

## DPH-SAPC Prevention Unit National Prevention Week 2019 Activities

### Monday, May 13<sup>th</sup>

AOD Prevention Providers from across Los Angeles County, will Kick-Off NPW with a Press Event on the campus of East L.A. College, located at 1301 Avenida Cesar Chavez, from 9:30 AM to 12:00 PM (at the main Quad). The event will feature speakers on each of the Week's Prevention themes: Preventing Prescription and Opioid Drug Misuse, Preventing Underage Drinking and Alcohol Misuse, Preventing Illicit Drug Use and Youth Marijuana Use, Preventing Youth Tobacco Use, Preventing Suicide.

In keeping with Monday's theme, the San Fernando Valley Partnership (SFVP) and Communities In Action SPA-2 Coalition, in collaboration with the Drug Enforcement Agency (DEA) and Los Angeles Police Department (LAPD) are hosting a Town Hall meeting on opioids and fentanyl at the North Valley Neighborhood City Hall in Tujunga. Guests will hear from law enforcement, medical professionals, families affected by opioids, overdose survivors, treatment providers, and prevention services organizations. Information on safe storage (and disposal) of over-the-counter and prescription drugs, as well as Naloxone, will also be provided. The meeting is designed to educate the community and to promote preventative actions to reduce the use and abuse of these highly addictive drugs.

 The Los Angeles Police Department, DEA and San Fernando Valley Partnership, Inc.  
Present

# Opioids and Fentanyl: "A National Epidemic"

Come hear from law enforcement, medical professionals, families affected by opioids, overdose survivors, treatment and prevention organizations

**Join us on May 13, 2019, 6PM TO 8PM**  
**North Valley Neighborhood City Hall**  
7747 Foothill Blvd  
Tujunga, CA 91042  
For additional information, please call 818.837.7767

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### Tuesday, May 14<sup>th</sup>

The Service Planning Area 2 (SPA-2) Communities In Action Coalition, led by SFVP continues NPW activities professional development sessions for Los Angeles Unified School District (LAUSD) Pupil Services and Student Support Services staff on underage youth drinking, emerging marijuana issues and electronic vaporizing device issues across L.A. County. These sessions will be held at California State University Northridge, from 12:00PM to 4:00 PM.

**Tuesday, May 14<sup>th</sup> (continued)**

In line with Tuesday's youth alcohol-use prevention theme, SPIRITT Family Services – Whittier will host an Off-Sale Retailers Responsible Beverage Server (RBS) training at their office (8000 Painter Ave., Whittier, CA 90602) from 8:00AM-12:00PM. This training is designed to educate store clerks who sell alcohol, to do so responsibly by checking for identification (21+ age requirement) and keeping alcohol out-of-reach for underage youth.



## Attention Off-Sale Alcohol Retailers



**You're Invited to a FREE  
Responsible Beverage Service (RBS) Training  
Tuesday, May 14<sup>th</sup>, 2019 | 8:00 AM to 12:00 PM  
at  
SPIRITT Family Services - Whittier Family Center  
8000 Painter Ave. Whittier, CA 90602**

**For information or to RSVP  
562.903.7000 | [INFO@SPIRITT.ORG](mailto:INFO@SPIRITT.ORG) | [SPIRITT.ORG](http://SPIRITT.ORG)**

**RBS Goals**

- [Get Updated on the Law and Your Responsibilities.](#)
- [Increase Your Knowledge About Responsible Alcohol Sales and Best Practices.](#)
- [Identify Underage Drinkers and Prevent Alcohol Sales to Minors.](#)
- [Prevent Problems Such as Sales to Minors or Sales to Intoxicated Patrons.](#)
- [Protect Your Investment and Prevent Costly Fines or Suspensions.](#)
- [Participants will receive proof of completion for 4 hours of RBS education.](#)

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Children's Hospital Los Angeles (CHLA) is holding an Underage Drinking Trivia event at Camino Nuevo High School Marimar, located in downtown Los Angeles. This event aims to teach youth in a fun and engaging trivia game.

**Tuesday, May 14<sup>th</sup> (Continued)**

SPA 4 Coalition to Prevent Alcohol-Related Harms in L.A. Metro (CoPALM) is hosting a Cannabis Educational Forum to share with attendees the facts related to new cannabis laws and regulations, current trends, and strategies to address cannabis-related issues in their community.



THE COALITION TO PREVENT ALCOHOL-RELATED HARMS IN L.A. METRO  
INVITES YOU TO OUR

# CANNABIS EDUCATIONAL FORUM

**TUESDAY, MAY 14, 2019**  
**6:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.**

**200 N. SPRING ST.**  
**LOS ANGELES, CA 90012**  
City Hall Rotunda



**RSVP AT: [bit.ly/cannabis-forum](https://bit.ly/cannabis-forum)**

Learn about the new cannabis laws and regulations, current trends,  
and strategies to address cannabis-related issues in your community.

Refreshments will be provided.

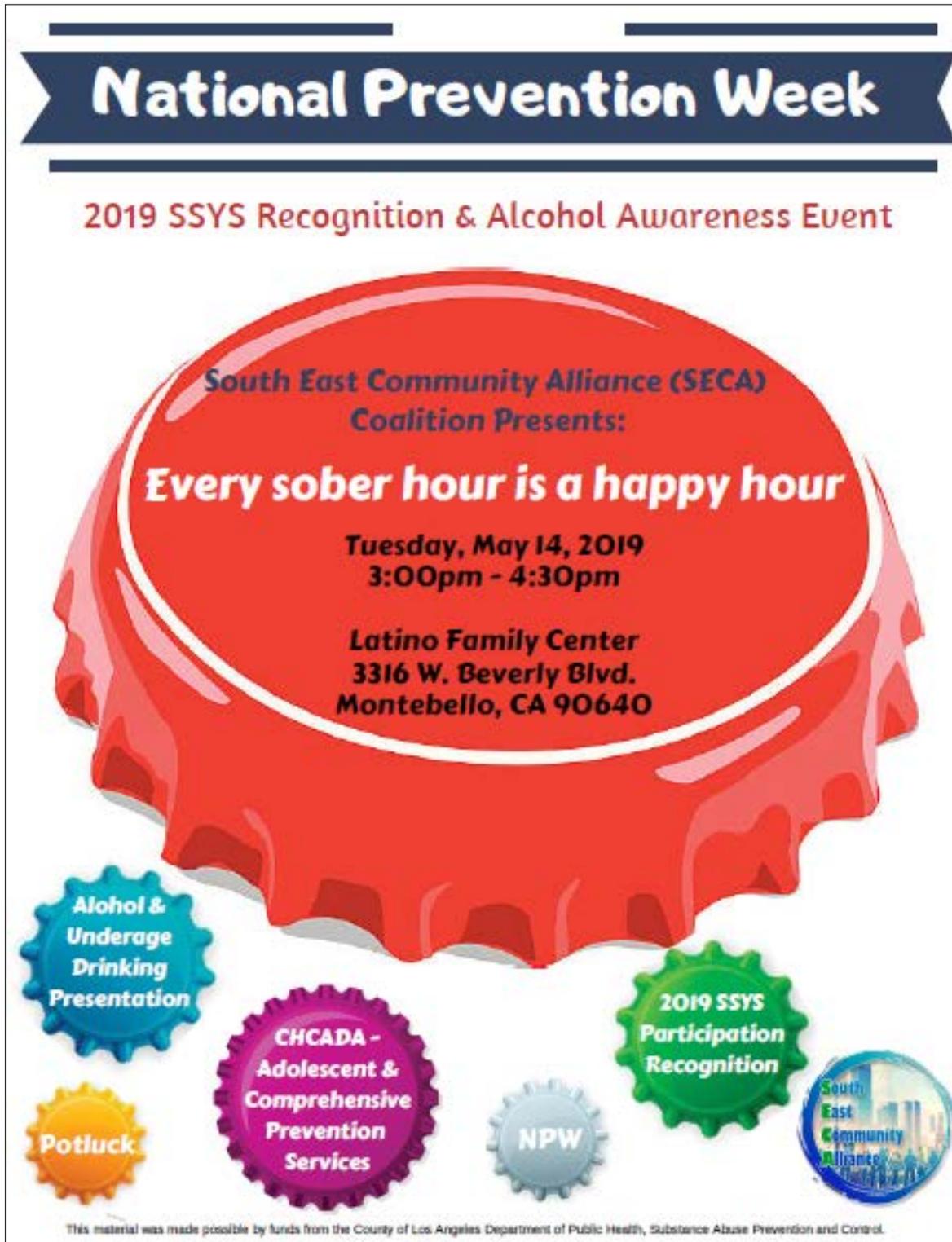
Contact: Genesis Jerez (213) 365-7400 ext. 5143

**DAVID RYU**   
COUNCILMEMBER • DISTRICT 4

 COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES  
**Public Health**  
Substance Abuse Prevention & Control

Tuesday, May 14<sup>th</sup> (Continued)

The California Hispanic Commission on Alcohol and Drug Abuse, Inc. (CHCADA), along with the Service Planning Area (SPA) 7, South East Community Alliance (SECA) Coalition is hosting a recognition of youth and adult community volunteers. It acknowledges the local Prevention Champions in SPA 7. This gathering will be held at the Latino Family Center in Montebello and participants will be recognized for their support in Alcohol and Other Drug Prevention efforts and will have an opportunity to increase their knowledge and awareness on how alcohol can negatively affect youth. The presentation will be facilitated by CHCADA – APS & CPS.



**National Prevention Week**

**2019 SSYS Recognition & Alcohol Awareness Event**

**South East Community Alliance (SECA)  
Coalition Presents:**

**Every sober hour is a happy hour**

**Tuesday, May 14, 2019  
3:00pm - 4:30pm**

**Latino Family Center  
3316 W. Beverly Blvd.  
Montebello, CA 90640**

**Alcohol & Underage Drinking Presentation**

**Potluck**

**CHCADA - Adolescent & Comprehensive Prevention Services**

**NPW**

**2019 SSYS Participation Recognition**

**South East Community Alliance**

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Wednesday, May 15<sup>th</sup>

SFVP is providing a Youth and Marijuana Use presentation to parents of students at Apperson Elementary School and at North Valley Caring Services in North Hills. The Apperson elementary School event is designed to engage parents with a visit to a licensed marijuana dispensary and follow-up meeting to plan next steps, developing strategies to prevent youth access to marijuana. In North Hills, SFVP aims to build the capacity of parents on emerging marijuana and electronic vaporizing device issues amongst youth.

CHLA is holding a Marijuana and Tobacco presentation at Camino Nuevo High School Marimar, located in downtown Los Angeles. This presentation aims to teach youth about the harms of underage marijuana and tobacco use.

Tarzana Treatment Centers, with their SPA 1 Coalition Partner, Pueblo Y Salud and other community partners are hosting a community Summit, titled "What do YOU(TH) Know?". This Summit will be in Lancaster at the Antelope Valley Hospital Community Resource Center and addresses Mental Health and Trauma, particularly among youth.



**WHAT DO  
YOU(TH) KNOW?  
SUMMIT**

Tarzana Treatment Centers will hold a summit for youth, parents, and community leaders/members who work with youth. This summit will include presentations about mental health and trauma among youth, as well as a youth panel discussion about the issues they are facing and addressing possible solutions.

**May 15, 2019**  
**(Registration 2:30pm-3:00pm)**  
**3:00pm-5:30pm**

**Antelope Valley Hospital Community Resource Center**  
**44151 15th St W**  
**Lancaster, CA 93534**

**Speakers include:**

- Antelope Valley Hospital Trauma Department
- Antelope Valley Hospital Mental Health Department
- A panel of youth from the Antelope Valley

Please register online at <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/national-prevention-week-what-do-youth-know-summit-tickets-59023680417>

For any questions please contact Desirae Tainatongo  
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**Wednesday, May 15<sup>th</sup> (continued)**

The Rethinking Access to Marijuana (RAM) Coalition is hosting a Digital Media Workshop for youth. Participants will learn how to use digital cameras, video recorders, editing apps like Canva, iMovie and more! Other creative minds will be available to network with and learn from. Additionally, more details about the upcoming summer 2019 launch of RAM's website will be shared.



**#reframingLA:**  
**Digital Media Workshop**



*Come join our digital media workshop to learn how to use digital cameras, video recorders, editing apps like Canva, iMovie + more!*

*Meet other creative minds in LA County and learn more about the upcoming launch of our website, summer launch party, contests and campaign with the hashtag #reframingLA! Food and drinks will be provided!*

**WEDNESDAY, MAY 15TH, 2019**  
5:00-7:00 PM  
**East L.A. Rising**  
324 N. McDonnell Ave.  
Los Angeles, CA 90022

    
@LACountyRAM

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**Thursday, May 16<sup>th</sup>**

Pacific Clinics is hosting its 22<sup>nd</sup> Annual Latino Mental Health Conference which seeks to increase participation in a collaborative approach to suicide prevention and early intervention. They hope to pool resources on suicide prevention activities and public policies. Pacific Clinics aims to facilitate the continuation and development of quality suicide prevention competencies with those who deliver services and provide the best available support to those who are vulnerable, at-risk, and/or disenfranchised.

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/pacific-clinics-latino-conference-co-sponsored-by-kaiser-permanente-tickets-54181541449?aff=erellivmlt>

SFVP is providing a Youth Tobacco Use presentation to parents of students at Carlos Santana Elementary School in North Hills. This presentation teaches adults about the harms of tobacco use and provides the truth about vaping. It aims to build the capacity of parents on emerging marijuana and electronic vaporizing device issues in L.A. County.

## Thursday, May 16<sup>th</sup> (continued)

SFVP, in collaboration with the LAPD Mission Division is presenting its Jeopardy program at Vista Middle School in Panorama City. This presentation will continue to build the capacity of parents on the harms of youth tobacco use (and vaping) in Los Angeles County and related issues youth are dealing with.

## Friday, May 17<sup>th</sup>

In SPA 6, South Central Prevention Coalition (SCPC) will illuminate the topics “*Exposing E-Cigarette Usage and Hosting, a Primary Prevention Approach*” at the Charles R. Drew University (CDU) of Medicine and Science, Friday Noon Lecture Series. Ms. Shaunte Wilson, Outreach Coordinator at SCPC joins the discussion as a co-speaker with Dr. Roberto Vargas, Assistant Dean, Health Policy and Inter-Professional Education; Director, Health Policy Core, Urban Health Institute; and Associate Professor of Medicine. This lecture is intended for faculty, students, and staff in all of CDU’s programs to give an update on medicine, science, policy, and health care issues related to the university’s mission, health equity, and care for underserved populations. For more info go to: [http://docs.cdrewu.edu/assets/broadcast/files/Friday%20Noon%20Lecture%20Series Monthly Flyer %20May%20and%20June%202019.pdf](http://docs.cdrewu.edu/assets/broadcast/files/Friday%20Noon%20Lecture%20Series%20Monthly%20Flyer%20May%20and%20June%202019.pdf)

The Los Angeles County office of Education (LACOE) is hosting a Lunch & Learn event for parents, administrators, counselors, school psychologists, school nurses, teachers, school police, and other community service providers to share information and stories the harms related to under-age drinking.

**Lunch & Learn**

**REAL STORIES**

**UNDERAGE DRINKING**

**Friday Night Live**  
PARTNERSHIP

**L.A. CADA**  
A Path to Recovery  
and Healthy Living

**POWER of YOU(TH)**  
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Refreshments and food will be provided.  
To register for a session please visit the links below:

**Session One: [bit.ly/NPWevent1](http://bit.ly/NPWevent1)**  
**Session Two: [bit.ly/NPWevent2](http://bit.ly/NPWevent2)**

Who Should Attend?  
Parents, Administrators, Counselors, School Psychologists, School Nurses, Teachers, School Police, Community Services

For more information, please contact  
Sokhom Phou at [Phou\\_Sokhom@lacoed.edu](mailto:Phou_Sokhom@lacoed.edu)

**5/17/2019**

**9300 IMPERIAL HWY  
DOWNEY, CA 90242  
EC 281**

**#NATIONALPREVENTIONWEEK**

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## Friday, May 17<sup>th</sup> (Continued)

CHLA completes its series of prevention activities at Camino Nuevo High School Marimar, near downtown Los Angeles, with a suicide prevention presentation. The goal is to educate youth on how they can help themselves, their friends, and/or family members deal with issues that can lead someone to consider suicide. Participants will learn about environmental and emotional factors that they can use to identify warning signs and hopefully prevent someone they know from committing suicide.

Tarzana Treatment Centers is teaming up with the L.A. county Department of Mental Health to host *C.R.E.A.T.E. (Creative, Resiliency, Expression in Arts & Talents for Everyone)*, a 1-day interactive event featuring artists, musical performances, speakers and workshops promoting well-being and mental health. *C.R.E.A.T.E. is about making a movement for change in the mental health system...because every person deserves access to care. C.R.E.A.T.E. challenges us to see that creativity, community, and collective action has the power to change the culture, climate and systems. People need support to heal and thrive. Individual and collective traumas can tragically manifest as addiction, gang affiliation, anxiety, and suicide. It is time to take action and C.R.E.A.T.E. what is possible. At C.R.E.A.T.E., participants will come together as artists, activists, students, and workers, to generate a healthier and more just society.*

**C.R.E.A.T.E.**

PROVIDES COMMUNITY MEMBERS, STUDENTS, EDUCATORS, AND SERVICE RECIPIENTS AN OPPORTUNITY TO EXHIBIT CREATIVE WORK FROM THE CLASSROOM TO THE TREATMENT ROOM.

MAY 17 2019

DESERT VINEYARD CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP  
1011 EAST AVE. | LANCASTER CA 93535  
4:00 P.M. TO 7:00 P.M.

CONTACT DANIEL MCDANIEL 661-223-3818  
DCOBYMCDANIEL@DMH.LACOUNTY.GOV FOR MORE INFO

TARZANA TREATMENT CENTERS  
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES  
DESERT VINEYARD CHURCH  
PENNY LANE  
TAY  
Drop In Centers  
Transitional Age Youth

Saturday, May 18<sup>th</sup>

The SPA 6 Prevention Coalition is holding its second annual Emerging Leaders Youth Summit at Los Angeles Trade Tech College. This FREE event aims to empower participating youth to make informed decisions and be able to advocate for themselves.

The Service Planning Area 6 (SPA 6) Prevention Coalition  
Presents its 2nd Annual...



# EMERGING LEADERS YOUTH SUMMIT

(Ages 12 - 17)

As a part of the National Prevention Week -the Youth Summit will focus on providing young people with information and increasing the public awareness of, and action around, mental and/or substance abuse disorders.

**Saturday, May 18, 2019**  
**9:00am - 2:30pm**

Los Angeles Trade-Tech College  
400 W Washington Blvd  
Los Angeles, CA 90015

**FREE**

admission includes breakfast, lunch, t-shirt, workshops and raffle prizes

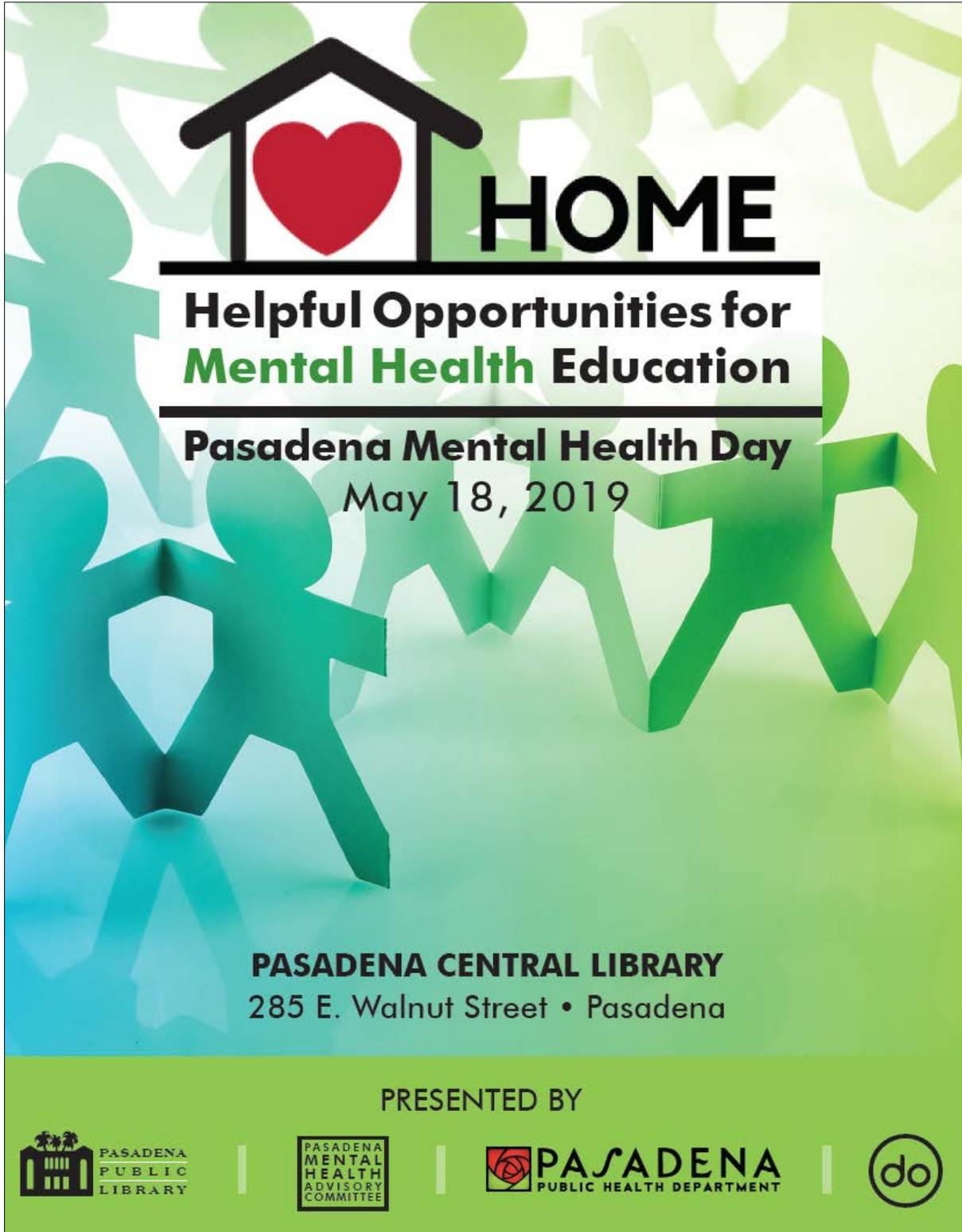
In collaboration with ...

Avalon Carver Community Center - Community Coalition- People Coordinated Services  
South Central Prevention Coalition - Volunteers of America - Watts Healthcare Corporation  
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Saturday, May 18<sup>th</sup> (Continued)

Day One will be closing out NPW by partnering with the City of Pasadena and other area service providers to celebrate Pasadena Mental Health Day. It titled "HOME (Helpful Opportunities for Mental Health education and Empowerment): A State of Mind" and is aimed at lifting up those facing mental health challenges and for those seeking ways to advocate for themselves and those in need.



**HOME**

**Helpful Opportunities for  
Mental Health Education**

**Pasadena Mental Health Day**  
May 18, 2019

**PASADENA CENTRAL LIBRARY**  
285 E. Walnut Street • Pasadena

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ADVISORY  
COMMITTEE

 PASADENA  
PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT

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## **Additional Activities just before/after NPW:**

Earlier this month, on May 4<sup>th</sup>, SPIRITT Family Services – Whittier hosted their Drug Free 24/7, Freedom from Drugs Art Contest and Art Exhibit at the Whittier Area Healthy Living and Resource Fair. They also hosted an Alcohol and Other Drug (AOD) Resource Information booth at the event.

CHLA is has partnered with Nightingale Middle School- 3311 N Figueroa St, Los Angeles, CA 90065 to present to students: Drugs, Alcohol, Tobacco Trivia on May 21<sup>st</sup>. This event aims to educate youth on the harms of substance abuse though an interactive, fun trivia game format.

The Wall Las Memorias Project is continuing National Prevention Week with Nuestras Raices, a Mental Health Awareness Month Event on May 23, 2019, at Self Help Graphics & Art (1300 E. 1<sup>st</sup> St. Los Angeles, CA 90033. Nuestras Raices is a Community Conversation exploring the intersection of mental health, lived experiences and cultural arts as healing. <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/nuestras-raices-a-mental-health-awareness-month-community-event-tickets-60952927848?aff=ebdssbdestsearch&utm-medium=discovery&utm-campaign=social&utm-content=attendeeshare&utm-source=cp&utm-term=destsearch>

The Beach Cities Prevention Community Council will be hosting a Community Awareness Event, also on May 23<sup>rd</sup>. The event, title, “The Party Starts Long Before 21 – Helping Teens Avoid the Pitfalls of Party Culture.” This Community Council is made up of our SPA-8 Prevention Coalition members, Behavioral Health Services (Gardena, Torrance) and Asian American Drug Abuse Programs, Inc. Children’s Hospital Los Angeles

Save the Date  
Vaping Health Effects  
Thursday, May 23, 2019  
Location: TBD  
5:30pm—7:30pm

- ALL are welcome to this FREE and inclusive event!
- Childcare provided.
- Snacks and Refreshments provided.
- Enter Raffle and win prizes!

Call Lorena Velasquez for more information:  
(323) 361-2463

**Children's Hospital**  
LOS ANGELES

SUBSTANCE USE  
PREVENTION AND  
TREATMENT PROGRAM

On Memorial Day Weekend (Saturday, May 25, 2019) Prototypes, a program of HealthRIGHT 360 is holding their 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Wellness 5K (Walk, Run, or Skip) and Health Fair at Pomona High School.



**PREVENTION & AFTERCARE SERVICES (PAS)**

*Come make Family Wellness Memories Memorial weekend!*

Walk, run or skip the 5K with us at Pomona High School  
Yes we can do it and all ages are welcome!

**Free Health & Wellness Mobile services for:**  
Medical enrollment! HIV testing! Blood pressure & BMI check! Health education/counseling!  
Breast self-examination! Dental and Eye care! Bone marrow/CPR education!  
Self-Defense! Fire safety! Healthy food education! Kids activities & more!

**SATURDAY, May 25, 2019 from 8:00 am to 1:00 pm**  
**Pomona High School 475 Bangor St., Pomona, CA 91767**

Register for your free T-Shirt at: <http://2019prototypes5k.eventbrite.com>

First 100 to register by Friday, May 10th will receive a free t-shirt!  
T-shirts will be available while supplies lasts.

Contact person Dara Griffin: [dgriffin@prototypes.org](mailto:dgriffin@prototypes.org)

Refreshments and healthy snacks will be provided!

Funded by the LA County Department of Children and Family Services

In Long Beach, Cambodian Association of America (CAA) and Asian American Drug Abuse Programs, Inc. (AADAP) have teamed up to host a “Break the Trends” Community Forum at Lincoln Elementary School. The

Community Forum will feature presentations and discussion on Prescription (Rx) Drug Misuse & Abuse, Second-Hand Smoke, and Marijuana Laws. Both youth and adults are invited to participate.

# **BREAK THE TRENDS**

## **COMMUNITY FORUM**

Presented by

Asian American Drug Abuse Program  
&  
Cambodian Association of America

### What's Trending?

Prescription(Rx) Drugs Misuse & Abuse  
Second Hand Smoke  
Marijuana Laws



\* Light refreshments will be served \*



\* Raffle prizes \*

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**Lincoln Elementary School**  
(Auditorium)

1175 E. 11th St. Long Beach, CA 90813

**Wednesday, May 29th, 2019**  
4:30pm-6:30pm

This event is made possible through funds from the Los Angeles County Department of Public Health Substance Abuse Prevention and Control