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Binational Policy Forum on Migration and Global Health



XI Binational Health Week

San Antonio, Texas

October 4, 2011

The Steering Committee composed of the Secretary of Health of Mexico, the Institute of Mexicans Abroad, and the Health Initiative of the Americas, invite you to participate in the XI Binational Policy Forum on Migration and Global Health, taking place on October 4, 2011 in San Antonio, Texas. This will be the inaugural event of Binational Health Week 2011.

Binational Health Week (BHW) is one of the largest joint mobilization efforts of community organizations, federal, state, and local agencies to improve the health and welfare of the most vulnerable population of Mexican and Latin American people in the United States.

With a decade of experience in various U.S. government agencies and Mexico, as well as other countries including Canada, Colombia, Ecuador, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, and Peru, have collaborated to carry out health promotion among the population Spanish-speaking migrants.

The forum's aim is to convene key stakeholders from various sectors, government, academia and organizations to foster dialogue on the health challenges of the migrant population and to explore collaborative opportunities to raise their quality of life. The program will address the following topics: Chronic Diseases, Infectious Diseases, Women's Health, Mental Health and Access to Health Services.

Knowing your interest and experience in the central theme of this forum, we hope to count on your valuable participation. We will be sending out more information shortly. If you have questions or need more information, please contact iris.flores@salud.gob.mx and/or Liliana.Osorio@sdcounty.ca.gov