

Dear Healthy Housing Colleague,

The California Healthy Housing Coalition welcomes your membership. Together we can increase the availability of healthy, safe, green and affordable housing throughout California, especially for low-income households. We are a diverse Coalition committed to the development of policies and practices that support healthy home environments for everyone in California.

The Coalition is composed of organizations and individuals engaged in the fields of public health, safety, housing advocacy, green building, community development, code enforcement, legal assistance and other fields. The first formal convening of the Coalition was held in February of 2010. A follow-up web meeting was convened on June 15, 2010.

The Coalition is building on the success of five local healthy housing summits held in Sacramento, Fresno, Los Angeles, San Diego and Alameda County, as well as a statewide symposium held in May and June of 2009. These meetings brought together approximately 300 stakeholders to identify key issues that could inspire interest and successfully impact healthy housing activities statewide. For more information about the coalition, its history, members and organizational principles contact Brandon Kitagawa at brandon@rampasthma.org, Linda Kite at lkite@healthyhomescollaborative.org, or Janet Tobacman at janet.tobacman@cdph.ca.gov.

We look forward to working with you.

Sincerely,

The CHHC Steering Committee (Provisional):

Brandon Kitagawa (Co-Chair) / Regional Asthma Management and Prevention Initiative; Linda Kite (Co-Chair) / Healthy Homes Collaborative; Shan Magnuson / American Lung Association in California – Sonoma County Asthma Coalition; Barbara Hairston and Linda Ramirez (Alternates) / Los Angeles County Lead and Healthy Homes Program; Dan Scannell and Janet Tobacman (Alternates) / California Dept. Public Health – Division of Environmental and Occupational Disease Control; Tom Ogren / Allergy Free Gardening; Alvaro Toledo / Rural Community Assistance Corporation; Maricela Foster / Alameda County Lead and Healthy Homes Program; Rebecca Morley (Technical Advisor) / National Center for Healthy Housing

MEMBERSHIP FORM

Thank you for joining the California Healthy Housing Coalition. Upon becoming a member, you are invited to attend all meetings; entitled to regular updates; able to access new resources; and, offered opportunities to participate in Coalition activities. The Coalition strongly urges all members to participate in at least one work group, attend coalition meetings, and share your ideas about the best ways to promote healthy housing principles, practices and policy.

To join, please complete the form below and return by email to: janet.tobacman@cdph.ca.gov .

1. I am joining (check one):

On behalf of an **organization**
(one vote per organization)

As an **individual**
(non-voting member)

2. Contact Information

Name of individual:			
Name of Organization:			
Job title:		e-mail:	
Mailing Address:		Phone:	

3. Areas of interest

(Check all that apply)

- Code Enforcement
- Community Development
- Green Building
- Property Management
- Tenants Rights
- Specific Health Issues:
- Other:

4. I would like to join the following work group:

- Code Enforcement Practice and Policy
- Healthy Housing Indicators and How to Track Them
- Green, Healthy and Affordable Housing

5. Today's date: _____