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**The American Printing House for the Blind and the Hall of Fame for Leaders and Legends in the Blindness Field Announce New 10-Year Agreement**

**Louisville, KY – February 10, 2026.** The American Printing House for the Blind (APH) and the Hall of Fame for Leaders and Legends in the Blindness Field (HOF) announce a new 10-year agreement that extends and strengthens their long-standing 30-year partnership to preserve blindness field history by recognizing individuals whose contributions have had a lasting impact on education and rehabilitation services.

APH President Craig Meador said, “The continuation of this partnership reflects our mutual respect and shared mission to honor our field’s history while looking firmly toward the future.”

Bernadette Kappan, a member of the HOF Board of Directors said, “With this 10-year agreement and with the HOF recently receiving nonprofit status, we have strengthened our ability to recognize our field’s role models whose legacies will continue to inspire future generations.”

APH will continue to house the HOF within the Dot Experience, a new attraction opening in October 2026, advancing The Dot Experience’s mission to change perspectives about blindness and inspire action toward a world that welcomes everyone.

For more information about APH, the Hall of Fame, or the Hall of Fame nomination process, visit the APH website.

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