



August 2020 Newsletter

Anti-Hate Campaign: LA. vs. Hate

In partnership with

Los Angeles County's Human Relations Commission and

Department of Mental Health,

211 LA operates the hotline for reporting and providing service connections to individuals who have been victims or witnesses to acts of bullying or incidents motivated by hate or discrimination.



211 Made:

LA vs. Hate Artwork Wall

LA vs Hate is a community-centered creative campaign to encourage and support all residents of Los Angeles County to unite against, report, and resist hate.

211 LA is happy to share the art created by our employees and their families.



Find free animated gifs on LAvsHATE.org to share all across social media, text and email to send to your friends and family, encouraging them to unite against, report, and resist hate.

What's the 211?

Reporting Hate To LA County

Reporting is the first step to stop hate. By understanding how and where hate is occurring, our communities can respond with appropriate resources and support, which can include protecting your civil rights against hate and discrimination, processing trauma, beginning to heal, and doing something to prevent hate from happening to others.

It is essential to report a hate incident, which includes any act of verbal or physical aggression, refusal of service, bullying, or intimidation of any kind that is motivated by hostile prejudice. We cannot do anything to stop hate crimes and incidents unless we know about them, so that victims do not suffer in silence.

To report hate, visit the 211 LA web-page [HERE](#),
or call 2-1-1.

RESOURCE HIGHLIGHT:

By reporting hate, a 211 LA Care Coordinator can be provided for follow up, referrals, and advocacy.

Led by the Human Relations Commission, the LA vs. Hate Campaign and 211 LA reporting hotline collaborates with community partners from every district of the county representing a diverse coalition of voices committed to ending hate.

- [Special Service For Groups, Inc.](#)
- [San Fernando Valley Community Mental Health Center](#)
- [Anti-Defamation League](#)
- [Asian Pacific Policy & Planning Committee](#)
- [Coalition For Humane Immigrant Rights](#)
- [Not In Our Town](#)
- [Antelope Valley Partners For Health](#)
- [Hate Violence Prevention Partnership:](#)
 - [Bienestar](#)
 - [Brotherhood Crusade](#)
 - [California Conference for Equality & Justice](#)
 - [Muslim Public Affairs Counsel](#)

211 LA Data Highlights

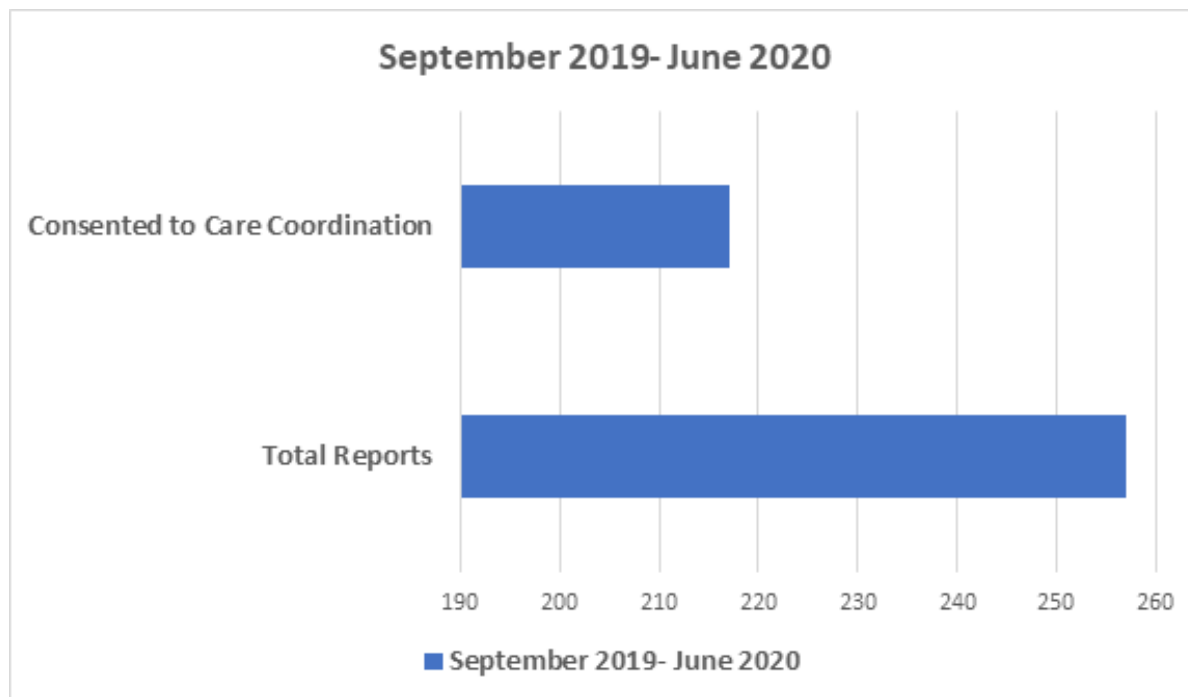
See below regarding 211 LA Anti-Hate reporting data.

Top Incident Motivation:

Race & Ethnicity

Top 3 types of crime/harassment:

1. Bullying
2. Derogatory names
3. Physical assault/Threat of violence



For more 211 data, see the data dashboard [here](#).

Spotlight:

Care Kits For Homeless Families

On July 9, 211 LA in partnership with Give for LA (GFL) passed out 250 care kits for homeless families staying at Sierra Inn Motel in South El Monte, CA. Through fundraising efforts, GFL put together the care kits that consisted of a cloth mask, 2 pairs of plastic gloves, and a bar of soap. The care kits were among 1,500 of which were part of GFL’s 1st campaign that was made possible by 55 Go Fund Me contributions and 50 monetary donations via Venmo. It was **Aria Zarifpour** who contacted 211 LA with the goal of distribution the care kits of which he believes with help homeless families navigate through the current Covid-19 pandemic.

Currently, GFL is working on their 2 nd campaign, which consist of putting together 3,000 care kits which will now include a cloth mask, 2 pairs of plastic gloves, and hand sanitizer. Much of the awareness of GFL’s initiatives comes from their social media presence on Instagram. GFL will continue to work with 211 LA and distribute the additional care kits to motels across LA County that are currently working with 211 LA to provide accommodations for homeless families. For additional information on GFL’s 2nd campaign.



You can visit their website at:

www.giveforla.com

211 & You: Online Community Events

Physical distancing should not mean social or community isolation.

211 LA is actively collecting information on remote, online, and drive through events and activities that adhere to social distancing best practices to add to the events calendar for our website.



Need more activities to do at home?

Check out the [LA County Public Library's Website](#)

Are you aware of events or activities that people should know about?

Let us know by emailing

communitycalendar@211la.org.

For emergencies, dial 911.

For everything else, dial 211.

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