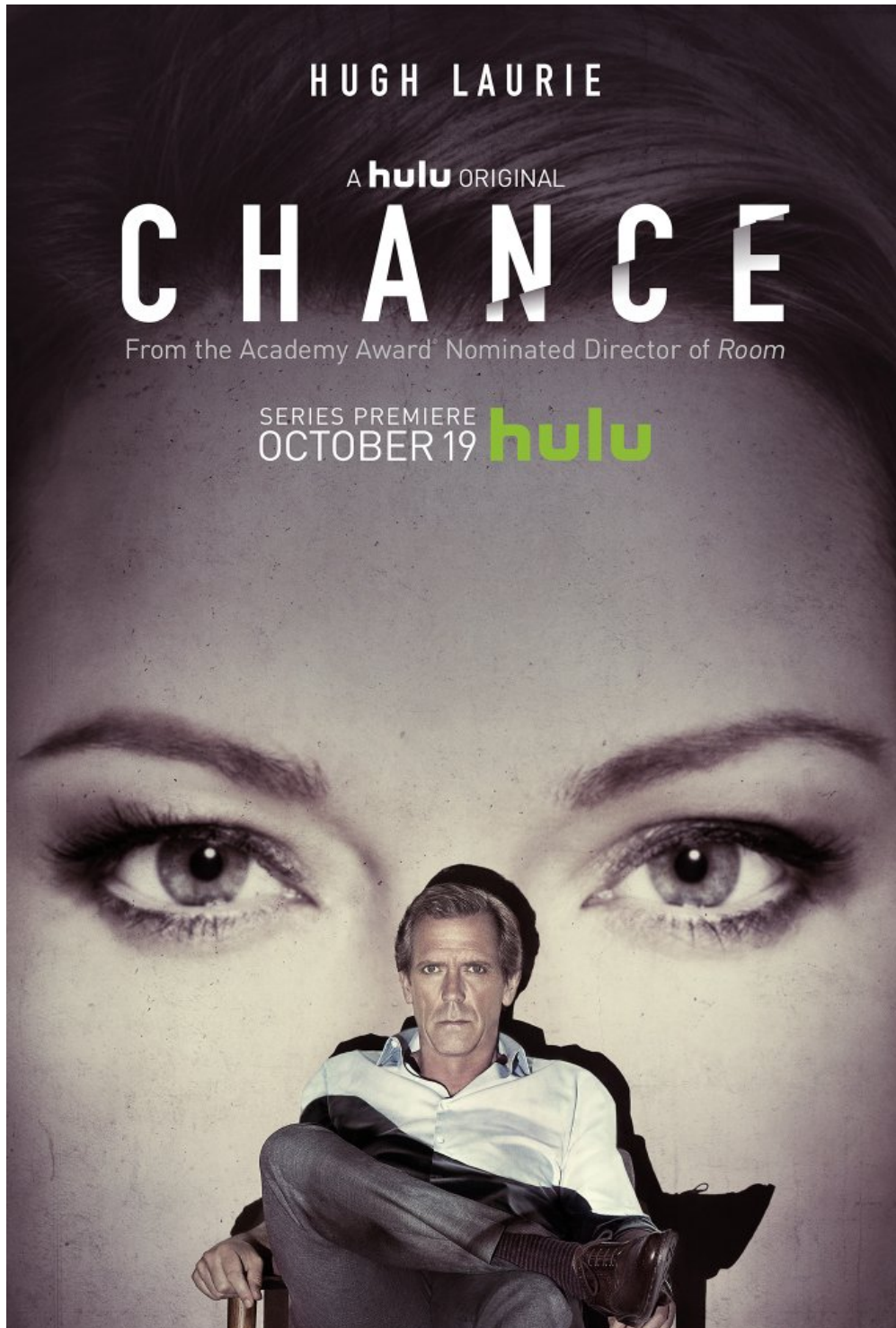


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Season One

The Summer of Love

Season 1

Episode Number: 1

Season Episode: 1

Originally aired: Wednesday October 19, 2016
Writer: Alexandra Cunningham
Director: Lenny Abrahamson
Show Stars: Hugh Laurie (Dr. Eldon Chance), Diane Farr (Christina Chance), Lisa Gay Hamilton (Suzanne Silver), Stefania LaVie Owen (Nicole Chance), Greta Lee (Lucy), Gretchen Mol (Jaclyn Blackstone), Paul Adelstein (Raymond Blackstone), Ethan Suplee (D), Clarke Peters (Carl)
Guest Stars: Phillip Caires (Insurance executive), Robin Calvert (Man in Wheelchair), Rocky Capella (angry Mercedes driver), Kevin Carscallen (High School Bicycle Student), Judy Cerda (Doctor), Tsulan Cooper (Homeless Morning Woman), Zachary Culbertson (Tenderloin Tough), Mostafa Elmorsy (Hospital Orderly), Stacy Fairley (Nurse), Luis Fierros (Barista), Gail Gamble (Mom), Carlos R. Hailey (Orderly), Cassandra Hendry (High School Student), Tcarla Horn (Havenwood School Student), Ginger Jackson (Teacher), Carol Jefferson (Office Worker), Karen Kahn (Nurse), Christina July Kim (Attorney), Debra Lamb (Waitress), Sal Lopez (Jean-Baptiste), Mary Lu Marr (Hospital Patient), Makenzie Massagli (Hotel Guest), Joe Metheny (Nicole's Boyfriend), Mahal Montoya (Attorney), Jeff Mosley (Annoyed Driver), Steve Warky Nunez (Cafe Patron), Tom O'Reilly (Neighbor), John Pendergast (Lanky Kid), Dalton Puckett (Highschool Teen), Duane Ram (Officer L. Styles), Phil Reeves (Leonard Haig), Ron Roggé (D.K.), Joleen Sanders (Hotel Patron), Susan Soriano (Mariella's Aunt), Megan Stack (Restaurant patron), Jeanne Young (Parent / driver), Brett Zimmerman (Neil), Cybele Zufolo (Leonard Haig's Secretary), Andy Tabbat (Male couple with dog), James D. Weston II (Precision driver)
Summary: Dr. Eldon Chance resolves to help Jaclyn Blackstone, a woman with a second personality, escape her abusive, crooked cop husband with the help of a dangerous, Nietzsche-quoting, antique furniture restorer known simply as D.



The episode opens with a scene straight out of a horror movie. A woman is trapped in a blood-splattered car, with a dead body and a decapitated head next to her, as she screams helplessly. Turns out she's one of Dr. Chance's patients—he examines hopeless people, giving them treatment plans and references for therapists.

Dr. Chance meets Jaclyn Blackstone, a beautiful but troubled woman who claims to have a second personality, Jackie Black, ever since she was beaten to the point of passing out by her now estranged husband Raymond, a homicide

detective in Oakland. Jackie is extroverted and sexual—she still sleeps with Raymond, even if

Jaclyn would never do such a thing. Chance gives her a recommendation for a therapist named Suzanne. Jaclyn used to see a therapist, but her previous one died under what we will learn are mysterious circumstances.

Chance picks his daughter up from school. Again, I wouldn't mention this rather boring moment, but there's something odd going on. A lot of her classmates are wearing medical masks covering their mouths. Why? Is this just a thing people do in San Francisco? It just seemed so weird and no one addressed it all! Anyways, Chance's family life is in turmoil. He's divorcing his flighty wife Christine, who's already found a new lover, and needs to sell his house and make money fast, as Christine's accounting errors have led to him owing a massive amount of back taxes.

In a bid to make money, Chance decides to sell his antique furniture, going to the same shop he bought it from. He's greeted by shop owner Carl, a black man prone to wearing weird necklaces and making cryptic pronouncements. He's a strange character. The actor overacts, even in voiceover—the message he leaves for Dr. Chance telling him to come to the shop, as he has news too beautiful not to share sounds like the greeting you'd get to a haunted house theme park ride or a dinner party murder mystery. Chance's desk would go for a lot more if the brass detailing on the front wasn't missing. Carl gives Chance an option: he can have his lackey Dee make a new brass front. It would technically be a forgery, but the odds of anyone finding out are slim to none.

Dee is a disturbed war vet prone to violence and spouts of intense staring. Chance confides in him about his latest case—Jaclyn's in the hospital, probably due to her husband beating her. Dee and Chance go for a walk. Dee forces Chance to take out a large amount of cash in front of some unsavory characters in a nightmarish neighborhood. Of course, the unsavory characters follow them into an alley. They ask for money. Dee immediately fights them, smashing one's face in and stabbing another. He's doing this to prove to Chance that he could take Raymond if Chance wanted him to.

The Axiom of Choice

Season 1
Episode Number: 2
Season Episode: 2

Originally aired: Wednesday October 19, 2016
Writer: Alexandra Cunningham
Director: Lenny Abrahamson
Show Stars: Hugh Laurie (Dr. Eldon Chance), Diane Farr (Christina Chance), Lisa Gay Hamilton (Suzanne Silver), Stefania LaVie Owen (Nicole Chance), Greta Lee (Lucy), Gretchen Mol (Jaclyn Blackstone), Paul Adelstein (Raymond Blackstone), Ethan Suplee (D), Clarke Peters (Carl)
Guest Stars: Mike Alfieri (EMT), Javier Chavarin (Hotel Maintenance Worker), William Clements (Pedestrian / Business Hotel Guest), Hayley Gagner (Pedestrian), Douglas Gawoski (Hotel Guest), Sal Lopez (Jean-Baptiste), Afsheen Olyaie (Bellman), Andy Rolfes (Detective #2), Steven Wiig (Takeout Guy)
Summary: Chance investigates Jaclyn's last psychiatrist and a secret rendezvous with Jaclyn forces an ominous encounter.



Chance decides to investigate Jaclyn's old therapist. Turns out, she was brutally murdered and her office was burnt down, so her files are destroyed. He ingratiates himself with a local D.A. by offering to help him with more cases and to explain medical histories to him, then asks for a look at the file. The working theory is that she interrupted an intruder and was killed, but it's easy money that we learn that either Raymond or Jaclyn killed her.

Suzanne, Jaclyn's new therapist, warns Chance to not get too involved in the case, as he's apparently blurred the boundaries of the doctor/patient relationship before. We don't get details on that just yet. Plus, Suzanne doesn't seem to be convinced that Jaclyn is really suffering from multiple personality disorder. But Chance forges ahead, arranging a secret meeting with Jaclyn, as Raymond doesn't want her to see a therapist anymore. Chance goes to the restaurant they're supposed to meet at, but Raymond walks in. Raymond tries to get Chance to admit the reason he's really there, but Chance says it's just a coincidence. A terrified Jaclyn shows up, but leaves after a few awkward minutes of conversation.

Later that night, Jaclyn shows up in his apartment's lobby, dressed to the nines in a sexy black dress with perfect hair and make-up. But is it really Jaclyn? Or is it her wild alter ego Jackie? Either way, she kisses Chance and he doesn't move to stop her.

Hiring It Done

Season 1

Episode Number: 3

Season Episode: 3

Originally aired: Wednesday October 26, 2016
Writer: Alexandra Cunningham
Director: Michael Lehmann
Show Stars: Hugh Laurie (Dr. Eldon Chance), Diane Farr (Christina Chance), Lisa Gay Hamilton (Suzanne Silver), Stefania LaVie Owen (Nicole Chance), Greta Lee (Lucy), Gretchen Mol (Jaclyn Blackstone), Paul Adelstein (Raymond Blackstone), Ethan Suplee (D), Clarke Peters (Carl)
Guest Stars: Thomas Fonseca (Doctor), Christian Aguilera (Student), Alison Aulakh (Student), William W. Barbour (Neighbor), Bruce Blau (Super), Allison Davies (Holly Stein), Dyendis Davis-Jones (Nurse), James J. Der Jr. (Doctor), Cheryl Fonseca (Doctor), John Lobato (Pedestrian), James P. Morrow (Doctor), Hawlan Ng (Dr. Eric Martin), Karenna Pullen (Student), Alicia Restivo (Pedestrian), Rick Richardson (Bailiff / J Nixon), Michael T Stewart (Detective), Thomas W. Stewart (Doctor), Phillip E. Walker (Conf. Attendee)
Summary: As Jaclyn continues her therapy, Chance attempts to protect himself and his family from Blackstone's latest round of harassments.



The episode opens where last week's left off, with Jaclyn (or is she Jackie?) aggressively making out with Dr. Chance, who makes a faint-hearted attempt at stopping her, but then goes along with it. At least until Jaclyn recoils in horror, clutching her body and falling down against a wall melodramatically. The easy way to read this would be that she came onto Chance as the sexually promiscuous Jackie, there are inconsistencies with her story. She said that Jackie only came out with Raymond—Raymond wasn't there.

Both Jackie/Jaclyn repeat the same line about Chance being her knight.

Jaclyn tells Chance about the first time she realized Raymond was violent. They had a lovely picnic together, but when she lightheartedly laughed at him after he made a mistake changing a flat tire, he knocked her out with a crow bar. "Like being struck by lightning on a cloudless day", she says, in the overwrought melodramatic dialogue so far typical of this show. She says Raymond won't leave her alone until one of them is dead, pretty much straight up asking Chance to kill him.

Chance tells her about his perfume collection—he's interested in how smell/memory are connected. She smells one of them and rushes out of the room, either overcome by a horrific past memory or doing a pretty good impression of someone overcome by a horrific past memory. If I haven't made it perfectly clear yet, I don't trust Jaclyn. I wouldn't be surprised if all her actions were an elaborate plot to get Chance to kill Raymond, although there'd have to be an easier way to get that done.

Someone is torturing Chance, playing psychological games on him that could result in real danger. He receives a mysterious package—an angel ornament, with no note or return address. His office manager Lucy tells him it's probably a gift from this patient who has a little crush

on him. Maybe that one isn't scary/dangerous, but I'm sure there's something deeper going on. There always is in these types of shows. But there's more—when he goes outside, he sees a menu from the Chinese restaurant from last episode. Suzanne correctly points out that Raymond could've known he'd be at that restaurant because Jaclyn told him, but Chance doesn't want to hear it.

Things get worse. He opens his laptop to begin a critical presentation at a conference, only for a video of child pornography to begin playing. His daughter Nicole is reported missing from school. She calls him from a phone in a train station—she claims that she ditched class and a homeless person attacked her, stealing her backpack and phone. Chance shows that he's becoming paranoid by assuming that Raymond somehow is behind this.

But maybe he's right to be paranoid. He goes to his car and finds an envelope of medical records. He begins reading them, in the same manner we saw him analyze patients' records in the previous two episodes. This isn't just any patient—it's his own records. We learn that while he was on call doing his residence at Massachusetts General Hospital, he encountered a patient, became obsessed with her, and stalked her, violating a restraining order and getting arrested. He was diagnosed with delusional erotic mania, but he doesn't seem to trust the diagnosis. He simply says that "Everyone feels better when the thing has a name."

Chance goes to see Dee. Inspired by a conversation they had earlier, he decides to stop being on the defensive and wants to turn the tables on Raymond. Dee says that Raymond is trying to scare him. He could have easily had Chance killed, or released the medical records to everyone he knew already, but instead he's messing with him mentally. Dee's guess is that Chance is scaring him. Dee tells Chance that he needs to know what his enemy is afraid of. Dee tells him, "Question is, not is it a game. Question is who sets the rules"—the type of line that looks great on paper, but sounds a little contrived when spoken out loud, like lots of the dialogue in this show.

Dee is clearly a psychopath. We know this by the way he throws a hatchet at the wall just behind Chance's head to punctuate his sentences. I don't think that Raymond is the one targeting Chance—that just seems too obvious. Maybe it's Dee, who's playing some sort of twisted game. After all, he doesn't seem shocked at all at the weird things that have been happening to Chance. Or maybe it's Jaclyn. I'm not sure why she'd want to mess with Chance, but there's definitely more going on with her than what appears on the surface.

The Mad Doctor

Season 1

Episode Number: 4

Season Episode: 4

Originally aired: Wednesday November 2, 2016
Writer: Alexandra Cunningham
Director: Carl Franklin
Show Stars: Hugh Laurie (Dr. Eldon Chance), Diane Farr (Christina Chance), Lisa Gay Hamilton (Suzanne Silver), Stefania LaVie Owen (Nicole Chance), Greta Lee (Lucy), Gretchen Mol (Jaclyn Blackstone), Paul Adelstein (Raymond Blackstone), Ethan Suplee (D), Clarke Peters (Carl)
Guest Stars: Laurie Burke (Alice Kaye), Christian Aguilera (Stripmall Pedestrian), Moises Amaya (Second Chair Attorney), Tom Hart (Father of Kushel's wife), Kenneth Heaton (Burly Man), Carol Jefferson (Driver), Debra Lamb (Waitress), Mary Lu Marr (Bar Patron), Joe Metheny (Nicole's Boyfriend), James P. Morrow (Furniture Store Shopper), Debbie Omariba (Junkie Woman), Kelly Richardson (Kushel's wife), Rick Richardson (Detective), Vanessa Ross (Prostitute), Michael Rupnow (Neil), David L. Schormann (Courtroom Sheriff), Molly Shaiken (Oakland Police Officer), Thomas W. Stewart (Furniture Store Shopper), Al-Saadoon Thanya (Furniture Store Shopper), Dan Warner (Frank Taylor)
Summary: Chance and D begin surveillance of Blackstone, hoping to get hard evidence of his corruption. Chance's desire to help Jaclyn veers into obsessive, making him question the mission and his own sanity.



Chance and Dee start tailing Blackstone, in hopes of uncovering whatever wrongdoings Jaclyn was hinting at when she told Chance that he was dirty. It starts off slowly, with Chance driving Dee as they stakeout the police station and follow him home. Chance is driving because Dee claims to not have a license, but it also could be because Dee wants Chance's company. He needs someone to bore with his convoluted riddles and musings on power and control.

The number one rule of tailing someone is don't get burned, so when they lose sight of Blackstone, they return to Dee's woodworking shop. Chance reconsiders this whole operation—after all, as he says, he's a doctor, not a Raymond Chandler character. You're right! Stop this nonsense. But Chance can't. He's obsessed with Jaclyn, as evidenced by the fact that he calls her just say that he's thinking about her. He says it's "Elden" calling, not "Dr. Chance". Chance! What are you doing? Blackstone could be listening to her voicemails and he warned you to stay away!

Someone is definitely interested in Dee and Chance's operation. They're being followed by a man who looks like a cop. Dee notices him while they're spying on Blackstone from a bar. Blackstone meets with two people—a gangster looking guy and a beautiful blonde—and gives them the dog he was holding. Very suspicious. Dee tracks down his car, then tricks him into coming down to the parking garage, where he threatens him, beats him up, and warns him not to come after him again. His name is Taylor and he's a private investigator. If Dee's being followed

by a PI, there's something shady going on with him. We really don't know that much about him. Chance trusts him completely, but should he?

They follow Blackstone again at night, where he returns to a massage parlor/brothel they saw him at earlier. Turns out he was simply doing his cop duty by preparing for a bust, as they see him and other officers escort out and arrest the workers. Chance is furious and once again reconsiders working with Dee. Dee suggests they follow Blackstone on his day off. Chance gets a call from Suzanne, Jaclyn's therapist. Jaclyn stole \$2000 from the place Suzanne arranged for her to stay at, so she needs to leave. Jaclyn claims she doesn't remember what she was doing when the money was stolen.

Throughout this episode, Chance was preparing to help a lawyer with a case. Her client, a prominent doctor, is accused of a lot of things—shoplifting, trading oxy prescriptions for oral sex, not noticing that his wife has drowned (unclear how that is a crime, but maybe he drowned her? The specific thing he's on trial for is never actually mentioned). Chance determines that he has a form of dementia that makes it impossible for him to choose between right and wrong. He may intellectually know the difference, but he can't stop himself from doing the wrong thing.

He testifies to this at his trial, but this angers the doctor, who's found guilty and asks to speak with Chance in jail. He visits him. The doctor doesn't really seem to want anything except to ask who determines what is right or wrong? The answer is other people and the doctor seems to be saying that one should just do whatever they think is right for themselves. It's the sort of scene that this show is very fond of—it doesn't contribute anything to the plot, it just highlights the themes of the show (morality is fluid, people are governed by self-interest, etc.) through over-written dialogue and tense stares.

When Chance and Dee follow Blackstone on his day off, they find that he's out shopping with Jaclyn, looking like the picture of a loving couple. Chance, unable to help himself, leaves the car to spy on them from the store. Dee grabs him and forces him out of there, but Jaclyn definitely noticed him. It remains to be seen whether or not Blackstone did. Chance follows Jaclyn that night, confronting her. She drops a bombshell. The reason she still hangs out with Blackstone is because he's threatened her daughter. A daughter she gave up for adoption at 17, but Blackstone found and is now using as leverage.

I still don't trust Jaclyn, but Dee unearths some even more damning evidence against Blackstone. He finds out that Blackstone took some of the girls from the massage parlor bust, along with the blonde in the park, and he's running his own sex trafficking ring. There's also some boring subplots about Chance not being able to sell his old house because Christine's boyfriend damaged the structure with his home gym and his assistant leaving him because he's acting shady, but they're barely worth mentioning.

A Still Point in the Turning World

Season 1
Episode Number: 5
Season Episode: 5

Originally aired: Wednesday November 9, 2016
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Director: Roxann Dawson
Show Stars: Hugh Laurie (Dr. Eldon Chance), Diane Farr (Christina Chance), Lisa Gay Hamilton (Suzanne Silver), Stefania LaVie Owen (Nicole Chance), Greta Lee (Lucy), Gretchen Mol (Jaclyn Blackstone), Paul Adelstein (Raymond Blackstone), Ethan Suplee (D), Clarke Peters (Carl)
Guest Stars: Dana Boden (Blackstone's Henchman), Yin Dumela (Pedestrian), Sal Lopez (Jean-Baptiste), Steve Tanabe (Romanian thug)
Summary: Desperate to incriminate Blackstone, Chance and D take their surveillance to the next level.



The episode picked up right where last week's left off—with Chance and Dee watching as Blackstone oversees his brothel/drug den. Chance wants to call the police and expose him right then and there, but Dee convinces him to wait. If they alert the police to the brothel, the people inside will flush the drugs and the girls will be too scared to talk. Blackstone will get away with it. Dee knew the warehouse was there because he's been staking out the area for a week, pretending to be homeless. Dee thinks everyone should

be homeless for at least a month, just to experience it.

Chance gets a brain scan. He wanted to see if he had any tumors that could cause erratic behavior. He's almost disappointed to learn that he doesn't. Chance is aware that he's not acting in the most intelligent manner—he's reckless, impulsive, and taking crazy risks for a woman he doesn't even really know—but now he also knows that his choices are his own. There's nothing wrong with his brain making him act this way. When he goes to the parking lot, Blackstone is waiting for him. Blackstone beats him up and warns him to stay away from his wife.

Still hunched over in pain, he goes to his office, where his new temp tells him that his wife stopped by. Or at least a woman claiming to be his wife. It was really Jaclyn. He also thinks that Blackstone broke in and snooped around. Suzanne, Jaclyn's therapist, barges in. She's mad that Chance put her in danger by suggesting she take on Jaclyn as a client. She knows that Myra Cohen, Jaclyn's old therapist, was murdered and she herself just had her tires slashed while her car was parked in front of her house. Chance tells her to stop seeing Jaclyn, which really is advice that he should be following. This is another issue I have with the show so far. Chance is willing to risk everything for Jaclyn, but she doesn't seem to have much going on for her besides her beauty.

Chance sees a patient: a retired judge who's given over a million dollars to his homecare taker, acknowledging that she may have ulterior motives for being with him, but he's in love.

We learn that Jaclyn has been hanging out around Chance's apartment. Nicole recognizes her after she stops by to talk to him. Adding more credence to the theory that she's faking the whole multiple personality thing, she remembers talking to Chance in the park, even though she was "Jackie" then. She normally loses memories when she's Jackie, but not this time. Chance

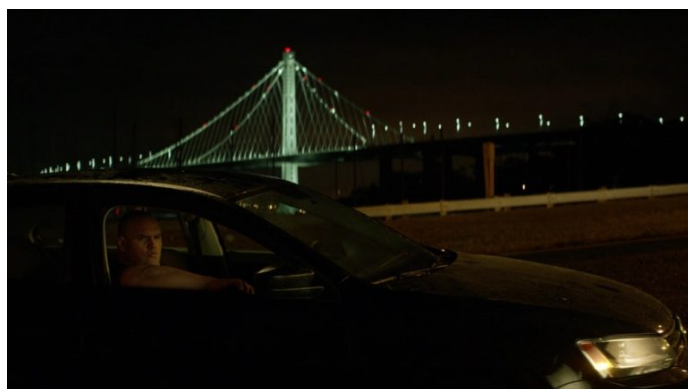
himself seems to be having doubts about her truthfulness and diagnosis, admitting to Dee that he never used to believe that multiple personality disorder was real. Most of the time, people who claim to have them are really suffering from borderline personality disorder.

Dee and Chance plan their next move. They're going to break into Blackstone's car, get to his computer, and download everything on it. Dee has Chance wait in the car at a designated meeting point while he goes to do the deed. When he comes back, he's drenched in sweat. Something's gone wrong. He didn't kill Blackstone—at least he thinks he didn't—but he definitely killed another cop. He tells Chance to drive, far away and fast. Chance is now in way too deep to ever return to his normal life. All over a woman who may or may not be playing him for reasons unknown. And his one ally is a crazy trained killer/blacksmith. Good luck!

The Unflinching Spark

Season 1
Episode Number: 6
Season Episode: 6

Originally aired: Wednesday November 16, 2016
Writer: Sara Gran
Director: Daniel Attias
Show Stars: Hugh Laurie (Dr. Eldon Chance), Diane Farr (Christina Chance), Lisa Gay Hamilton (Suzanne Silver), Stefania LaVie Owen (Nicole Chance), Greta Lee (Lucy), Gretchen Mol (Jaclyn Blackstone), Paul Adelstein (Raymond Blackstone), Ethan Suplee (D), Clarke Peters (Carl)
Guest Stars: William W. Barbour (Driver #1), Bruce Blau (Super), Dana Boden (Blackstone's Henchman), Kevin Carscallen (Street Pedestrian), Sandra Dee (Judge), Carolyn Fluehr (Student), Kate Forristall (Mary Whitten), Douglas Gawoski (Pedestrian), Cassandra Hendry (Pedestrian / Park Goer), Carol Jefferson (Chinatown Restaurant Patron), Mari Kearney (Cloris Flowers), Tim Lajcik (Bouncer), Sal Lopez (Jean-Baptiste), Joe Metheny (Nicole's Boyfriend), Steve Tanabe (Blackstone's henchman), Bobby Ysip (Chinese Restaurant Patron)
Summary: Awaiting the fallout from their last mission, Chance fears for his family's safety. During a night alone with Jaclyn, Chance suspects his patient may not be as helpless as he believed.



Last week, we learned that there was "collateral damage" in Dee's operation to steal Blackstone's computer from his car. He tells Chance that a goon tried to pepper spray him, so he sliced his face through the eyeballs and snapped his neck. Blackstone came out, so Dee threw a knife into his chest. It's a grisly scene that we see replayed several times throughout the episode. Dee isn't bothered by what he did, but the troubling aspect of it is that the fact that the goon came outside means it's possible there

was hidden surveillance Dee wasn't aware of.

Chance is of course completely freaked out by what happened, so much so that he runs into an old lady's car while they're driving away from the crime scene. He convinces the lady, Cloris Flowers, to not file a police report, instead giving her his business card and promising to take care of the damages. I'm sure she'll come back into play later in the season, but she appears to be taken care of for now. Chance shows that he's taken to this whole black ops thing pretty quickly by deciding that—provided Blackstone isn't dead—the fact that he's in the hospital makes it a perfect opportunity to break into his apartment.

They plan the break-in for the next day, but Chance gets distracted by a few things. His ex-wife tells him that Nicole had a boyfriend, John, for five months. They broke up, but now John's parents are convinced that Nicole is stalking him. Chance talks to Nicole, but she plays it off like his parents are just over-involved and hyper-protective. His own diagnosis, from back when he stalked the patient while in med school, plays in his mind, but he seems to believe her. That is, until he meets with the parents. They paint a pretty vivid picture of her stalker-like behavior, behavior that could get her in trouble with the school.

He's supposed to meet with a pair of lawyers to be deposed as an expert witness for an upcoming case, but only one of them shows. Someone sent Chance's police reports and medical records to their office, via certified mail with no return address. In light of this, they're going to go with another expert witness. It may be "ancient history" in Chance's words, but they can't have a hint of impropriety if they want to win their case. Chance's professional life and financial stability is now at risk thanks to Blackstone.

The other thing he's distracted by is Jaclyn. Jaclyn stops by his office, waxing romantic on the black knight chess piece she left him, claiming she bought it at a thrift shop because it reminded her of him and she wanted to be in his space. They spend the day together, in public, looking like a couple, then go back to his apartment to have sex. It's incredibly risky and stupid considering the fact that Blackstone probably has been having him followed. The next morning, he tells Jaclyn that he wants her to get well and whole before they have a relationship, but he'll wait for her.

Jaclyn tells him that the police have no suspects in the murder of the bouncer/Blackstone's attack, but that Blackstone is focused on getting revenge when he gets out of the hospital. Dee and Chance break into his place, dressing up as air conditioner repairmen and entering the building. They don't find anything particularly damning, but Chance does find a matching chess piece to the one Jaclyn gave him. Either Jaclyn stole the piece from Blackstone, or she bought both at the thrift store and left Blackstone one as well. This could possibly be a clue that she's playing both sides, telling Blackstone that Chance is harassing her.

Chance returns to his apartment, but hears voices inside before he opens the door. People have broken in. He tries to leave the building, but there are menacing men waiting outside. He finally manages to escape, rushing over to Dee's workshop, only to find Dee lying face down on the floor, blood trickling down his temple. It's possible that he'll manage to pull through, but he certainly looked dead. It seems as if Blackstone did have surveillance by the massage parlor, and now exacted his revenge. What isn't clear is whether or not Blackstone knows Dee was working for Chance. If he does know that, it's going to be kill or be killed for Dr. Eldon Chance.

Unlocking Your Hidden Powers

Season 1
Episode Number: 7
Season Episode: 7

Originally aired: Wednesday November 23, 2016
Writer: Alexandra Cunningham
Director: Michael Lehmann
Show Stars: Hugh Laurie (Dr. Eldon Chance), Diane Farr (Christina Chance), Lisa Gay Hamilton (Suzanne Silver), Stefania LaVie Owen (Nicole Chance), Greta Lee (Lucy), Gretchen Mol (Jaclyn Blackstone), Paul Adelstein (Raymond Blackstone), Ethan Suplee (D), Clarke Peters (Carl)
Guest Stars: Jaden Alexander (Mari), Jennifer Black (Masseuse), Marcella Bragio (Restaurant Patron), Kevin Carscallen (Pedestrian), Riley Chandler (Teenage D), Madelon Curtis (Ruth Morrison), Quinn Friedman (Young D), Michael McGrady (Sanford Pringle), Sean Michael McGrory (Sanford Pringle II), Monterey Morrissey (James Morrison), Joey Ruggiero (Pedestrian), Tanya Ruth (Girl), Molly Shaiken (Oakland Police Detective), Thomas W. Stewart (Doctor), Dan Warner (Frank Taylor)
Summary: Chance uncovers truths about the people closest to him, upending his world.



Last week, I thought that the image of Dee laying passed out on the ground, right after Chance was menaced by Romanian heavies in his own home, meant that Blackstone had found Dee and beat him up. I'm sure I'm not the only one who came to this conclusion, but Chance pulled a bait and switch. Dee wasn't targeted or beat up by anyone—instead, in an incredible coincidence, he went into a diabetic coma right when Chance needs him most. This allows Chance to find out more about his past via the medical

records he obtains from a nurse while Dee is in the hospital, but was anyone really clamoring to learn more about his backstory?

What we learn: Dee had a horrible childhood. His older brother and mom were killed by a drunk driver. He himself suffered brain damage. His father, a theoretical physicist, couldn't bear to be around him, so he sent him to live with his grandmother and her third husband. Her husband's son from a previous marriage came to live with them. He sexually abused Dee for years. Dee's father eventually came to get him, but he was preoccupied with his new wife and family and sent him back to his grandmother's when he went on trips. Dee became obsessed with warfare and martial arts and eventually beat his grandmother's husband and his son almost to death. He was taken to a state mental hospital for three months.

Chance wants to learn more, so he goes to the VA hospital where he was treated in the past. The administrator there tells him that Dee ran away from the state mental hospital and started living in the streets, making money as an enforcer. He moved to Palo Alto and began hanging around the large veteran community there, eventually getting addicted to drugs. He wanted treatment, so he went to the VA. The only problem? Dee never served in the military. His vet friends got him a fake military ID. All of his talk about combat to Chance was just delusions. Dee's clearly a very damaged person. If he ever gets out of his coma, I don't know how Chance can justify continuing to work with him on these Blackstone missions.

Chance talks to Clarence the antiques dealer about his discoveries. Clarence knew the truth about Dee, but sympathizes with him. He's worried that Dee's father, a powerful and intelligent man, will try to get Dee sent away for good. Chance doesn't think his father will go through the trouble of trying to gain conservatorship over Dee, but he's quickly proven wrong. Dee's father shows up at the hospital. Chance pretends to be a doctor working on his case, and his father asks him to testify under oath that Dee can't take care of himself. Chance refuses to do so, but Dee's father warns him that Dee is a danger to both himself and others.

In response to Blackstone sending hitmen after him, Chance sends Christina and Nicole away, telling them to get out of town and not tell anyone where they're going. He also contacts Detective Hynes, the officer investigating the Myra Cohen case, and tells him everything. He thinks Blackstone is after him, Blackstone's involved in some sort of brothel, and Chance slept with Blackstone. Hynes promises to look into him, but warns that it won't be easy. Blackstone has a very strong reputation and cops are reluctant to go after other cops.

The other major bit of news we get this episode is about Jaclyn's past. Chance goes through the files Dee stole from Blackstone's computer, clicking on a file named "Mexico" after remembering Dee mentioning that the chess pieces Jaclyn left behind were probably from there. It's a tenuous connection at best, but what he learns is explosive. Blackstone investigated the murder of an Oakland doctor who was handcuffed to a bed and beaten to death. There were no signs of forced entry, but his cell phone was stolen from the scene. Blackstone tracks down the number it called and found that it belonged to a Gulf War vet named Woody.

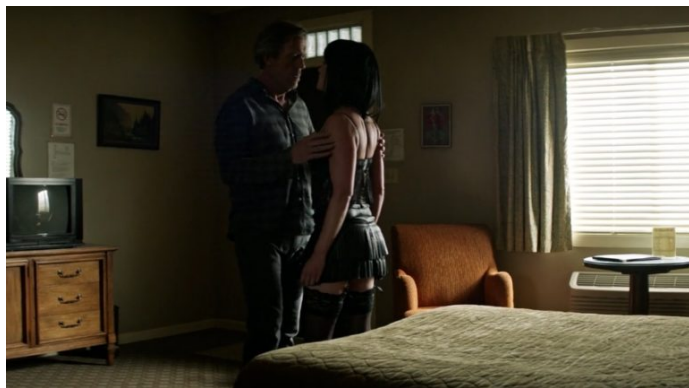
Woody comes in to talk to him voluntarily, explaining that he often goes to Mexico to frequent prostitutes there—he has trouble getting girls because his body is covered in scars and prostitution is legal there. He met a girl who he essentially fell in love with. An amazing, beautiful, smart girl, but one who had a problem with drugs. She was trying to get clean, save money, and care for her daughter, who was staying with her mother. An Oakland doctor promised to help her, but when she left Mexico to be with him, she learned that he just wanted to pimp her out. Woody tells Blackstone that he doesn't care about happens to him, he just wants to help "Jackie."

It seems that Jaclyn Blackstone is the Jackie he's referring to. This is how Blackstone and Jaclyn met. Chance follows Jaclyn and sees her head into a massage parlor/brothel. He gives the girl up front money and heads to Jaclyn's room. She's dressed up like a dominatrix, with a short black wig. Jaclyn's claim to have split personalities seems less likely now. She said "Jackie" emerged after Blackstone beat her, but she was going by that name as a prostitute in Mexico. Will Chance continue trying to help her now that he knows she's a liar?

The House of Space and Time

Season 1
Episode Number: 8
Season Episode: 8

Originally aired: Wednesday November 30, 2016
Writer: Peter Elkoff, Victoria Morrow
Director: Andrew Bernstein
Show Stars: Hugh Laurie (Dr. Eldon Chance), Diane Farr (Christina Chance), Lisa Gay Hamilton (Suzanne Silver), Stefania LaVie Owen (Nicole Chance), Greta Lee (Lucy), Gretchen Mol (Jaclyn Blackstone), Paul Adelstein (Raymond Blackstone), Ethan Suplee (D), Clarke Peters (Carl)
Guest Stars: Bobby August Jr. (Nurse George), William W. Barbour (Military Veteran), Thomas Cokenias (Desk Sergeant), Vinny DeGennaro (Sandro), Aleks Eydelman (Olena), Carolyn Fluehr (Nurse L. Knudsson), Jakeem Hawkins (Damon), Michael McGrady (Sanford Pringle), René Peraza (Detective Ribeiro), Matt Reaves (Military Vet), Mark Sivertsen (Medic), Ross Turner (Doctor), Bianca Von Krieg (Drug Dealer's Girlfriend), Dan Warner (Frank Taylor)
Summary: Proof of Blackstone's criminal activities comes from an unexpected source as Chance is finally poised to take down his enemy.



Last week's episode ended with Chance finding "Jackie" at the massage parlor/brothel and this week's picks up where it left off. Chance and Jackie dramatically rush out of the brothel together and go to a motel, where they proceed to hook up. We've seen Chance with Jaclyn before, but this is the first time we've seen him with Jackie.

It's possible this scene is supposed to be sexy—a rough, passionate hook-up in a cheap motel. Her dumping out a bag of sex toys just made the whole thing feel

even more pathetic. Chance does seem to realize that they can't have a future together, at least not until she's mentally stable, as he agrees to take her to a bus station so she can disappear after she gets him the records showing that Blackstone is involved in sex trafficking.

She gets the books, he drives her to a bus station, and she takes off, not telling Chance where she's going because it's better if he doesn't know. He heads to find Detective Hynes, the police officer who offered to help him two episodes ago, to turn over the information. When Chance gets to the police station, he learns that Hynes didn't come into work that day and isn't answering his phone. We can assume that Blackstone learned he was helping Chance and took him out.

Things get even worse for Chance. He learns that his daughter Nicole ran away from her mother and isn't answering her phone. He gets a text with a picture of her, looking scared. He calls the number. It's Blackstone's men. Nicole went back to Chance's apartment, where they were waiting. Now Chance needs to exchange Jaclyn for her, but Chance has no idea where Jaclyn went. Now that Detective Hynes is out of the picture, the only person he can turn to for help is Dee.

But as we saw last week, Dee was in the hospital in a diabetic coma, with his diabolic father scheming how to transfer him somewhere where he'll be under his control. This week, he wakes up as his father is discussing his plans, chokes out a doctor, and escapes the hospital, calling

Carl to tell him to meet him at a park with his meds. We have a long, completely unnecessary scene where Dee plays chess against a young man in hopes of winning a soda, as his blood sugar is crashing, loses the game, then beats up a drug dealer, takes his money and pays for the soda.

Dee gets Carl to drive him to a person known as "The Medic", as he doesn't think he can go back to a hospital. Smart move, as his father is trying to get Chance to lead him to Dee and help him get committed. Carl reluctantly drives Chance to Dee. He's at an odd homeless community an hour outside San Francisco, full of people training to be fighters—some of the worst fight choreography I've ever seen on TV, it looked like they were dancing. If Dee can't help Chance get Nicole back, maybe one of the dozens of other psychos camped out here can do the job.

Camera Obscura

Season 1

Episode Number: 9

Season Episode: 9

Originally aired: Wednesday December 7, 2016
Writer: Sara Gran, Pete Begler
Director: Dan Attias
Show Stars: Hugh Laurie (Dr. Eldon Chance), Diane Farr (Christina Chance), Lisa Gay Hamilton (Suzanne Silver), Stefania LaVie Owen (Nicole Chance), Greta Lee (Lucy), Gretchen Mol (Jaclyn Blackstone), Paul Adelstein (Raymond Blackstone), Ethan Suplee (D), Clarke Peters (Carl)
Guest Stars: William W. Barbour (Military Veteran), Marcella Bragio (Pedestrian), John Edward Cabrera (Pedestrian), Hugo E. Carbajal (Sgt. Moreno), Mostafa Elmorsy (Military Soldier), James Lee Hardman (Military Soldier), Sal Lopez (Jean-Baptiste), Michael Rupnow (Neil), Mark Sivertsen (Medic), David Mendenhall (Pedestrian), Brian Sampson (Oakland Police Officer)
Summary: Chance is trained in hand-to-hand combat in preparation for a confrontation with Blackstone.



First, if you were worried about Blackstone kidnapping Chance's daughter Nicole, I have good news for you: she's fine. She gets released and taken back to Chance's apartment, with no effort from Chance himself. This is because Jaclyn didn't take a bus to some far off place to disappear. She goes back to Blackstone, basically trading herself for Nicole. Chance has his daughter back, completely unharmed. Now would be a perfect time for Chance to pack up and move to another city, leaving this entire mess

behind him, but no. With the encouragement of Dee, who seems to be way more into this than Chance himself, Chance decides to meet with Blackstone and kill him, as it's the only way to ensure everyone's safety.

This is maybe not the smartest idea, because isn't Blackstone involved in very shady business? Isn't it possible that killing Blackstone would inspire some of his colleagues to seek revenge? It's insane that no one else on the police force has figured out that Blackstone is dirty yet, especially since we see in this episode that he lied to his captain about finding her so he'd call off the manhunt. Blackstone married a wanted fugitive. Unless he moved cities or never introduced anyone he worked with to his wife, it seems like some police officer would have figured this out. But since no one knows he's dirty, there's going to be an investigation into his death, probably leading to Dee or Chance.

In the flashbacks this episode, we also see Blackstone killed Dr. Cohen, Jaclyn's previous therapist, as she insinuated that she knew he was an abusive husband involved in illegal activity, and the mental breakdown Jaclyn was having over not knowing where her daughter is. We also hear Jaclyn's side of the story about what type of person the doctor she killed was. None of this was new information. Perhaps it wasn't confirmed that Blackstone killed Dr. Cohen, but it was heavily, heavily hinted at, we knew that Jaclyn was upset over her daughter, and we knew that the doctor pimped her out. The flashbacks just felt like an excuse to fill the running time of this episode—as did young Jaclyn speaking extremely slowly while talking to Blackstone.

Blackstone wants Chance to meet him at a motel with the second set of books. Dee, Carl and Chance hatch a plot to draw Blackstone out of the room, so that Dee can kill him. The only issue is that Blackstone tells his henchman that if he doesn't come back, shoot Jaclyn in the head—Jaclyn is handcuffed to the bed. Chance freaks out and decides he can't do it. Dee tells him he has to. Chance talks to Blackstone on the phone... it's all very repetitive and had me wishing that the two would just meet already. The episode ends with Chance and Blackstone walking towards each other, Chance remembering Dee's advice about how to kill a man with a knife.

Fluid Management

Season 1

Episode Number: 10

Season Episode: 10

Originally aired: Wednesday December 14, 2016
Writer: Alexandra Cunningham, Kem Nunn
Director: Robert Zemeckis
Show Stars: Hugh Laurie (Dr. Eldon Chance), Diane Farr (Christina Chance), Lisa Gay Hamilton (Suzanne Silver), Stefania LaVie Owen (Nicole Chance), Greta Lee (Lucy), Gretchen Mol (Jaclyn Blackstone), Paul Adelstein (Raymond Blackstone), Ethan Suplee (D), Clarke Peters (Carl)
Guest Stars: Kevin Carscallen (High School Bicycle Student), Robert Chestnut (Patron), Jennifer Field (EMT), Trevor Locke (Medical Conference Attendee), Sal Lopez (Jean-Baptiste), Joe Metheny (Nicole's Boyfriend), David L. Schormann (SFPD Beach Cop), Patricia Simmons (Hospital Visitor), Steve Dakota (Medical Conference Attendee), Jeff Redlick (Coffee shop patron)
Summary: Chance struggles to understand the truth of his tragic encounter with Blackstone.



Last week's episode ended with Chance charging towards Blackstone with a knife—a true kill or be killed situation. Instead of starting where last week's episode left off, the finale opens with Chance being found by paramedics on the beach, having miraculously survived a fall off the cliff. Chance is taken to the hospital, where he's taken care of by the nurse who took care of Dee, and it becomes immediately clear that he has no memories of what happened.

Opening this way is a surprise, but it also robs the story of some of the drama and tension it built up to last week. We're expecting an explosive confrontation and instead we get hazy recollections and Chance mumbling that he can't remember anything. It's decidedly less exciting. Chance learns from a detective that two people are dead, but he doesn't know who. Neither Carl nor Jaclyn are answering their phones, so he's stuck in the hospital with no answers, assuming the worst.

He dreams that Blackstone and Jaclyn visit him, but the true nightmare is a detective who tells him Blackstone is dead and heavily implies that Chance might be a suspect. His carefully crafted plan could come crashing down on him. He takes Chance's clothes to test them, but luckily the nurse has hidden his bag and phone. He goes home, where Suzanne, Jaclyn's former therapist, shows up to once again try to act like a voice of reason, but mainly just shakes her head like a disappointed parent once she realizes that Chance isn't over Jaclyn. Her character has been very one note and this scene felt particularly inessential.

He goes to the antique shop, where Dee and Carl are perfectly fine. They know what happened. Carl headed off Blackstone's associates by crashing his car into theirs. Strangely, this scene was the best done scene in the episode. Watching Carl tail Blackstone's associates was fun, thanks to the editing and soundtrack in the scene. If only that sense of fun was sustained throughout the series! Dee was ready to intervene and extract Chance from the situation, but Chance began striding towards Blackstone. He lost sight of Chance, but knew that Blackstone wouldn't leave Jaclyn, so he goes to his motel room.

Blackstone is there, with a knife sticking out of his chest. Chance actually managed to stab him, but missed the proper spot, so the knife is just stuck in his heart. Dee pulls the knife out of Blackstone's chest, effectively killing him as once the knife was removed, the bleeding worsened. He releases Jaclyn, but doesn't know where she went. Chance tries to blame Dee for killing Blackstone, but it's definitely Chance's fault. He just can't accept that he's a killer yet, even though he killed a horrible man.

Chance walks the street when he's confronted by Detective Hynes, the "good" cop who was going to investigate Blackstone, then disappeared. Turns out after he started asking cops in vice about Blackstone, Blackstone sent his men to his house, so Hynes disappeared for a while. He's convinced that Chance had something to do with Blackstone's death. He's very close to figuring out all the details and seems to be considering blackmailing Chance after the whole thing, so turns out he isn't as good as we thought.

Chance returns home, where Jaclyn is waiting for him. She's written down a confession. We learn that her past was even more horrible than we thought. She was abused as a child, got pregnant very young, and it seems like the daughter died? It was unclear. Her previous therapist, Dr. Cohen, tried very hard to get Jaclyn to confront the trauma of her past and see herself as a survivor. Jaclyn/Jackie couldn't handle this, so she killed Dr. Cohen. The flashback last episode of Blackstone stabbing her in the chest took place after she was already dead. He staged it to look like a home invasion so no one would suspect Jaclyn.

It's a semi-interesting turn of events, but the scenes leading up to it are hard to watch. Dr. Cohen's delivery of her plea to Jaclyn to confront her demons felt like she was rereading a prepared speech—which obviously the actor playing her was—instead of delivering a heartfelt plea to a hurting patient. The fact that it was so obvious that she was acting made it very difficult to become emotionally invested in the scene. Jaclyn gives Chance her confession, tells him to do what he wants with it, and disappears.

The episode ends with Chance telling Dee that he's horrified at having taken a life, but elated at being the one left standing, then the two chat over cheeseburgers while an upbeat rock song plays on the soundtrack.

Season Two

Multiaxial System

Season 2

Episode Number: 11

Season Episode: 1

Originally aired: Wednesday October 11, 2017
Writer: Alexandra Cunningham, Kem Nunn
Director: Jonas Pate
Show Stars: Hugh Laurie (Dr. Eldon Chance), Diane Farr (Christina Chance), Lisa Gay Hamilton (Suzanne Silver), Stefania LaVie Owen (Nicole Chance), Greta Lee (Lucy), Ethan Suplee (D), Clarke Peters (Carl)
Guest Stars: James Babson (Matty Willis), Casey Thomas Brown (Alex Swanson), Emmet Flores (Kali Member), Chris Payne Gilbert (Dawson Litt), Mike Kalinowski (Buddy), Lydia Look (Jiao), Chris Pentzell (Smaller Man), Judah Simard (Travis), Torrey Vogel (Mac)
Summary: By day, Chance ministers to patients at the Victims of Violent Crime Unit; by night, he and D assault the victimizers. Detective Hynes blackmails Chance to use his skills to take down suspected serial killer Ryan Winter.



Chance, in a new office, meets with a patient who explains that her rapist was attacked. As she speaks, we see scenes of D doing the attacking. After she leaves, Chance "x's" the rapist off of a to-do list filled with other names. It seems Chance and D have begun taking justice into their own hands.

Chance tries to talk to D about being less violent with his "threats" and Chance wants to participate in the on-the-ground work. It seems Carl, the furniture store owner, is strapped for cash.

Lucy is back and hired as Chance's assistant in the new office he's working in — a trauma center for victims of violent assaults. She hints at something romantic between the "boss lady" Dr. Clayton and Chance. He vehemently denies it.

Chance gets into an altercation with a guy on the street and his daughter Nikki scolds him for his recent behavior – picking fights with anyone he comes across. Chance has become quite the vigilante.

We find out Chance and Dr. Clayton are in a romantic/sexual relationship and he lied to Lucy. Dr. Clayton reveals the black knight chess piece she found in Chance's bathroom – this has been the only reference to Jaclyn Blackstone thus far.

D is teaching a "class" on hand-to-hand combat and Chance is apprehensive to perform the chokehold maneuver.

Chance goes after one of his patients nemesis' and ends up beating the crap out of the guy. As a result D bans him from being "on-the-ground."

Detective Hynes shows up at Chance's apartment and blackmails him into helping him with a case – a potential serial killer, tech mogul, Ryan Winter. If Chance refuses, Hynes will dig into the truth about what happened the night Raymond Blackstone was murdered.

Chance tries to convince D to help with the case, but he's reluctant. Chance goes after Winter alone and successfully performs the chokehold, before anonymously calling 911.

A Very Special Onion

Season 2
Episode Number: 12
Season Episode: 2

Originally aired: Wednesday October 11, 2017
Writer: Peter Elkoff
Director: Roxann Dawson
Show Stars: Hugh Laurie (Dr. Eldon Chance), Diane Farr (Christina Chance), Lisa Gay Hamilton (Suzanne Silver), Stefania LaVie Owen (Nicole Chance), Greta Lee (Lucy), Ethan Suplee (D), Clarke Peters (Carl)
Guest Stars: Evan Allen-Gessesse (Nurse), Chanté Bowser (Nurse), Francis Lloyd Corby (Son), Thomas Daniel (Dr. LeCheck), Brian Dare (Bartender), Brian Goodman (Detective Kevin Hynes), David Haley (Manager), Gwen Holloway (Mother), Wilke Itzin (Hiker #1), Mapuana Makia (Hiker #2), Vanessa Martinez (Josefa Pefaur), Michael Provost (Jason Spencer), Erin St. James (Nicole's Friend), William Christopher Stephens (Patrolman), Vivienne Taylor (Liz)
Summary: Attacked by Chance, Winter becomes a patient at the unit, with unintended results. D discovers Detective Hynes has a more personal connection to Winter's case than he originally let on.



Winter ends up in the ER following Chance's attack. Chance is there and is able to calm Winter down as he freaks out at doctors.

D breaks into Hynes' apartment to gather information – there is timeline on the wall of the murders and Winter's whereabouts. He discovered Hynes was transferred from a different police department after a mandatory psych evaluation – is obsessed with Winter.

Chance gets punched in the face by someone as he's leaving the hospital. He is making enemies everywhere he goes.

D and Chance have a bit of an argument regarding how to proceed with Hynes. D wants to get information on him, and is also upset with the doctor

for his solo attack on Winter.

Chance visits Winter in his hospital room, performs a pseudo-psych consult with old school images. Winter is seemingly attracted to weak people. He hints at going to Chance's victim unit. Later, Chance finds Winter hiding in someone else's hospital room, eavesdropping. Winter wants to be discharged.

Nicole's friend tells her mom and Chance that the hottest boy in school has been hitting on Nicole. She calls her parents out for being worried about it and explains that things aren't "weird like before," and it's totally normal.

D is doing surveillance on Hynes and follows him to a crime scene where something is being dug up in a field. He sees Hynes crying.

Chance goes to work and discovers that Winter has joined the victim unit and will be attending group therapy. Dr. Clayton compliments Chance on his work.

At group therapy Winter is oddly interested in the stories people are telling, he is fascinated by their victimization and has obviously joined the group for the sole purpose of getting close to these people.

Carl is sent to do recon on Hynes at a gay bar. Hynes reveals he's recently lost someone close to him – the young informant, Travis, who was killed by Winter.

Chance and D go after another one of their "targets" and Chance watches unfazed as D beats the crap out of the guy.

Nicole is blown off by the guy that likes her and finds out that people at her new school have found out about the stalking incident from last year.

Chance reveals to Hynes that he attacked Winter and that he knows that Hynes was transferred and why. He records the conversation where Hynes admits to blackmail, and explains that he now also has the drop on Hynes.

Chance runs into Winter on the street who is highly interested in continuing therapy. Chance is aware of Winter's sinister intentions.

One of Chance's patients from group therapy is found murdered and he knows that Winter is the culprit. Now how will he prove it?

The Flitcraft Parable

Season 2

Episode Number: 13

Season Episode: 3

Originally aired: Wednesday October 11, 2017
Writer: Alyson Evans, Steve Kornacki
Director: Carl Franklin
Show Stars: Hugh Laurie (Dr. Eldon Chance), Diane Farr (Christina Chance), Lisa Gay Hamilton (Suzanne Silver), Stefania LaVie Owen (Nicole Chance), Greta Lee (Lucy), Ethan Suplee (D), Clarke Peters (Carl)
Guest Stars: Ginger Gonzaga (Lorena), Chris Greene (Barry Gilyard), Brandon Irvin (Doctor), Eddie Kehler (Detective McClendon), Michael Provost (Jason Spencer), Melissa Schumacher (Neighbor 1), Scotty Tovar (Oscar)
Summary: D gaslights Winter in an attempt to make him open up to Chance in therapy and meets a girl in the process; with D's guidance, Nicole confronts a bully.



Chance sees Josefa's husband Ronny at her crime scene, tells him he knows he didn't commit the murder.

Chance is questioned by detectives about Josefa's murder – he insinuates that he has another patient who might have done it, but the police are stuck on nailing the husband.

Hynes follows Chance and is led to the antique store where Chance is meeting with D and Carl. He hints at comparing the arsenal of weapons there to the coroner's report from Blackstone's death. D and Hynes butt heads but eventually the four of them very cautiously decide to work together against their common enemy. Hynes is going to get a good public defender to help Ronny.

Hynes, D, and Chance go to talk to a group of guys to corroborate Ronny's alibi. On the way D and Hynes almost get in a fight, before Chance breaks it up. D is upset that Chance let Hynes find "his place" and now they have to deal with him.

Winter goes to see Chance at his office where Chance explains that Josefa was murdered. Winter has scratches on his neck. Chance then relays an observation to D that Winter does not like change in routine and they can use that to get under his skin.

Chance meets with Winter to go over his brain scans and discusses his lack of impulse control and lack of empathy. He says that it is not the result of the attack, but rather the brain he was born with. Winter seems to like the idea that he can blame his brain for his actions rather than taking responsibility for them.

D hides in the trunk of the car of Winter's housekeeper so he can get through the gate and into the house. D moves around all of Winter's things to disturb him, and steals a rock that was on display. The housekeeper sees D in the house, has a surprisingly calm reaction. D opens a jar for her and then leaves quietly.

Chance goes to the office where Dr. Clayton is meeting with detectives about the work that Chance did with Josefa. The detectives reveal to Chance that Ronny's alibi didn't check out and they will be prosecuting him for the murder of his wife.

Nicole goes to lunch with her friend and discovers that it was her that told everyone about the stalking incident. She explodes at the girl and then leaves.

Winter is extremely upset by the things moved in his home and calls Chance in a tizzy. Chance goes to his house where Winter tells him that he believes Hynes is the one who broke into his home and the one who attacked him. He tells Chance a story about seeing a young boy pushed in front of a train when he was a kid, and then sobs on Chance's shoulder.

Nicole goes to the antique store to find her dad and comes across D beating up a dummy. She reveals what's bothering her and D gives her a pep talk about standing up for herself and explains how anything can be used as a weapon.

Chance talks to Hynes about his meeting with Winter and says that he thinks maybe Winter shouldn't be put in jail, but rather a mental institution, showing that he still has empathy for people with issues.

D is watching Winter's house and the housekeeper approaches him. She doesn't want him to disturb Winter anymore so that she doesn't lose her job – she is heavily pregnant. She gives D a sandwich. D asks why she didn't scream when she saw him in the house and she says that he isn't scary.

Chance goes to the office and Lucy reveals to him that Winter has donated 1 million dollars to the victim unit in Josefa's name.

Nicole sees her ex-friend in the library and hits her in the face with a heavy book, before saying "thank you" like D taught her.

The Coping Mechanism

Season 2
Episode Number: 14
Season Episode: 4

Originally aired: Wednesday October 18, 2017
Writer: Dave Flebotte
Director: Nelson McCormick
Show Stars: Hugh Laurie (Dr. Eldon Chance), Diane Farr (Christina Chance), Lisa Gay Hamilton (Suzanne Silver), Stefania LaVie Owen (Nicole Chance), Greta Lee (Lucy), Ethan Suplee (D), Clarke Peters (Carl)
Guest Stars: Mackenzie Astin (Guest Star), Catherine Dent (Cynthia Atkinson), Ginger Gonzaga (Lorena), Brian Goodman (Detective Kevin Hynes), Stephane Nicoli (Guy on a Date), Paul Schneider (Ryan Winter)
Summary: Chance and Hynes talk to someone from Winter's past. D and Lorena get to know each other. Chance pushes Winter into a "limit experience" and begins to break him down. Winter makes a new friend at the unit.



Chance tries to warn Dr. Clayton about accepting money from Winter for the vic-tims unit. She is not receptive.

D stalks Lorena at the grocery store and gives her vitamins for her baby, Lorena declines them but says he can take her to lunch.

Christina reveals to Chance that Nicole might be expelled from school for hitting Pepper, and Pepper's parents are pressing assault charges. She worries that her and Chance are responsible for Nicole's actions.

Hynes reveals to Chance that Winter's story about the boy and the train is true.

The woman, Amy Debbs, is alive and live in a psychiatric hospital. Chance wants to talk to her, believes that she is Winter's mother and that Winter was the boy in the story.

Lucy runs into Winter in a coffee shop and seems interested in him. He invites her to a tech conference, seems more intrigued with her after he discovers she's a mother.

Chance goes to see Pepper and her parents in the hospital, wants to discuss things civilly, the dad tells him to get lost. Very aggressive.

Chance and his assistant Lyndsay meet at his house. She is gung-ho about going after Hynes for the break in. Winter is not convinced.

Chance goes to see D at the store. Carl is outside arguing with another man. Chance yells at D for influencing Nicole to be violent with her bully.

Chance and Hynes go to see Amy Debbs and she reveals that she tried to kill her son because the Lord told her to. She reiterates the train story.

Hynes tells Chance how Winter is his "princess and the pea" that he can't get out of his head. Explains how Travis showed him a glimpse of happiness.

D and Lorena go to Lunch. He asks about her tattoo and past gang affiliation, she tells him about Winter's habits at home.

Lucy shows Chance the new computers that Winter bought for the unit. Chance invites Winter to have a one-on-one session near the beach. It turns out Winter is spying on Chance through the webcam on his computer.

Carl asks D to bring him money at a bar.

Chance takes Winter to the beach where the tide comes in and they have to swim to safety. Winter nearly drowns and Chance saves him. This seem intentional on Chance's part.

Carl reveals to D and Lorena that the man he was arguing with was his son. His family disowned him when he came out, but now they are asking for money to care for his son's mother.

Chance talks to Winter about his near death experience. Winter says he wouldn't have saved Chance if the roles were reversed. Chance reveals that he knows Winter is the boy from the train story.

Lyndsay informs Winter than she filed a report about Hynes's breaking in to his house. Winter gets angry and hits her.

Chance goes to dinner with Nicole and reveals the secrets of his stalking past. She is angry that he didn't explain their similarities to her earlier.

Hynes scolds Chance for his swimming expedition with Winter, saying it was too risky. They see on television that more bodies have been dug up by authorities — presumably these are people that Winter has killed.

Winter takes Lucy on a date and she says they have to keep it on the down low.

The Collected Works of William Shakespeare

Season 2
Episode Number: 15
Season Episode: 5

Originally aired: Wednesday October 25, 2017
Writer: Andrew Gettens, Lauren Mackenzie
Director: Jonas Pate
Show Stars: Hugh Laurie (Dr. Eldon Chance), Diane Farr (Christina Chance), Lisa Gay Hamilton (Suzanne Silver), Stefania LaVie Owen (Nicole Chance), Greta Lee (Lucy), Ethan Suplee (D), Clarke Peters (Carl)
Guest Stars: Greg Audino (Young Man), David Barrera (Det. Sid Velerio), Michelle Cuneo (Stroller Mom), Ginger Gonzaga (Lorena), Heather Mazur (Talia), Michael McGrady (Sanford Pringle), Alexis Rhee (Lucy's Mom), Patrick Robert Smith (Kendall), Robert J. Watkins (Wyett Copland)
Summary: With the warehouse no longer safe, D needs a place to crash. Winter turns to his coping mechanism while Chance and Hynes face a major setback in their case against him. Carl has money trouble.



D becomes suspicious when a woman with a hidden gun comes to visit the antique store.

Chance was summoned by Winter for a visit to his house. Lyndsay defends Winter and blames Chance for the change in his behavior. Winter is obviously distressed after confronting the truth about his mother — Chance reminds him that he lived.

Detective Hynes goes to visit his old precinct digging around about the bodies they found. He fights with his colleague Sid who claims Hynes is obsessed with Winter.

Chance hires Nicole to do administrative work at a conference where victims of violence are speaking. Nicole eyeballs a casual touch between Chance and Dr. Clayton.

Lucy is A-Okay at the conference after being missing in the office that morning. She has a note card from Winter about their date the night before. She gives Chance the foster records of Matthew Webbs (aka Winter).

Hynes and D wait for Chance at the workshop. They bond over war history and and memorabilia. D asks Hynes to run the plate of the woman he saw in the store.

Winter follows Lucy to an exercise class and watches her. He's also intrigued by the young mom sitting near him. He notes Lucy's daily routine in his phone.

Hynes, D, and Chance find a cold case of a 13 year old boy named Stevie who was killed — they believe it to be Winter's first victim and the beginning of his violence.

Hynes tells D that the plate he gave him was registered to a Private Investigation company. He meets with a police detective who was a kid around the time Stevie was murdered. Hynes finds out that there is DNA from under Stevie's fingernails on file.

Nicole listens to a victim's speech at the conference, and asks Lucy about how the Victim's Unit helps them.

D invited himself to stay at Chance's apartment because the workshop has been compromised — the PI was hired by his father to find him.

A security guard at the office shows Dr. Clayton footage of Chance getting punched by Wade Pardo.

Hynes meets with a friend — lawyer — at a bar to talk about Winter. He tells Hynes that Winter's people (Lyndsay) are saying that Hynes is harassing him and broke into his home. Hynes makes his friend promise to prosecute Winter if he can find evidence that he's killed.

D has lunch with Lorena and she brings him a comb with Winter's hair on it, which they can use to match the DNA against what was found on Stevie's body. She tells D she is having a boy and shows him a sonogram picture. She is hiding from her baby daddy to protect her son from the gang.

Hynes asks a friend at the lab to run the DNA samples against each other.

D ambushes the PI woman at her office and asks for information. She confirms that she was sent to spy on him by his father. Suggests he goes back into hiding.

Chance can't get ahold of Winter and leaves the office in a tizzy, almost getting into an accident in the parking lot. He almost gets violent with the other driver before thinking better of it.

Dr. Clayton casually brings up Chance's attack to Nicole, trying to see how he is and get information. Nicole plays it cool despite not knowing the details.

Chance, D, and Nicole have dinner. Nicole mentions her chat with Dr. Clayton. When her dad leaves the room, Nicole asks D to teach her how to defend herself. D refuses because he made a promise to Chance.

Hynes meets with his boss about the harassment complains from Winter. He agrees to quietly leave his job instead of being fired.

Chance calls D out for his lack of action recently, suggests that his dad is the feeder, and D is the receiver.

Clayton brings up the security footage to Chance and he apologizes for not telling her sooner, claiming he got distracted by the news of Josefa's death.

Hynes goes to lab and finds out that Winter's DNA does not match the DNA from Stevie's body. He freaks out and breaks things.

D sneaks into his dad's home while he's sleeping and approaches him with a knife.

Lucy is walking alone at night, Winter is following in the dark with a Knife. Winter attacks and slits her throat – it's quickly revealed that he it's not Lucy but the woman from the park.

Hynes tells Chance about the DNA and getting fired. They hype themselves up about blowing the case wide open somehow and soon.

Winter calls Chance in a state of panic. Chance goes to him and Winter tells him that his coping mechanism hasn't been working. He admits that he hurts people, "so bad... that they died."

Treasures in Jars of Clay

Season 2
Episode Number: 16
Season Episode: 6

Originally aired: Wednesday November 1, 2017
Writer: Ryan Parrott
Director: Daniel Attias
Show Stars: Hugh Laurie (Dr. Eldon Chance), Diane Farr (Christina Chance), Lisa Gay Hamilton (Suzanne Silver), Stefania LaVie Owen (Nicole Chance), Greta Lee (Lucy), Ethan Suplee (D), Clarke Peters (Carl)
Guest Stars: Kirk Bovill (Homeless Man), Michael J. Craven (Police Officer), Beth Curry (Hipster Wife), Emmet Flores (Kali Member), Jeff Galfer (Atticus), Ginger Gonzaga (Lorena), Brian Goodman (Detective Kevin Hynes), Andrew Steven Hernandez (Luis Estavez), John Lacy (Simon Stenhouse), Michael McGrady (Sanford Pringle), Monique McKellop (Katherine), Paul Schneider (Ryan Winter), Patrick Robert Smith (Kendall)
Summary: Chance's progress with Winter is interrupted. Hynes asks his friend Frank Lambert for a favor. D settles old scores. Nicole faces the music. Hynes pursues a new break in the Winter case.



Winter tells Chance about his murderous habits, explaining how he killed a woman named Katherine.

Chance relays his encounter with Winter to Hynes, and how Lyndsay prevented Chance from continuing to speak to Winter. Chance feels violence toward winter.

Hynes has looked into Lyndsay in the past and found nothing. He wants to prosecute Winter within the confines of the law, doesn't want to become like him by killing.

Clayton looked into Wade Pardo and discovered that he was beat up shortly af-

ter punching Chance.

D teaches a self-defense class, urges his participants to attack him. D goes down.

Nicole sees a couple steal a dog from a homeless man on the street.

D tells Nicole that he is leaving Chance's apartment. Nicole tries to find out who the couple is that stole the dog.

Hynes visits his friend Frank Lambert and asks him to look into Katherine's death and Lyndsay's background.

Chance continuously tries to get in touch with Winter and is shut down by Lyndsay. She threatens to press charges, he threatens to call her bluff.

Clayton reveals to Chance what she knows about Pardo. Chance brings up the other assaults related to their victims – taking the attention off of what he and D have done.

Carl discusses his coming out with Hynes and suggests that Hynes is ready to take his own steps.

Nicole finds the couple, breaks into their home to get the dog, keys their car on her way out, and then returns the dog to the homeless man.

Hynes asks Lyndsay to meet to lure her away from Winter. Lorena lets Chance and D into the house and the kidnap Winter.

Christina and police officers show up Chance's apartment to arrest Nicole – Pepper's parents are pressing assault charges.

Hynes shows Lyndsay pictures of Winter's victims, and explains his childhood, revealing the monster that he is. He suggests that she knows this information already.

Winter wakes and Chance encourages him to turn himself into the police. He tells Winter about how he helped Jaclyn do the same and now she is in a psychiatric hospital getting help.

D brings Carl to see his family after convincing them of Carl's strength and love.

It's finally revealed that D did not kill his father, but rather made him promise to never reach out to him again. Sealed with a handshake.

Frank tells Hynes that Winter wants someone to come to his house so that he can explain what he's done.

When Hynes arrives, he finds out Frank is dirty and has been working with Winter. Frank shoots Hynes.

Define Normal

Season 2

Episode Number: 17

Season Episode: 7

Originally aired: Wednesday November 8, 2017

Writer:

Director:

Show Stars: Hugh Laurie (Dr. Eldon Chance), Diane Farr (Christina Chance), Lisa Gay Hamilton (Suzanne Silver), Stefania LaVie Owen (Nicole Chance), Greta Lee (Lucy), Ethan Suplee (D), Clarke Peters (Carl)

Guest Stars: Hira Ambrosino (Judge Augustina Ramos), Lodric D. Collins (Dennis), Michael D'Amore (Anton Spengler), Shay Dixon (Detective Moss), Michelle Flanagan (Matilda), Ginger Gonzaga (Lorena), Brady Hender (Young Winter), Jennifer Robyn Jacobs (Kim), Carrie Lazar (Dana), Micah Nelson (Stevie Benjamin), Gianni Paolo (Young Lambert), Elizabeth Rodriguez (Kristen Clayton)

Summary: Chance and D grapple with news about Hynes. Chance accuses Winter of lying to him, but Winter learns he isn't the only one who's been dishonest. Nicole underestimates Christina. Kirsten tracks down a lead. Winter lays a trap.



This episode opens with a flashback to 1990. We discover that Frank was friends with Matty Debbs (Ryan Winter) as a kid, and they killed Stevie together.

Back in the present day at Winter's home Hynes has been killed by Frank and Frank is now coaching Winter on what to say to the policy, spinning a story about an intruder. Lyndsay comes home and when she sees Frank, Winter kills her as well.

Nicole spends a night in a juvenile detention center, where she gets in a fight with another inmate. Back in court she agrees to a plea deal in an attempt to

lighten her sentence.

Carl questions D about his father, thinking D killed him. After revealing the agreement D made with his dad, Carl is skeptical the man will keep his word. Lorena rushes in with news that something bad has happened at Winter's house.

At the courthouse Chance reveals his past stalking and hospitalization to Christina. After first thinking it's a joke, she becomes extremely angry that he never told her when they were together.

D tells Chance that Lorena saw a bunch of cops at Winter's house and two bodies removed in body bags. Chance tries to call Hynes to find out what's up and a cop answers and informs him that Kevin is dead.

Winter and his lawyer meet up with Frank and another member of the SFPD defending Winter's actions against Hynes as self-defense because Hynes was obsessed with Winter and broke into his home. The situation is basically dropped.

Frank makes Winter swear he will no longer speak to Dr. Chance.

We have another flashback to 2006 when Frank first re-entered Winter's life, warning about using rocks in his killings because it was too recognizable to police.

Winter approaches Chance in a parking garage and apologizes for killing Hynes. Chance gets upset and beats Winter up.

D and Chance re-commit to going after Winter without killing him, to honor Hynes' wish. Chance asks D to teach Nicole how to defend herself so she'll be protected in juvenile detention.

Another flashback to 2013: Frank takes a woman home to Winter's house. They kill her together and dispose of her body.

Chance talks to Frank about the dirt he has on Winter, not knowing that he can't be trusted. Frank does an excellent job at pretending to care about Hynes, and promises to keep in touch with Chance.

Frank meets with Winter and tells him that Chance and Hynes were working together to take him down. Winter says that Chance has to suffer like he has.

Nicole goes to her sentencing and Dr. Clayton shows up to speak on her behalf. She is given a year of probation. Christina is upset with Chance about his past and claims that he settled for her because there was no threat of becoming obsessed.

D and Carl stake out Winter's house. D is worried because he hasn't been able to get in touch with Lorena.

At home Christina tells Nicole that she'll be seeing less of her father because he is a bad influence. Nicole freaks out at her mom.

D goes into Lorena's home and finds packed boxes and a crumpled ultrasound photo. No Lorena to be found.

Winter is at a home by the ocean. Lucy comes by with her baby to visit. She talks about how much Chance has done for her and how she doesn't want to burden him.

A man and woman wake Nicole up in bed and tie her up, they say they are taking her on a trip. She screams and fights and Christina reveals that she is sending Nicole away to get help.

Winter attacks Lucy and tries to slit her throat with a knife. She manages to get away and pick up her baby. When she's holding the baby Winter lets her go and tells her to call Dr. Chance.

Dr. Clayton has one of her patients son's sit with a sketch artist to identify the man who attacked him. It's D.

A detective informs Frank that Winter has come in and confessed to several murders.

An Infant, a Brute or a Wild Beast

Season 2

Episode Number: 18

Season Episode: 8

Originally aired: Wednesday November 15, 2017
Writer: Steve Kornacki, Alyson Evans
Director: Andrew Bernstein
Show Stars: Hugh Laurie (Dr. Eldon Chance), Diane Farr (Christina Chance), Lisa Gay Hamilton (Suzanne Silver), Stefania LaVie Owen (Nicole Chance), Greta Lee (Lucy), Ethan Suplee (D), Clarke Peters (Carl)
Guest Stars: David Barrera (Det. Sid Velerio), Carson Fagerbakke (Maya Keegan), Ginger Gonzaga (Lorena), Chris Greene (Barry Gilyard), Andrew Steven Hernandez (Luis Estavez), Travis Johns (Van), Carrie Lazar (Dana), Heather Mazur (Talia), Matt Singletary (Tanner), David Grant Wright (Deputy Sheriff Thomas)
Summary: Chance discovers Lambert's background. Kirsten asks Lambert for help. Winter is in uncharted territory, and Lorena's past catches up with her.



Frank convinces his boss to let him prosecute the Winter case.

Chance visits Winter in jail and reveals his lies. Winter is relieved after confessing.

Carl encourages D to find Lorena and get to know her better.

Nicole arrives at the Clearview nature therapy program.

Clayton calls a staff meeting where she distributes the suspect photo of D. Chance panics. D doesn't care.

Frank meets with Clayton about Winter. She asks him to look into the assaults.

Frank meets with Winter and his lawyer and finds out they are planning an insanity plea.

Christina reveals where Nicole is to Chance and he is livid that he was not consulted about it.

Chance meets with Frank and discovers that he is Winter's accomplice. He steals a fork to compare the DNA to the Stevie file.

Carl claims Hyne's body and makes friends with Sid Valerio.

The private investigator that D's dad hired shows up at the workshop and gives D an envelope from his father.

Nicole faces off with a counselor about her assault on Pepper.

A security guard at the jail kills Winter and poses him as if he committed suicide.

D meets with Lorena where she reveals she is going into hiding from her baby daddy's gang. D wants to go after Hector, she warns him not to.

Clayton discovers that Chance and D are behind the assaults. She confronts Chance and fires him.

D goes into gang territory to defend Lorena and gets tazed and beaten.

Nicole apologizes to her counselor before making a run for it.

Frank finds out about Chance and D's assaults and Chance gets picked up by the police.

A Madness of Two

Season 2

Episode Number: 19

Season Episode: 9

Originally aired: Wednesday November 22, 2017
Writer: Kem Nunn
Director: Jonas Pate
Show Stars: Hugh Laurie (Dr. Eldon Chance), Diane Farr (Christina Chance), Lisa Gay Hamilton (Suzanne Silver), Stefania LaVie Owen (Nicole Chance), Greta Lee (Lucy), Ethan Suplee (D), Clarke Peters (Carl)
Guest Stars: Max Arciniega (Cesar), David Barrera (Det. Sid Velerio), Douglas Bennett (Suspicious Trucker), Morgan Benoit (Jaimito), Gail Borges (Judge Mathews), Casey Thomas Brown (Alex Swanson), Adalgiza Chermont (Sandra), Bayardo De Murguia (Hector El Martillo), Kimberly Estrada (Elena Saavedra), Ginger Gonzaga (Lorena), John Grady (Dad), Maahra Hill (Gretchen), Ludwig Manukian (Jimmy), Hans Marrero (Gomez), Tessa Munro (Gladys)
Summary: Lucy comes to Chance's aid. Chance and D disagree on the next move. Lambert goes on the defensive. D won't stop until Lorena is safe. Kirsten makes a choice. After a charged encounter, Chance changes course.



Chance is fingerprinted and questioned in jail – Dawson Pitt picked him out of a lineup.

Nicole leaves a voicemail for Chance from a gas station pay phone letting him know that she is okay but still pissed that she was sent to the nature camp.

Lucy posts Chance's \$8,000 bail and he is released.

Chance goes to see Christina and lets her in on Nicole's message. Christine is pissed that Chance and Nicole are so similar and unwilling to make the "right" decisions.

D takes out the guys from the gang that kidnapped him. It's a violent and gruesome stabbing with number 2 pencils.

Chance meets with his lawyer and learns that his situation doesn't look good and he is facing 6 months to 2 years in prison.

Nicole finds the teenage squatter house in Oakland that her friend Lexi told her about and let her stay there.

Sid meets with Chance and confirms the DNA match with the Stevie case and Chance reveals that the murderer was Frank Lambert.

Lorena meets with D and is pissed that he went after the gang. She panics about possible retaliation and agrees to "ask for permission" for them to kill Hector.

Lorena wants to know what is going on between her and D and he holds her hands up to his heart and says that it's real.

Sid and another detective go to see Frank and he spins a story about Stevie that makes it impossible to arrest him for the murder.

Chance asks Sid what they can do about Frank and he essentially says nothing.

Chance goes to see D at the workshop and explains that he's going to plead guilty to his crimes and go to jail. D thinks this is a stupid idea and wants Chance to run to Mexico with him and Lorena.

Chance visits Clayton to say he's pleading guilty in part to take the attention off of her and the clinic. She tells him to beat it and he does.

D and Lorena road trip to Tijuana and ask gang-leader Cesar, a friend from Lorena's childhood, for permission to kill Hector. He agrees.

D and Lorena stake-out Hector's place and D introduces her to some guys he asked to come down from Oakland for backup.

Nicole leaves another message for Chance letting him know where she's staying and he goes to see her. She is extremely upset when he reveals his impending jail stay.

Chance takes Nicole to stay with Lucy so that she won't have to go back to her mother while he's incarcerated. He also gives Lucy an expensive painting to pay back what she spent on bail.

Chance pleads guilty in court and several past patients testify on his behalf about how he's helped them.

D and his crew roll up on the gang and he takes Hector out in less than 30 seconds, but suffering several stab wounds in the process.

Frank goes to see Chance at his apartment and reveals that he isn't going to stop killing just because Winter isn't in the picture anymore.

Chance his sentencing hearing and flees to Mexico to see D. He changed his mind about "doing the right thing" after learning about Frank's intentions.

Especially If You Run Away

Season 2
Episode Number: 20
Season Episode: 10

Originally aired: Wednesday November 29, 2017
Writer:
Director:
Show Stars: Hugh Laurie (Dr. Eldon Chance), Diane Farr (Christina Chance), Lisa Gay Hamilton (Suzanne Silver), Stefania LaVie Owen (Nicole Chance), Greta Lee (Lucy), Ethan Suplee (D), Clarke Peters (Carl)
Guest Stars: Jaime Alvarez (Federale), Alejandro Barrios (Jose), David Bortolucci (Leo), Mariana Flores (Rocio), Frank Gallegos (Man), Ginger Gonzaga (Lorena), Pamela Mitchell (Carmela), Brenda O'Donovan (Catalina), Joshua Pabon (Intimidating Man), Jeremy W. Roberts (Hotel Clerk), Erika Sabel Flores (Clerk), Sal Velez Jr. (Hector)
Summary: With Lorena's help, Chance and D return to San Francisco to handle unfinished business. Frank Lambert has a new protégé. Chance embraces a familiar role in a new way.



D continues to recover at the clinic in Tijuana — his is given an anti-venom serum to help with the rattlesnake poison that was on the knife Hector used to cut him.

We meet Frank's new apprentice – Pruitt, a young ex-con who likes to be rough with women.

Nicole leaves Lucy's house to search for her father in Mexico.

Chance helps a young local patient at the clinic.

After warning him against it, D agrees to sneak back into the US with Chance in order to go after Frank.

Lorena explains to Chance and D how they and others will sneak back over the border.

Nicole gets off the bus in Mexico and finds someone who knows D.

Chance and D ambush Pruitt at his job and force him to tell them about his relationship with Frank and when they are going to go after a woman.

Lorena picks up Nicole and explains that Chance and D went back to California. Nicole misses her dad.

Chance and D wait in a warehouse where Frank brings a prostitute for him and Pruitt to kill. D accidentally tips them off – Frank kills the woman, Pruitt shoots Frank in the leg, Frank kills Pruitt, Frank escapes.

After stitching himself up, Frank checks into a hotel for a week's stay and calls in sick to work. He tells investigators that he spotted Chance in California.

Frank goes to see Christina under the guise of looking for Chance.

Chance and D show up at Frank's hotel room and force him to videotape a confession of his crimes at gun point. Frank complies, but twists the truth.

Chance, upset that Frank isn't doing things "the right way" he chokes him out long enough to kill him. He and D bury Frank's body.

After a bit of a time jump, D and Lorena clean their new place in Mexico. D reveals that envelope given to him by the PI was information about a trust in which his mother left him money.

When discussing the future Lorena tells D the baby will call him "D for Daddy."

Nicole helps Chance as his new place as well, in Mexico. She promises to come back after she finishes her probation and gets her GED.

Christina comes to pick up Nicole and in a conversation with Chance she forgives him for all of the crazy things that have happened and hopes that they'll all be okay.

A police officer shows up at the clinic when D and Chance are there and asks to see Chance's medical license. D shows him Cesar's number, the gang leader, and the cop leaves.

Outside, Chance finds a line of locals around the block waiting to be seen by him for medical care.

Actor Appearances

A

Christian Aguilera	2
0103 (Student); 0104 (Stripmall Pedestrian)	
Jaden Alexander	1
0107 (Mari)	
Mike Alfieri	1
0102 (EMT)	
Evan Allen-Gessesse	1
0202 (Nurse)	
Jaime Alvarez	1
0210 (Federales)	
Moises Amaya	1
0104 (Second Chair Attorney)	
Hira Ambrosino	1
0207 (Judge Augustina Ramos)	
Max Arciniega	1
0209 (Cesar)	
Mackenzie Astin	1
0204 (Guest Star)	
Greg Audino	1
0205 (Young Man)	
Bobby August Jr.	1
0108 (Nurse George)	
Alison Aulakh	1
0103 (Student)	

B

James Babson	1
0201 (Matty Willis)	
William W. Barbour	4
0103 (Neighbor); 0106 (Driver #1); 0108 (Military Veteran); 0109 (Military Veteran)	
David Barrera	3
0205 (Det. Sid Velerio); 0208 (Det. Sid Velerio); 0209 (Det. Sid Velerio)	
Alejandro Barrios	1
0210 (Jose)	
Douglas Bennett	1
0209 (Suspicious Trucker)	
Morgan Benoit	1
0209 (Jaimito)	
Jennifer Black	1
0107 (Masseuse)	
Bruce Blau	2
0103 (Super); 0106 (Super)	
Dana Boden	2
0105 (Blackstone's Henchman); 0106 (Blackstone's Henchman)	
Gail Borges	1
0209 (Judge Mathews)	
David Bortolucci	1
0210 (Leo)	
Kirk Bovill	1
0206 (Homeless Man)	
Chanté Bowser	1
0202 (Nurse)	

Marcella Bragio	2
0107 (Restaurant Patron); 0109 (Pedestrian)	
Casey Thomas Brown	2
0201 (Alex Swanson); 0209 (Alex Swanson)	
Laurie Burke	1
0104 (Alice Kaye)	

C

John Edward Cabrera	1
0109 (Pedestrian)	
Phillip Cairnes	1
0101 (Insurance executive)	
Robin Calvert	1
0101 (Man in Wheelchair)	
Rocky Capella	1
0101 (angry Mercedes driver)	
Hugo E. Carbajal	1
0109 (Sgt. Moreno)	
Kevin Carscallen	4
0101 (High School Bicycle Student); 0106 (Street Pedestrian); 0107 (Pedestrian); 0110 (High School Bicycle Student)	
Judy Cerda	1
0101 (Doctor)	
Riley Chandler	1
0107 (Teenage D)	
Javier Chavarin	1
0102 (Hotel Maintenance Worker)	
Adalgiza Chermont	1
0209 (Sandra)	
Robert Chestnut	1
0110 (Patron)	
William Clements	1
0102 (Pedestrian / Business Hotel Guest)	
Thomas Cokenias	1
0108 (Desk Sergeant)	
Lodric D. Collins	1
0207 (Dennis)	
Tsulan Cooper	1
0101 (Homeless Morning Woman)	
Francis Lloyd Corby	1
0202 (Son)	
Michael J. Craven	1
0206 (Police Officer)	
Zachary Culbertson	1
0101 (Tenderloin Tough)	
Michelle Cuneo	1
0205 (Stroller Mom)	
Beth Curry	1
0206 (Hipster Wife)	
Madelon Curtis	1
0107 (Ruth Morrison)	

D

Michael D'Amore	1
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0207 (Anton Spengler)	
Steve Dakota	1
0110 (Medical Conference Attendee)	
Thomas Daniel	1
0202 (Dr. LeCheck)	
Brian Dare	1
0202 (Bartender)	
Allison Davies	1
0103 (Holly Stein)	
Dyendis Davis-Jones	1
0103 (Nurse)	
Vinny DeGennaro	1
0108 (Sandro)	
Sandra Dee	1
0106 (Judge)	
Catherine Dent	1
0204 (Cynthia Atkinson)	
James J. Der Jr.	1
0103 (Doctor)	
Shay Dixon	1
0207 (Detective Moss)	
Yin Dumela	1
0105 (Pedestrian)	

E

Mostafa Elmorsy	2
0101 (Hospital Orderly); 0109 (Military Soldier)	
Kimberly Estrada	1
0209 (Elena Saavedra)	
Aleks Eydelman	1
0108 (Olena)	

F

Carson Fagerbakke	1
0208 (Maya Keegan)	
Stacy Fairley	1
0101 (Nurse)	
Jennifer Field	1
0110 (EMT)	
Luis Fierros	1
0101 (Barista)	
Michelle Flanagan	1
0207 (Matilda)	
Emmet Flores	2
0201 (Kali Member); 0206 (Kali Member)	
Erika Sabel Flores	1
0210 (Clerk)	
Mariana Flores	1
0210 (Rocio)	
Carolyn Fluehr	2
0106 (Student); 0108 (Nurse L. Knudsson)	
Cheryl Fonseca	1
0103 (Doctor)	
Thomas Fonseca	1
0103 (Doctor)	
Kate Forristall	1
0106 (Mary Whitten)	
Quinn Friedman	1
0107 (Young D)	

G

Hayley Gagner	1
0102 (Pedestrian)	
Jeff Galfer	1
0206 (Atticus)	
Frank Gallegos	1
0210 (Man)	

Gail Gamble	1
0101 (Mom)	
Douglas Gawoski	2
0102 (Hotel Guest); 0106 (Pedestrian)	
Chris Payne Gilbert	1
0201 (Dawson Litt)	
Ginger Gonzaga	8
0203 (Lorena); 0204 (Lorena); 0205 (Lorena); 0206 (Lorena); 0207 (Lorena); 0208 (Lorena); 0209 (Lorena); 0210 (Lorena)	
Brian Goodman	3
0202 (Detective Kevin Hynes); 0204 (Detective Kevin Hynes); 0206 (Detective Kevin Hynes)	
John Grady	1
0209 (Dad)	
Chris Greene	2
0203 (Barry Gilyard); 0208 (Barry Gilyard)	

H

Carlos R. Hailey	1
0101 (Orderly)	
David Haley	1
0202 (Manager)	
James Lee Hardman	1
0109 (Military Soldier)	
Tom Hart	1
0104 (Father of Kushel's wife)	
Jakeem Hawkins	1
0108 (Damon)	
Kenneth Heaton	1
0104 (Burly Man)	
Brady Hender	1
0207 (Young Winter)	
Cassandra Hendry	2
0101 (High School Student); 0106 (Pedestrian / Park Goer)	
Andrew Steven Hernandez	2
0206 (Luis Estavez); 0208 (Luis Estavez)	
Maahra Hill	1
0209 (Gretchen)	
Gwen Holloway	1
0202 (Mother)	
Tcarla Horn	1
0101 (Havenwood School Student)	

I

James D. Weston II	1
0101 (Precision driver)	
Brandon Irvin	1
0203 (Doctor)	
Wilke Itzin	1
0202 (Hiker #1)	

J

Ginger Jackson	1
0101 (Teacher)	
Jennifer Robyn Jacobs	1
0207 (Kim)	
Erin St. James	1
0202 (Nicole's Friend)	
Carol Jefferson	3
0101 (Office Worker); 0104 (Driver); 0106 (Chinatown Restaurant Patron)	
Travis Johns	1
0208 (Van)	

K

Karen Kahn.....	1
0101 (Nurse)	
Mike Kalinowski.....	1
0201 (Buddy)	
Mari Kearney.....	1
0106 (Cloris Flowers)	
Eddie Kehler.....	1
0203 (Detective McClendon)	
Christina July Kim.....	1
0101 (Attorney)	
Bianca Von Krieg.....	1
0108 (Drug Dealer's Girlfriend)	

L

John Lacy.....	1
0206 (Simon Stenhouse)	
Tim Lajcik.....	1
0106 (Bouncer)	
Debra Lamb.....	2
0101 (Waitress); 0104 (Waitress)	
Carrie Lazar.....	2
0207 (Dana); 0208 (Dana)	
John Lobato.....	1
0103 (Pedestrian)	
Trevor Locke.....	1
0110 (Medical Conference Attendee)	
Lydia Look.....	1
0201 (Jiao)	
Sal Lopez.....	6
0101 (Jean-Baptiste); 0102 (Jean-Baptiste); 0105 (Jean-Baptiste); 0106 (Jean-Baptiste); 0109 (Jean-Baptiste); 0110 (Jean-Baptiste)	

M

Mapuana Makia.....	1
0202 (Hiker #2)	
Ludwig Manukian.....	1
0209 (Jimmy)	
Mary Lu Marr.....	2
0101 (Hospital Patient); 0104 (Bar Patron)	
Hans Marrero.....	1
0209 (Gomez)	
Vanessa Martinez.....	1
0202 (Josefa Pefaur)	
Makenzie Massagli.....	1
0101 (Hotel Guest)	
Heather Mazur.....	2
0205 (Talia); 0208 (Talia)	
Michael McGrady.....	4
0107 (Sanford Pringle); 0108 (Sanford Pringle); 0205 (Sanford Pringle); 0206 (Sanford Pringle)	
Sean Michael McGrory.....	1
0107 (Sanford Pringle II)	
Monique McKellop.....	1
0206 (Katherine)	
David Mendenhall.....	1
0109 (Pedestrian)	
Joe Metheny.....	4
0101 (Nicole's Boyfriend); 0104 (Nicole's Boyfriend); 0106 (Nicole's Boyfriend); 0110 (Nicole's Boyfriend)	
Pamela Mitchell.....	1
0210 (Carmela)	
Mahal Montoya.....	1
0101 (Attorney)	
Monterey Morrissey.....	1
0107 (James Morrison)	
James P. Morrow.....	2
0103 (Doctor); 0104 (Furniture Store Shopper)	

Jeff Mosley.....	1
0101 (Annoyed Driver)	
Tessa Munro.....	1
0209 (Gladys)	
Bayardo De Murguia.....	1
0209 (Hector El Martillo)	

N

Micah Nelson.....	1
0207 (Stevie Benjamin)	
Hawlan Ng.....	1
0103 (Dr. Eric Martin)	
Stephane Nicoli.....	1
0204 (Guy on a Date)	
Steve Warky Nunez.....	1
0101 (Cafe Patron)	

O

Brenda O'Donovan.....	1
0210 (Catalina)	
Tom O'Reilly.....	1
0101 (Neighbor)	
Afsheen Olyaie.....	1
0102 (Bellman)	
Debbie Omariba.....	1
0104 (Junkie Woman)	

P

Joshua Pabon.....	1
0210 (Intimidating Man)	
Gianni Paolo.....	1
0207 (Young Lambert)	
John Pendergast.....	1
0101 (Lanky Kid)	
Chris Pentzell.....	1
0201 (Smaller Man)	
René Peraza.....	1
0108 (Detective Ribeiro)	
Michael Provost.....	2
0202 (Jason Spencer); 0203 (Jason Spencer)	
Dalton Puckett.....	1
0101 (Highschool Teen)	
Karenna Pullen.....	1
0103 (Student)	

R

Duane Ram.....	1
0101 (Officer L. Styles)	
Matt Reaves.....	1
0108 (Military Vet)	
Jeff Redlick.....	1
0110 (Coffee shop patron)	
Phil Reeves.....	1
0101 (Leonard Haig)	
Alicia Restivo.....	1
0103 (Pedestrian)	
Alexis Rhee.....	1
0205 (Lucy's Mom)	
Kelly Richardson.....	1
0104 (Kushel's wife)	
Rick Richardson.....	2
0103 (Bailiff / J Nixon); 0104 (Detective)	
Jeremy W. Roberts.....	1
0210 (Hotel Clerk)	
Elizabeth Rodriguez.....	1

0207 (Kristen Clayton)
 Ron Roggé 1
 0101 (D.K.)
 Andy Rolfes 1
 0102 (Detective #2)
 Vanessa Ross 1
 0104 (Prostitute)
 Joey Ruggiero 1
 0107 (Pedestrian)
 Michael Rupnow 2
 0104 (Neil); 0109 (Neil)
 Tanya Ruth 1
 0107 (Girl)

S

Brian Sampson 1
 0109 (Oakland Police Officer)
 Joleen Sanders 1
 0101 (Hotel Patron)
 Paul Schneider 2
 0204 (Ryan Winter); 0206 (Ryan Winter)
 David L. Schormann 2
 0104 (Courtroom Sheriff); 0110 (SFPD Beach Cop)
 Melissa Schumacher 1
 0203 (Neighbor 1)
 Molly Shaiken 2
 0104 (Oakland Police Officer); 0107 (Oakland Police Detective)
 Judah Simard 1
 0201 (Travis)
 Patricia Simmons 1
 0110 (Hospital Visitor)
 Matt Singletary 1
 0208 (Tanner)
 Mark Sivertsen 2
 0108 (Medic); 0109 (Medic)
 Patrick Robert Smith 2
 0205 (Kendall); 0206 (Kendall)
 Susan Soriano 1
 0101 (Mariella's Aunt)
 Megan Stack 1
 0101 (Restaurant patron)
 William Christopher Stephens 1
 0202 (Patrolman)
 Michael T Stewart 1
 0103 (Detective)
 Thomas W. Stewart 3
 0103 (Doctor); 0104 (Furniture Store Shopper); 0107 (Doctor)

T

Andy Tabbat 1
 0101 (Male couple with dog)
 Steve Tanabe 2
 0105 (Romanian thug); 0106 (Blackstone's henchman)
 Vivienne Taylor 1
 0202 (Liz)
 Al-Saadoon Thanya 1
 0104 (Furniture Store Shopper)
 Scotty Tovar 1
 0203 (Oscar)
 Ross Turner 1
 0108 (Doctor)

V

Sal Velez Jr. 1

0210 (Hector)
 Torrey Vogel 1
 0201 (Mac)

W

Phillip E. Walker 1
 0103 (Conf. Attendee)
 Dan Warner 3
 0104 (Frank Taylor); 0107 (Frank Taylor); 0108 (Frank Taylor)
 Robert J. Watkins 1
 0205 (Wyett Copland)
 Steven Wiig 1
 0102 (Takeout Guy)
 David Grant Wright 1
 0208 (Deputy Sheriff Thomas)

Y

Jeanne Young 1
 0101 (Parent / driver)
 Bobby Ysip 1
 0106 (Chinese Restaurant Patron)

Z

Brett Zimmerman 1
 0101 (Neil)
 Cybele Zufolo 1
 0101 (Leonard Haig's Secretary)