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Working Together To Improve Services To People With Mental Illness And Their Families



Wednesday, October 16, 2013

HEALING

FROM

WITHIN

**The Mental Health Challenges
of Today's Veterans**

Susan Mandel, PhD, President and CEO, Pacific Clinics
and Chief Jim Smith, Monterey Park Police Department

Invite you to attend the

22nd Annual

MILES (Mental Illness & Law Enforcement Systems) Conference

Hosted by Pacific Clinics

Healing from Within:

The Mental Health Challenges of Today's Veterans

Presented by: Everett Wong, MSW

Everett Wong, MSW, is a Readjustment Counselor at the Los Angeles Veterans Resource Center. Mr. Wong facilitates groups that address post traumatic stress disorder (PTSD) and co-occurring disorders among veterans from various wars including Iraq and Afghanistan.

Mr. Wong is a United States Marine Corps veteran that served in combat during Operation Desert Shield and Operation Desert Storm. Following his tour of duty, he earned his master's degree in social work from the University of Southern California with a concentration in Military Social Work and combat-related PTSD.

Mr. Wong has developed a veteran's transition program for community colleges. He also works with law enforcement agencies counseling personnel who are veterans in a special program offered at the Center.

Wednesday, October 16, 2013

7:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

**Los Angeles/San Gabriel Hilton
225 West Valley Boulevard
San Gabriel, CA 91776**

There is no charge to attend this conference
LIMITED SEATING, SO SIGN UP NOW!

Please reply by October 9

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MILES is a collaboration of Pacific Clinics, the San Gabriel Valley Police Chiefs' Association and the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department that works together to improve services to people living with mental illness and their families.

Healing from Within:

The Mental Health Challenges of Today's Veterans

7:00 a.m.

Registration and Breakfast

8:00 a.m. - 8:15 a.m.

Introductions and Welcome

- Chief Jim Smith, Monterey Park Police Dept.

8:15 a.m. - 8:30 a.m.

"Extra" MILES Recognition Awards Ceremony

- Chief Smith

- Officer Gregory Parker –

Los Angeles Police Department

- School Threat Assessment Response Team

(START) Program

8:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.

"Healing from Within: The Mental Health Challenges of Today's Veterans"

- Everett Wong, MSW

10:00 a.m. - 10:20 a.m.

Break – MILES Resource Center

10:20 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

"Healing from Within: The Mental Health Challenges of Today's Veterans"

- Everett Wong, MSW

11:30 a.m. - 11:45 a.m.

Voices of Veterans

11:45 a.m. - 11:50 a.m.

Q&A

11:50 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Closing Remarks

- Chief Smith

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