NAMI CA State Conference Coming Soon!

Friday and Saturday, August 21-22 2015 in Newport Beach

You can get more information here.

If you have any questions, please contact Eugenia

NAMI California 2015 Priority Legislation - Affiliate Letters Requested

NAMI California's 2015 priority legislation is currently being considered in the State Assembly and State Senate. Please contact your legislators to express your affiliates support for these bills! Sample letters are located on the NAMI California website: http://www.namica.org/advocacy-legislation.php?page=namican#.VVzVIEbscuo.

Please send any questions and copy of letters sent to advocacy@namica.org.

NAMI California priority legislation includes:

- SB 11 and SB 29: increased mental health training for law enforcement.
- SB 614: statewide peer certification program.
- AB 374: step therapy override determinations.

Important Events Around California

Please join Platinum Advisors, Team-Bri, the Ironman Foundation and the Lungren Family, in

Supporting Mental Health
A Fundraising Event on Behalf of the
National Alliance on Mental Illness-California
Special Guest: Steve Sax
Former Major League Baseball All-Star and Mental Health Advocate

Wednesday, June 10, 2015
5:30 pm - 7:30 pm
Platinum Advisors
1215 K Street, 11th Floor
Sacramento, CA

Complimentary hors d'oeuvres and a Silent Auction

Suggested donation is $50. For those who would like to donate we will accept cash, checks, and credit cards (via on-line). Donations are tax-deductible (Tax ID #94-2676057). Please make checks payable to: Ironman Foundation on behalf of NAMI-CA.

Click here to donate online.

Team-Bri is named after Brian Lungren, Jr., our friend and family member who grew up in Squaw Valley an exceptional athlete, free skier, mountain biker, soccer player, and overall competitor. His talent landed him roles in ski-action films and coverage in snow sports publications at a young age. Brian Lungren, Sr., Bri’s father, is competing in the upcoming Ironman Lake Tahoe, a race he is dedicating to Team-Bri. In his teens, Bri experienced the onset of mental illness, which took him away from many of the sports and activities that made him so happy. Though he is not competing on the slopes anymore, Bri continues to receive treatment for mental illness here in Northern California, and he and his family believe that recovery is possible.

For more information on Team-Bri, please visit http://www.team-bri.com/
NAMI FAMILY PROGRAMS TRAININGS - also posted on http://namifamily.blogspot.com

Please Note: These trainings are for family members to become teachers of the education programs listed below.

- De Familia a Familia: June 12-14, 2015 Ontario, CA

There are also Family to Family/Basics trainings offered by the LACC (NAMI Los Angeles County). Please contact Brittney Weissman for further details: brittney@namilaccc.org

NAMI PEER PROGRAMS TRAININGS - also posted on http://namifamily.blogspot.com

Please note: These trainings are for peer members to become teachers (mentors) of the education programs listed below.

- Persona a Persona - June 12-14, 2015 Ontario, CA

Send inquiries to:

- Family Programs and Peer Programs - Lynn@namica.org
- Parents and Teachers as Allies, Ending the Silence, NAMI on Campus, Provider Education - Melen@namica.org
- Directing Change - lauren@namica.org
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