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Welcome to KPFP.ORG's Newsletter

Kings Partnership for Prevention is pleased to introduce a new service for members and those interested in prevention activities in Kings County and surrounding communities. A bi-monthly newsletter blast will bring you news you can use!

Although most of the items in our newsletter blasts can be found on our calendar, this format will provide you a quick and easy overview of what is coming up without having to search a calendar.

Members are invited to submit items from their agency, school or group that they would like highlighted.

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[Nell Lobdell, Coordinator](#)

April Events



**Family HealthCare Network
Health & Safety Fair
*Booth Registration Form Due***

Share your information and services with our Community at the Third Annual Health Fair

All organizations who want to set up a booth at the Health & Safety Fair must fill out the "Free Booth Registration Form" due by April 20, 2009

For a registration form and requirements please contact:

[J. Virginia Solis](#), CAA Community Relations Representative, Family HealthCare Network
Direct Line (559) 583-3026 Office: (559) 587-4532 x 3026 Cell: (559) 909-4202 Fax: (559) 589-1867

Kid's Day at Adventure Park 2009

Sponsored by CAPCC
Date: Thursday, April 23

For Information or booth registration call Shea Gowin (559) 303-9039



3rd Annual Family HealthCare Network Health & Safety Fair in Hanford

Date: Sunday, April 26, 2009
Time 1:00pm – 4:00pm

At a Glance Calendar

Monday, April 20
Hanford Health and Safety Fair
Booth Registration Due

Monday, April 20
Register for the "Early Bird" discount
for the 12th Annual Northern California Tobacco, Alcohol and Drug Educator & Youth Development Conference

Wednesday, April 22, 2009
Alliant University, Fresno
Responding to Children and Adolescents with Serious Conduct Problems
6:30 - 8 pm

Thursday, April 23, 2009
Kid's Day at Adventure Park
Sponsored by CAPCC
For Information or booth registration call Shea Gowin (559) 303-9039
4 - 8 pm

Thursday, April 23, 2009
"Prevention Strategies for Older Adults: Exploring Senior Issues in Prevention"
3 - 4:30 pm

Sunday, April 26
Hanford Health and



Location: 329 W. 8th Street, Hanford, CA

- Free Health Screenings
- Preventive Dental Care
- Safety Programs
- Physical Activity
- Healthy Families Enrollment
- Music by: La Maquina Musical
- Entertainment by: Sol de America Folklórico

For more information::

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**Alliant International University, Fresno Presents Community Education Series:
*Responding to Children and Adolescents with Serious Conduct Problems***

Target: parents, teachers, law enforcement and other child/family services professionals.

Date: Wednesday, April 22, 2009

Time: 6:30 pm - 8 pm

Location: Alliant International University Auditorium, 5130 E. Clinton Way, Fresno, CA 93727

Description:

1. Identifying two of the most common causes of severe problem behavior in children and adolescents
2. Strategies for addressing these underlying causes in multiple settings
3. Classroom (Mis)Behavior: Distinctions between behavioral issues and cultural influences

Speakers: Kevin J. O'Connor, PhD, RPT-S California School of Professional Psychology

Shirley Baker, MA, International/Intercultural Communication, MA, TESOL Hufstедler School of Education

Register: As space is limited, please **RSVP** to Margaret Pulido at 559.253.2269 or mpulido@alliant.edu

**Prevention Strategies for Older Adults:
Exploring Senior Issues in Prevention
Workshop**

Date: Thursday, April 23, 2009 Time: 3:00 PM - 4:30 PM Pacific

Description: demographics are shifting to an increasing senior population as the leading edge of the Baby Boomers reach their 60s. We endeavor to provide effective substance abuse prevention across

Safety Fair
1 - 4 pm

Thursday, April 30
"Not What the Doctor
Ordered"
Free Webcast Training
10 - 11 am PT

Thursday, April 30
Student Achievement and
Indoor Air Quality
Phone Training
2 - 3 pm PT

Thursday, April 30
Environmental Prevention
Youth Training
4 - 7:30 pm

Wednesday, May 6
Kings County Poster/Calendar
Contest Entries Due by 4 pm

Wednesday, May 6
12th Annual Northern
California Tobacco, Alcohol
and Drug Educator & Youth
Development Conference
UC Berkeley
8 am - 2:45pm

May 13 - 14, 2009
Grant Writing: Developing
and Maintaining AOD
Prevention
Susanville, CA



the life span but have not focused our efforts as a field on this age group. This webinar will help us to understand the emerging substance abuse issues of the U.S. population over 50 years of age and explore prevention strategies.

Speaker: Colin Hodgen, M.A., LADC-S, CPGC-S, University of Nevada, Reno

Target audience: Prevention/Intervention staff, prevention service providers, and coalition members in CSAP's Western CAPT region.

CEHs: 1.5 (CASAT/UNR is an accredited NAADAC provider for continuing education hours.)

Register now: <https://www2.gotomeeting.com/register/179640746>



Environmental Prevention Youth Training

Date: April 30, 2009

Time: 4 - 7:30 pm

Location: Avenal School District Board Room
205 North Park Ave., Avenal, CA 93204

Target Audience: Friday Night Live, Club Live Youth, FNL Club Live Advisors, FNL

Staff

Description: How to Get Started, Youth-led Projects, Action Planning, Community Organizing, Educating Decision Makers and E.P. Data Collection

Register: Kathleen Murphy, Kings County FNL (559) 582-3211 Ext. 2341, kathleen.murphy@co.kings.ca.us



Student Achievement and Indoor Air Quality Phone Training

Did you know that good indoor air quality can improve student achievement by 25%?

Date: Thursday, April 30

Time: 2 -3 PM PST

Target Audience: school principals, teachers, and administrators

Description: Register for the Student Achievement and Indoor Air Quality Training call hosted by the American Lung Association in California and learn how good indoor air quality can raise test scores and students' ability to learn.

Register: visit: <http://www.mrsnv.com/evt/home.jsp?id=2417> or email mgonsalves@alac.org for dial-in information.

"Not What The Doctor Ordered" A Free, Public Domain Satellite TV/Webcast About Prescription Drug Abuse

Date: Thursday, April 30 2009

Time: 10:00-11:00 am PT



Description: The abuse of prescription drugs is quickly becoming an epidemic.

- See how anti-drug groups in Tennessee discovered the prescription drug problem
- Find out how cooperation is making a difference
- Learn what law enforcement officers are seeing and how they are adapting to the new drug problems
- Hear how health care providers are trying to protect themselves and their patients

Availability: C-Band Analog satellite downlinks and webcast.

Target Audiences: teenagers and their parents, school drug counselors, treatment providers, drug court members, policy makers, business leaders, coalition volunteers, drug demand reduction coordinators, criminal justice professionals, members of the religious community and other community partners who may be interested. This program is also suitable for Public, Educational or General Access television distribution.

Registration: <http://www.dlnets.com/MCTFT2nd.htm>

Other Trainings to Register For:

26 Mar 09: "The Path To Community Change"

14 May 09; "Peers Influence Peers XV- Natural Highs"

Questions? Please Call or Email Us: Ed Kronholm/Amanda Chavez TF: 877-820-0305 or 480-730-1388 Email: dlnets@aol.com

May Events

Deadline May 6 2009-2010
COUNTYWIDE
POSTER CONTEST



Youth: Kings County Poster / Calendar Contest

For the first time in Kings County, the 2010 Drug Prevention Calendar will be published with student artwork.

Sponsors include Kings County Behavioral Health, Educational Employees Credit Union, KCOE and All Valley Printing.

Winning posters selected will appear in a 2010 Drug Prevention Calendar for distribution throughout Kings County for grades: 7-12.

Entries must be delivered by 4:00PM on Wednesday May 6, 2009 to:

Erma Urias, Family and Youth Development Coordinator Kings County Office of Education, 1144 West Lacey Blvd., Hanford, CA 93230.

For complete rules contact: Erma (559) 589-7073, cell (559) 469-3879

12th Annual Northern California Tobacco, Alcohol and Drug Educator & Youth Development Conference

Date: Wednesday, May 6, 2009

Time: 8 am - 2:45 pm

Location: Clark Kerr, UC Berkeley Campus

Registration: Register by **Monday April 20** for an **early bird discount** of \$90. Deadline is April 24. [Click here to register online.](#)

Target Audience: School /District Tobacco & Drug Prevention Coordinators, After School Program Staff, Family

Life & Health Educators School Nurses/School Counselors, All those involved in prevention education with youth

Sample Workshops:

- 2009 UPDATE: Marijuana, Alcohol Use & the Latest Brain Research
- Ensuring Strength-Based Services within a Risk-Based Funding Environment
- Prescription Drugs Explosion
- Alcohol/ Binge Drinking Prevention Programs
- Connecting Prevention and Academic Achievement
- Creating Anti-Bullying / Cyber Safety Programs
- Your 6-12 TUPE Grant is funded, NOW WHAT?
- Brief Intervention, Student Assistance Programs

For registration information, please email klamfers@acoe.org or call Kim Lamfers, 510-670-4568.

For conference information, please call Ira Sachnoff 415-282-5298 or Ralph Cantor 510-670-4589.

Grant Writing: Developing and Maintaining AOD Prevention Programs

Date: May 13 - 14, 2009

Time: 8:30 am - 4:30 pm

Location: Susanville, CA

Register Online: [Click Here](#)

Description: For those who want to work on the nuts and bolts of composing different types of proposals and learn ways to build ongoing relationships with both public and private funding interest. This workshop is intended for both beginning and intermediate level grant writers. You will:

- Understand how grant writing and fund development must fit within a broader agency context
- Recognize the critical importance of building relationships with potential funders
- Learn the nuts and bolts of putting together a strong proposal
- Develop a Proposal Ready System
- Receive a resource binder that includes a comprehensive guide to public and private funding opportunities

About the Presenter: Vivian M. Linderman, founder and principal of Blue Lotus Consulting, is a strategic thinker, fundraiser and organizational development specialist. Vivian has worked professionally in the nonprofit arena in the areas of administration, fundraising and special event planning and coordination. She also has held several nonprofit administrative level positions and has served on several nonprofit boards of directors.

On Going Events & Resources



My Prevention Community

Online Networking Community for Prevention Professionals

**New Online
Networking**

Website for Prevention Professionals Launched

[Center for Applied Research Solutions](#) (CARS) and [EMT Associates](#) launched a new website that supports networking with other prevention specialist statewide and nationally.

Participants can actively network with colleagues, meet new people and share their knowledge and resources in the prevention field. Some of the features include:

1. Event Calendar System which allows you to register for events online, and view attendee lists.
2. Community Blogs (Online Discussions).
3. Community News and Announcements - Browse up to date news releases.
4. Library of Prevention Research Articles.
5. Member Directory Searching - Search for other members, add members to your professional networking connection list, email other members and groups.

To join visit: <http://www.MyPreventionCommunity.org>

Resources: A Guide to Effective Regulation of Alcohol Advertising

The Marin Institute has released a handy guide to effective regulation of alcohol advertising.

It includes: OOH, the First Amendment, public vs. private property, checklists, examples of effective laws, and tips on tricks to watch out for.

[Click Here](#) to get your copy.



Youth: Earn \$5 per Store by Being Undercover Agents for Tobacco Compliance



The American Lung Association has a statewide program called Stop Tobacco Access to Kids Enforcement Act. (S.T.A.K.E.).

Youth between the ages of 14-16 volunteer to be undercover agents for tobacco compliance checks outside their immediate neighborhood.

Requirement and application can be found on their website www.stakeact.com.

Students do receive \$5.00 for each store they visit. On an average day, students may visit anywhere from 10-20 stores.