## CLINICA ROMERO

Clinica Romero's first vaccinated patient

Oscar A

## COVID-19 IMPACT REPORT 2020-2021

March 2021

## THE IMPACT OF COVID-19 IN OUR COMMUNITY

Clinica Romero serves some of the Los Angeles neighborhoods hardest hit by the pandemic, as demonstrated by data from LA County's Department of Public (LADPH) Health COVID-19 Dashboard. Over the past year, LA County has recorded a total of 1,149,031 confirmed cases with a countywide positivity rate of 19.33%. Meanwhile, the area of Pico Union/Westlake has reported 14,551 confirmed cases with a positivity rate of 25.28% (this area is served by our Alvarado clinic) and the area of Boyle Heights/East LA has reported 41,776 confirmed cases with a positivity rate of 29.53% (this area is served by our Marengo clinic located across the street from the LAC +USC Hospital. Within the same timeframe, our clinics have tested 3,034 patients for COVID-19 with a positivity rate of 27.01% - almost 8 percentage points higher than the county rate and over 3.5 times California's positivity rate (6.99%). The resounding impact of the high positivity rate in the areas that we serve can be observed in the fact that over 30 of our staff members have been infected at some point in the past year and many other have been exposed.



CLINICA ROMERO HAS A 270/0 covid-19 positivity rate that is 3.8% the CA RATE

## OUR COVID RESPONSE BY THE NUMBERS



Over **31,900** Telehealth/Teledentistry visits delivered to patients

**21,000** community members provided COVID-19 outreach and education



**3,500** hot meals delivered to individuals experiencing homelessness and facing food insecurity



**4,300** individuals experiencing homelessness and street vendors provided PPE including masks, face shields, and hand sanitizers.



Over **950** food vouchers and cash aid assistance distributed to low-income immigrant families

#### COVID-19 VACCINE DOSES



Clinica Romero began its COVID-19 vaccination efforts on February 6, 2021 with just 100 doses. Through advocating for equitable distribution of the vaccine, we are now scheduled to receive over 2,000 vaccine doses per week!



## WE COULDN'T DO IT WITHOUT OUR PARTNERS

- Avance Academia Charter School
- CAL OES
- Chinatown Service Center
- Department of Public Health
- FEMA
- Koreatown Youth Community Center
- LAC + USC
- Msr. Oscar A. Romero Charter School
- New Economics for Women
- NDLON
- SALEF
- SALVA





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- LA County Supervisor Hilda Solis
- LA City Mayor Eric Garcetti
- LA City Council Member Gil Cedillo
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- Consulate of Honduras
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