



## GRATITUDE ♦ RESPECT ♦ LOVE



### Hard to Reach-Homeless Population: Be Flexible -- Compassion in Action

Tzu Chi worked with San Gabriel Valley Homeless Consortium to establish the relationship and provided flu clinic service at winter shelter sites from 7-10 p.m. twice per week. We had a total of 30 reach-outs of medical and dental services at 6 church sites.



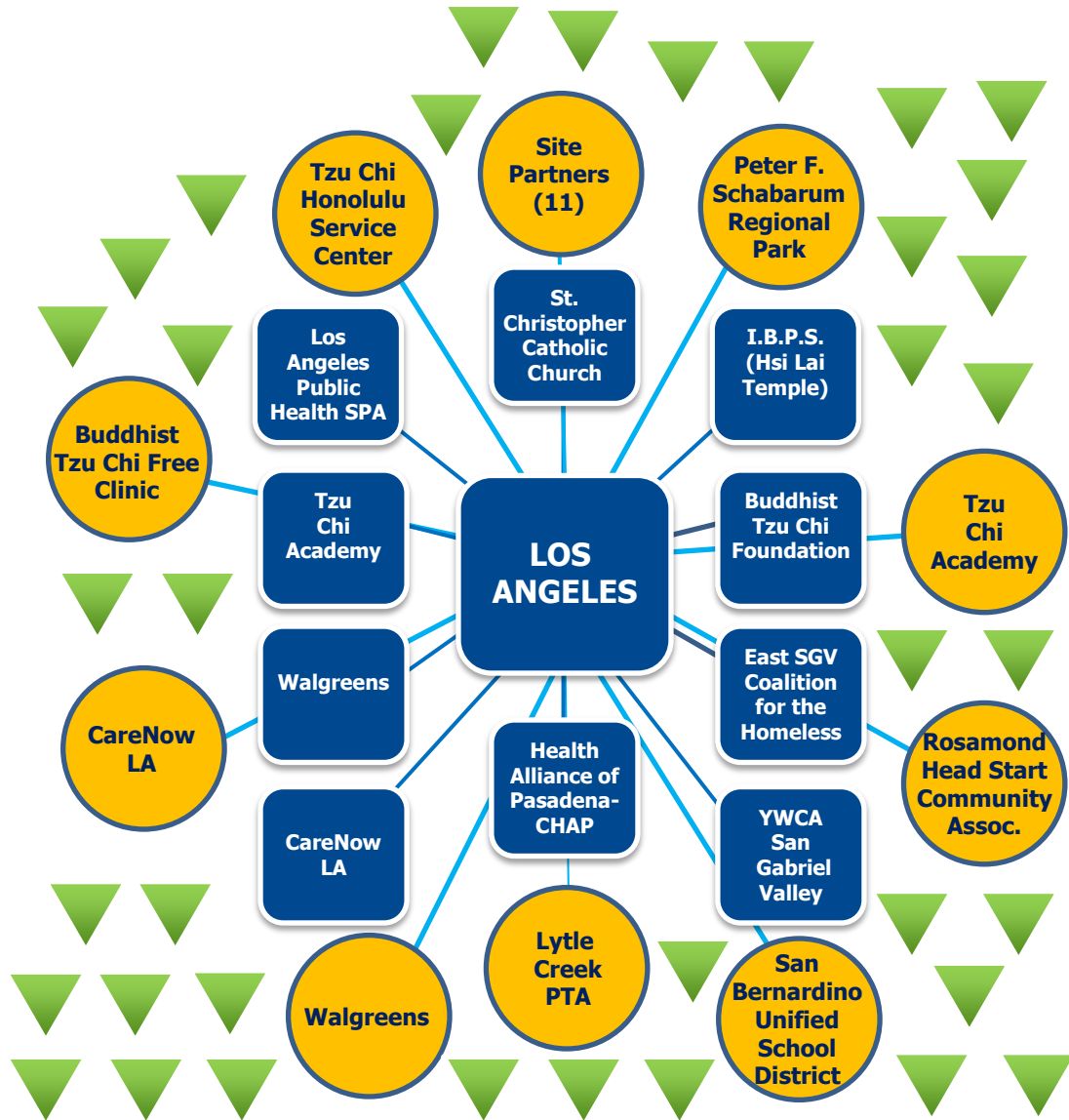
### Provide Service with Respect, Gratitude, and Love

One of our patients was a 46 year-old disabled and homeless male, who did not have regular access to basic hygiene needs and transportation. Though he had disability medical insurance, the lack of a means of transportation made it virtually impossible for him to get regular flu shots.

Walgreens Store Manager, Omar Elkabchi, approached the man without hesitation and provided him with a flu shot.

The patient was so happy and grateful after receiving the shot that he said, "Thank you blue angel!"





## VACCINATION REACH

- 26 vaccination events
- 4,589 persons vaccinated
  - Asian 49%
  - Hispanic 22%
  - Caucasian 20%
  - Other 9%
- Populations reached are uninsured, homeless, disabled, and migrant farm workers

## COMMUNITY PARTNERS

- 10 Core Partners
- 20 Vaccination Site Partners
  - 13 Faith-Based Organizations
  - 2 Service Providers
  - 5 School and Government Agencies
- ▲ 39 Educational Outreach Partners
  - 18 Faith-Based Organizations
  - 10 Community-Based Organizations
  - 6 Service Providers
  - 5 School and Government Agencies