

30th Year Anniversary

Valley AIDS Council (VAC) is the primary provider of HIV prevention, education and testing services and the only Ryan White funded agency providing medical care and supportive services for people living with HIV in the 3-county area that stretches from the lower Rio Grande Valley on the US/Mexico border.

In 1987, health care leaders from the Cameron and Hidalgo County Departments of Health and from Planned Parenthood met with representatives from the Texas Department of Health in response to the growing incidence of HIV/AIDS. That visionary meeting led to the founding of the Valley AIDS Council (VAC), and its growth from a small, collaborative, grassroots response into a comprehensive, multi-site, one-stop, community-based response to the HIV/AIDS pandemic. In 1988, VAC secured funding to hire its first staff member – an HIV/AIDS community health educator funded by the Texas Department of Health.

In 2018, as we celebrate our three decades of service, we will recommit ourselves to continuously improve the quality of our services to better serve and care for the health of our community. Thank you for being a part of this journey with us.

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Valley AIDS Council 30th Year Anniversary Community Health Fair



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Date of Event: Saturday, October 13th, 2018
Suggested arrival time to set up booth: 10:30am
Health Fair hours: 11am through 2pm
Location: Valle Vista Mall, near the Food Court entrance
2020 S Expressway 83, Harlingen, TX 78552

Exhibitor Booth Registration Form

If you agree to participate, please complete the Health Fair Exhibitor Form below:

EXHIBITOR INFORMATION FOR HANDOUTS:

Company Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone Number: _____

Email Address: _____

Contact Person(s): _____

BOOTH REPRESENTATIVE: (Individual to contact for booth assignment, set-up times, etc.)

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Email: _____

2ND BOOTH REPRESENTATIVE:

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Email: _____

Email a COMPANY LOGO to dhuerta@valleyaids.org (Please make sure that the logo is in jpg or png). This will be used for event signage and to highlight you on our social media pages.

If providing a FREE health screening(s), please bring all necessary supplies and let us know what type of screening you will provide below.

If you would like to lead an educational presentation during the health fair, in the section below please let us know what information you will cover and how much time you'd like to receive. We will try to accommodate all presenters.

Comments:



Registration Deadline

Please submit completed form no later than Friday October 5th, 2018 to:

Attn: Diego Huerta
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For more information please call at (956) 507-4844.

Exhibitor Guidelines

Exhibitors will be accepted on a first come, first served basis. They must provide services related to health and wellness to the community.

In lieu of a registration fee, we kindly ask for a raffle prize (\$20.00) to distribute to attendees throughout the event.

Arrival: All exhibitors should arrive 30-minutes prior to start time of 11:00am. Conference organizers will be at the mall starting at 9:30am in case you'd like to arrive earlier.

Parking: The health fair will be set-up near the food court entrance. We will have staff ready to help you unload your supplies and take them inside while you find parking. We will check you in and have someone direct you to your booth.

Check-in: If you do not arrive through the food court entrance, please head directly to this area and locate on of the conference organizers to check-in.

Booth space: Booth space must be occupied as assigned, and be open and staffed during the health fair

hours (11:00am to 2:00 pm).

Table: We will provide an 8ft-tables and two chairs to all exhibitors. Agencies are encouraged to bring a table cover.

Material(s): If possible, try to bring informational brochures, handouts, etc. in both English and Spanish.

Cancellation: Please let us know no later than Monday, October 8th if you will be unable to attend.

Estimated number of attendees: We are estimating to receive 200-300 participants throughout the three hours.

