

Honoring the Life of Maria Luisa Limón

Your fellow promotores and the community you serve thank you, woman of unique presence, white hair, a beautiful flower behind your ear, and your passage through our lives. Always proud of your Mexican and Hawaiian roots, you knew how to merge your ancestors so masterfully to show us your art with authenticity: Hawaiian dance.

We will remember you making poetry with your hands, with perfect movements of the dance you took great pleasure in showing us your unique style and identity as a Community Instructor of the Circle of Bailoterapia, where you incorporated your art and forged a great family. We all danced with you with our two left feet and our clumsy hands. We will remember you as you showed yourself to everyone who knew you: optimistic about life, smiling and with clear ideas, dynamic, practical, perceptive and with attention to detail, creative, leader, mother and wife. We are grateful for your smile as well as your anger, your antics as well as your scolding, the hours we took coming to an agreement, the hours we enjoyed learning so that we could show others. We are grateful for your collaboration and your leadership, for always defending what you believed was just for all and necessary for your community. You were always guided by your promotora heart, that heart of giving, of contributing and of transforming. Thank you for being a team player, for always lending your special touch to each conference and to each event. Thank you for the conversations, adventures, the setbacks, everything that made you human, and what you shared as a promotora. We are all thankful to live, just like you were for sure, as promotores and to mark tracks when we depart, just as you left them. Footprints in the hearts of others, that guide, support and transform lives.

At our last annual conference, you told us this would be your last. But all of us who loved you know that this is not true: You will be there, as always on stage, guiding the dance, "God Bless America." Your sisters and brothers in the Network hope that your soul will find infinite light.



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MASKS HELP EVERYONE AROUND YOU.

Cloth face coverings can help slow the spread, including from people who may not know they have the virus.



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Institute of Promotores: Inspiring Personal and Community Transformation

We have started the first Institute of Promotores! This group of 21 women (pictured above) has set out to achieve their dreams and objectives and nothing can stop them. They are promotoras from Stanislaus, Santa Barbara, Los Angeles, San Bernardino, and Orange Counties. We started the sessions virtually on May 5, which has been both a challenge and an opportunity for learning and growth. We adapted the curriculum to an online platform without modifying it or removing the foundation of popular education, a fundamental part of the Institute. Another hallmark of our Institute is the mentoring component with 14 mentors (pictured below) selected by the Personal and Professional Development Committee. Every Tuesday this group of 21 active, enterprising and passionate women, meet from 9:00 am to 1:00 pm. Each session includes exploring personal reflections, writing emotions in their journals, sharing thoughts and concerns, and participating in exercises to get to know each other. Most importantly, they visualize their transformation process towards what promotores do: Promote the development of their communities. Please welcome these promotoras who through this training have started to transform not only their own lives but their communities as well.



Job Opportunities

Promotor Comunitario, Los Angeles

Administrative Assistant,
Santa Barbara County

Promotor Comunitario, Sacramento

Promotor Comunitario, San Francisco

Promotor Comunitario, Plumas, Humboldt,
El Dorado, San Benito and Shasta

Promotor Comunitario, Los Angeles County

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July

Events

For information about these events and more, visit our [events page](#).

ADVANCES AND RESPONSES TO COVID-19:

"Understanding Sexual Diversity to Prevent Discrimination in Our Community"

July 1 • 5:00–6:30pm

"Improving Relationships with Our Adolescents During Quarantine"

July 8 • 5:00–6:30pm

"How to Reduce Fears of Going Out in Public During the Pandemic"

July 15 • 5:00–6:30pm

"The Power of GIVING to Create Financial Harmony"

July 22 • 5:00–6:30pm

"Guilt or Responsibility: How Am I Responding to the Pandemic?"

July 22 • 5:00–6:30pm

LAS VEGAS REGIONAL COMMITTEE

"A Summer Without Soda" Campaign Update

July 18 • 10:00–11:30 am



COACHELLA REGIONAL COMMITTEE

"Menopause and Andropause"

July 25 • 10:00am–12:00pm

SAVE THE DATES FOR THESE VIRTUAL CONFERENCES:

SAN FERNANDO VALLEY REGIONAL COMMITTEE

6th Annual Regional Conference

August 15, 2020

ORANGE COUNTY REGIONAL COMMITTEE

"Promotores United More Than Ever"

September 25, 2020



18ª CONFERENCIA ANUAL
18th ANNUAL CONFERENCE

¡CONFERENCIA VIRTUAL! • WE ARE GOING VIRTUAL!

“Promotoras transformando familias y comunidades en esta nueva era”
“Promotoras Transforming Families and Communities in This New Era”

3 días de actividades
virtuales e interactivas

¡Las oportunidades
de aprender,
establecer contactos,
compartir y divertirse
con promotores de
todo el país!

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2020

3 days of virtual and
interactive activities

Opportunities to
learn, network, bond
and have fun with
promotores from
across the nation!

☀ FREE! • ¡GRATUITA! ☀



¡La inscripción
se abrirá en
agosto!

Registration
will open in
August!

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