



Mission City
Community
Network, Inc.

MCCN NEWS

MISSION CITY COMMUNITY NETWORK - NONPROFIT COMMUNITY CLINIC

"A Community Health Network"

Mission Statement:

"To provide, advocate and model quality health care and social services for the uninsured and low-income families in the communities of Southern California."

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A Message from The CEO/President



As we all look forward in celebrating 4th of July, we now have one more reason to celebrate the implementation of SB 75- Full Scope Medi-Cal For All Children under the age of 19, up to

266% of the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) – one more step towards Access for All. MCCN is doing its part of providing access to these newly "insured" children as we hire more pediatric professionals. MCCN has on staff a child Psychiatrist, pediatric dentist and primary care pediatricians.

MCCN is proud to announce that 100% of our diabetic patients had at least one hemoglobin HbA1c test in the last 12 months. A number much higher than many of the other FQHC's. Hemoglobin HbA1c is an important blood test that shows how well your diabetes is being controlled.

MCCN is working with the Institute for High Quality Care (IHQC) to improve our resource use and care coordination. The goal of this project is to lower the amount of patients not showing up to their appointments and thereby improve our clinical measures such as HbA1c control and blood pressure levels. Please make sure to show up to your appointment or let us know if you are not able to make it. As this allows us to provide that appointment time to other patients who may need to see the doctor.

MCCN would like to thank all the patients who took the time to fill out the patient/family experience surveys. We take these surveys very seriously and work hard to improve based on your feedback. Out of the measure we collected, *Overall experience at MCCN was 89%; receptionist helpfulness, receptionist courtesy* and medical assistants' courtesy were all 88%. We contribute this positive response to our hard working and dedicated staff who believe in our Mission and the communities we serve!

Mission City Community Network - Sepulveda Ribbon Cutting

Mission City Community Network, Inc. is proud to announce its Ribbon Cutting Event on August 10, 2016 for its new Sepulveda clinic.

Congressman Tony Cardenas is the inaugural guest in the Ribbon Cutting ceremony.

The Open House will be held from 10am to noon at the clinic which is located at 8527 Sepulveda Blvd., North Hills, CA 91343.

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**Inaugural
& Ribbon Cutting Ceremony**
MCCN Sepulveda Health Clinic

August 10, 2016
10 am – 12 pm
8527 Sepulveda Blvd.
North Hills, CA 91343

FOR INFORMATION, PLEASE CALL:
818.895.3100 Ext. 643

OPEN HOUSE

Congressman Tony Cardenas
Inaugural Guest of Honor

15206 Parthenia Street, North Hills, CA 91343, (818) 895-3100



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MCCN website gets a facelift

MCCN is pleased to announce its new and improved website- www.mccn.org. The user friendly website features services offered, locations, current events and job openings.

<https://careers.smartrecruiters.com/MissionCityCommunityNetwork>

If you are looking for a rewarding and full- filling job, come join Mission City Community Network!

Mission City Community Network Sepulveda Clinic Open for Business

Mission City Community Network, Inc.'s Sepulveda is now open.

Medical, dental and behavioral health services are available to the San Fernando Valley's uninsured and underinsured residents. It is conveniently located at 8527 Sepulveda Blvd., North Hills, CA 91343 off the 405 Freeway.

The three stories, state of the art facility has 24 beds. It prides itself in providing pediatric dental services for children between the ages of two years old to eighteen years old. MCCN is devoted to providing comprehensive and preventive patient care. It is dedicated to providing patients with personalized, quality care that they deserve. MCCN is committed to providing modern dentistry that gives patients more choices including digital x-rays, digital record keeping and more.

Our patients are very important to MCCN and we strive to develop long lasting relationships with our patients. We are committed to keep your smile bright and healthy for years to come!

As a fully integrated health care provider, we treat and coordinate health care services for individuals of all ages, cultural backgrounds and economic status. Our highly educated, extensively trained network of bilingual and bicultural professionals provides a full spectrum of quality affordable health care services for individuals and their families



Mission City Community Network Clinic
Sepulveda Clinic
8527 Sepulveda Blvd, North Hills, CA 91343

MCCN Fairfax Clinic is open

Mission City Community Network, Inc. Fairfax clinic is now open. The clinic will provide behavioral and medical health services at 359 N. Fairfax Avenue. Los Angeles, CA 90036.

Fairfax site provides primary care and behavioral health services.

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MCCN Highlights

MCCN's Black Infant Health Program

Unfortunately Mission City Community Network's Black Infant Health (BIH) Program ended in June. After fourteen years of serving the African American Community in San Fernando Valley. It had to close its doors to the BIH Program. See full story featured in the Daily News:

<http://www.dailynews.com/health/20160629/program-for-african-american-moms-to-be-shut-down-amid-funding-cuts>

The program's goal was to reduce high infant mortality rates, SIDS. The program was funded for African American mothers eighteen years and older, pregnant with a child under one year old. Additionally, it empowered woman to boost their self-esteem, provided needed supplies such as diapers for their infants.

MCCN thanks the BIH staff for their continuous service to the vulnerable African American women in the San Fernando Valley.



Left to right: Marlene Rowlett, Stephanie Faber, Tiana Mason, Roxanne Wilson, Mayor, Eric Garcetti and Lynn Richardson

MCCN OUTREACH Program Spotlight "Reaching to those in greatest need"

MCCN Outreach Team works directly in the community through community partnership. Below are highlights of some of MCCNs' outreach activities for the 2nd quarter.

LAUSD School Nursing Services Program Partnership

MCCN expanded its school based program through a collaborative program partnership with LAUSD School District Nursing Services. MCCN CEO/President Nik Gupta and MCCN Outreach Manager Pedro Ramirez conducted a separate meeting with the Local District Nurses Administrators, Yolanda Lasmarias in Northeast, Tricia Chicagus, Northwest and Yvonne Familara, East District. Maywood Academy High School from East Nursing District, Northridge Academy High School in Northwest and Grant High School in Northeast are among the additional schools to be served by MCCN along with Pacoima Middle School, Cesar Chavez Academies and Sylmar High School and Biotech Academies.



Pedro Ramirez, MCCN Outreach Manager and Yolanda Lasmarias, LAUSD Local District Nursing Administrator provides certificate of appreciation to school nurses and MCCN Staff for their outstanding support and commitment to MCCN School Based Program held during LAUSD School Nurses Day Celebration on May 10, 2016 at Kaiser Permanente, Panorama.

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MCCN Highlights Continued

MCCN OUTREACH Program Spotlight

MCCN - South Central Los Angeles Ministry Project (SC LAMP) Community Health Fair

MCCN and South Central Los Angeles Ministry Project organized its first Community Health Fair on April 23rd at SC LAMP facility. More than 200 people participated and 44 low income and uninsured individuals were served during the event. MCCN Inglewood Clinics joined the health fair with the Pomona Mobile Clinic.

Ms. Diana Pinto, Executive Director of the South Central Los Angeles Ministry Project (SC LAMP) extended her heartfelt thanks to MCCN for augmenting the health needs of their constituents.



MCCN - SC LAMP Community Health Fair Organizers, April 23rd: Pedro Ramirez, Outreach Manager, Nelson Arriaza-Silva, South Central Regional Manager, Mark Slocum, San Gabriel Regional Manager, with Ms. Diana Pinto, Executive Director of South Central Los Angeles Ministry Project (SC LAMP), and other staff include Dr. Jason Jacobs and Ms., Tatyana Kushnirenko along with MCCN staff Miguel Miranda and Rebecca Hernandez.

MCCN is awarded an Oral Health HRSA grant for its Victorville Clinic

MCCN is excited about receiving the Oral Health HRSA grant for its Victorville site. The grant will allow MCCN to add a much needed service in the area. Not too long back, the only low cost dental clinic closed their doors. This grant will permit MCCN to once again provide low cost dental services to the community.

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Other MCCN Important News

MCCN Medical Staff joins PMASC Inaugural Ball in Marriot Hotel, Anaheim



MCCN providers Dr. Salvador Arella and Dr. Robert Richardson with Pedro Ramirez, Outreach Manager attended the Philippine Medical Association of Southern California (PMASC) Inaugural Ball on May 7, 2016 at Marriot Hotel, Anaheim, CA. Dr. Arella is the President Elect for PMASC and MCCN CEO Nik Gupta supports Dr. Arella as President Elect of PMASC, the largest organization of Filipino American Physicians in Southern California.

Mission City Community Network welcomes their newly hired Operations Manager for the San Fernando Valley

MCCN is pleased to announce the addition of its New San Valley Operations Manager, Elizabeth Orellana.

Ms. Orellana is experienced in Operations, Sales and Project Management. Her energy, customer services skills and friendliness make her a great asset to MCCN.

Mission City Community Network welcomes Elizabeth!

