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MTV's Dr. Drew Pinsky coming to OU March 30

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Dr. Drew Pinsky, who dispenses advice on love, relationships and sex as co-host of MTV's "Loveline," will speak at the Pioneer Food Court in the **Oakland Center** on Friday, March 30, at 8 p.m. The Student Program Board is sponsoring the lecture with the support of the **Graham Health Center's Counseling Center** and the Office of Student Affairs.

"Dr. Drew" paired with Adam Carolla in December 1996 to host "Loveline," an extension of Pinsky's radio program of the same title. Pinsky and Carolla released their first book in October 1998, "The Dr. Drew and Adam Book: A Survival Guide to Life and Love." In 1999, Pinsky launched drDrew.com, a website that shares health care information and advice.

Fifteen years ago, while he was in his fourth year of medical school, Pinsky volunteered to co-host a Los Angeles-based radio talk show, which eventually developed into "Loveline." Today, the nationally syndicated radio program airs in over 60 markets.

After graduating with an undergraduate degree from Amherst College, Pinsky received his M.D. from USC's School of Medicine. He remained there for his residency and later became chief resident. He currently is the medical director for the department of chemical dependency services at Las Encinas Hospital in Pasadena and the chief of services in the Department of Medicine. He also is a board-certified internist and addictionologist.

Tickets for the lecture are required and are available at the Center for Student Activities Service Window, located in the lower level of the **Oakland Center**. Tickets are free to OU students, faculty and staff with university I.D., and are \$5 for the general public. For more information, call (248) 370-4295.

SUMMARY

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