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TOPICS FOR INTERVIEWS AND SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS:

- Balancing two worlds in one treatment plan: Alternative Healing with Conventional Medicine.
- If your child is seriously ill, what can you do as a parent? Empowerment of mothers (and other caregivers) and the power of hope (and the illegitimacy of false hope).
- Is Alternative Healing safe for babies and children? How to find an alternative healing practitioner.
- The burden of a child's illness on the rest of the family.

SHORT BIO

Lindsay's published books include [Embracing The Dragon: One Mother's Relentless Search for Healing and Hope](#), a memoir that chronicles her younger son's stunning recovery from an incurable fatal disease when alternative healing approaches, such as acupuncture and herbal medicine, were used alongside conventional western protocols. She has also written a children's story, [My Brother Wins Every Eating Contest](#) (illustrated by C.J. Love), to enable parents to help their healthy children (ages 3-8) process complicated emotions resulting from their sibling's illness, such as fear, guilt, and resentment. Her third book, [HIV Testing and Risk](#), describes her findings from a door-to-door household survey on HIV funded by the National Institute On Drug Abuse and conducted in a Baltimore neighborhood that has been devastated by the epidemic.

Lindsay Beane, DrPH, is a seasoned writer, trainer, and health care planning consultant. She has worked exclusively in the nonprofit sector since 1979, with a focus on public health, equity and inclusion, coalition building, and the cultural arts. She has served in numerous capacities in nonprofit organizations, including founder and executive director, director of grants administration, quality assurance monitor, trainer, and board member. As a planning and fundraising consultant, Lindsay has helped to secure over \$100 million for Federally Qualified Health Centers, HIV providers, and hospitals and health systems. Her clients have included national coalitions, public and private schools, family and youth development centers, church ministries, drug recovery programs, and grassroots activist groups. She has also taught program development and grantwriting at the Johns Hopkins University, Goucher College, Association of Baltimore Area Grantmakers, Association of Nonprofit Organizations, and Morgan State University.

Lindsay's personal interests include classical piano, dance, drumming, photography, filmmaking, gardening, grandchildren, reading, and travel.