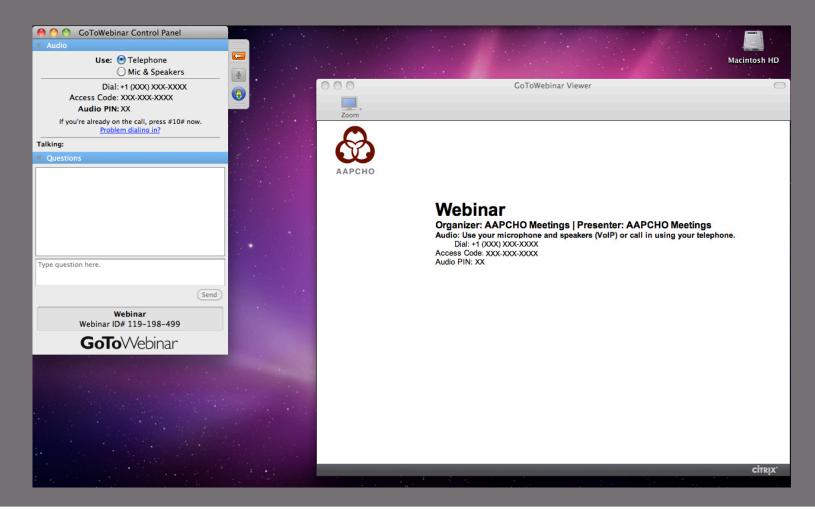




Civic Engagement Initiative Kick-Off January 28, 2015

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- Welcome
 - Sue Van, President & CEO, Wallace H. Coulter Foundation
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- Q&A



I Speaker





Sue Van President & CEO



What is Civic Engagement (CE)?

- Working to make a difference in the lives of our communities by cultivating the knowledge, skills, values, and motivation necessary to make that difference.
- Promoting the quality of life in our communities through political and nonpolitical processes.





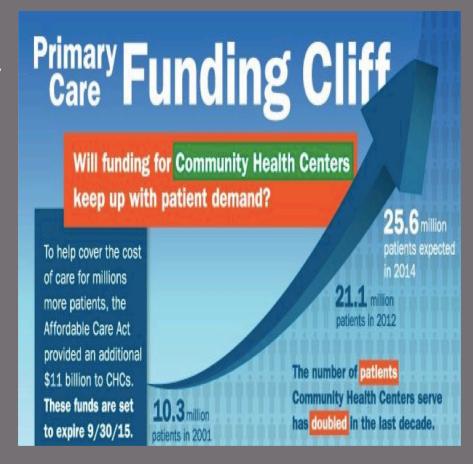
I CE Initiative Goals

- Cultivate and develop a comprehensive database of health center advocates to be leveraged for the ongoing support and sustainability of community health center funding (Cultivate list)
- Increase the capacity of member CHCs to offer patients and community members opportunities to become more civically engaged and informed.
- Establish a sustainable and scalable civic engagement model for member CHCs



What is at Stake?

- Primary Care Funding Cliff has placed the future of health center funding in jeopardy
- Preservation of existing Medicaid expansions
- Preserve National Health Service Corps and Teaching Health Center funding
- Existing and new resources are needed to address the unmet health needs of AANHOPIs





Key Activities: Partnership Development

- Participation in local civic engagement table (WA, Northern CA)
- Leverage state-based efforts with PCAs and local clinic consortium
- Engage in Get Out the Vote (GOTV) activities
- Collaborations for on-site trainings, visibility of voter resources, civic engagement opportunities

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Key Activities: Staff Education and Training

- Civic Engagement Coordinator (CEC) Designate
- Board commitment & engagement
- Incorporate use of AAPCHO's online voter registration tool
- AAPCHO Advocacy Action **Network!**



Enhance the culture of advocacy at your health center!



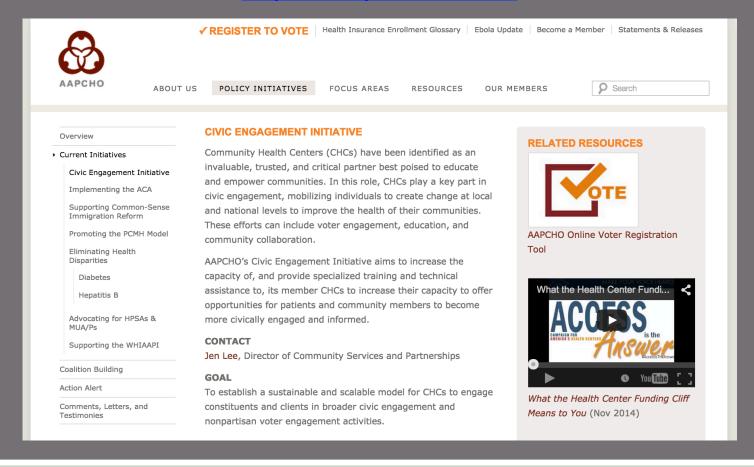
Key Activities: List Building and Data Management

- Build and cultivate base of engaged health center advocates (voters & advocates!)
- Integrate use of Rock the Vote's Online Voter Registration Tool
- Integrate use of onsite civic engagement tracking tools with the use of Salsa
- Reporting Requirements:
 - March 16, 2015
 - June 15, 2015
 - Sept 14, 2015
 - Dec 15, 2015 (final)



Resources: AAPCHO CE Web Page

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Resources: Other Materials

- Posters
- **USA.gov**
 - Voter registration information and state Registrar of Voter links
 - www.usa.gov/Citizen/Topics/ Voting/Register.shtml
- APIA Vote <u>www.apiavote.org</u>
- Non-Profit Vote www.nonprofitvote.com



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Resources: Expert Consultants

- Marc Wetherhorn, www.winningadvocacy.com
- George Pillsbury, Non-Profit Vote, www.nonprofitvote.org
- Fair Elections Legal Network www.fairelectionslegalnetwork.com
- State Voices www.statevoices.org
- Crossroads Campaigns www.crossroadscampaigns.com



I Key Dates

- FEBRUARY 4, 2015 (8:30a HST/11a PST/2p EST)
 - What: Salsa Database Training, Register at: http://bit.ly/1yNhZMS
 - Who: CECs
- FEBRUARY 25, 2015 (time TBD)
 - What: Reporting Requirements Webinar (NACHC report-back prep)
 - Who: CECs
- MARCH 17, Washington D.C.
 - What: NACHC P&I Civic Engagement Partners Convening
 - Who: CEOs/Executive Directors
- SAVE THE DATE: MAY 11-14, Washington, D.C.
 - What: CEC face-to-face meeting, WHIAAPI Summit
 - Who: CECs



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I Thank you!

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