501	45-0276836	501(C)(3)	74,500.	0.			ELIMINATING BEHAVIORAL HEALTH DISPARITIES
MENTAL HEALTH AMERICA OF MONTANA 2728 EVERGREEN DRIVE GREAT FALLS, MT 59404	81-0289661	501(C)(3)	27,250.	0.			NCSTAC - SUPPORTING PEER RUN ORGANIZATIONS
MENTAL HEALTH AMERICA OF NEW MEXICO - 128 BRIDGE STREET - LAS VEGAS, NM 87701	26-0032615	501(C)(3)	15,000.	0.			ELIMINATING BEHAVIORAL HEALTH DISPARITIES
MENTAL HEALTH AMERICA OF COLORADO 1385 S. COLORADO BOULEVARD, SUITE 6 DENVER, CO 80222	84-0446365	501(C)(3)	15,000.	0.			PUBLIC EDUCATION & REGIONAL POLICY COUNCIL
MENTAL HEALTH AMERICA OF GEORGIA 100 EDGEWOOD AVENUE, SUITE 502 ATLANTA, GA 30303	58-0611310	501(C)(3)	15,000.	0.			PUBLIC EDUCATION & REGIONAL POLICY COUNCIL

2 Enter total number of section 501(c)(3) and government organizations

3 Enter total number of other organizations

▶ 19 ▶

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Schedule I (Form 990) 2009

Name of the organization

MENTAL HEALTH AMERICA, INC.

Employer identification number
13-1614906

Part I Continuation of Grants and Other Assistance to Governments and Organizations in the United States (Schedule I (Form 990), Part II)							
(a) Name and address of organization or government	(b) EIN	(c) IRC section if applicable	(d) Amount of cash grant	(e) Amount of non-cash assistance	(f) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(g) Description of non-cash assistance	(h) Purpose of grant or assistance
MENTAL HEALTH AMERICA IN NEW JERSEY - 88 POMPTON AVENUE, SUITE 1 - VERONA, NJ 07044	22-1549749	501(C)(3)	15,000.	0.			PUBLIC EDUCATION & REGIONAL POLICY COUNCIL
MENTAL HEALTH AMERICA IN CALIFORNIA - 1127 11TH STREET, SUITE 925 - SACRAMENTO, CA 95814	94-1393424	501(C)(3)	12,716.	0.			PUBLIC EDUCATION & REGIONAL POLICY COUNCIL
MENTAL HEALTH AMERICA OF INDIANA 1431 N DELAWARE STREET INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46202	35-0896905	501(C)(3)	12,500.	0.			PUBLIC EDUCATION & REGIONAL POLICY COUNCIL
MENTAL HEALTH AMERICA OF TEXAS 1210 SAN ANTONIO STREET, SUITE 200 AUSTIN, TX 78701	74-1383285	501(C)(3)	12,500.	0.			PUBLIC EDUCATION & REGIONAL POLICY COUNCIL
MENTAL HEALTH AMERICA OF WISCONSIN 734 N. 4TH STREET, SUITE 200 MILWAUKEE, WI 53203	39-0827843	501(C)(3)	12,500.	0.			PUBLIC EDUCATION & REGIONAL POLICY COUNCIL
MENTAL HEALTH AMERICA MARYLAND 711 W. 40TH STREET, SUITE 460 BALTIMORE, MD 21211	52-0591666	501(C)(3)	10,000.	0.			REGIONAL POLICY COUNCIL
MENTAL HEALTH AMERICA OF LOUISIANA 660 N. FOSTER DRIVE, SUITE C-201 BATON ROUGE, LA 70806	72-0459030	501(C)(3)	8,000.	0.			PUBLIC EDUCATION & REGIONAL POLICY COUNCIL
MENTAL HEALTH AMERICA OF MONTGOMERY COUNTY - 1000 TWINBROOK PARKWAY - ROCKVILLE, MD 20851	52-0681147	501(C)(3)	5,000.	0.			PUBLIC EDUCATION

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Schedule I-1 (Form 990) 2009

Name of the organization

MENTAL HEALTH AMERICA, INC.

Employer identification number
13-1614906

Part I Continuation of Grants and Other Assistance to Governments and Organizations in the United States (Schedule I (Form 990), Part II)							
(a) Name and address of organization or government	(b) EIN	(c) IRC section if applicable	(d) Amount of cash grant	(e) Amount of non-cash assistance	(f) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(g) Description of non-cash assistance	(h) Purpose of grant or assistance
MENTAL HEALTH AMERICA IN DELAWARE 100 W 10 STREET, SUITE 600 WILMINGTON, DE 19801	51-0069000	501(C)(3)	5,000.	0.			PUBLIC EDUCATION
MENTAL HEALTH AMERICA OF ILLINOIS 70 E. LAKE STREET, STREET 900 CHICAGO, IL 60601	37-0794769	501(C)(3)	5,000.	0.			PUBLIC EDUCATION
MENTAL HEALTH AMERICA OF LICKING COUNTY - 65 MESSIMER DRIVE - NEWARK, OH 43055	31-4421855	501(C)(3)	5,000.	0.			PUBLIC EDUCATION
MENTAL HEALTH AMERICA OF NORTHERN KENTUCKY - 513 MADISON AVENUE - COVINGTON, KY 41011	61-0712473	501(C)(3)	5,000.	0.			PUBLIC EDUCATION
MENTAL HEALTH AMERICA OF SAN DIEGO COUNTY - 4069 30TH STREET - SAN DIEGO, CA 92104	95-1948185	501(C)(3)	5,000.	0.			PUBLIC EDUCATION

**SCHEDULE J
(Form 990)**

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Compensation Information

For certain Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest
Compensated Employees

▶ Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990,
Part IV, line 23.

▶ Attach to Form 990. ▶ See separate instructions.

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Part I Questions Regarding Compensation

1a Check the appropriate box(es) if the organization provided any of the following to or for a person listed in Form 990,
Part VII, Section A, line 1a. Complete Part III to provide any relevant information regarding these items.

- | | |
|--|--|
| ☐ First-class or charter travel | ☐ Housing allowance or residence for personal use |
| ☐ Travel for companions | ☐ Payments for business use of personal residence |
| ☐ Tax indemnification and gross-up payments | ☐ Health or social club dues or initiation fees |
| ☐ Discretionary spending account | ☐ Personal services (e.g., maid, chauffeur, chef) |

b If any of the boxes on line 1a are checked, did the organization follow a written policy regarding payment or
reimbursement or provision of all of the expenses described above? If "No," complete Part III to explain

2 Did the organization require substantiation prior to reimbursing or allowing expenses incurred by all officers, directors,
trustees, and the CEO/Executive Director, regarding the items checked in line 1a?

3 Indicate which, if any, of the following the organization uses to establish the compensation of the organization's
CEO/Executive Director. Check all that apply.

- | | |
|--|---|
| ☒ Compensation committee | ☒ Written employment contract |
| ☐ Independent compensation consultant | ☒ Compensation survey or study |
| ☐ Form 990 of other organizations | ☒ Approval by the board or compensation committee |

4 During the year, did any person listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, with respect to the filing
organization or a related organization:

- a** Receive a severance payment or change-of-control payment?
- b** Participate in, or receive payment from, a supplemental nonqualified retirement plan?
- c** Participate in, or receive payment from, an equity-based compensation arrangement?

If "Yes" to any of lines 4a-c, list the persons and provide the applicable amounts for each item in Part III

Only section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations must complete lines 5-9.

5 For persons listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any compensation
contingent on the revenues of:

- a** The organization?
- b** Any related organization?

If "Yes" to line 5a or 5b, describe in Part III

6 For persons listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any compensation
contingent on the net earnings of:

- a** The organization?
- b** Any related organization?

If "Yes" to line 6a or 6b, describe in Part III.

7 For persons listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization provide any non-fixed payments
not described in lines 5 and 6? If "Yes," describe in Part III

8 Were any amounts reported in Form 990, Part VII, paid or accrued pursuant to a contract that was subject to the
initial contract exception described in Regs. section 53.4958-4(a)(3)? If "Yes," describe in Part III

9 If "Yes" to line 8, did the organization also follow the rebuttable presumption procedure described in
Regulations section 53.4958-6(c)?

Yes No

1b

2

4a

4b

4c

5a

5b

6a

6b

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8

9

X

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Part III Supplemental Information

Complete this part to provide the information, explanation, or descriptions required for Part I, lines 1a, 1b, 4c, 5a, 5b, 6a, 6b, 7, and 8. Also complete this part for any additional information.

PART I, LINE 4A: HARRY ABEL, VICE PRESIDENT OF RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT AND
JULIE CLARK, VICE PRESIDENT OF PUBLIC POLICY AND ADVOCACY RECEIVED \$13,065
AND \$5,308, RESPECTIVELY IN TOTAL SEVERANCE PAYMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED
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▶ Attach to Form 990 to list additional information for Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a.
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Supplemental Information to Form 990

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FORM 990, PART III, LINE 4D, OTHER PROGRAM SERVICES:

RESEARCH

EXPENSES \$ 347069. INCLUDING GRANTS OF \$ 0. REVENUE \$ 68178.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION A, LINE 6: THE DIRECTORS OF THE CORPORATION
ELECTED UNDER ARTICLE IV OF THE BYLAWS AND THE PRESIDING OFFICERS (CHAIRS,
PRESIDENTS, OR EQUIVALENT) OF GOVERNING BOARDS (BOARDS OF DIRECTORS OR
EQUIVALENT) OF LOCAL AND STATE AFFILIATES OF THE CORPORATION, OR THEIR
DESIGNEES, SHALL CONSTITUTE THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE CORPORATION.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION A, LINE 7A: FOR THE MANAGEMENT OF THE BUSINESS
AND FOR THE CONDUCT OF THE AFFAIRS OF THE CORPORATION, AND IN FURTHER
DEFINITION, LIMITATION AND REGULATION OF THE POWERS OF THE CORPORATION AND
OF ITS DIRECTORS AND MEMBERS, IT IS FURTHER PROVIDED THAT, NOTWITHSTANDING
ANYTHING IN THE CORPORATION'S BYLAWS TO THE CONTRARY, THE MEMBERSHIP SHALL
HAVE FINAL AUTHORITY ON ALL MATTERS GOVERNING AMENDMENTS TO THE CERTIFICATE
OF INCORPORATION, SIZE OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS, ELECTION OF THE BOARD OF
DIRECTORS, ELECTION OF THE NOMINATING AND BOARD DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE,
ACTION RECOMMENDATIONS FROM THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS ON AMENDING THE
STANDARDS OF AFFILIATION AND OTHER MISCELLANEOUS MATTERS.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 11: THE ACCOUNTING DEPARTMENT REVIEWS
THE DRAFT 990 FOR ACCURACY. THE FORM IS THEN FORWARDED TO THE
SECRETARY/TREASURER OF THE BOARD FOR HIS REVIEW. ONCE COMMENTS ARE
RECEIVED FROM THE SECRETARY/TREASURER, A DRAFT IS FORWARDED TO THE FULL
BOARD OF DIRECTORS. FINAL COMMENTS ARE THEN FORWARDED TO RAFFA TO FINALIZE

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AND FILE THE FORM WITH THE IRS.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 12C: EACH BOARD AND COMMITTEE MEMBER IS
REQUIRED TO SIGN A CONFLICT OF INTEREST POLICY STATEMENT ANNUALLY IN
SEPTEMBER WHEN THE BOARD YEAR BEGINS; THE STATEMENTS ARE REVIEWED BY THE
SECRETARY/TREASURER. ANY CONFLICTS OF INTEREST ARE BROUGHT BY THE
SECRETARY/TREASURER ARE BROUGHT TO THE PERSONNEL COMMITTEE. THE MEMBER IS
ASKED TO EXCUSE HIM/HERSELF IN COMMENTING OR VOTING ON ISSUES THAT EVEN
MIGHT BE OF CONFLICT.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 15: MHA HAS USED COMPENSATION STUDIES
TO MONITOR THE COMPENSATION OF OFFICERS AND KEY EMPLOYEES. THE
COMPENSATION STUDIES INCLUDE SIMILAR POSITIONS WITHIN THE WASHINGTON, DC
METRO AREA, WITHIN THE HEALTH CARE FIELD AND WITHIN THE NON-PROFIT
INDUSTRY.

FORM 990, PART VI, LINE 17, LIST OF STATES RECEIVING COPY OF FORM 990:
AL, AK, AZ, AR, CA, CO, CT, FL, GA, IL, IN, KS, KY, LA, ME, MD, MA, MI, MN, MS, MO, NH, NJ, NM, NY
NC, ND, OH, OK, OR, PA, RI, SC, TN, UT, VA, WA, WV, WI

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION C, LINE 19: MHA DOES MAKE ITS GOVERNING
DOCUMENTS AVAILABLE TO THE PUBLIC. OUR WEBSITE, WWW.NMHA.ORG IS THE MAIN
SOURCE OF COMMUNICATION. IF SOMEONE CALLS AND REQUESTS THIS INFORMATION,
IT IS SENT OUT IMMEDIATELY.