

# Become an Event Benefactor



## The Wyner Family Jewish Heritage Center

### 2026 Benefit Dinner

#### Honoring Rochelle Walensky, MD, MPH: A Legacy of Service

Thursday, June 4, 2026

Join the Wyner Family Jewish Heritage Center for a special evening celebrating Jewish history, leadership, and community. We will present the 2026 Tzedakah Lifetime Achievement Award to Dr. Rochelle Walensky and feature her in conversation with CEO of Beth Israel Lahey Health, Kevin Tabb, MD, about her Jewish family history, distinguished medical career, and leadership during the Covid pandemic.

Dr. Walensky served as the 19th Director of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention from 2021 to 2023. Her distinguished career in public health and infectious diseases includes groundbreaking work in AIDS research, treatment, and policy. She is a founding member and Medical Affairs Adviser of the Vaccine Integrity Project, which provides science-based information for vaccine choices. She was Chief of Infectious Diseases at Massachusetts General Hospital from 2017 to 2021, and currently serves as Professor of Medicine at Harvard Medical School, and on the faculty of Harvard Kennedy School.

#### Benefits for Benefactors

Our Benefit Events attract a local and national audience of the Wyner Family Jewish Heritage Center (JHC) and American Ancestors Trustees, Councilors, members, and guests. All proceeds benefit the JHC's mission to preserve New England Jewish history, explore Jewish heritage, and advance understanding of the American Jewish experience for wide audiences.

›› To purchase tickets and benefactor packages, please [click here](#). Kindly RSVP by May 21, 2026.

Benefactor Levels	Catalyst \$750	Acceleration \$2,000	Breakthrough \$5,000	Transformation \$7,500
Optional Number of Tickets	2	4	6	8
Knowing that your philanthropy is supporting the JHC mission	✓	✓	✓	✓
Thanked in President's Remarks	✓	✓	✓	✓
Recognition on JewishHeritageCenter.org and AmericanAncestors.org		✓	✓	✓
Recognition on Email Invitations		✓	✓	✓
Recognition in <i>American Ancestors</i> magazine			✓	✓

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