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### September 21, 2022

LA County Health Services is proud to share Community Connects, a monthly newsletter designed to inform our valued community partners. As you work to engage and support our diverse communities we will provide you with updates, information and resources.

We appreciate your continued partnership and efforts!

## **UPDATED COVID-19 BOOSTERS NOW AVAILABLE**



Get boosted today. To find a location near you, visit <a href="http://vaccinateLACounty.com">http://vaccinateLACounty.com</a>.

Furthermore, Public Health offers in-home COVID-19 vaccinations to those who have difficulties leaving their home. If you, or someone you know, could benefit from an in-home COVID-19 vaccination fill out the online form here, or call 1-833-540-0473 from 8 a.m. to 8:30 p.m. seven days a week. Multiple languages are available.

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Information and resources can be found on the Los Angeles County Department of Public Health website.

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### DHS PROVIDING SAFE YOUTH ZONES



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LA Health Services is participating in the *Safe Youth Zone* initiative, which provides temporary havens for youth facing potentially threatening situations that need a place to go. The program specializes in helping youth in danger of human trafficking or

abuse and aims to prevent young people from returning to unsafe spaces where they

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### NATIONAL HISPANIC HERITAGE MONTH

may be subjected to abuse, neglect, and/or exploitation.

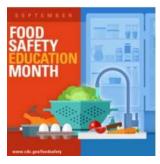
National Hispanic Heritage Month is from September 15th to October 15th. This celebration honors the many contributions, various cultures, and histories of the Latino American community. Latinos in careers (jobs) of education, science, arts, and other careers help make our communities stronger and fairer.



Latino Heritage LA aspires to engage, inspire and highlight contributions made by the Latino community to our nation while bridging cultural gaps and enhancing and connecting the diverse, multiracial and multicultural mosaic that is Los Angeles.

Learn More

### SEPTEMBER IS NATIONAL FOOD SAFETY EDUCATION MONTH



Foodborne illnesses—also known as <u>food</u> <u>poisoning</u>—result from eating food contaminated by bacteria, viruses, parasites, and natural (e.g., molds) or chemical toxins. Anyone can get sick from food poisoning, but certain populations are at higher risk. Access the U.S. Food & Drug Administration's website for data, FAQs, social media messaging toolkits, and recommended food safety precautions. Visit the CDC's Food Safety webpage, available in <u>English</u> and <u>Spanish</u>, for information on food safety when eating out or ordering delivery, as well as during the <u>holidays and other special events</u>.

# **WORLD SEXUAL HEALTH DAY**

This year September 4, 2022 was World Sexual Health Day, which serves as a reminder for people to keep good sexual health through their whole life, not just during their reproductive years. By removing the stigma around sexual health, we allow people to build relationships with themselves that are positive, respectful, and healthy.

LA Health Services is committed to providing medical advice about sexual health to people with various sexual orientations, gender identities, gender expressions, sexual characteristics, and people who live with HIV or with disability. During your next visit, talk to your primary care provider about your potential sexual health care needs.

Go to <u>LGBTQ+ - Health Services Los Angeles County</u> to find a list of health and community resources for the LGBTQ+ community.

Go to Positive Care/HIV to find a list of places that provide medical care for patients who live with HIV.

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The Los Angeles County Department of Parks and Recreation presents a free event where girls ages 12-18 can join, learn and hear from powerful women innovators, educators, trailblazers and beyond! Girls will have an opportunity to connect with their peers and speakers to feel connected, inspired, and empowered. Select locations have transportation pick-up on a first come, first served basis. LA County Parks will host workshops, panels, and keynote speakers. Girls are invited to join and participate in all events. There are unlimited openings to attend on Saturday, October 1, 2022, 10:00 AM – 3:00 PM.

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## EDUCATIONAL TRAINING GRANTS HELP CALIFORNIA WORKERS LEVEL UP



The Golden State Education and Training Grant Program (GSETGP) supports Californians who lost their jobs due to the COVID-19 pandemic with a one-time grant of \$2,500 to reskill, up-skill, and access educational or training programs to get back into the workforce.

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# LA COUNTY HELPFUL RESOURCES:

- Community Vaccine Resource Page
- COVID-19 Testing
- Get Ahead LA Financial Resources
- Vaccine Locator Tool
- COVID-19 Resources for Parents and Guardians (Spanish: ph.lacounty.gov/covidinfopadres)
- One Degree Community Resources

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