

Friends and supporters contributed \$1.5 million dollars to establish the Bipolar Disorders Research Chair in honor of Joseph R. Calabrese, M.D. The chair will be named in his honor upon his retirement.

At the dedication ceremony held on Tuesday, May 29th, Fred C. Rothstein, MD, President of University Hospitals Case Medical Center said: "This grassroots effort from the community speaks volumes for Dr. Calabrese and his dedication to providing the best in patient care. The magnitude of his commitment is validated through this incredible show of generosity by so many."

Upon designating Dr. Calabrese as the first chair holder, Pamela Davis, M.D., Interim Dean and Vice President for Medical Affairs of Case Western Reserve University School of Medicine, said "Dr. Calabrese's extensive history of leading research in the field of psychiatry is testament to the exemplary commitment he has made to his field. We are proud to count Dr. Calabrese amongst the faculty leadership of our academic medical center."

"Dr. Calabrese has dedicated himself to his profession and exemplifies the qualities of those who have earned the honor of receiving an honorary chair," said Robert Ronis, MD, L. Douglas Lenkoski Professor & Interim Chair, Department of Psychiatry, Case Medical Center. "This distinction further validates his ambassadorship to the field of psychiatry and to Case Medical Center."