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Dear Network members,

The future of LGBTQ+ healthcare is community care. From perinatal to specialists, all providers can use trauma-informed care to help heal the LGBTQ+ community. You can implement trauma-informed care into your own practice by taking a free, two-hour Becoming ACEs Aware in California Training. Medi-Cal offers a reimbursement per patient to providers who are ACEs Aware certified. Learn more about the reimbursement and the healing benefits of trauma-informed care, here: [Training.ACEsAware.org](https://www.training.acesaware.org). You can also learn more about LGBTQ ACEs on our new landing page [here](#).

Best,

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Getting involved is easy! Start by using your organization's social media channels to share the CA LGBTQ+ Health and Human Services Network social media posts. Use the following social media posts to educate your followers about the importance of ACEs screenings when treating LGBTQ+ patients and to motivate providers to take the free, two-hour Becoming ACEs Aware in California Training.

Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACEs) and

toxic stress represent a public health crisis, particularly in the LGBTQ+ community, that is only now beginning to be recognized by our healthcare system and society at large. Find out more about ACEs, screening and treatment here: [ACEsAware.org](https://www.acesaware.org) #OutAboutACEs #ACEsAware

[Download here](#)



Encourage others to spread the message about the importance of ACEs screenings because trauma-informed care can help heal the LGBTQ+ community. Download our [Community Partnership Toolkit](#) and share on your social media channels to promote the ACEs Aware Campaign.

To have your events or announcements listed on our newsletter, please email: awallner@health-access.org.



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