



# Coming Together to Prevent Preterm Births

**November 12, 2015**

**6:00 – 8:30pm**

Spring Valley Lake Country Club

13229 Spring Valley Parkway, Victorville, CA 92395

Please join us for an evening dedicated to discussion and information sharing about approaches to reduce preterm births in the High Desert.

Agenda	
<b>6:00-6:30pm</b>	Reception & Exhibits of High Desert Community Agencies
<b>6:30-7:00pm</b>	Dinner <i>Welcome and Introductions</i> Maxwell Ohikhuare, MD <i>Our Journey with a Preterm Baby</i> Destiny Wetzels, parent <i>Healthy Babies are Worth the Wait®</i> Marta Bills, MPH
<b>7:00-8:30pm</b>	Presentation and Town Hall Discussion <i>Community Problems Require a Community Solution: Solving Preterm Birth in the High Desert</i> Bryan Oshiro, MD

**Intended Audience:**  
Physicians, Nurses, Perinatal Health Professionals and Educators

**Objectives:**  
Participants will be able to:

- Discuss the impact of preterm birth, especially as it pertains to the High Desert
- Describe the Healthy Babies are Worth the Wait Community Program model
- Incorporate into practice evidence-based care protocols and new clinical strategies to reduce preterm birth in the High Desert

**Dinner and materials will be provided at this free event. Please RSVP by November 5th to Marta Bills at: [mbills@marchofdimes.org](mailto:mbills@marchofdimes.org) or (951) 892-7924.**

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