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Community Health Worker Program:
Community Engagement and Health
Promotion Activities

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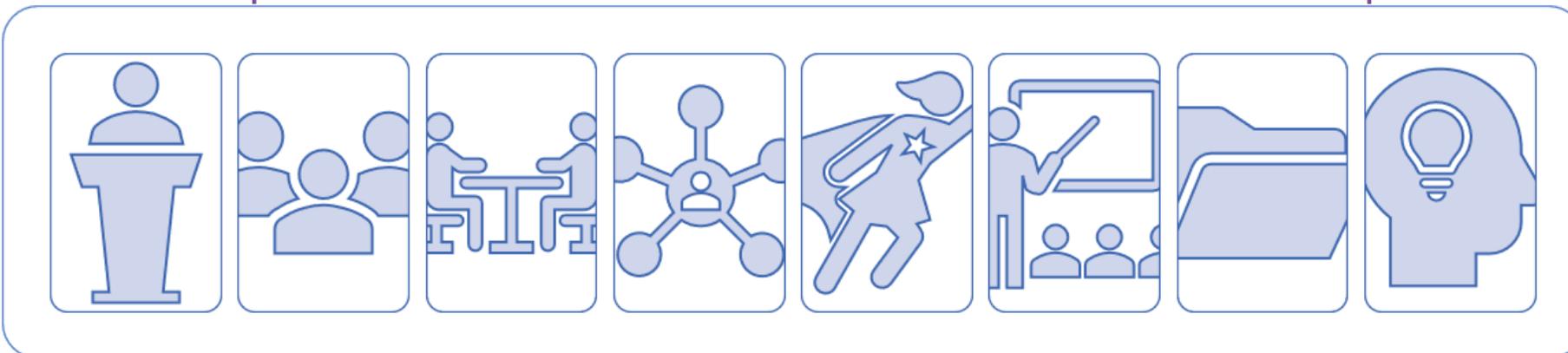


In this program, faculty and students actively participate in community engagement activities to support wellness promotion and disease prevention efforts in the community.



The goal is to provide students and former graduates with opportunities to develop their community health worker competency skills and foster community relations with stakeholders and community members.

Texas Department of State Health Services CHW Competencies

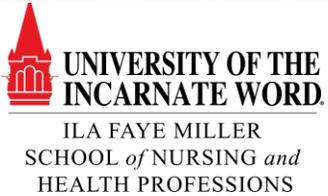


Communication	Interpersonal	Service Coordination	Capacity Building	Advocacy	Teaching	Organization	Knowledge Base
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Active listening Communicate with empathy Identify communication barriers Speak to client in preferred language & appropriate literacy level Collects Data Interprets and/or translates health information 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Empathic Cultural and language competent Set Personal and professional boundaries Provides informal counseling Confidentiality 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Identify/maintain community resources inventory Outreach Coordinate clinical/community services Develop community networks Coordinate referrals 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Help clients solve problems themselves Collaborate and create local partnerships Provide formal/informal training Assess strengths and needs of the community 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Community organizing Identify and work with advocacy groups Carry out mandatory reporting requirements Stay up to date with structural and policy changes 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Use methods that promote learning and positive behavior change Evaluate the success and measure learner's progress Use audiovisual materials to enhance teaching/learning Engage in discussions and decision making 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Plan/set individual and organization goals Time management Prioritize activities Maintain a safe working environment Proper documentation 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Community health, health and social services or specific health issue Social determinants of health Health disparities Current health issues



CHW Program Ongoing and Future Events

Community Partners:





Sacred Heart Health Promotion Day

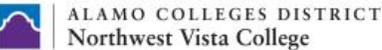
Sunday, August 14, 2022
10 am - 1:30 pm
Sacred Heart Catholic Church
2123 W. Commerce St.
San Antonio, TX. 78207



Free Services:

- 1st, 2nd, 3rd COVID-19 and Booster Vaccines
- Kidney blood test
- Tetanus, Diphtheria, Pertussis (Tdap) vaccine
- Vision Exams for Adults
- Human papillomavirus (HPV) vaccine
- Medicare Health Plans Counseling
- Meningitis vaccine
- Medicaid and Marketplace Health Plans Counseling

Community Partners:








Vaccines for Back to School: 7th grade and college!

For information about this event, text or email: Ms. Guadalupe Cornejo at (210) 685-6612 mcornejo2@alamo.edu

Recurrent events:

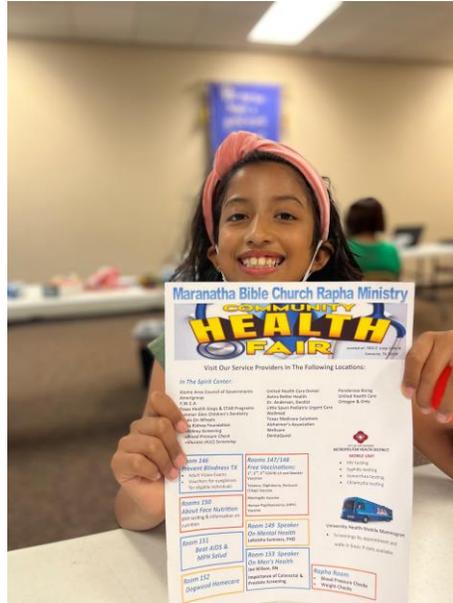
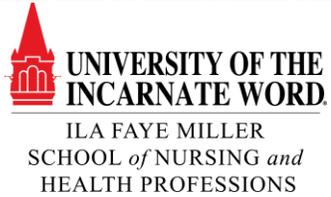
- Sacred Heart Health Promotion Days
- Sunday, August 14, 2022
- Sunday, September 11, 2022
- Sunday, October 9, 2022
- Sunday, November 13, 2022

Future Events:

- CHW Continuing Education
- August 27, 2022, 9 am – 3 pm
- Divine Providence Festival and Health Screening Day
- October 9, 2022

CHW Program Leading Health Promotion Day At Sacred Heart Catholic Church Summer 2022

Community Partners:

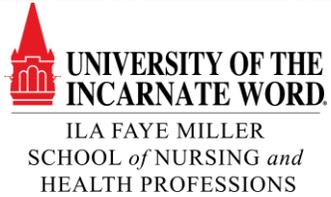


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CHW Program Leading Health Promotion Day At Sacred Heart Catholic Church Church April 2022

Community Partners:



CHW Program – Providing Continuing Education February 2022



Dr. Martinez(Faculty), CHW students, and Jacob Claude, Director of San Antonio Metropolitan Health District



Jacob Claude, MPH
Director of San Antonio Metropolitan Health District

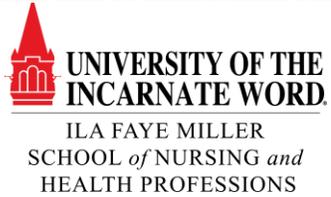


Dr. Martinez and Ms. Cornejo (Faculty)
and Jacob Claude, Director of San Antonio Metropolitan Health District



CHW Program Leading Health Promotion Day At Sacred Heart Catholic Church January 2022

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COMMUNITY HEALTH WORKERS HELPING FAMILIES IMPACTED BY WINTER STORM

2/21 | 👤 NVC PR | 💬 2 Comments

When residents are in desperate need, the city can count on alumni from college's Community Health Worker program to roll up their sleeves. They did just that for families impacted by the winter storm.

They went to 10 families or 40 individuals. Most of these families are moms or grandparents taking care of grandchildren. One family's 70-year-old grandmother raising her 4-year-old grandson with special needs received the money on Feb. 22. One family expressed it was a relief for rent.

Lead by Cynthia De La Garza-Parker and Guadalupe Cornejo – all alumni of the Community Health Worker program, sprang into action with the help of the Community Health Workers Association. Cynthia put out a grassroots call on social media, Guadalupe emailed the CHW association and Cynthia reached out to her church community.

They helped families who needed the funds because of their connections with leaders from the Texas Grandparents Raising Grandchildren and



CAMPUS

Deer Oaks Supervisor

Happy Home 22

Deer Oaks Employee

Booster: 27 Vaccines

NVC Booster



February Winter Storm Relief: Faculty and former graduates conducted home visits to grandparents raising children. Feb. 2021



Faculty and community health workers leading Sacred Heart Catholic Church COVID-19 Vaccination Event.
April 22, 2021



Texas Kidney Foundation and CHW Program at Sacred Heart Catholic Church: Kidney Screening Day. April 25, 2021



Community Health Advocacy: City Council Accountability Meeting. May 23, 2021



Registration

COVID-19



Vaccination

Children 12 years of age, young adults, and older adults are eligible to get vaccinated.

To register, call or text:

Guadalupe Cornejo, Community Health Worker
(210) 685-6612

Juan Iglesia, Faith in Action Ministry Leader
(210) 719-0291

Vaccination Event Date:

August 19th at 5 pm

Location: Divine Providence Catholic Church
5667 Old Pearsall Rd, San Antonio, TX 78242

School of Nursing from UT Health San Antonio



COVID-19 Vaccination Event led by CHW Program faculty at Divine Providence Catholic Church.
August 5, 2021

FOOD
Games

FALL FESTIVAL
SUN - OCT. 10, 2021
10:30 AM - 9:30 PM

DJ
Volleyball
Tournament

DIVINE PROVIDENCE CATHOLIC CHURCH
5667 OLD PEARSALL RD, SAN ANTONIO, TX 78242
Health Fair 12 pm - 4 pm

- Mammograms (By Appointment Only)
- CareLink
- Glucose and Blood Pressure Checks
- Oral health education
- Eye Exams
- Information on emergency housing, utility, and internet assistance
- COVID safety kits
- Healthcare Plan Enrollment
- Covid-19 Vaccines 1st, 2nd Dose and Booster

For Health Screening Information text 210-685-6612 or Email mcornejo2@alamo.edu

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Faculty and CHW program alumni at Divine Providence Catholic Church's Fall Festival/Health Fair.
October 10, 2021



Sacred Heart Catholic Church Vaccination Event organized by CHW Program Faculty.

November 14, 2021

Moderna #1 - 1

Moderna #2-2

Moderna Booster 12

Pfizer #1 - 11

Pfizer #2 -2

Pfizer Booster - 52

Pfizer Kids - 33

CHW Program organized and led AlamoPromise Ambassador Training for Community Health Workers



January 25, 2020





CHW Students & Faculty at UT Health Community Service-Learning Conference



Faculty attending Westside Education and Training Center Advisory Board Meeting



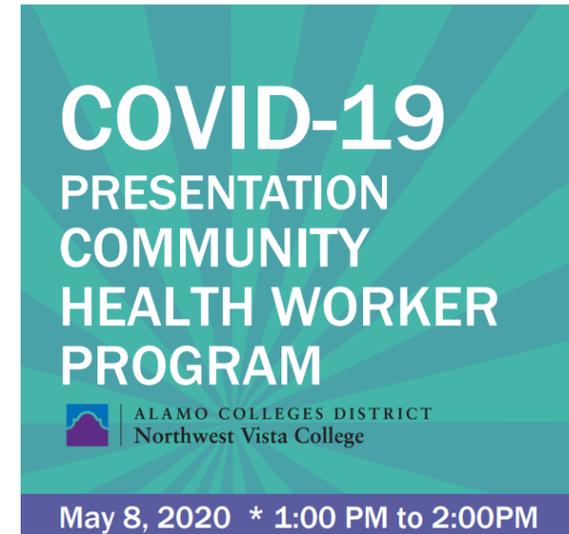
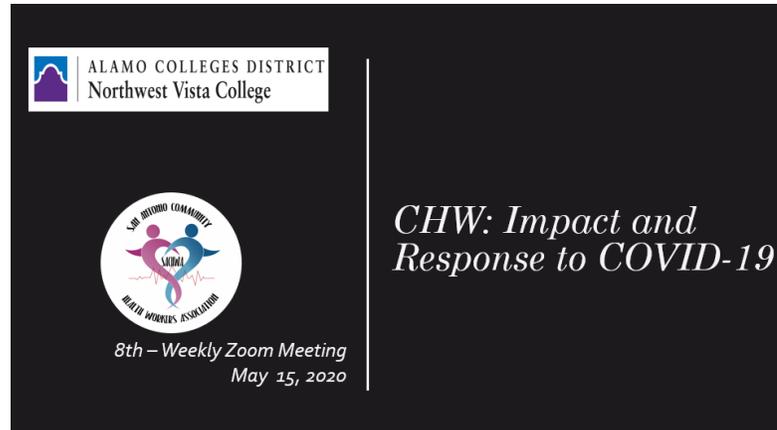
Faculty attending CentroMed & Census Count Me in 2020 Campaign Briefing



Online CHW Students and Faculty: Greet & Meet



CHW Program Community Engagement/Response to COVID-19



Application for Emergency Funds

Northwest Vista Advocacy Center

Alamo Colleges and Universities
Emergency aid, mental health support, case management, etc. This form is for faculty/staff referrals and is not intended for students to self report.

Spring 2020- Spring 2021



U.S. Department of Education



S.3548 CARES-Act

https://cm.maxient.com/reportingform.php?AlamoColleges&layout_id=17

CHW Program faculty organized and led informative sessions to support former CHW students on their efforts to disseminate COVID-19 information in the community.



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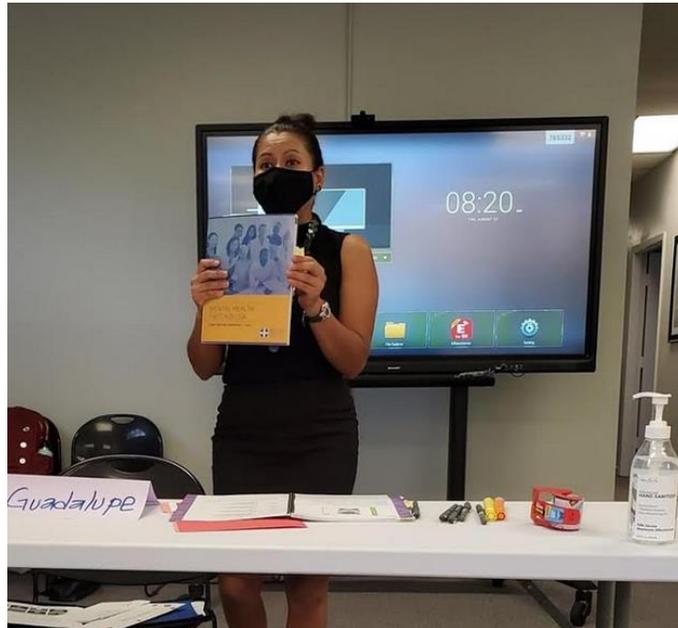
CHW Program faculty and CHW alumna collaborated to create health promotion messaging to support COVID-19 public health efforts.



Cover 4 Covid Video



CHW Program Faculty member providing Mental Health First Aid Training to community health workers.



NVC-CHW Program faculty collaborating as Planning Committee members and Presenters in the first Texas Association of Promotores and Community Health Workers Conference.

In Partnership with



SAVE THE DATE



1st Virtual TAPCHW Conference

**New Decade,
New Normal,
Same CHW Commitment**

September 28 - 30, 2020

1.5 HOUR

SESSIONS

10 AM

12 PM

2 PM

4 PM

4 PM in Spanish

3 DAYS

Attend the sessions you want!

12 CEs

Most will be certified!

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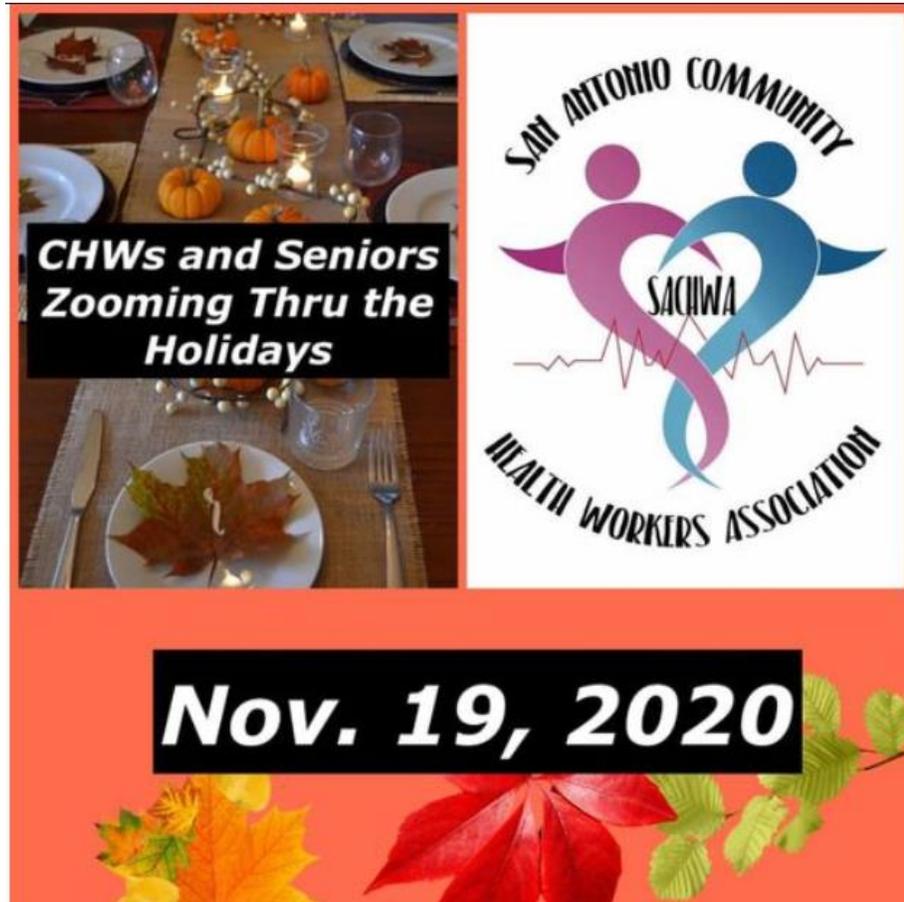
\$10

Members pay \$5!
For full conference,
regardless of the number of
sessions you attend!
Daily Spanish session offered at 4pm

Register here: <https://tapchw2020conference.eventbrite.com>

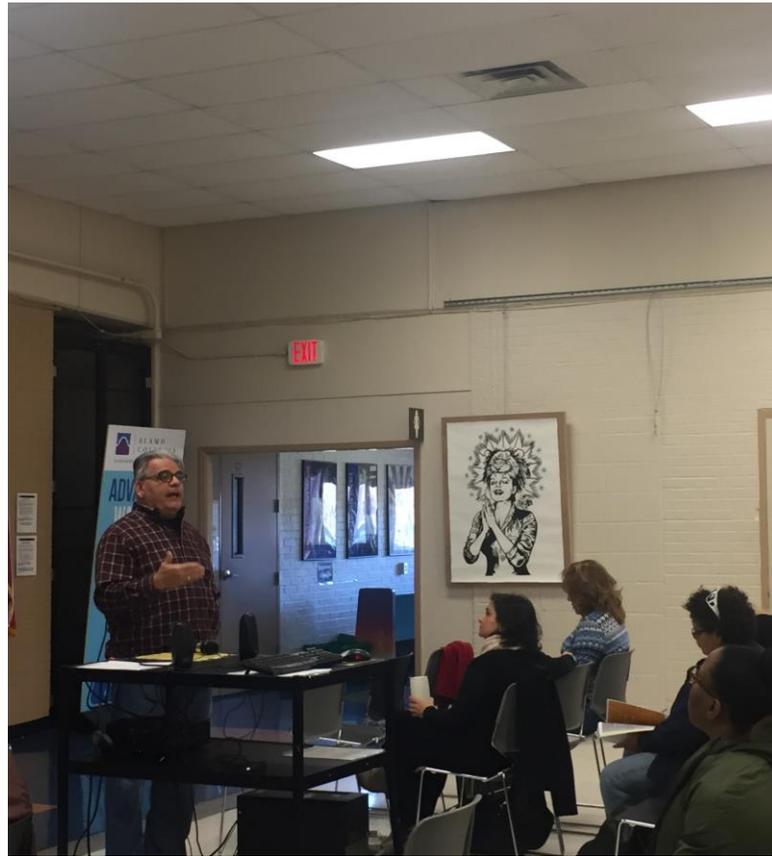
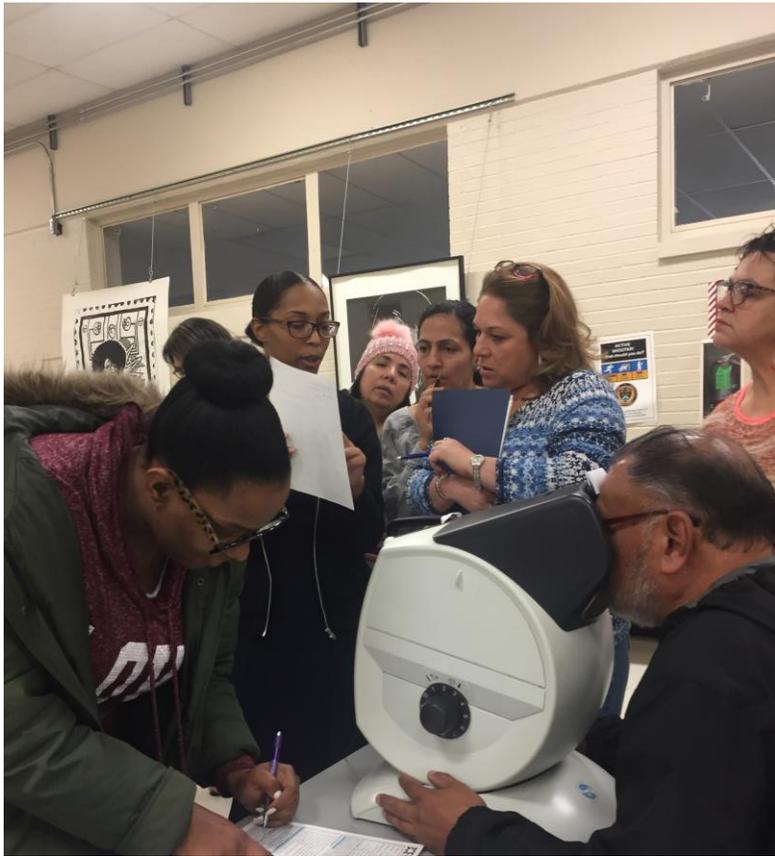


2020 Community Service Project



A group of former CHW students and CHW faculty organized a Thanksgiving virtual Luncheon and Loteria for seniors facing isolation in the first year of the COVID-19 pandemic.





Prevent Blindness Texas & Health Collaborative Training for CHWs and students.





Students and Faculty attending Vestido Rojo Event and Faculty attending Higher Education Fair at Café College





Westside Education & Training Center



NVC Library

National Library of Medicine Visiting Fellow learning about NVC-CHW Program and visiting with NVC Librarian



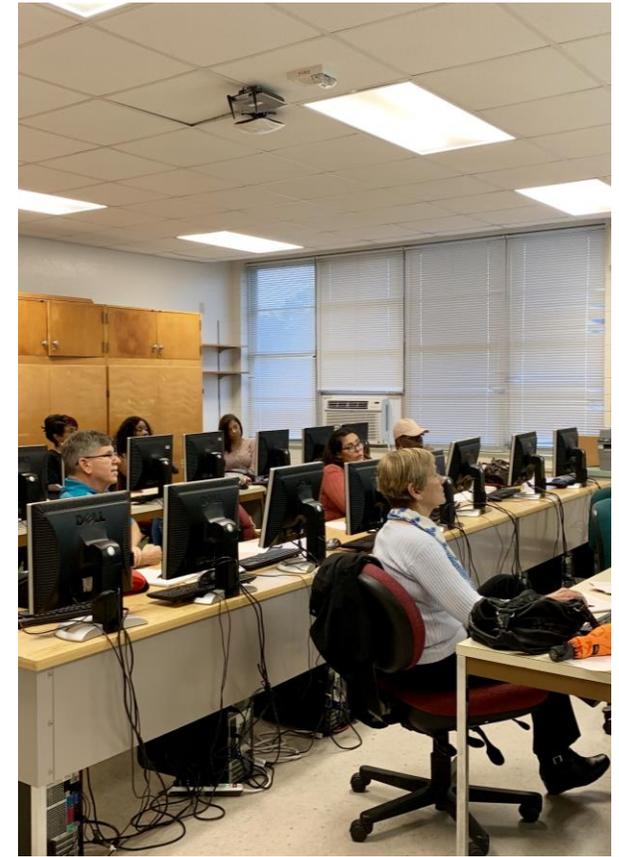
CHW Faculty supporting Community Partner Parents' Academy Big Give SA Event & Faculty attending Education Fair for City of San Antonio employees





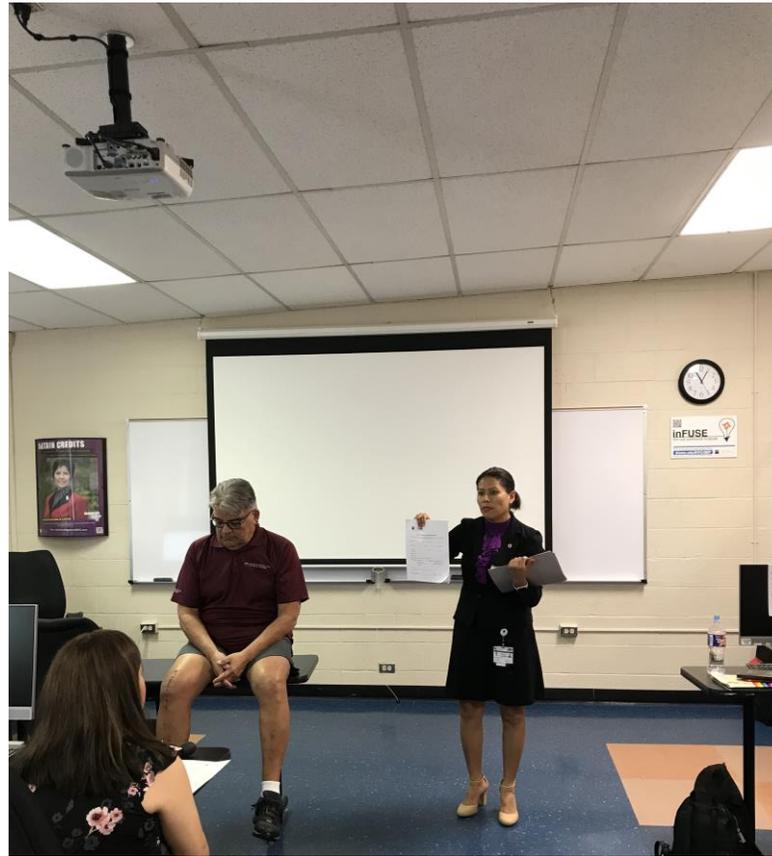
CHW Program at VetStrong Event & CHW Faculty and alumni attending CHW Proclamation Day at Texas Capitol along CHWs from all over Texas.





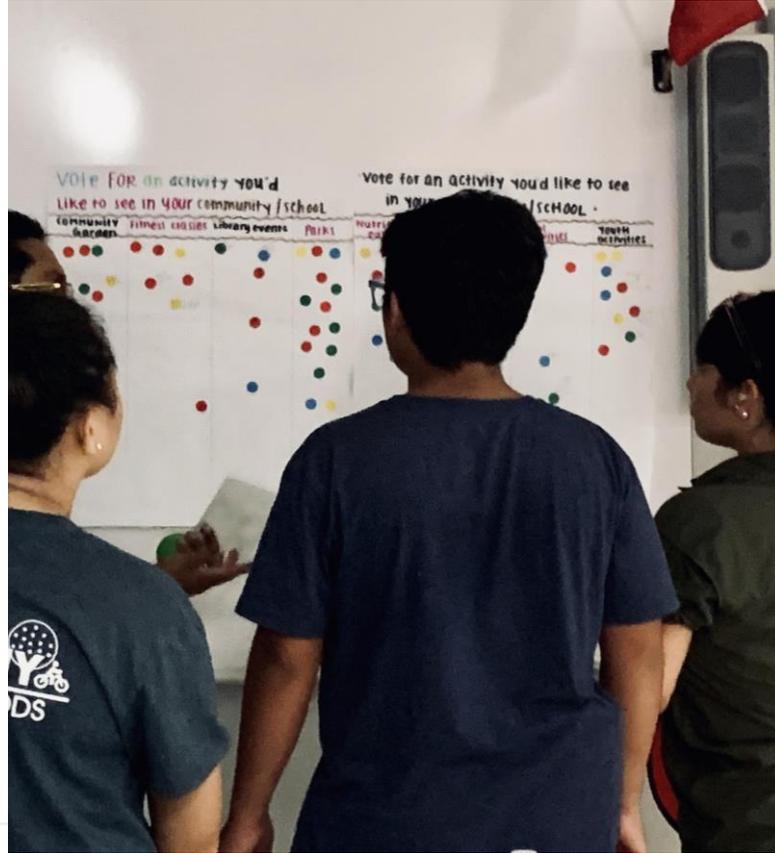
Faculty, CHW students, alumni and community partners organized and hosted a Día de Las Madres Celebration at Westside Education and Training Center, Continuing Education Session at Christus Health, and Guest speaker presentation to CHW students at the Eastside Education and Training Center.





Training by Alzheimer's Association San Antonio & San Antonio Community Health Workers Association Outreach and Member Registration





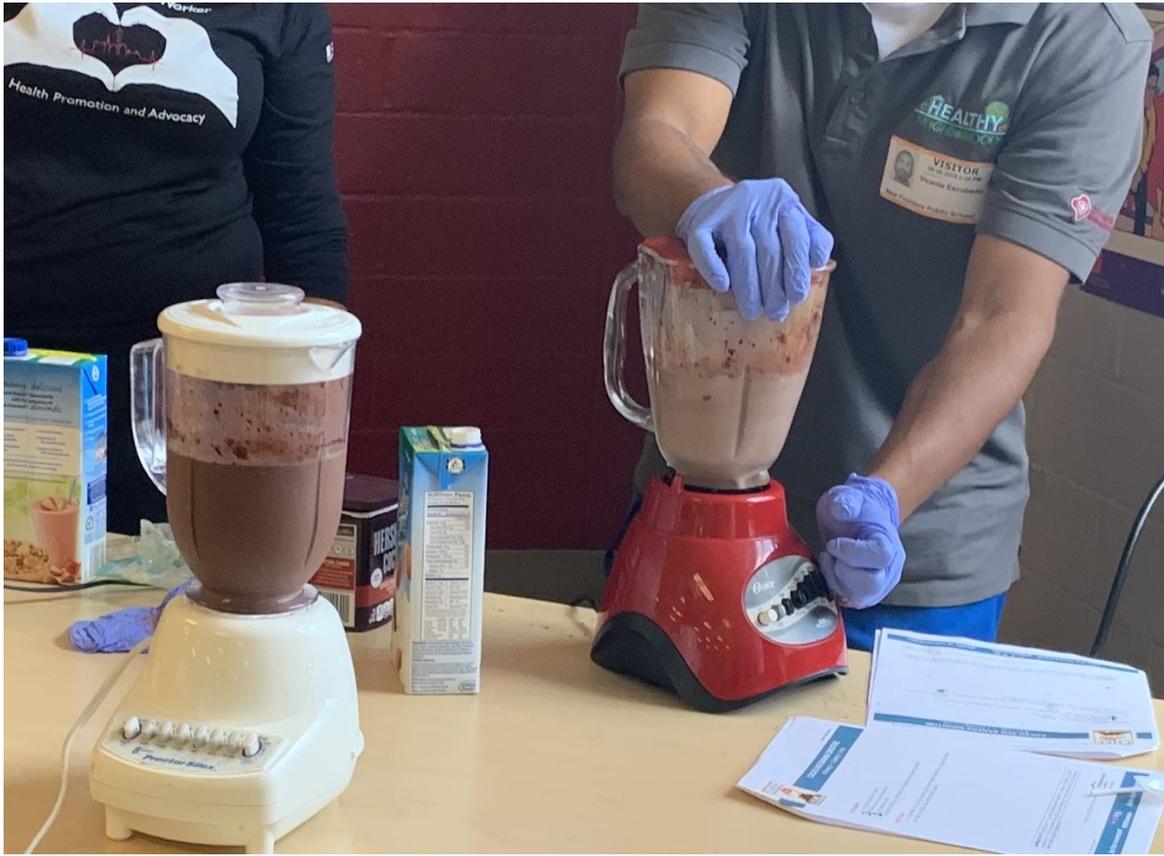
New Frontiers Cooking Club (San Antonio Metropolitan Health District's Healthy Neighborhoods & New Frontiers Public School), Mental Health First Aid Training by USA Mental Health First Aid and Día de la Mujer Latina





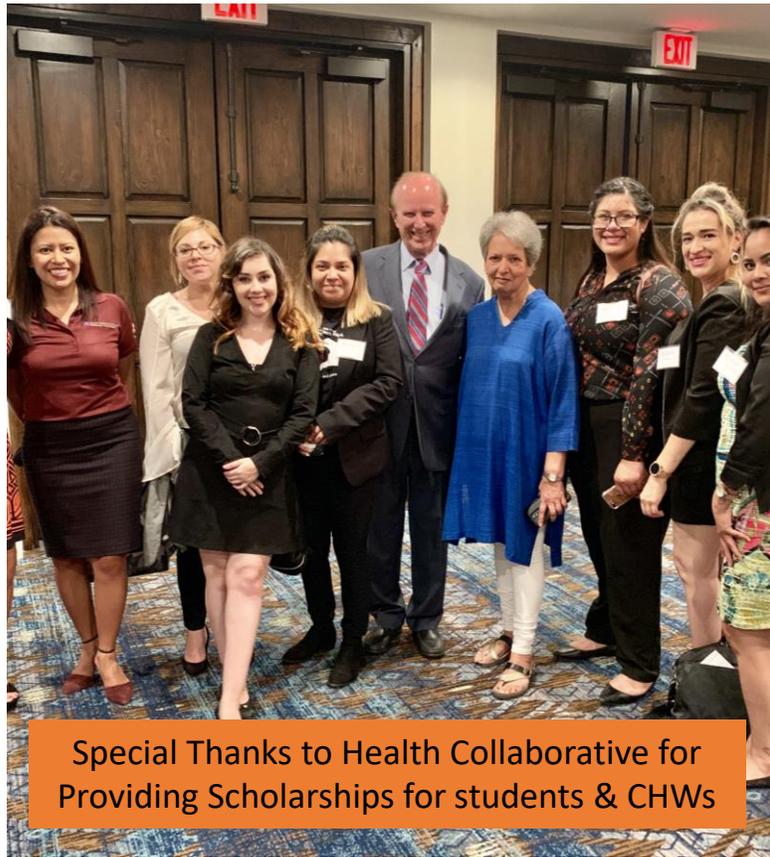
Students and faculty attending 2019 Avenida Guadalupe 16 de Septiembre Parade & Social Determinants of Health Symposium.





CHW Students Volunteering with Metro Health-Healthy Neighborhoods' New Frontiers Cooking Club





Special Thanks to Health Collaborative for Providing Scholarships for students & CHWs



Faculty Presenting at TX Health Literacy Conference , CWH Students attending TX Health Literacy Conference and pictured with Bexar County Judge Nelson Wolff, and CHW Program Outreach at Madonna Center's Health Fair





CHW students attending National Latinx AIDS Awareness Day, Family Service Sponsored CHW Students at NVC campus, AlamoPROMISE and Immigration Continuing Education Training for CHWs provided by NVC Faculty, NVC advising team in collaboration with U.S Citizenship and Immigration Services.





Mary E. Garr, President/CEO of Family Service addressing CHW graduates and CHW Picnic Day at Woodlawn Park.





CHW Program-AlamoPROMISE outreach at Lanier High School & Meet and Greet CHW Online Students.





Annual CHW Thanksgiving Community Service at Sacred Heart Church in San Antonio's Westside Community.

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&
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Speakers/
Field Trips*

Continuing Education



Community Outreach-Eastside



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Field Trip: Dress for Success, June 2018



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From left to right: Program Coordinators/Hiring Managers and health care administration experts Valerie, Delana, and Claudia. CHWs: Vicente and Vangie

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NVC Advising team at EETC Outreach Event, Summer 2018



Fall Health Fair for Families|
Mujeres West at YWCA

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Texas Health Literacy Conference, October 2018

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October 2018



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Community Health Worker
Advocating for a Healthier Community





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