



THE COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO PRESENTS

Community Resource Fair

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San Bernardino County Vaccinates Over 39,000 Since Last Year's Outbreak

Public Health Department offering free health screenings and H1N1 vaccinations to eligible residents at the At Your Service Community Resource Fair

San Bernardino, Calif. – In the year since the H1N1 virus starting grabbing headlines, the San Bernardino County Department of Public Health has vaccinated over 39,000 residents with the H1N1 flu vaccine. County residents received the H1N1 vaccine through public health clinics, schools, communities, businesses, and faith-based clinic sites coordinated throughout the County.

Since the fall of 2009, the Department of Public Health has partnered with cities and towns, public and private businesses and organizations, and the 33 school districts to vaccinate children, adults, families, and individuals who may require it the most.

Through a year-long H1N1 campaign effort, the Department of Public Health conducted a mass media campaign, community education presentations, and coordinated H1N1 clinics.

To celebrate its success and to inform residents of the wide range of services the department offers, the Department of Public Health will be participating in the first County of San Bernardino **At Your Service Community Resource Fair**, from **9 a.m. to 5 p.m., Thursday, March 25 at Victoria Gardens**, 12505 North Main Street, in Rancho Cucamonga.

The County of San Bernardino is producing the “At Your Service” event to help residents better connect with the programs that can improve the quality of their lives. Offering free games, demonstrations and services for children, adults and seniors, the all-day event is the first of its kind for the county. The Department of Public Health encourages residents to receive the H1N1 vaccine for free at their booth.

This event will be a great opportunity to get vaccinated for free:

- Everyone six (6) months of age and older is eligible for the H1N1 vaccine.
- Children less than 10 years old need to get two doses of H1N1 vaccine, approximately one month apart to maximize protection against the virus.

The Department of Public Health offers many health services ranging from HIV/AIDS, immunizations, nutrition, and nursing services.

For more information about the Department of Public Health, call Dori Baeza at (909) 891-1322 or visit the Public Health website at www.sbcounty.gov/dph. For more information about the San Bernardino County At Your Service Event, please call 888-818-8988 or visit www.sbcounty.gov

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