

# *Diabetes + Latinos: A Community Forum*



Join the Latino Coalition for a Healthy California for Diabetes + Latinos: A Community Forum, a free community event in Pomona the evening of **Thursday, March 5th**. After successful forums last year in Fresno, Stockton, Berkeley, Santa Ana and Baldwin Park, we're back to spread the word about the type 2 diabetes epidemic in the Latino community. This forum is ideal for community members concerned about diabetes and healthy food access, promotoras /community health workers, teachers, parents, local leaders - all are welcome.

We're talking about an urgent issue: 1 in 2 Latino kids will get diabetes in their lifetimes unless things change. Learn why diabetes has become so common among Latinos, what California groups are doing to prevent it, and how you and your neighbors can join in.

The forum lasts from 6:00 PM to 7:30 PM, starts with dinner, and will be held in English and Spanish. Admission is **free**.

Thurs. March 5th: Pomona/Ontario  
Pomona Community Health Center at the Village  
1450 E. Holt Ave.  
Pomona, CA 91767

Register now at: <http://www.lchc.org/rsvpmaker/diabetes-latinos-community-forum-in-pomona-2015-3-5/>

## Community Forum Agenda

6:00 PM - Welcome + Dinner

6:10 PM - Presentation: Sugary Drinks, Diabetes + the Latino Community

6:40 PM - Activities + Discussion

7:00 PM - Gift Card Raffle

Special thanks to our local host, [the Pomona Community Health Center](#), and our outreach partners, [the Latino Health Collaborative](#), the [El Sol Neighborhood Educational Center](#), the [California Primary Care Association](#), and [the American Heart Association](#).