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VOICES FOR HUMANITY TAKES A STAND AGAINST MENTAL HEALTH ABUSE WITH JUSTIN DRACH

Los Angeles, CA – November 13, 2019 – Scientology Network’s VOICES FOR HUMANITY, the weekly series presenting heroic change makers from a variety of faiths, cultures and nations, working to uplift their communities, announces a new episode featuring the work of attorney and mental health activist *Justin Drach*, premiering November 13, 2019.

VOICES FOR HUMANITY airs Wednesdays at 8 p.m. ET/PT on Scientology Network.

In Florida, 22 people are forcibly committed every hour. It’s all part of a scheme taking advantage of the vagaries of the law that contributes to \$165 million in fraudulent Medicaid billing in a single year. Fighting the widespread illegal practice of involuntary commitment is attorney Justin Drach. He crisscrosses the skies of Florida in his private plane, securing the release of people—some as young as six years old—held in mental health facilities against their will.

ABOUT JUSTIN DRACH

An Illinois native, Justin Drach spent 10 years as a Naval aviator, including a tour of duty in the Iraq War. After service, he earned his law degree and quickly established a prominent practice in Florida. His expertise—battling involuntary commitment carried out by the psychiatric industry under the state’s notorious Baker Act. Justin cut his teeth on a case involving the son of a close friend who had been illegally detained and who Justin got released. A strategic alliance with the Citizens Commission on Human Rights (CCHR) has thrust Justin to the forefront of a movement fighting Baker Act violations. Through the specialized Baker Act Defense Attorney Symposium and Summit, know by the acronym BADASS, Justin schools other attorneys in the art of securing freedom for Baker Act victims. And they eagerly listen

and learn from Justin, whose success rate at beating Baker Act violations remains steady at 100 percent.

The Scientology Network debuted on March 12, 2018. Since launching, the Scientology Network has been viewed in 240 countries and territories worldwide in 17 languages. Satisfying the curiosity of people about Scientology, the network takes viewers across six continents, spotlighting the everyday lives of Scientologists; showing the Church as a global organization; and presenting its social betterment programs that have touched the lives of millions worldwide. The Network also showcases documentaries by Independent filmmakers who represent a cross section of cultures and faiths, but share a common purpose of uplifting communities.

Broadcast from Scientology Media Productions, the Church's global media center in Los Angeles, the Scientology Network can be streamed at [scientology.tv](https://www.scientology.tv) and is available through satellite television on DIRECTV Channel 320, mobile apps and via the Roku, Amazon Fire and Apple TV platforms.

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