

Memorandum

To: Gold Coast Health Plan Primary Care Providers

From: Chandra Schlee, BSN, RN, ACEs SME, Quality Improvement RN

Re: **Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACEs) Virtual Lecture Series**

Date: October 27, 2021

Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACEs) and toxic stress have been declared a public health crisis and Ventura County is taking action. Gold Coast Health Plan (GCHP) is pleased to share that ACEs Aware Ventura County is now hosting a 12-session series of lectures on the importance of screening, treating, and healing ACEs and toxic stress in a trauma- and culturally-informed manner. GCHP encourages you to share this series with your staff and colleagues as we work together to foster resilience and wellness for ourselves, our members, and our community.

[Click here](#) to register or for further details. There is no cost to attend.

ACEs Aware is an initiative led by the Office of the California Surgeon General and the state Department of Health Care Services (DHCS) to give Medi-Cal providers training, clinical protocols, and payment for screening children and adults for ACEs.

**All LIVE and on-demand trainings are available for CME credits, MOC Part II credits, AMA PRA Category I credits, and CE credits (must attend LIVE session) for LMFTs, LCSWs, LPCCs, LEPs, and Psychologists.*