

SAPC Prevention Provider Events May 2026

Commission on Alcohol and other Drugs

- **DPH-SAPC, DMH and DPR: OUR SPOT** Countywide activities and LA County Parks (Ongoing) <https://parks.lacounty.gov/ourspot/>
- **Cambodian Association of America (CAA) National Prevention Week Youth Education Event with the Long Beach Boys & Girls Club**
Time/Location: 05/12/2026 3:00PM to 5:00PM at the Long Beach Boys & Girls Club, Westside Clubhouse – 1835 W. Willard St., 90810
CAA is hosting this community event to provide substance-use education and awareness to young people with fun, engaging activities and offering community resources with through our South Bay SBC3 partners.
- **South Los Angeles Movement (SLAM) Coalition 2026 Youth Summit**
Time/Location: 05/13/2026, 4:00PM to 7:00PM at Community Coalition Offices - Parking Lot, 8101 S Vermont Avenue Los Angeles CA 90044
Community Coalition along with their SPA 6 prevention partners in SLAM (Avalon Carver, People Coordinated Services, Special Services for Groups, South Central Prevention Coalition and Watts Healthcare) are hosting this community event for youth ages 13 to 18. There will be various substance use education presentations along with workshops and wellness activities for participants. Music and food will be provided and entry is free. This will be a great kick-off for youth as Summer is around the corner.
- **Prototypes Resource Fair**
Time/Location: 05/14/2026 10:00am to 2:00pm at Prototypes' Main Campus Parking Lot
Free health screens are one of the many things being offered to participants at this community event. Prototypes will also offer community resources, giveaways, food and refreshments will also be available. Youth Prevention will host a booth with prevention and public health information/services. Partners include non-profits and public health agencies from across the community and region. We are serving the entire public. We engage with authenticity, compassion, incentives, caring staff and entertainment/giveaways. Our public health services have been implemented for almost four decades.

- Day One Behind The Counter TownHall Meeting**
05/19/2026 Time TBD, 9353 E Valley Blvd., Rosemead CA 91770, Suite B
 Day One in partnership with Pacific Clinics, the Behind the Counter Town Hall will give parents and youth an inside look into the Smoke Shop Project and discuss how to keep youth and communities safe. The event will feature a presentation, a Q&A discussion, and an opportunity for parents to see products purchased at local smoke shops.
- Pueblo Y Salud (PYS) Community Walking Club**
Time/Location: 5/23/26, 8:30am-11am Los Angeles Mission College, 13356 Eldridge Ave., Sylmar, CA 91342
 PYS (SPA 2) hosts a Walking Club where staff lead guided conversations about emerging substance abuse trends in our communities and share relevant resources with participants that include parents, youth, and college students.
Contact Name/Number: Estefania Caldera, caldera@pys.org
- BHS Gardena – Self Care for Men & Women**
Time/Location: 05/28/2026 6:00PM to 8:00PM at BHS' Corporate Office in Gardens – 15519 Crenshaw Blvd., Gardena CA 90249
 Self-Care for Men and Women is a new, one-time community event for adults 18 and older with a focus on cannabis prevention and self-care. Author Heidi Swan will be doing a presentation on topics such as cannabis-induced psychosis, how THC can lead to mental health risks, and what people can do instead to improve their overall well-being. Participants will be provided with community resources from local resource vendors as well as substance use prevention services. Participants will get to enjoy free food/drinks and can win raffle prizes such as self-care gift baskets, gift cards, and a copy of Heidi Swan's book A Night in Jail.
- PYS (SPA 1) Bloom into Spring Family Resource Fair**
Time/Location: 05/30/2026, 10am to 2pm – 39130 3rd St. East, Palmdale CA 93550
 Bloom into Spring will be a family friendly resource fair open to the community. PYS will be focusing on participants growing into the best healthy, drug-free version of themselves. Tarzana Treatment Centers, Parent's Anonymous, Los Angeles Dept of Mental Health, Empower Generations will also be supporting this community event. These organizations represent prevention, health, and youth services available in the community. Additionally, we will have music, free tacos (while supplies last), and crafty activities.

ONGOING:

Social Model Recovery Systems (SMRS) – SPA 4 UCEPP Meeting

- **For More Information, call: 877-507-6242**

United Coalition East (UCEPP) was founded in 1996, to address the problems related to substance use disorder (SUD) in the Central City East area of downtown Los Angeles, commonly known as “skid row.”

UCEPP’s mission is to engage the most vulnerable populations of Central City East to challenge systemic conditions and social disparities that threaten a healthy environment. UCEPP’s priority is to prevent and/or reduce the impact of substance use in the community by using grassroots research, assessment and innovative approaches to inspire social justice and positive change.