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Introducing Our Newest NICRP Staff Members!

NICRP would like to welcome the newest members of our research team:



Brittany Cobb
Research Assistant

Spring Newsletter

May 2020

Dear Friends,

Welcome to the Spring 2020 issue of the NICRP Newsletter! Though this year has been filled with many changes and lingering uncertainties, NICRP remains committed to serving Nevada's children and families through research, evaluation, advocacy, and community engagement.



In this issue, we provide an update on a few of NICRP's activities over the past several months. We have:

- Moved into the new University Gateway Building with the UNLV School of Public Health
- Welcomed two new staff members to the NICRP research team
- Collaborated with various partners to compile and disseminate a list of community resources to help families meet their basic needs during the COVID-19 pandemic and
- Worked to conduct more outreach and training online to ensure our resources are accessible while we all remain at home.

We encourage you to look at our [website](#) for more information on these activities and our other projects and initiatives.

Sincerely,

NICRP

Home to the Nevada Afterschool Network, the Nevada Childhood Lead Poisoning Prevention Program, and Prevent Child Abuse Nevada

Resources & Support for Families
During COVID-19



Belen Campos-Garcia
Outreach Coordinator

Both of these individuals are an excellent asset to our team.

Children's Mental Health Awareness Day was May 7th!

In honor of National Children's Mental Health Awareness Day, the Clark County Children's Mental Health Consortium sponsored a youth photography contest based on the theme:

*MY CONNECTION
MY SUPPORT
MY COPING*



Congratulations to this year's winners:

**Hannah Harding
Aiden Unsell**

[See all of this year's submissions here..](#)

NICRP is the Home of the Nevada Chapter of Prevent Child Abuse America

[Check out our website!](#)



[Sign up for the PCA NV Quarterly E-Newsletter](#)

and/or

COVID-19 RESOURCES AND SOCIAL DISTANCING SUPPORT

In collaboration with community organizations, NICRP has compiled a list of statewide resources for children, families, educators, and professionals during the pandemic. Click on the link below for information about:

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| Coronavirus Information | Interactive Map of Resources |
| Food Pantries & Basic Needs | Educational Resources |
| Financial Assistance | Health Insurance Assistance |
| Medical Assistance | Mental Health Resources |
| Child Care Resources for Critical Workers | Resources for the Undocumented Community |

[Full COVID-19 Nevada Resource Guide](#)

NV Childhood Lead Poisoning Prevention

Adapting to COVID-19 Challenges: NvCLPPP Offers Webinars on Lead Poisoning Prevention

The Nevada Childhood Lead Poisoning Prevention Program (NvCLPPP) regularly provides in-person presentations to community partners about lead poisoning prevention.



However, social distancing guidelines necessitated by the COVID-19 pandemic have made this difficult. NvCLPPP adapted and recently delivered its first webinar to the nursing students of established community partner, Andra Scano, a registered nurse and clinical instructor of nursing at Nevada State College.

NvCLPPP will continue to leverage online technology to provide vital education about lead poisoning prevention to community partners. Contact Belen Garcia-Campos if you would like to schedule a webinar.

Email: belen.campos-garcia@unlv.edu

Nevada Afterschool Network

NICRP is Now Home to the Nevada Afterschool Network!

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The Nevada Afterschool Network (NAN) provides opportunities, increases access, and promotes quality in out-of-school-time programs in Nevada. We are also committed to providing a structural network through the development of cooperative partnerships resulting in quality out-of-school time (OST) programs. This includes quality technical support, professional development, sustainable funding, and advocacy to promote



strong policy for out-of-school-time programs at the local, county, regional, and state levels.

Nevada Institute for Children's Research and Policy
University of Nevada, Las Vegas
During this time, we encourage all afterschool and OST programs to visit our website for virtual education resources and programming. Keep an eye out for online professional development opportunities about OST programs and summer learning in the coming months!

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