

**2<sup>nd</sup> Annual**  
**Black Youth Guidance Forum**  
*“Healthy Outcomes for Communities of Color”*

**FORUM DATE**

**Saturday, February 4, 2017**

**LOCATION**

University Student Union, Inc.  
California State University, Northridge  
18111 Nordhoff Street  
Northridge, CA 91330-8272



**WHO SHOULD ATTEND?**

Anyone who is interested in the health, well-being, and educational attainment of African American students and other students of color in PreK-12 grades, including but not limited to:

- High School Administrators
- Teachers
- College Administrators
- Faculty
- Support Staff
- Counselors
- All Students, including elementary, middle, high school, and post-secondary
- Nonprofit Organizations in Los Angeles County
- Business Community
- Health Advocates
- Parents
- Religious Institutions

**ABOUT THE FORUM**

The Black Youth Guidance Forum (BYGF) is a day-long leadership program for CSUN students in the Africana Studies Urban Studies option, credential candidates, and Liberal Studies majors. We will also include African American youth and other youth of color, school stakeholders (e.g. parents, teachers, counselors, administrators, and staff), and nonprofit organizations in Los Angeles County.

The BYGF serves:

1. to promote racial uplift, health & wellness, college preparation, and leadership development to our target population
2. to provide assistance and training in culturally relevant practices for preparatory students at CSUN and school stakeholders
3. to establish a college collaboratory (community partnerships) with nonprofit organizations for understanding and developing clear pathways for African American youth and other youth of color to enter post-secondary education

The BYGF provides participants with a unique opportunity to participate in educationally purposeful activities which include featured speakers, four instructional tracks (PreK-5 graders, 6-12 graders, Parent Advocacy, and Leadership), and the Nonprofit Resource & Health Advocacy fair.

The BYGF has been designed to accomplish the same educational mission as the DuBois-Hamer Institute for Academic Achievement at California State University, Northridge, which is:

To promote student success through community and campus partnerships. We cultivate active and collaborative partnerships with faculty, staff and students across the CSUN campus community; work with local groups and organizations in Los Angeles County; and provide service to cultural and educational institutions in the community ([www.csun.edu/dhiala](http://www.csun.edu/dhiala)).

For more information, contact Dr. Cedric Hackett, Director, DuBois Hamer Institute for Academic Achievement at [cedric.hackett@csun.edu](mailto:cedric.hackett@csun.edu) or by phone at 818-677-3311.

## **DUBOIS-HAMER INSTITUTE FOR ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT ([WWW.CSUN.EDU/DHIAA](http://WWW.CSUN.EDU/DHIAA))**

The DuBois-Hamer Institute for Academic Achievement (DHIAA), under the inspiration of W.E.B. DuBois and Fannie Lou Hamer, promotes academic excellence and strives to increase the recruitment and retention of students from economically disadvantaged communities to the CSUN campus. W.E.B. Du Bois was the first black man to receive a doctorate from Harvard University in 1895 and Fannie Lou Hamer was a former Mississippi sharecropper who became a powerful political activist in the 1960s. Founding director, Dr. Barbara Rhodes established the institute in the spring of 1997. Her vision of a university-community based partnership to provide academic and emotional support to CSUN students continues to be a strategic goal of DHIAA and the college of social & behavioral sciences.

Questions: If you have any questions, please email Dr. Cedric Hackett at [cedric.hackett@csun.edu](mailto:cedric.hackett@csun.edu). You may also reach us at 818-677-3311.

### ***PARKING:***

On campus Parking Permit Purchase (Daily fee is \$6.00). Parking on campus is open seven days a week, 24 hours-a-day, and is enforced. Parking permits are **required at all times** in all areas of campus. Parking permits must be properly displayed to avoid parking citations. To be valid, the parking permit must be affixed to the vehicle front inside windshield, lower corner, passenger side, while parked at CSUN.

1. All persons using CSUN parking facilities must park in a marked space within the designated parking area, and must display a valid permit appropriate for the space the vehicle is occupying.

2. Daily Parking Permits may be purchased in advance from our [Permit Store](#).

3. Daily Parking Permits may also be purchased once you arrive on campus from a parking permit dispenser or from one of the Information Booths. Both the parking permit dispensers and Information Booths accept cash and credit cards to purchase your daily parking permit. For your convenience, Visa and MasterCard are now accepted at all locations where daily parking permits are sold. Generally, at least one information booth is open between the hours of 7:00 a.m - 9:00 p.m. Sunday - Saturday.

**Information Booth #1**, located on Lindley Avenue off Nordhoff Street.

**Information Booth #2**, located on Prairie Street off Darby Avenue.

**Information Booth #3**, located on Prairie Street off Zelzah Avenue.

4. All valid dates are printed on the face of the permits.

## **ATTENTION NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATIONS, HEALTH SPECIALISTS, and OTHER AFFILIATES!!!**

**We are looking for vendors FOR OUR Health, Resource, and Advocacy Fair!!!**

Vendor tables/ booths at the Black Youth Guidance Forum will be open to attendees from 9:30am to 3:30pm, during lunch, as well as during sessions.

**Vendors may arrive as early as 7:30am to begin setting up and must be cleaned up by 4:30pm.**

**To be a Vendor, contact Dr. Cedric Hackett, Director, DuBois-Hamer Institute for Academic Achievement at 818-677-7155 or via email at [cedric.hackett@csun.edu](mailto:cedric.hackett@csun.edu).**

Cost to exhibit in the Health, Resource, and Advocacy Fair is a donation of \$50 per space. For donations, please visit the following link: <https://givetocsbs.csun.edu/>. Under donation information, please designate DuBois-Hamer Institute as the recipient.



1:10pm to 2:00pm

**BREAKOUT III**

Educational Track (K-5)

**Ms. Niki Mort, Orlando School District**

*Lake View Terrace (USU)*

Educational Track (6-12)

**Jude Paul, KidpreneurLife**

*Flintridge Room (USU)*

Parent Advocacy Track

**Aamina Hennings, DNA Generation**

*Pasadena Room (USU)*

Leadership Track for Teachers/ Administrators/ Counselors

**Shante Morgan, CSUCI**

*Burbank Room (USU)*

9:30am to 3:30pm

HEALTH, RESOURCE, & ADVOCACY FAIR

*Northridge Center (USU)*