



Los Angeles County Supervisor

HILDA L. SOLIS

First District



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A Letter from Los Angeles County Supervisor Hilda L. Solis

Dear Friends,

I am pleased to share that once again, COVID-19 booster shots are available for all residents age 12 and above who are two months out from their last dose. These are updated Pfizer and Moderna boosters that target not only the original COVID-19 strain, but also the BA.4 and BA.5 subvariants of Omicron that fueled our most recent surge and continue to be the dominant circulating strains.

Although I am grateful to see that cases, hospitalizations, and deaths from COVID-19 across the County continue to decline, there remains significant community transmission, and it is critical that we build up our protections ahead of a potential winter surge. Vaccines remain our first and most important line of defense, and I encourage those who are eligible to get vaccinated now. The CDC's Booster Recommendations are as follows:

- Adults ages ≥ 18 years: One Pfizer or Moderna updated (bivalent) booster at least 2 months after the last dose
- Adolescents ages 12-17 years: One Pfizer updated booster at least 2 months after the last dose
- Children ages 5-11 years who received a Pfizer primary series: One Pfizer original booster at least 5 months after completing the primary series (or 3 months for those who are moderately or severely immunocompromised).

These boosters are available at hundreds of sites across the County, including Public Health vaccination sites, mobile vaccination vans, and pharmacies. To find a location for the new booster, go to VaccinateLACounty.com or VacunateLosAngeles.com. Click on "Find a Location," and then search by "Vaccine Type." LA County residents can also call 2-1-1.

Let us continue to do our part to keep ourselves and one another healthy and safe.

Sincerely,

Hilda L. Solis

Supervisor, First District

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Happy Mid-Autumn Festival!



Home to over 1.5 million residents of Asian Americans and Pacific Islanders (AAPI) descent, Los Angeles County is a global hub of a mixture of Asian cultures. As we ring in the Mid-Autumn Festival (also known as Chuseok, Tsukimi, and Tet Trung Thu), I want to acknowledge and celebrate the contributions that the county's AAPI community have made. Thank you for continuing to make LA County a global example of the power of diversity and inclusion to improve and strengthen our communities.

However, I am mindful that our AAPI community continues to confront hate incidents from both the COVID-19 pandemic and the epidemic of racism. My office continues to work diligently to address these incidents. Hate has no place in LA County and our "LA vs. Hate" campaign continues to work with local organizations to provide services to survivors of acts of hate. I want to thank those who have been vocal in advocating for policy solutions to the rise of anti-Asian hate. Unity and kindness are the only way forward.

The Mid-Autumn Festival is traditionally a celebration of the bountiful harvest of the past year that transcends cultures. As such, I want to wish all those who celebrate a wonderful day of festivities and plenty of happiness, good health, and prosperity in the coming year!

中秋節愉快

The Latest on Monkeypox



This week, the LA County Department of Public Health expanded the eligibility to receive the monkeypox vaccine and is now available to:

- Gay or bisexual men, or any men or transgender person who have sex with men or transgender people.
- Persons of any gender or sexual orientation who engage in commercial and/or transactional sex,
- Persons living with HIV, especially persons with uncontrolled or advanced HIV disease.
- Any person who has had skin-to-skin- or intimate contact with someone with suspected or confirmed monkeypox.

Residents who met prior eligibility can still get vaccinated. Public Health Monkeypox Vaccination PODs are now accepting walk ups for eligible residents while supplies last.

[FIND A LOCATION](#)

[Join the Metro Youth Council](#)



CALLING ALL 14–17 YEAR OLDS.

Join the Metro Youth Council.

Metro is always working to make LA County's transportation system better for everyone. The voices of the communities we serve, including the youth of LA, are a key to our success.

The goal of the Metro Youth Council is to develop the capacity of youth people to share their ideas and perspectives about Metro's projects and initiatives.

How to Qualify

- > Live in LA County and be 14- to 17-years-old
- > Commit to a one-year term and attend mandatory in-person Welcome Session
- > Must want to learn and participate in monthly virtual meetings
- > Be motivated to do outreach to engage other youth
- > Participate in meaningful dialogue with Metro's leadership on projects, programs and initiatives

Benefits for Youth Council Members

- > Civic engagement and leadership development
- > Letter of participation
- > Mentorship
- > Participate at Metro events and activities
- > End-of-year stipend

Learn More

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 metro.net/youthcouncil



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Metro is looking for youth ages 14-17 to serve on its Youth Council. Last year, Metro created the Youth Council to develop young leaders to participate in Metro's plans, projects, programs, and initiatives. To participate, youth must reside in LA County and be willing to commit to a one-year term.

MORE INFORMATION

Job Opportunities for Bilingual People



LOS ANGELES COUNTY
REGISTRAR-RECORDER/COUNTY CLERK

Do you know anyone who is Bilingual?

WE HAVE TEMPORARY EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES
FOR THEM! PLEASE SHARE THIS WITH THEM



NOW HIRING

The Los Angeles County Registrar-Recorder/County Clerk is hiring temporary staff who **speak, read, and write** English and any of the following languages:

Armenian, Bengali, Burmese, Cantonese, Farsi, Gujarati, Hindi, Indonesian, Japanese, Khmer, Korean, Mandarin, Mongolian, Russian, Tagalog, Telugu, Thai, or Vietnamese.

POSITIONS AVAILABLE

Election Assistant II (TEMPORARY)

Pay: \$24.07 per hour

Selection Requirements:

Six(6) months of full-time experience in clerical, technical, election or training.

**Apply Online
Today!**

www.governmentjobs.com

KEYWORD: Election Assistant II



For additional information call (562) 462-2280 or email HRRecruitment@rrcc.lacounty.gov

12400 Imperial Highway, Norwalk, CA 90650

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Are you a bilingual speaker or know someone who is? The L.A. County Registrar Recorder County Clerk is seeking qualified individuals to apply for the temporary position of Election Assistant II. Candidates who read, write, and speak Armenian, Bengali, Burmese, Cantonese, Farsi, Gujarati, Hindi, Indonesian, Japanese, Khmer, Korean, Mandarin, Mongolian, Russian, Tagalog Telugu, Thai or Vietnamese are encouraged to apply now.

[APPLY NOW](#)

[Community Resources & Events](#)



Free Advanced Gardening Workshop

Come and learn the fundamentals of drought-tolerant landscaping, organic gardening, and pest management. No reservation is needed.

Date: Saturday, September 10

Time: 10 am - 11:30 am

Location: Farm at Fairplex - gate 12, 2201 N White Ave. Pomona, CA 91768



Monkeypox Vaccine Clinic at the Queer Mercado

For second month in a row, my office in partnership with the Department of Public Health, will bring a monkeypox vaccine clinic to the Queer Mercado in East LA. Come and support queer Latinx vendors and artists.

Date: Saturday, August 20

Time: 10 am - 4 pm

Location: Hilda L. Solis Learning Academy, 319 Humphreys Ave. Los Angeles, CA 90022



POMONA WELLNESS COMMUNITY
LOS ANGELES COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH
TALKING HEAD • HEALING • PARTNER

SGV Town Hall Meeting: Monkeypox

SEPTEMBER 14 12PM-1PM

Join right away by clicking or scanning below:

<https://bit.ly/JoinSGVMonkeypoxTownhall>

Open To The Public

REGISTER HERE FOR REMINDERS AND TO SUBMIT QUESTIONS EARLY:
www.startvmonkey.com/r/PWC_MP

This is not a media briefing. For media inquiries, please contact mediarelations@laphil.org

For more details, contact us:
PomonaWCeph.lacounty.gov

Please join LA County Dept. of Public Health in this interactive discussion about Monkeypox. **Come and ask your questions.**

FEATURED SPEAKER:
Dr. Jasmine Sharma
LA County Public Health Medical Director- SGV



Virtual Town Hall Meeting on Monkeypox for the San Gabriel Valley

Please join LA County Department of Public Health in this interactive virtual discussion about Monkeypox. Come and ask your questions.

Date: Wednesday, September 14

Time: 12 pm - 1 pm

Register [here](http://www.startvmonkey.com/r/PWC_MP).



YOUTH COMMISSION
In partnership with the PROBATION OVERSIGHT COMMISSION
and THE COMMISSION FOR CHILDREN AND FAMILIES

ATTENTION ALL TRANSITION AGE YOUTH!

PLEASE JOIN US FOR

A COMMUNITY YOUTH ENGAGEMENT RESOURCE FAIR

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 2022
11:00 AM TO 3:00 PM
500 W. TEMPLE STREET, LOS ANGELES, CA 90012

Expand your knowledge about transition age youth resources and supportive services!

Engage with over 10 County and community-based agencies along with leaders from our host Commissions.

COME NETWORK AND ENJOY THE DAY'S EVENTS!
RAFFLES | FOOD TRUCKS | ART SPACE & SPOKEN WORD
First 50 youth attendees will receive a gift!

Register for the event at:
bit.ly/3aeZyM



Or scan QR Code to Register for Event

Youth Engagement Resource Fair in Downtown Los Angeles

The LA County Youth Commission, in partnership with the Commission for Children and Family Services & the Probation Oversight Commission, is hosting a resource fair for transition-age youth. There will be activities, food trucks, an art space, and more.

Date: Saturday, September 17

Time: 11 am - 3 pm

Location: Kenneth Hahn Hall of Administration – North Lawn, 500 W. Temple St., Los Angeles, CA 90012.

Give Us A Call!

Downtown Los Angeles Office:

213-974-4111

East Los Angeles Office:

323-881-4601

San Gabriel Valley Office:

626-350-4500

East San Gabriel Valley Office:

909-593-3661