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El Camino College Compton Center to Host Mental Health Awareness Event April 27

El Camino College Compton Center, in collaboration with the County of Los Angeles Department of Mental Health, will host a Mental Health Awareness event on April 27 from 9:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Coordinated by the ECC Compton Center Special Resource Center, the complimentary event is open to members of the community, as well as students, faculty and staff. **Pre-Registration is required by April 25.**

Appropriately titled "Building Bridges through Education," the event will provide information to participants on mental health resources, services and programs, in addition, there will be booths set up by various community and county agencies. The event will also feature individualized breakout sessions on topics such as: navigating the mental health system, recognizing mental illness and how to communicate effectively, building student support clubs and bringing mental health services to campus, to name a few.

Those wishing to attend the Mental Health Awareness event must pre-register by Wednesday, April 25. Registration Forms are available at the Special Resource Center at ECC Compton Center, Building F, Room 10; or online at:

www.compton.edu/studentservices/supportservices/specialresourcecenter/index.aspx

For more information, call the Special Resource Center at 310-900-1600, Ext. 2402 or 2069.

About El Camino College Compton Center

El Camino College Compton Center is the community's education solution offering a full complement of transfer and degree courses, as well as career and technical education. Students may earn an associate degree or certificate, transfer to a four-year university or train for a career. El Camino College Compton Center is located at 1111 E. Artesia Boulevard, Compton, CA 90221.