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NATIONAL ASIAN & PACIFIC ISLANDER HIV/AIDS AWARENESS DAY IS MAY 19

SACRAMENTO, CA — May 19 is National Asian and Pacific Islander HIV & AIDS Awareness Day. Between 2010 and 2016 the Asian population in the United States grew around 17%, four times as fast as the total US population. During the same period, in the 50 states and the District of Columbia, the number of Asians receiving an HIV diagnosis increased by 42%, driven primarily by an increase in HIV diagnoses among Asian gay and bisexual men. Asians, who make up 6% of the population, accounted for about 2% of HIV diagnoses in 2017 in the United States and dependent areas.^d

For over 19 years, Golden Rule Services has successfully provided a variety of award -winning HIV and STD education, prevention, risk reduction and other important services. Our mission is to reduce health, education, employment and criminal justice disparities within diverse and underserved communities through the provision of culturally competent programs and resources. GRS supports the Getting To Zero Strategy: a plan that strives to achieve zero HIV infections, zero AIDS deaths and zero HIV/AIDS stigma.

We encourage everyone to come out and get educated, get tested, get involved, and get treated around HIV/AIDS at our offices at 4433 Florin Road Suite 860, Sacramento, CA 95823. You do not need to make an appointment, although for faster service we do encourage you to call and schedule a time with us.