



Polls show that
people don't know

how *health care reform* might be a good thing for them.



It's good for:

- Anyone with a pre-existing conditions
- Young Adults on their parent's insurance
- Seniors who have reached the gap (doughnut hole)
- Anyone getting preventive care testing
- Community health centers in under-served areas
- Anyone whose reached their "lifetime limit"
- Anyone dropped from coverage due to illness

We want people in the Central Valley of California to know what's in the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act (Health Care Reform) so they can decide if it's good for them.

The Central Valley Education Project is sponsored by Health Access, a leader in advocating for quality, affordable and accessible healthcare in California for over two decades, in partnership with EQUAL Health Network and the Unitarian Universalist Legislative Ministry, California.

The CVEP is dedicated to educating over 2,500 individuals in the Central Valley from October 2010 to January 2011 with a particular focus on reaching young adults, adults over 55, Latinos and small business owners. This geographic area includes Rancho Cordova, Elk Grove, Carmichael, Citrus Heights, Arden-Arcade, Stockton, Dublin, Livermore, Sacramento, Davis, Pleasanton, Lodi, Manteca, Tracy, Merced, Modesto, Madera, Ceres, Atwater, Los Banos, and other smaller communities.

We are looking for organizations and venues in the Central Valley willing to host an educational meeting open to the public for the purpose of explaining what is in the current legislation and how it might benefit them

We will provide a 1 to 1.5 hour presentation on the new federal and state health care reform laws, opportunity for questions and one-on-one conversations (arrangements for spanish speakers can be made), and flyers outlining benefits.

If you are interested in setting up an event please contact Jeffrey Melcher, Lead Health Care organizer, Unitarian Universalist Legislative Ministry, California 916-504-8886

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