



EXPANDING PROGRAMING IN NORTH FAIR OAKS

The Multicultural Institute (MI) soft launched free COVID-19 testing at its North Fair Oaks location in Redwood City in March.

Starting in April, the North Fair Oaks site will host regular COVID-19 testing every Second Friday of the Month:

9:00am-2:00pm
533 Warrington Ave, Redwood City

Take home rapid tests will also be available for pick up at the office any time during regular work hours.

Testing resources are open to all members of the community! Call (650) 339-2794 for more information.

RICHMOND VACCINATION AWARD

The Multicultural Institute's Richmond site received a plaque of Appreciation and Recognition from Contra Costa Health Services, Contra Costa Medical Reserve Corps and the COVID-19 Adult Ambassadors Program for MI's work providing COVID-19 testing and vaccination to hard to reach patients in West Contra Costa County.

The Richmond team partnered with Contra Costa Health Services to host accessible and bilingual vaccination clinics at the Richmond office during the height of the pandemic.

MI Staff is happy to have been able to vaccinate as many immigrants, low income neighbors of color and unhoused community members as possible through their work at MI.

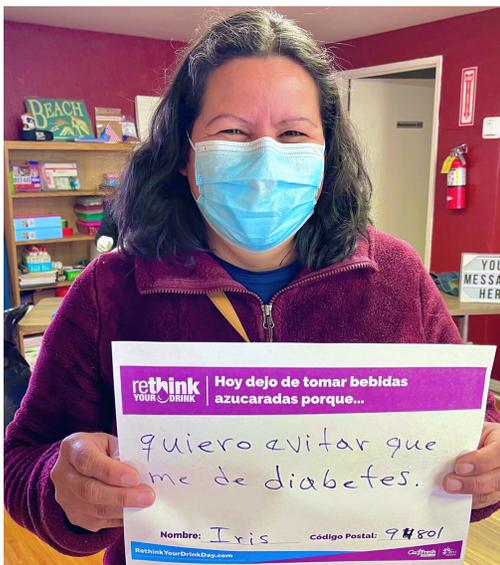


RETHINK YOUR DRINK! DRINK WATER!

During MI's Food Pantry program, Iris (pictured below), took the Rethink Your Drink pledge to stop drinking sugary and sweetened beverages!

Iris says she took the pledge because she wants to prevent diabetes.

Always choose water! Sugary beverages can lead to tooth decay, diabetes & obesity. #RethinkYourDrink



MELON COOLER

Blend **2 cups** chopped watermelon and **2 cups** cold water in a blender until smooth. This recipe makes enough for 5. Chill for at least 20 minutes and enjoy.

IMMIGRATION UPDATES

The Biden administration announced on April 1st, that it will be rescinding the Trump-era policy, Title 42.

- Title 42 will end May 23, 2022
- Title 42 used the COVID pandemic as an excuse to immediately 'expel' asylum seekers to Mexico
- Over 1.7 million asylum seekers have been expelled using this policy
- DHS plans to implement a migrant vaccination program along the border as they begin to properly process asylees at the border.

For more information, please call:
(510) 847-0517

COFFEE

MI now offers morning coffee at its East Bay locations.

Community members are welcome to stop by for coffee, fruit and a toasted bagel every morning!

Foot traffic at MI's three locations is increasing and we're happy to welcome the community into our revamped spaces. Stop by and say hello!



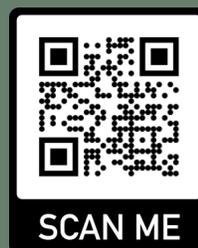
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