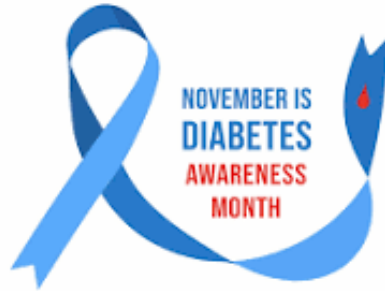




MCHA Monthly Meeting Nov. 16, 2023

November is Prematurity Prevention/Awareness Month, Native American Heritage Month, National Diabetes Month



1. Welcome
2. Review of mailing sent, materials
3. Accelerated Enrollment – why useful? What is the difference between an application at the county and at the state?
4. Guest speaker:

Adriana Diaz, MPH,
“Vaccines During Pregnancy”
Senior Health Program Analyst, Prenatal and
Pediatric Immunization Units Lead,
Vaccine Preventable Disease Control Program
Los Angeles County Department of Public Health
5. Yvette Leon – Reminder CalAIM Medical Meals benefit, MCHA flyer
6. Medi-Cal Renewals

Sent: Tuesday, November 14, 2023 7:04 AM

To: NICHDNEWS@LIST.NIH.GOV <NICHDNEWS@LIST.NIH.GOV>

Subject: NIH-funded study finds no link between preconception COVID-19 vaccination and miscarriage risk

A study funded by the National Institutes of Health has found that among more than 1,800 women planning a pregnancy, those who received at least one dose of a COVID-19 vaccine before getting

pregnant were no more likely to miscarry than those who were unvaccinated. Similarly, no increased miscarriage risk was found among roughly 1,500 couples whether the male partner was vaccinated before trying to conceive. The findings provide useful information on vaccination safety for couples planning pregnancy.

Read the full Science Update

at https://linkprotect.cudasvc.com/url?a=https%3a%2f%2fgo.nih.gov%2fP6XHB13&c=E,1,Ank5AnjHLE1GNMC68h0o9mSaD_stn6fmVPAVCNRbKcUVUskdHg8ykuSpyl_8s7MSQYSUm-q5D2HJy9FRjllQUuAA7_w4AEG3xlnG3Eoas1MoBF62jg,,&typo=1

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Prematurity Awareness Month Webinar *State of Maternal and Infant Health Care*

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**Tuesday, November 21, 2023
11:00 AM - 12:30 PM (PST)**

REGISTER HERE

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Please join March of Dimes on Tuesday, November 21, 2023 as we review the annual Prematurity Report Card and Legislative Priorities in California and the U.S.

One of the leading factors in infant mortality is preterm birth. Now, more than ever, it's critical that we do all we can towards ending preventable preterm birth. Prematurity affects too many moms and babies and is fueled significantly by disparities in our healthcare system, communities, and institutions.

Let's all come together for action and advocacy.