



US-MEXICO BORDER INITIATIVE



The U.S. Counties along the Mexico Border is hosting a series of mini workshops for the purpose of providing additional information on the SAMHSA 8 Initiatives and how the Border Initiative is working to incorporate specific initiatives that

impact the U.S. –Mexico Border region. This one and one-half day mini-workshop will highlight Military Families along the Border, Mental Health and Trauma among Children along the Border; Healthcare Reform; and Effects of Immigration.

PLEASE JOIN US

The first 1 ½ day workshop is scheduled to take place January 18-19, 2012 at the Kokernot Lodge/Alpine Country Club, 1610 Loop Rd., Alpine, Texas, USA 79830. (432) 837-2752. Day 1 of the workshop will begin at 1:00pm - 4:30pm. Day 2 will begin at 8:30am and the workshop will conclude at 4:30pm.

Subsequent Workshop Dates: February 22, 2012, Calexico, CA / Yuma, AZ
May 16, El Paso / Las Cruces, NM

Check out our website at www.borderspf.org for updated information

PRESENTERS & TOPICS

Cultural Competency– Effects of Immigration, Migration and Healthcare



Fred Sandoval

Fred has over 27 years of professional experience in health and human services. He served as New Mexico's Lead on the SAMHSA Eliminating Disparities Policy Academy, National Latino Mental Health Congress during the President Clinton administration and completed two terms as the President of the National Latino Behavioral Health Association, where he currently works as the Operations Manager. He received his Masters in Public Administration from Northern Arizona University in 1992 and his Bachelors of University Studies from the University of New Mexico in 1980

Military Families – Available Health Resources and Services for the U.S. – Mexico Border Communities



Scott Jenrette

Scott completed a 25-year Air Force career on October 2009 as a Logistics Senior Non-Commissioned Officer and First Sergeant. He earned his Bachelor's of Science degree in Human Resource Management through the University of Maryland, University College. He also holds Associates of Applied Science degrees in both Logistics Management and Personnel Administration through the Community College of the Air Force. Scott's expertise and passion is building partnerships with communities and organizations to deliver resources and information to Service Members, Veterans, and their Families where they live.

Health Reform: Impact on Border Communities; New Laws and Effects on Prevention Providers.



Dr. Candyce S. Berger

Associate Professor
Ph.D. University of Southern California
MSW George Warren Brown School of Social Work, Washington University
BA Washington University
Practice Experience: Social work in health care, hospital administration
Research Interests: Health policy, social work practice in health care, and women's health

Children's Mental Health (Trauma)



Dr. Richard Cervantes

Dr. Cervantes received his Ph.D. in Psychology from Oklahoma State University. He is currently a Senior Research Fellow at the Center for Behavioral Research and services at the California State University, Long Beach. He has evaluated a number of community based prevention programs, including two Community Partnership Prevention Programs funded by the U.S. Center for Substance Abuse Prevention, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, the California Endowment and the California Community Foundation. Dr. Cervantes has served as an expert witness to the courts on issues related to Hispanic families, drug and alcohol abuse, cultural risk factors including immigration/acclturation stress, and juvenile gangs.



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