

**What:** LifeBridge Food For Thought Breakfast  
**When:** June 6, 2017 • 7:30 am—9:30am  
**Where:** Bridgeport Holiday Inn

**JOIN US FOR “FOOD FOR THOUGHT”** an event that brings community and business leaders together to spark conversation and collaboration around issues of poverty as diverse as workforce development, at-risk youth, and healthcare. This year we we'll focus on the power of technology to inform, engage, and unite new audiences around initiatives that can improve the quality of our personal, professional and community lives. We'll also celebrate our recent merger with Bridgeport Child Advocacy Coalition and its positive impact on our collective efforts to improve the quality of life, health and economic well-being of Greater Bridgeport.



**AUDIENCE:** Approximately 400 influential community activists and leaders drawn from Fairfield County's business, non-profit and government sectors with a shared interest in working collaboratively address the issues of poverty in Greater Bridgeport through direct services, advocacy, and policy development.

Our keynote speaker, **David Pogue**, is a New York Times bestselling author who has more than 1.5 million followers on Twitter, has given four TED talks, and is the tech critic for Yahoo Finance, the world's biggest business publication. He writes a monthly column for Scientific American, and for thirteen years, he wrote the tech column for The New York Times. Pogue also hosts science shows on PBS's NOVA and appears frequently on CBS Sunday Morning. He has won four Emmys, two Webby Awards, and a Loeb Award for journalism. He's written eighty books, most recently, Pogue's Basics: Life, Pogue's Basics: Tech, and Pogue's Basics: Money.

## About LifeBridge Community Services

**Our mission—to empower people to build a brighter, more secure future.** By linking flexible, innovative programs, LifeBridge Community Services helps over 17,000 low-income individuals and families each year strengthen their personal capabilities, develop skills, and achieve greater economic self-sufficiency.

**Our clients** are challenged by a range of complex social, economic, and health issues which affect their quality of life and the stability of our communities. Most come from the Greater Bridgeport Area, where 56% of families fall below the income threshold that a household needs to afford the basics in Fairfield County (*ALICE Report, United Way, 2014*).

**Our impact**—meaningful change that is achieved by individualized client service plans that provide sustained, multi-dimensional support. As one of the oldest and largest social service agencies in the area, LifeBridge has grown and evolved to meet the changing needs of our community for over 168 years.

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### Sponsorship: \$1,000

Seating for one table, listing in program

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- ◆ Recognition in program: preferred seating

### Individual Ticket: \$100

### Under 30 Ticket: \$75

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