



California State University Channel Islands

Multicultural Dream Center

COVID-19

Intercultural Services

Promoting Achievement Through Hope

Underrepresented Student Initiatives

Women of Color

Undocumented Students



#### **Events Overview**







#### **ACUI 2020 Region 1 Virtual Conference - Day 1**

December 1st

10:00 AM - 4:00PM

**RSVP:** https://theisland.csuci.edu/virtual-events/acui-2020-region-1-virtual-conference-46b9d

The 2020 ACUI\* Region 1 Conference is a student activities conference that will be held virtually on Tuesday, December 1 – Thursday, December 3 and YOUR campus registration fee has already been paid for, courtesy of your ASI Student Union! This year's conference theme is "RESILIENCE AND REINVENTION!" A variety of engaging educational workshops, keynote speakers, and a "What's New" Showcase will be offered. Take advantage of this FREE Leadership and Student Activities opportunity!

#### **Bootcamp with Nick**

December 1st

Tuesday 11:00 AM - 11:30 AM Wednesday 11:30 AM - 12:00 PM

**RSVP:** Register on CI SYNC

Join our Certified Fitness Instructor Nick for his weekly Bootcamp classes. Every Tuesday from 11:00 - 11:30 a.m. and every Wednesday from 11:30 a.m. - Noon on ZOOM.

### **Financial Wellness Workshop**

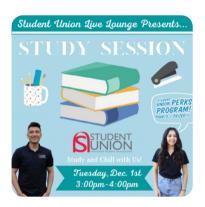
December 1st

12:00 PM - 1:00 PM

RSVP: email wpe@csuci.edu for the Zoom link.

Learn about financial wellness every 1st and 3rd Tuesday of the month from Noon - 1:00 pm. This workshop will teach you important financial skills such as how to utilize and build credit, how student loans and interest works, and the importance of budgeting. Students will meet with a peer educator through Zoom in this interactive workshop. Attendees will receive a workbook, a resource guide, and various other resources related to financial wellness.

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#### **Student Union LIVE Lounge: "Study Session"**

December 1st

3:00 PM - 4:00 PM

RSVP: https://calendly.com/csuci\_studentunion/live-lounge-1?month=2020-12

Join Kayla and Bryan from the Student Union Engagement Team on Tuesday, Dec. 1, from 3:00pm - 4:00pm in the SU Live Lounge for a finals study session! Register by noon on Nov. 20th to receive a FREE stretchy stress ball set AND show up to study to be entered into a multi-prize giveaway with items to support your studies! Dolphins must also attend the Live Lounge Event to study in order to claim and receive any giveaways.



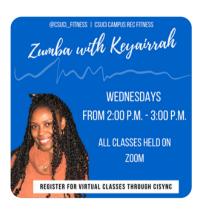
### HAAPI: Supporting Healthy Asian/Asian American Pacific Islanders

December 1st

3:30 PM - 4:30 PM

**Zoom:** https://zoom.us/j/98421432236

HAAPI is a support and discussion space of South Asian, Southeast Asian, East Asian, Pacific Islander, multi/bi-cultural and multi/bi-racial identified students. HAAPI provides students a safe space to discuss topics that are relevant to their experiences.



### **Zumba with Keyairrah**

December 2nd

2:00 PM - 3:00 PM

**RSVP:** Register on CI SYNC

Join our Certified Fitness Instructor Keyairrah for her weekly Zumba class.

Every Wednesday from 2:00 - 3:00 p.m. on ZOOM.

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#### **ACUI 2020 Region 1 Virtual Conference - Day 2**

December 2nd

10:00 AM - 4:00PM

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#### **CSUCI's Virtual Career & Internship Fair**

December 3rd

8:00 AM - 4:00 PM

**RSVP:** https://www.csuci.edu/careerdevelopment/news/careerfair-students.htm

Join Career Development & Alumni Engagement Thursday, December 3, from 8:00am - 4:00pm for the Virtual Career & Internship Fair. This annual fair offers students and alumni the opportunity to network with organizations that are actively recruiting to fill internship positions, as well as part-time and/or full-time employment opportunities.

#### **ACUI 2020 Region 1 Virtual Conference - Day 3**

December 3rd

10:00 AM - 4:00 PM

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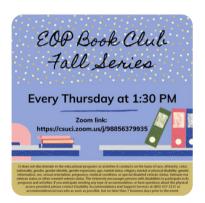
#### **Social Anxiety Support Group**

December 3rd

11:30 AM - 12:30PM

RSVP: caps@csuci.edu

Is anxiety impacting the self from socializing with others in meaningful ways? Does the thought of socializing bring about negative thoughts, clammy hands, or a nervous stomach? Whether offline or online, learn how to cope with social anxiety. Come practice skills that will help reduce social anxiety and increase connection with others.



#### **EOP Book Club - Fall Series (Open to EOP Students)**

December 3rd Starts 1:30 PM

**Zoom:** https://csuci.zoom.us/j/98856379935

Join your EOP peers to read a book and engage in literacy group discussions! EOP Book Club meetings will be every Thursday at 1:30pm. Please direct all questions to Ricardo Rico in the Educational Opportunity Program at ricardo.rico@csuci.edu.



### **Student Programming Board (SPB) Weekly Meetings**

December 3rd

5:30 PM - 6:30 PM

**Zoom:** https://csuci.zoom.us/j/94173151956

oin Student Programming Board for our General Board Meetings Every Thursday from 5:30pm - 6:30pm via Zoom

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# Student Union Game Room: "8 Ball Pool Tournament"

December 4th

12:00 PM - 1:30PM

RSVP: https://calendly.com/csuci\_studentunion/live-game-room?month=2020-12

Join the Student Union Engagement and Student Services Team from Noon - 1:30pm on Friday, Dec. 4th, in the SU Live Game Room for our "8 Ball Pool Tournament!" Register NOW in the Live Game Room to compete and take home the grand prize (if you are champion of the tournament) or receive a special giveaway prize for participating! Anyone can attend (staff, faculty, students, alum, friends & family), but only enrolled students are eligible for giveaways. There are 14 bracket slots open for this tournament and it's FREE to play. Register to confirm your attendance by clicking the event date on the Student Union Game Room calendar! Following registration, you will receive a confirmation email with details to access the tournament on our Student Union Live Game Room Discord. See you there!

#### Student Union Craft Studio: "DIY Winter Snow Globes"

December 7th

3:00 PM - 5:00 PM

**RSVP:** https://calendly.com/csuci\_studentunion/su-live-craft-studio-1?month=2020-12

Hey crafters! Join Sophia and Dejiah from the Student Union Engagement & Student Services Team on Monday, December 7th, from 3:00-5:00pm for the next Live Craft Studio event: "DIY Winter Snow Globes!!!" Be one of the FIRST 20 CI students to register by Noon on Tuesday, December 1st, to be eligible to receive your FREE Crafting Supply Kit in the mail! Registration is NOW OPEN, so sign up TODAY in the craft studio! Register to confirm your attendance by clicking the event date on the Student Union Live Craft Studio calendar. Registration to attend the Craft Studio will remain open beyond the Free Craft Kit Deadline and you may use our Craft Studio Supply Lists (offered via the registration process) to bring your own craft supplies to participate! Dolphins that receive free kit supplies are required to attend the corresponding Live Craft Studio Event with their Free kit supplies to remain eligible for future kit giveaways! Tell your friends to register with you and join us for some fun! Don't worry if you are not eligible for a Free supply kit, everyone is welcome!

#### **Bootcamp with Nick - Dec. 8**

December 8th

11:00 AM - 11:30 AM

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#### **Bootcamp with Nick - Dec. 9**

December 9TH

11:30 AM - 12:00 PM

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#### **Zumba with Keyairrah**

December 9th 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM

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#### **Social Anxiety Support Group**

December 10th

11:30 AM - 12:30 PM

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## **Fall 2020 Scholarship Workshop**

December 16th

11:00 PM - 12:00 PM

RSVP: Click here or go to: go.csuci.edu/Scholarships

**Social Anxiety Support Group** 

This workshop will provide you with the tips needed to be a competitive applicant. It will also provide an overview of the scholarship process along with various techniques on how to complete a successful application.CSU Channel Islands (CSUCI) offers outstanding scholarship opportunities each year. This is an excellent opportunity for you to apply for funding you do not have to pay back. Scholarship awards range between \$500 and \$10,000. We encourage all students to apply!

If you have any questions, please call the Financial Aid & Scholarships Office at (805) 437-8530 or email us at scholarships@csuci.edu.



#### December 17th

11:30 AM - 12:30 PM

RSVP: email: caps@csuci.edu

Is anxiety impacting the self from socializing with others in meaningful ways? Does the thought of socializing bring about negative thoughts, clammy hands, or a nervous stomach? Whether offline or online, learn how to cope with social anxiety. Come practice skills that will help reduce social anxiety and increase connection with others.

# HISTORY 302

Topics in North American History

# Asian Pacific Islander American History











### **AAPI History at CSUCI**

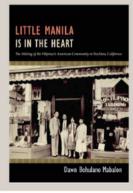
You will learn the historic and contemporary experiences of Asian American and Pacific Islanders communities in the U.S. Topics include early labor, legislation, international migration patterns to the U.S.; settlement and employment; demographic trends, sociocultural, economic, and political issues; and interethnic relations. Attention will be given to communities in Ventura County and the larger Southern California region. The course includes readings, films, discussions, and written assignments. Contact Prof. Frank Barajas for a permission # to enroll. frank.barajas@csuci.edu

Instructor: Lily Anne Welty Tamai, Ph.D.

When: Spring 2021

Date & Time: MW 1:30-2:45pm

Course: Online synchronous & recorded









DISABILITY ACCOMMODATIONS AND SUPPORT SERVICES

# WE'RE HIRING STUDENT ASSISTANTS FOR SPRING 2021

Apply for the position through Dolphin CareerLink!



# **Monthly Letter from Dr. Hiram Ramirez**

**Greetings Dolphins!** 

As the semester slowly begins to end, I just want to take some time to share that you made it! We are almost to the finish line! I know this semester has been hard and you have all faced many challenges, but know that you are resilience and you have the entire CI community backing you up. If you ever need anything or just need to chat, our MDC Family is here to support you!

I also wanted to share that as you start the Winter Break, make sure to take time for yourselves and loved ones. This semester is one that will be remembered for many years to come, so make sure to reflect on the hurdles you have overcome and take time for self-care. And to reinforce this thought I leave you with this quote:

"Caring for myself is not self-indulgence. It is self-preservation, and that is an act of political warfare," Audre Lorde in *A Burst of Light" and Other Essays*.

As always feel free to reach out to any of the staff if you have questions, need support, or just want to chat!

In Solidarity, Hiram Ramirez

## **Multicultural Dream Center Staff**



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**Anthony De La O** 

He / Him / His Student Assistant Graduating 2022



**Taylor Duncan** 

She / Her / Hers Student Assistant Graduating 2021

# Multicultural Dream Center

# **MDC Hours of Operation**

MDC Virtual Hours: 8 AM - 5 PM MDC Live Chat Hours: 10 AM - 2 PM

Due to the online transition, the Multicultural Dream Center has added live chat hours for students who would like to communicate directly with a program coordinator.

To access this live chat, visit https://www.csuci.edu/mdc/ and click the "Get Help" button on the bottom of the screen.



### **MDC Social Media**

If you want more to see more updates than the monthly newsletter, follow us on Instagram, Twitter, Tik Tok, or Facebook for announcements about events and resources from the MDC and other organizations.









# **Confidential Advocacy Services**



# Brooke Jacks M.A., AMFT Campus Advocate



#### 2020-2021 Hours

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Out of Office	9am-4pm	Out of Office	9am-4pm	9am-3pm

To schedule an appointment: Call **805-437-3527** or

#### Email campusadvocate@csuci.edu

If you need immediate help, please call our confidential 24-hour Bilingual Crisis Hotline 805-620-4676.

Brooke Jacks Registered Associate Marriage and Family Therapist #120131
Supervised by Diana Guerrero Licensed Marriage and Family Therapist #95712 through Coalition for Family Harmony.

# **Confidential Advocacy Information**

# **CSUCI Campus Advocate**

Brooke Jacks M.A., AMFT





#### **About Advocate Services**

A confidential Advocate is someone with training and expertise in supporting survivors of sexual assault, sexual misconduct, sexual harassment, dating violence, domestic violence, and stalking.

An Advocate can provide support, information about options, and assist survivors through the medical and legal processes following experiencing sexual or interpersonal violence.

The Advocate provides information so that an individual can make informed decisions about what resources they would like to access.

\*Survivors are entirely in control of the Advocate's level of involvement while seeking services.\*

#### Resources could include:

- Reporting to the police or the University
- Accessing free psychological services
- Seeking a Domestic Violence Shelter
- Accessing academic accommodations
   Safety measures like no-contact orders
- Room changes

Hours and Appointments

Tuesday: 9am - 4pm

Thursday: 9am - 4pm

Friday: 9am - 3pm

campusadvocate@csuci.edu

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# COMPANES

# **Symptoms of Coronavirus (COVID-19)**

#### Know the symptoms of COVID-19, which can include the following:



Symptoms can range from mild to severe illness, and appear 2-14 days after you are exposed to the virus that causes COVID-19.

# Seek medical care immediately if someone has emergency warning signs of COVID-19.

- Trouble breathing
- Persistent pain or pressure in the chest
- New confusion

- Inability to wake or stay awake
- Bluish lips or face

This list is not all possible symptoms. Please call your healthcare provider for any other symptoms that are severe or concerning to you.



cdc.gov/coronavirus

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# How to Safely Wear and Take Off a Mask

Accessible: https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/prevent-getting-sick/how-to-wear-doth-face-coverings.html

#### **WEAR YOUR FACE MASK CORRECTLY**

- · Wash your hands before putting on your mask
- · Put it over your nose and mouth and secure it under your chin
- Try to fit it snugly against the sides of your face
- · Make sure you can breathe easily
- Do not place a mask on a child younger than 2







#### **USE THE MASK TO HELP PROTECT OTHERS**

- Wear a mask to help protect others in case you're infected but don't have symptoms
- · Keep the mask on your face the entire time you're in public
- Don't put the mask around your neck or up on your forehead
- · Don't touch the mask, and, if you do, clean your hands

#### **FOLLOW EVERYDAY HEALTH HABITS**

- · Stay at least 6 feet away from others
- · Avoid contact with people who are sick
- Wash your hands often, with soap and water, for at least 20 seconds each time
- · Use hand sanitizer if soap and water are not available





# TAKE OFF YOUR MASK CAREFULLY, WHEN YOU'RE HOME

- · Untie the strings behind your head or stretch the ear loops
- · Handle only by the ear loops or ties
- · Fold outside corners together
- · Place covering in the washing machine
- · Wash your hands with soap and water



Personal masks are not surgical masks or N-95 respirators, both of which should be saved for health care workers and other medical first responders.

For instructions on making a cloth face covering, see:

cdc.gov/coronavirus



# 10 things you can do to manage your COVID-19 symptoms at home

Accessible Version: https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/if-you-are-sick/steps-when-sick.html

#### If you have possible or confirmed COVID-19:

1. Stay home from work and school. And stay away from other public places. If you must go out, avoid using any kind of public transportation, ridesharing, or taxis.



 Cover your cough and sneezes with a tissue or use the inside of your elbow.



 Monitor your symptoms carefully. If your symptoms get worse, call your healthcare provider immediately.



7. Wash your hands often with soap and water for at least 20 seconds or clean your hands with an alcohol-based hand sanitizer that contains at least 60% alcohol.



3. Get rest and stay hydrated.



8. As much as possible, stay in a specific room and away from other people in your home. Also, you should use a separate bathroom, if available. If you need to be around other people in or outside of the home, wear a mask.



4. If you have a medical appointment, call the healthcare provider ahead of time and tell them that you have or may have COVID-19.



 Avoid sharing personal items with other people in your household, like dishes, towels, and bedding.



 For medical emergencies, call 911 and notify the dispatch personnel that you have or may have COVID-19.



10. Clean all surfaces that are touched often, like counters, tabletops, and doorknobs. Use household cleaning sprays or wipes according to the label instructions.





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cdc.gov/coronavirus

# Intercultural Services



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# **Intercultural Services Staff**



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# **Monthly Letter by Leticia Cazares**

Greetings PATH Students,

As we conclude the semester I would like to invite each of you to reflect on your accomplishments and each stride that you have been able to achieve this semester. Having moved to all virtual learning and programming has not been an easy task. I have heard thematically that engaging and feeling a sense of connection has been a major challenge for many of you. Therefore, I would like to ask that you consider reaching out to those networks that you have contact with to get support.

I would also like to invite you to take the winter recess to pause and re-energize as we must remain virtual for the upcoming semester as well. Enjoy the time off and take time to recenter yourself. Have a beautiful holiday season with your loved ones.

Furthermore, please submit your PATH Pass as it is due the first week of December. If you have yet to meet with me I urge you to schedule your appointment ASAP: Schedule an appointment by clicking: <a href="https://go.oncehub.com/LeticiaCazares">https://go.oncehub.com/LeticiaCazares</a>

Freshmen & Sophomores PATH Pass: <a href="mailto:csuci.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV\_8DhOhu0ZlErDYjP">csuci.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV\_8DhOhu0ZlErDYjP</a>
Juniors and Seniors PATH Pass: <a href="mailto:csuci.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV\_0DqSUjS3sg2rdJj">csuci.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV\_0DqSUjS3sg2rdJj</a>

# **Promoting Achievement Through Hope Staff**



**Leticia H. Cazares, M.S.**She / Her / Hers
Coordinator of PATH

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Ramona Ornelas

She / Her / Hers Student Assistant Major in History Minor in Chicanx Studies Graduating Spring 2023



Isaiah Ball

He / Him / His Student Assistant Major in Organizational Communication Graduating Spring 2021



Interview done by: Leticia Cazares, M.S.

In a recent interview with Gisselle Uribe, who is in her sophomore year, shared that she received for a second year the <u>Barbakow Family Scholarship</u> for Foster Youth.

The amount of the scholarship is \$10,000 for the academic year. She says "receiving the scholarship has been life changing because I live with my grandma and we don't have much of an income. Since she is the only one working. And so receiving the scholarship has allowed me to chase my dreams and be the first one to be going to college...I am super excited and thankful to the Barbakow Family."

She shares that being engaged in the PATH Program has been one of the best choices she has made as she only has had her grandma to rely on for support, but having others on campus feels like she has an extension of her family.

Her professional aspirations include working in the administration of a hospital setting. "I have always had a special place in my heart for doctors and nurses...for how they treated...my mom [while she was going through cancer]." She shares that she would like to bring joy to children that may be feeling confused about what is going on, especially when a parent is ill.

Finally, she would like to advise any new student to reach out for help and ask questions. She has learned that has been very valuable in her transition to higher education.

# **Virtual Book Club Shout Out**

The PATH Coordinator who led the "21 Miles of Scenic Beauty... and then Oxnard:
Counterstories and Testimonies" - book club through the MDC, would like to send a shout out to thank the four participants who were very engaged through all the sessions they include: Diana, Stefany, Tori, & Wendy. Further, she would also like to thank our local author Dr. Martín Alberto Gonzalez who joined us in a virtual discussion to share his trajectory in education.

# BOOKICLUB



# True Grit: Uplifting Stories from the CSU's Class of 2019 By: Alisia Ruble 5/28/2019



Clockwise from top left: San Diego State's Erica Alfaro, CSU San Marcos' Stephen Vandereb, Stanislaus State's Livier Camarena Sanchez, Fresno State's Arnold Treviño, CSU East Bay's Chunli Cao and Cal State LA's Matthew Keels

# Bring Joy to Kids in Foster Care this Holiday Season



Giving Back Boxes are a great way to help the community! With 2020 continuing to change the way we celebrate the holidays, take this chance to do something good and help kids in foster care.

Inspired by the Sweet Case program, Together We Rise has altered their program to be COVID safe and easy to do from the comfort of your home. Whether you and your family can sponsor a kit of 10 or 20 Sweet Cases or Birthday Boxes the difference you can make is immeasurable!

Sign Up and Sponsor a Giving Back Box Today!







# Ventura County Community Foundation's scholarships are now open through January 29, 2021

Apply at vccf.org/scholarships



# Scholarships and Internships Guide

The PATH Program is pleased to announce that we have created a document that contains various scholarships and internships as well as some resources one could use when searching. To view this document, please click the link below and download the document.

https://bit.ly/3fqUSBz

# **Echoes of Hope Announcement**

I hope this message finds everyone in good health.

I wanted to provide an update on our textbook program. Echoes of Hope was expecting to receive our last round of funding this month. Unfortunately, due to the pandemic, we will not be receiving the remaining funds this year. We hope to receive the last round of funding in February/March '21.

We are so sorry for the disappointing news as we know how much students rely on this program. If anything changes in funding, we will definitely let you know. If students have no other resources, you can certainly reach out to us and we will do our best to accommodate a small percentage of students.

Additionally, we encourage students to return books so that when funding is available, their name is cleared and there's no delay in purchasing books.

Lastly, if students need support in other areas (meal assistance, transportation, laptops, etc.) we do have funding available. Please reach out to leticia.cazares@csuci.edu, for the general support application.

Nicole Knoop

# **SPIRIT of Santa Paula Food Pantry:**



#### SANTA PAULA FOOD PANTRIES & SERVICES

Brought to you by a variety of hosts with special thanks to FOOD Share

#### **DROP IN CENTER**

#### For Homeless and Hungry

Food - Encouragement -- Basics 1498 E. Harvard Blvd. Santa Paula Monday – Thursday from 9 to 2 pm Friday we meet at One Stop - 1029 E. Santa Paula Street

Tuesdays at 11 – Encouragement Various Services Available: Including Mental Health, Counseling TB Tests Appointments - Services Emergencies 805.340.5025 Church in the Park – Sundays at 11 am

#### **ONE STOP**

#### Ventura Co. Healthcare Agency

Every Friday 9 to Noon El Buen Pastor Church 1029 E. Santa Paula Street Homeless Services – CDR Medical – TB Tests Flu Shots Medical Assessment



#### **HOT MEALS**

#### Many Meals SPIRIT of Santa Paula Hot Meal for take-out and/or dining room Wednesdays 5 – 6 pm

First Presbyterian Church 121 N. Davis Street 805.340.5025

#### **LOCAL FOOD PANTRIES**

Santa Clara Valley CFL 217 N. 10<sup>th</sup> Street - 805.933.9800 2<sup>ND</sup> AND 4<sup>TH</sup> Fridays - 9 am to 1 pm 1 Friday 9 am to 10:30 am (fruits and vegs)

St. Vincent de Paul – St. Sebastian's 235 N. 9<sup>th</sup> Street - 805.525.2149 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4th Thursdays 1 pm to 4:30 pm

#### Valley Community Foursquare Church

611 E. Main Street 805.525.4273 Tuesdays from 9 – 10 am

#### A LITTLE LAUNDRY

1183 E. Main Street Every Friday from 7:30 to 9 am HMIS ID Required.

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#### **FOOD PANTRY**

#### SPIRIT of Santa Paula – Food Pantry First Presbyterian Church 121 N. Davis Street - 805.340.5025 Every Wednesday 5 pm – 6 pm

#### SPIRIT of Santa Paula – USDA plus 1498 E. Harvard Blvd. 805.340.5025 Every Saturday 2:30-4:30 Lottery for position in line -Early birds not necessary

#### **SHOWERS**

Every Friday 9 to Noon HMIS ID Card Required 1029 E. Santa Paula Street, Santa Paula

# EMERGENCY FOOD BOXES BY APPOINTMENT

805.340.5025

For more information, call Kay Wilson-Bolton

#### SPIRIT OF SANTA PAULA 805.340.5025

Espanol Lupe Servin 805.427.4750

www.spiritofsantapaula.org facebook.com/spiritofsantapaula

Click here to view the SPIRIT of Santa Paula Newsletter



"Based on a new report from SchoolHouse Connection and Poverty Solutions at the University of Michigan, 420,000 fewer children and youth experiencing homelessness have been identified and enrolled by schools so far this school year. According to our data and insights - gathered from educators and homeless liaisons across 49 states - the number of children, youth, and families experiencing homelessness has likely increased due to the economic crisis. Yet, because of COVID-19 challenges in identifying children and youth experiencing homelessness, hundreds of thousands may not be getting the education and support they need.

What's more, only 18% of respondents indicated that federal coronavirus relief education funding provided by the CARES Act is being used to meet the needs of students experiencing homelessness. To break generational cycles of homelessness, we must take swift action to support the increasing number of children, youth, and families in need. Check out our <u>report</u> to learn more and take action. We have included recommendations for Congressional leaders, state and local educational agencies, homeless, housing, food, and other relief agencies, and philanthropic organizations."

-SchoolHouse Connection

For more information and to access the report, visit

https://www.schoolhouseconnection.org/lost-in-the-masked-shuffle-and-virtual-void/

#### Promoting Achievement Through Hope

## **Hot Chocolate Bombs Recipe**

#### **Ingredients**

- 1. Chocolate chips (milk, dark, white, etc.)
- 2. Hot Cocoa Mix
- 3.1 Sphere Mold
- 4. (Optional) add-ins like mini marshmallows, sprinkles, or toffee pieces

#### **Directions**

- 1. Melt your chocolate chips by microwaving them in a bowl for 30 seconds, stirring, then continuing to heat at 15-second intervals, and stir until the chips are all melted.
- 2. Use a spoon to dollop the melted chocolate into your molds, smoothing it around the edges until everything is covered. Set in the refrigerator for about 30 minutes, or until the chocolate is firm.
- 3. Fill your mold three-fourths full with your hot cocoa mix and optional add-ins.
- 4. Use a hot plate or pan to melt the open end of the chocolate mold and connect two halves to create a ball
- 5. Pour the remaining chocolate over top to seal the "back" of the bombs. Place mold in the fridge until the chocolate sets. Serve in a mug, pouring hot milk over the bomb and stirring until completely melted. Enjoy!



#### **Monthly Letter by Natalie Johnson**

Hello all!

As the semester wraps up and finals are on the way please do take advantage of the academic support services on campus. Good luck with finals and have a great winter break!

If you would like to chat or have questions either email me at natalie.johnson@csuci.edu or set up a meeting with me at this link: go.oncehub.com/NatalieJohnson.

Best, Natalie Johnson

#### **Underrepresented Student Initiatives Staff**



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#### **Event List**

#### **Destress Week**

November 30th - December 4th

#### **WOCMP Study Group**

December 2nd 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM

#### **SOCMI Closing Social**

December 3rd 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM

#### **CARECEN Pathway to Citizenship Workshop**

December 3rd 03:00 PM - 04:00 PM

#### **Undocumented Ally Training: Silver**

December 4th 03:00 PM - 05:00 PM

#### **WOCMP Book Club**

December 4th 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM

#### **Finals Week**

December 7th - December 11th

#### **Undocumented Ally Training: Silver**

December 10th 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM

#### **Instructors' Grades Due**

December 18th

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#### **Events Overview**



#### **WOCMP Study Group**

December 2nd

11:00 AM - 12:00 PM

**RSVP:** Google Classroom

This is a closed study group for members of the Women of Color Mentoring Program.



#### **SOCMI Closing Social**

December 3rd

11:00 AM - 12:00 PM

RSVP: tinyurl.com/y65c3hjq

In collaboration with the Men of color Mentoring Program, we will be wrapping the semester off with the Students of Color Mentoring Initiative Closing Social. During this social we will be reflecting on the year, building community, and having fun! Don't forget to RSVP!



#### **CARECEN Pathway to Citizenship Workshop**

December 3rd

03:00 PM - 04:00 PM

RSVP: tinyurl.com/y6cs8uem

CARECEN LA invites you to attend the Pathways to Citizenship Wrap Up Presentation, where attendees will hear a summary of all the Pathway to Citizenship presentations that were held throughout the series: SIJS, Family-Based Petitions, U-Visas, and VAWA. RSVP today.



#### **Undocu Ally Training: Silver**

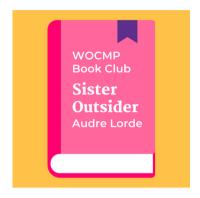
December 4th

03:00 PM - 05:00 PM

RSVP: tinyurl.com/y34gh2b3

The MDC organizes three Undocumented Student Ally trainings for CSUCI staff and faculty to learn how to serve as allies to undocumented students. During the silver training, the second level of the program, attendees will learn about AB 540 affidavit, the history of the DREAMer movement, the legal reality of undocumented students, and more.

#### **Events Overview**



#### **WOCMP Book Club**

December 4th

11:00 AM - 12:00 PM

**RSVP:** Google Classroom

This is a closed book club for members of the Women of Color Mentoring Program in which we will be discussing essays by Audrey Lorde.



#### **Undocu Ally Training: Silver**

December 10th

10:00 AM - 12:00 PM

RSVP: tinyurl.com/y34gh2b3

The MDC organizes three Undocumented Student Ally trainings for CSUCI staff and faculty to learn how to serve as allies to undocumented students. During the silver training, the second level of the program, attendees will learn about AB 540 affidavit, the history of the DREAMer movement, the legal reality of undocumented students, and more.

## **WOMEN OF** COLOR





#### The Safe Place App

"The Safe Place" Is a Minority Mental Health App geared towards the Black Community. African Americans are 20% more likely to experience serious mental health problems than the rest of the general population. However, many black people still do not wish to seek professional help for their mental illnesses. https://apps.apple.com/us/app/the-safe-place/id1349460763



#### **BlackLine 24/7 Hotline**

BlackLine provides a space for peer support and counseling, reporting of mistreatment, and affirming the lived experiences to folks who are most impacted by systematic oppression with an LGBTQ+ Black Femme Lens. <a href="https://www.callblackline.com/">https://www.callblackline.com/</a>



#### **Therapy for Black Girls**

Therapy for Black Girls, founded by Joy Harden Bradford, PhD, compiled a useful directory of therapists who actually \*get it\*. (The organization also produces a podcast, publishes a weekly newsletter, and hosts free support groups on Thursday nights.) https://therapyforblackgirls.com/



#### **Ethel's Club**

A community designed for intention, healing, and creation. "At Ethel's Club, we see our members as unique individuals that deserve care, celebration, and healing. We believe that when we're given the tools to thrive as individuals, we create new worlds when we come together as a community. We're dedicated to providing those tools to encourage healing, inspiration, and communal care." https://www.ethelsclub.com/



#### **Scholarships for Women of Color**

Minority women have many scholarships and grants available to them for continuing their education. Some are widely publicized, while others tend to fly under the radar. Many of the grants and scholarships available to minority women are need-based, and some are based in merit. Some awards are based on a mixture of need-based and meritbased criteria. Other programs focus on areas of study and some depend on the applicant's geographical area.

https://www.scholarshipsforwomen.net/minorities/



#### **Latinx Therapists Action Network**

"We are a network of Latinx mental health practitioners that are committed to honoring and affirming the human dignity of Latinx immigrant communities marginalized by violence, criminalization, detention, and deportation. The current political assaults on the migrant community can devastate the spirits, livelihoods, and wellbeing of these communities, leaving deep emotional, physical, spiritual, and political wounds. We form this network as an affirmation of our humanity, our worthiness, our power, and all our people's beauty." https://www.latinxtherapistsactionnetwork.org/home



#### **Brown Girl Self Care**

Brown Girl Self Care is a blog, podcast, and collection of courses aimed at providing guidance for self care practices for brown women. https://www.browngirlselfcare.com/



#### **Latino Rebels**

Latino Rebels believe in authentic, unfiltered and independent voices. With over 500 contributors, their stories range from reported articles to opinion pieces.

https://www.latinorebels.com/about/



#### **Resilient Sisterhood Project**

The Resilient Sisterhood Project's mission is to educate and empower women of African descent regarding common but rarely discussed diseases of the reproductive system that disproportionately affect them. We approach these diseases and associated issues through a cultural and social justice lens, because we believe that poor knowledge of reproductive health is primarily related to health, racial, and socioeconomic disparities.

https://www.rsphealth.org/



#### The Asian Pacific Institute on Gender-Based **Violence**

This is a national resource center on domestic violence, sexual violence, trafficking, and other forms of gender-based violence in Asian and Pacific Islander communities. It analyzes critical issues affecting Asian and Pacific Islander survivors; provides training, technical assistance, and policy analysis; and maintains a clearinghouse of information on gender violence, and culturally-specific models of intervention. https://www.api-gbv.org/



#### **National Organization of Sisters of Color Ending Sexual Assault (SCESA)**

The National Organization of Sisters of Color Ending Sexual Assault (SCESA) is a Women of Color led non-profit committed to ensuring that systems-wide policies and social change initiatives related to sexual assault are informed by critical input and direction of Women of Color. https://sisterslead.org/



#### **The Colored Girl Online Community**

"The Colored Girl is a global community of women of color, whom we serve through immersive experiences and curated content. We gather inspiring, passionate, ambitious and open-minded women, to spark conversations around topics that range from wellness, women's issues, to personal & professional development. We cover all topics that affect women of color." https://www.thecoloredgirl.com/about

# PEOPLE OF COLOR esources

From the article "55 Mental Health Resources for People of Color

#### **People of Color**

#### **Inclusive Therapists**

Link: https://www.inclusivetherapists.com/

Database for people to connect with therapists focused on the needs of marginalized populations including people of color, the LGBTQ community and people with disabilities.

#### **LGBTQ Psychotherapists of Color**

Link: https://www.lgbtqpsychotherapistsofcolor.com/

Directory of therapists based in Northern California; also lists those providing online services.

#### **National Queer & Trans Therapists of Color Network**

Link: https://www.nqttcn.com/

Organization with directory of therapists nationwide.

#### Fireflies Unite With Kea Podcast

Link: https://www.firefliesunite.com/podcast

Stories of people thriving with mental illness within communities of color.

#### **Wellness in Color Podcast**

Link: https://namimn.org/category/podcast-episodes/wellness-in-color/

Series from National Alliance on Mental Illness Minnesota with the mission to reshape the cultural language about mental illness through stories.

#### **Black People and African Americans**

#### **Black Emotional and Mental Health Collective**

Link: https://www.beam.community/

Organization with information on mental health training, toolkits and a directory of licensed Black therapists External link who can provide online services.

#### **Black Mental Health Alliance**

Link: https://blackmentalhealth.com/

Organization that connects individuals with therapists and provides professional training.

#### **Ethel's Club**

Link: https://www.ethelsclub.com/

Social and wellness community where paying members can access group workouts, guided meditations, wellness salons and art workshops as part of the healing process.

#### **Psychology Today Directory of AA Therapists**

Link: https://www.psychologytoday.com/us/therapists/african-american

Detailed therapist listings for states and major cities.

#### **Sistah Afya Community Mental Wellness**

Link: https://www.sistaafya.com/

Social impact business that provides mental health education, therapy, community support and resources to help young adult Black women.

#### **Therapy for Black Girls**

Link: https://therapyforblackgirls.com/

Website associated with a podcast by same name that offers a therapist locator, group chats and blog articles to encourage the wellness of Black women and girls.

#### African Americans, Anxiety and Depression Association of America

Link: https://adaa.org/african-americans

Information on choosing providers and accompanying ADAA articles on topics such as how to overcome unique obstacles and the link between racism and stress and anxiety for Black Americans.

## **Substance Abuse & Mental Health Services Administration**

Link: www.samhsa.gov/behavioral-health-equity/black-african-american

Information page from agency that runs the National Suicide Prevention Lifeline (800-273-8255) for confidential support for those in distress and National Helpline (800-662-4357) for treatment referral and support.

#### **Mental Health America**

Link: mhanational.org/issues/black-african-american-communities-and-mental-health

Fact sheet about prevalence of, attitudes about, and treatment for mental health issues with information specific to bipolar disorder and clinical depression.

#### **Black Mental Matters Podcast**

Link: http://blackmentalmatters.com/episodes/

Weekly conversations that address mental health disparities in the Black community to break the stigma.

#### **Black Therapist Podcast**

Link: https://www.blacktherapistpodcast.com/

Discussions about unique issues when dealing with mental health care and mental health diagnosis.

#### Brother, You're on My Mind Toolkit

Link: www.nimhd.nih.gov/programs/edu-training/byomm/toolkit.html

Website with educational material, checklists and tips on partnerships, outreach and event planning aimed at African American men.

#### **Minding My Black Business Podcast**

Link: mindingmyblackbusiness.com/podcast/

Series dedicated to the mental health of Black entrepreneurs.

#### **The Safe Place**

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Mental health app for the Black community on Android External link and iPhone.

#### **Sharing Hope**

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Presentation about stigma, possibilities of recovery, types of support services and signs of bipolar disorder, schizophrenia and depression.

#### **Therapy for Black Girls Podcast**

Link: https://therapyforblackgirls.com/podcast/

Weekly chat about mental health, personal development and more for Black women and girls.

#### **Asian Americans and Pacific Islanders**

#### **Asian American Psychological Association**

Link: https://aapaonline.org/

Organization for professionals that has fact sheets on brain injury, trauma and violence exposure, intimate partner violence, student-adjustment challenges, bullying and suicide.

#### **Asian Counseling and Referral Service**

Link: https://acrs.org/

organization based in the state of Washington that provides Asian American and Pacific Islander communities with mental health services and support.

#### **Asians Do Therapy**

Link: https://asiansdotherapy.com/

Website working to reduce stigma about and improve access to therapy with guidance on finding a therapist.

#### **Asian Mental Health Collective**

Link: https://www.asianmhc.org/

Group raising awareness about the importance of mental health care among Asian Diasporic communities with an Asian Pacific Islander Desi American Therapist Directory External link of providers nationwide.

#### **Asian Pacific Counseling & Treatment Centers**

Link: https://www.apctc.org/

Agency based in Los Angeles County, California, that offers mental health counseling online as well as workshops and group activities for the Asian Pacific communities in its service area.

#### **Cambodian Association of America**

Link: http://www.cambodianusa.com/

Organization that provides information and programs related to mental health topics such as stressors and their risk factors, meditation, yoga exercises and anger management.

#### National Asian American Pacific Islander Mental Health Association

Link: http://naapimha.org/

Organization with trainings, self-care tips and articles related to the mental health of Asian Americans, Native Hawaiians and Pacific Islanders.

#### **Asian-Americans, ADAA**

Link: https://adaa.org/asian-americans

Information on choosing a provider and accompanying ADAA articles on why Asian Americans and Pacific Islanders don't go to therapy and the group's mental health needs.

## **Substance Abuse & Mental Health Services Administration**

Link: https://www.samhsa.gov/behavioral-health-equity/aanhpi

Information page from agency that runs the National Suicide Prevention Lifeline (800-273-8255) for confidential support for those in distress and National Helpline (800-662-4357) for treatment referral and support

#### **Mental Health America**

Link: mhanational.org/issues/asian-americanpacific-islander-communities-and-mental-health

Fact sheet about prevalence, attitudes, treatment and potential issues with mental health care access or insurance.

#### **Asians Do Therapy Podcast**

Link: https://asiansdotherapy.buzzsprout.com/

Fact sheet about prevalence, attitudes, treatment and potential issues with mental health care access or insurance.

#### **Korean American Perspectives Podcast**

Link: https://councilka.org/podcast-series/

Council of Korean Americans series featuring episodes on experiencing burnout and trauma, navigating mental health, practicing self-compassion and more.

#### MannMukti

Link: https://www.mannmukti.org/

Platform with stories, a MannMukti Community Facebook group External link and podcast series focusing on South Asians living with mental health issues.

#### **Latinx Americans**

#### **Latinx Therapy**

Link: https://latinxtherapy.com/

Directory of mental health therapists and other helpful information for the Latinx community.

#### Therapy for Latinx

Link: https://www.therapyforlatinx.com/home

Directory of verified therapists, psychiatrists, community clinics, emergency mental health, life coaches and support groups for the Latinx community.

#### **National Alliance for Hispanic Health**

Link: https://www.healthyamericas.org/

Organization with information on various topics that offers a helpline (866-783-2645) for assistance navigating the health system.

#### The Campaign to Change Direction

Link: https://www.changedirection.org/hispanicpsa/ Initiative with crisis counseling text line (text 741741).

#### **Ayuda En Espanol, Suicide Prevention Lifeline**

Link: https://suicidepreventionlifeline.org/help-yourself/en-espanol/

Information on a Spanish language crisis line (888-628-9454) and other relevant topics.

## Substance Abuse & Mental Health Services Administration

Link: www.samhsa.gov/behavioral-health-equity/hispanic-latino

Information page from agency that runs the National Suicide Prevention Lifeline (800-273-8255) for confidential support for those in distress and National Helpline (800-662-4357) for treatment referral and support.

#### **Mental Health America**

Link: mhanational.org/issues/latinohispanic-communities-and-mental-health

Mental health fact sheet about prevalence, attitudes, treatment and screening tools in English and Spanish.

#### **National Alliance on Mental Illness**

Link: nami.org/Support-Education/Diverse-Communities/Latino-Mental-Health

Information on issues to consider such as privacy, language, natural medicine, faith and spirituality and cultural competency of a provider.

#### **Anxiety and Depression Association of America**

Link: https://adaa.org/hispanic-latinos

Guidance on choosing a provider and accompanying ADAA articles on why members of the Latino community don't go to therapy and what their mental health needs as well as information on ADAA's

#### **Latinx Therapy Podcast**

Link: https://latinxtherapy.com/podcast/

Episodes about self-help techniques, how to support others and cultural competency among providers.

#### **Mental Health Guide for Latinos & Their Families**

Link: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7QgVi7suKvs

22-minute video about different kinds of mental illnesses, treatments and how to find care.

#### **Native Americans and Alaska Natives**

#### **Behavioral Health, Indian Health Service**

Link: www.ihs.gov/communityhealth/behavioralhealth/

Agency information hub with sections on various behavioral health issues, mental health issues and suicide.

#### **Center for Native American Youth**

Link: https://www.cnay.org/

Organization with tools including videos, peer-to-peer engagement activities and a resource exchange.

#### **National Indian Health Board**

Link: https://www.nihb.org/index.php

Tribal governments' organization with toolkits and information on federal agencies and private foundations providing services.

#### **Native Americans for Community Action**

Link: http://www.nacainc.org/

Organization in Arizona providing behavioral health services.

#### **Native American Health Center**

Link: http://www.nativehealth.org/

California Bay-Area organization providing behavioral health services.

#### **Tribal Affairs, SAMHSA**

Link: https://www.samhsa.gov/tribal-affairs

Information on services the government agency provides to Native American communities accompanied by details on the Suicide Prevention Lifeline (800-273-8255) and SAMHSA's National Helpline (800-662-4357).

#### **All My Relations Podcast**

Link: https://www.allmyrelationspodcast.com/

Series focused on relationships Native people have with land, ancestors and each other with episodes on topics such as Indigenous feminism, family wellness and mascots.

#### **Mental Health America**

Link: mhanational.org/issues/native-american-communities-and-mental-health

Fact sheet about prevalence of, attitudes toward, and treatment for mental health issues among Native Americans.

#### **Native Americans, Suicide Prevention Lifeline**

Link: suicidepreventionlifeline.org/help-yourself/native-americans/

Information about self-care and how to help someone in crisis, with reminders about SAMHSA's lifeline (800-273-8255).

#### **American Psychological Association Articles**

Link: https://www.apa.org/pi/oema/resources/american-indian

Page with articles related to psychology among Native Americans, information on policy, and educational tools.



## Mariposa Achieving & Resisting

M.A.R. is a program for undocumented students at CI to ensure academic success. The program is focused on meeting students individually to support their academic, personal, and postgraduation goals as well as providing fun and purposeful community-building opportunities.

To learn more, visit https://tinyurl.com/yyztv5n5

To apply, visit https://tinyurl.com/y68tvtqf



For more information, contact Natalie Johnson at natalie.johnson@csuci.edu.



#### **About Immigrants Rising**

Immigrants Rising empowers undocumented young people to achieve educational and career goals through personal, institutional and policy transformation. Below are some of their current programs and services.



#### **Immigrants Rising Resources**



#### **Immigrants Rising Tangible Support Doc**

We have put together this list of resources to help undocumented individuals and allies navigate the crisis. We will continue to update the list as the situation develops: <a href="https://tinyurl.com/t3vclo6">https://tinyurl.com/t3vclo6</a>



#### **Immigrants Rising Wellness Gatherings**

Sundays and Wednesdays via Zoom from 05:00 to 06:00 PM

Immigrants Rising's virtual Wellness Gatherings for undocumented young people hosted by mental health advocate Liliana Campos help undocumented young people stay grounded and connected to one another.

Visit <u>immigrantsrising.org/wellnessgatherings</u> for more information.



#### **Immigrants Rising Mental Health Connector**

Immigrants Rising's Mental Health Connector provides undocumented young people with psychological support, allowing you to access your strengths and resiliency in order to achieve your personal goals and healing. Therapists receive ongoing training to better understand the unique experiences of undocumented young people.

All undocumented young people who reside in California and are comfortable conversing in English are eligible for our service. Visit immigrantsrising.org/mental-health-connector/ to learn more.

#### **Immigrants Rising Resources (Continued)**



#### **Immigrants Rising Scholarship List**

Immigrants Rising continually updates a list of scholarships that do not require proof of U.S. citizenship or legal permanent residency, are offered to various levels of education, and are open to various programs of study.

https://immigrantsrising.org/resources? sft keyword=scholarships

#### Other Resources



#### **United We Dream Healthcare Access**

#### Healthcare access for Undocumented Folks

In the middle of this pandemic, there is a lot of misinformation and fear being spread in regards to seeking medical assistance. If you feel sick, with symptoms of fever and dry cough, do not be afraid to seek medical assistance and call a doctor first.

https://tinyurl.com/rsbxq5t



#### **Sallie Mae Scholarships**

#### **Scholarship Search for Undocumented Resources**

When creating a profile to utilize the scholarship search tool on Sallie Mae's website, you can specify that you're interested in scholarships that do not specify a particular citizenship status.

www.salliemae.com/college-planning/college-scholarships/