

# Los Angeles County Coalition for Women & Health Reform

## Founding Members of Coalition

### **Black Women For Wellness**

<http://www.bwwla.org/>

Black Women for Wellness is a Los Angeles community-based non-profit 501 (c)(3) organization. For more than 10 years, Black Women for Wellness has been a woman-centered, grassroots, member-driven organization committed to healing, educating, inspiring, and supporting Black women so that they may tap into their Personal power to enhance and improve their health and well-being.

### **California Black Women's Health Project**

<http://www.cabwhp.org/>

California Black Women's Health Project (CABWHP) is the only statewide organization devoted to improving the health of California's Black women and girls through policy, advocacy, and education and outreach. CABWHP is committed to advocating for policies and practices that promote and improve physical, spiritual, mental and emotional well-being. We believe that a healthier future is possible when women are empowered to make choices in an environment where equal access and health justice are community priorities.

### **California Family Health Council, Inc.**

[www.cfhc.org/](http://www.cfhc.org/)

California Family Health Council, Inc. (CFHC) carries out its mission by coordinating and supporting the delivery of health services in community-based health organizations serving more than 1 million women, men and teens throughout California every year. The organization directs federal funding to a network of sexual reproductive health providers, performs advanced research in reproductive health care and contraception, provides education, training and technical support to increase clinical operational capacity, conducts community outreach and promotes policies that increase access to sexual and reproductive health services to build and maintain healthy communities statewide.

### **California Latinas for Reproductive Justice**

<http://www.californialatinas.org/>

California Latinas for Reproductive Justice (CLRJ) is a statewide policy and advocacy organization whose mission is to advance California Latinas' reproductive health and rights within a social justice and human rights framework. CLRJ works to ensure that policy developments are reflective of the priority needs of Latinas, their families and their communities.

### **Los Angeles County Department of Public Health, Health Assessment Unit**

<http://publichealth.lacounty.gov/ha/>

The Office of Health Assessment and Epidemiology of the Los Angeles County Department of Public Health to ensure the availability of high quality and comprehensive health data on the County population, and facilitates its use for public health assessment, policy development, program planning and evaluation.

### **Los Angeles County Department of Public Health, Office of Women's Health**

<http://publichealth.lacounty.gov/owh/>

The Office of Women's Health, Los Angeles County Department of Public Health ( OWH) seeks to increase health equity, decrease health disparities and protect and promote the health of women in L.A. County. The OWH works on an individual, community and policy level through education, advocacy, program promotion, policy recommendations and increasing access to culturally competent, comprehensive health services, especially for low-income and underserved women.

### **National Health Law Program**

<http://www.healthlaw.org/>

National Health Law Program (NHeLP) is a public interest law firm working to advance access to quality health care and protect the legal rights of low-income and underserved people. NHeLP seeks to provide a seat at the table for representatives of low-income people, to protect consumers in the emerging managed care systems and to find creative financing solutions.

### **Planned Parenthood Los Angeles**

<http://www.plannedparenthood.org/los-angeles/>

Planned Parenthood Los Angeles provides convenient and affordable access to a comprehensive range of quality reproductive health care and sexual health information through patient services, education and advocacy. Planned Parenthood Los Angeles is a 501 (c) 3 nonprofit organization with 17 health centers throughout Los Angeles County.

### **The Saban Free Clinic**

<http://www.thesabanfreeclinic.org/>

The Saban Free Clinic serves as a medical home for the underserved and those who are most vulnerable by providing comprehensive, dependable and affordable quality health care in a caring environment.