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RESIDENTS GET PROTECTED AGAINST THE FLU WITH THE HELP OF THEIR NEIGHBORHOOD PHARMACY

The Community Resource Center and Walgreens Pharmacy Partner to
Keep Residents Healthy During the Flu Season



South Whittier, September 19, 2017 –

One hundred youth, adults, and seniors of the unincorporated areas of Whittier and surrounding cities are now armed to fight the flu. The Community Resource Center (CRC) partnered with Walgreens

Pharmacy to administer the free flu shots to local residents.

The flu clinic provided no-cost vaccines to families who have limited health coverage or who otherwise cannot afford the cost of the vaccination. Attendees also received educational handouts on daily practices to stop the spread of germs such as covering your nose and mouth when you cough or sneeze, washing your hands often with soap and water, and avoiding touching your eyes, nose and mouth.

“I am glad to see families take preventive steps against the spread of this seasonal illness. By getting the flu shot, you protect yourself and the people around you, including persons who are more vulnerable to the flu virus.” said



Sean Rogan, Executive Director of the Community Development Commission of the County of Los Angeles (CDC).

The CRC is a project of the CDC. Funded by the Fourth Supervisorial District, it works in collaboration with onsite service providers to offer health, wellness, and educational programs for families, seniors, and youth. Walgreens Pharmacy, CRC’s partner in this effort, strives to be a trusted, convenient provider and advisor of innovative pharmacy, health and wellness solutions, and consumer goods and services in communities across America.

The CRC is located at 10750 Laurel Avenue in South Whittier. For information on services provided by the CRC, please call (562) 946-2425, or visit the website at www.swcrc.org. All media may contact Elisa Vásquez, CDC Public Information Officer, at (626) 586-1762.

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