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STEPPING OUT: COMMUNITY-ORIENTED NEWS IN PSYCHIATRY

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Infant Mortality Awareness Month

What: September is National Infant Mortality Awareness Month. Please help us ensure that every baby in our community has the chance to have a first birthday party, to go to kindergarten, to graduate from high school, to marry and have another generation of healthy babies.

Where: Rochester, NY

When: September

Sponsored by: National Healthy Start Association, The Perinatal Network of Monroe County

Community Dialogue Series: Vibes and Rhythms with Les Slater

What: This two part event will first feature a screening of the documentary,

“Calypso Dreams”, followed by a dialogue by Les Slater.

Where:Baobab Cultural Center, 728 University Ave

When: Friday, September 17 @ 6:30 PM

Sponsored by:Rochester West-Indian Festival Organization, and Rochester Jamaican Organization and thanks to a grant from The New York State Council for the Humanities

Cost: *Free and open to the public.* \$5 donations appreciated.

For More Information: [Baobab Cultural Center Event](#)

First Annual Salud y Sobriedad en la Cultura

What:This gala style event is exclusively for patients actively involved in treatment at Strong Behavioral Health, Huther Doyle, and Restart Latino Programs. It unites three major treatment providers in the community and aids in the development of collaborative relationships between Latino treatment providers, agencies and community organizations. This event is invitation only.

Where:St. Michael’s Church Hall, 343 Clifford Avenue

When: Saturday, September 18, 3 PM – 10 PM

Sponsored by:University of Rochester, Department of Psychiatry, U of R Medical Center, Puerto Rican Festival Inc., DePaul NCADD/RA, Strong Recovery Chemical Dependency, Restart Latino Substance Abuse Services, Huther-Doyle Esperanza Latina

For More Information: Angelica Perez 585-275-3136

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BackPack Program FoodLink Collection

What:Many children are at risk of chronic hunger without school food on weekends and holidays. The BackPack Program is a project of Foodlink which attempts to fill this gap by providing children with a bag of nutritious food on weekends and holidays. Please help by collecting items. A collection box has been set up at office 1-3251 and we will be collecting items September 1st – 24th

Where:Rochester, NY

When: September 1st – 24th

Sponsored by:FoodLink

For More Information: about the food drive: Kathleen Morris 585-275-3105

Kathleen_morris@urmc.rochester.edu. Learn more about the program:

BackPack@foodlinkny

2010 Case Conference

What:A case study will be presented with the purpose of providing education and training for case management staff. There will be facilitated discussion which allows each provider to present their assessment of the case, interventions, successes and challenges followed by open discussion.

When:Thursday, September 23. Registration and conference @ 8:30 AM; Lunch following the case study will be from 12 PM – 1 PM.

Where:AIDS Care, Lower Level Conference Room, 259 Monroe Avenue

To RSVP: Sharonette Foster @ 224-3126

Welcoming Diversity/Dismantling Prejudice in a Diverse Society

What:A workshop in which participants will learn skills that can shift an environment from one that makes people closed and defended to one that creates the possibility that all parties have much to learn from one another. Taking leadership ensures that every voice matters.

Where:LDA Life and Learning Services, 4th Floor Conference Room, 339 East Avenue, Suite 420

When:Friday, October 1, 8:45 AM – 4 PM

Sponsored by:The Rochester NY Chapter of the National Coalition Building Institute

For More Information: Steve Jarose 585-263-3323 sjarose@ldagvi.org

***Please see attached for registration details.

Generation Newsies @ Writers and Books ***

What:Generation Newsies is open to all Monroe County high school students. Participants will meet weekly to research, edit and compile stories.

Where:Meetings will take place at Writers & Books, 740 University Ave

When:Application deadline: October 1

For More Information: 585-473-2590 or visit wab.org

***Please see attached

Pride Network's 40th Anniversary

What:In order to celebrate its 40th anniversary this fall the Pride Network will be holding many events during U of R's Meliora Weekend.

Where:University of Rochester River Campus and University of Rochester Medical Center

When:Thursday, Oct. 14 – Saturday, Oct. 16

For More Information and to Register:

<http://www.rochester.edu/melioraweekend/>

A Time for Healing, Educating, and Rebuilding II ***

What:“Exploring the sociocultural trauma in racial ethnic communities”. Training and Personal Development workshops for youth, educators, human service professionals, parents, and the public at large.

Where:Radisson Hotel Rochester Riverside, 120 E. Main St.

When:Fri., Oct 29 & Sat., Oct. 30

Sponsored by:Ujima Rochester, Inc

For More Information: Director Kiah E. Nyame, MS 585-458-5245; 585-770-0536 ujimarochester@frontier.net

*****Please see attached**

“Improving Student Achievement While Overcoming Adversity”

What:Rochester City School District Symposium

When:Saturday, November 6, 8:30 AM – 1:30 PM

Where:Edison High School Campus, 655 Colfax Street

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Register at www.rcsdk12.org

Community-Academic Partnerships Celebration

What:An event to celebrate your community-academic partners and their joint accomplishments in Psychiatry and in the community during the past year.

Where:Bausch & Lomb Parlor, Memorial Art Gallery, 500 University Ave

When:Tuesday, November 30, 4 PM – 6 PM

Sponsored by:The Office of Mental Health Promotion, Department of Psychiatry, University of Rochester Medical Center

