

## Partnership Members:

Adventist Health Dignity Health/Common Spirit Community Health Centers County of SLO, Public Health County of SLO, Behavioral Health County of SLO, Oral Health Compass Health Transitions Mental Health Assoc. Aspire Counseling Services Tolosa Children's Dental Center Center for Community Strengthening Promotores Collaborative of SLO Cal Poly, San Luis Obispo A.T. Still University Cuesta College SLOCOE/SLO Partners **Health Career Connections** Workforce Development Board The Chartis Group Aledade

The SLO Healthcare Workforce Partnership was launched in September 2023 to address the critical shortage of healthcare professionals in physical, behavioral, and oral health in San Luis Obispo County.

This collaborative Partnership is composed of 20 organizations representing healthcare, education, and workforce development.

## The Mission:

To ensure universal, equitable access to high quality healthcare in San Luis Obispo County by investing in long-term solutions to strengthen and diversify the County's physical, behavioral, and oral health workforce and implementing a sustainable model that responds to existing and emerging health care needs.

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## SLO Healthcare Workforce Forum October 30, 2024

## **AGENDA**

11:00am to 12:00pm Registration, Lunch, & Networking

12:00pm to 12:45pm Welcome, Introductions, Partnership Overview &

Research:

Michelle Shoresman, Public Health Susan McGraw, Partnership Coordinator

12:45pm to 1:30pm Funding & Advocacy Panel with Q&A:

\* Federal: Yessenia Echevarria, Congressman Salud

Carbajal's Office

\* State: Jeff Oxendine, Health Career Connection

\* Region: Lady Freire, UPLIFT Central Coast

1:30pm to 1:45pm **Break** 

1:45pm to 2:30pm Healthcare Recruitment & Retention

Challenges & Strategies:

\* Dawn Boulanger: Workforce Development Board

\* Matt Briskin, The Chartis Group

2:30pm to 2:45pm **Break** 

2:45pm to 3:15pm Healthcare Career Pathways in SLO County:

\* Oscar Ramos, Cuesta College

\* Aydin Nazmi, Cal Poly

\* Eric Sauers, A.T. Still University

\* Jennifer Clayton, SLO Partners/SLOCOE

\* Jeff Oxendine, Health Career Connections

3:15pm to 3:30pm Closing

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4:00 to 6:00pm

"SLO County Career & College Night"

in partnership with

Family Care Network, Independent Living Program