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RIVERSIDE COUNTY OFFERS BEHAVIORAL HEALTH AND TRAUMA SUPPORT FOR THOSE IMPACTED BY THE LAS VEGAS MASS SHOOTING

RIVERSIDE COUNTY, CA – In response to the Las Vegas shooting, Riverside University Health System – Behavioral Health, will hold regional community debriefings at three locations for residents of Riverside County directly affected by Sunday’s tragedy. The debriefings are special meetings conducted by clinical therapists who will provide special intervention and resources to those impacted by the violence. The debriefings are scheduled for [Wednesday \(10/11\) from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.](#) Only those who attended the Las Vegas concert and those who know someone injured or killed will be admitted. Those who need support resources may also call the Riverside County **CARES Line: [\(800\) 706-7500](tel:800-706-7500)**.

“These debriefings provide a special opportunity to share experiences, learn coping skills and access resources for additional support that might be needed down the road,” said Steve Steinberg, director of RUHS Behavioral Health.

WHAT: Regional Community Debriefing for individuals directly impacted by the Las Vegas Shooting (Free).

WHO: RUHS clinical therapists to meet with individuals who attended the Las Vegas concert or know a person who was injured or killed

WHEN: [Wednesday \(Oct. 11\) between 6:30 p.m. and 8:30 p.m.](#)

WHERE: Western Riverside County Region
Rustin Conference Center
[2085 Rustin Ave.](#)

[Riverside, CA 92507](#)

Entrance 1

Mid Riverside County Region
Lake Elsinore Behavioral Health
[31764 Casino Dr., Ste. 300](#)
[Lake Elsinore, CA 92530](#)

Desert Eastern Riverside County Region
Indio Mental Health
Adult Services
[47-825 Oasis St.](#)
[Indio, CA 92201](#)

More information about coping is available through the federal Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration at <https://store.samhsa.gov/product/Coping-With-Grief-After-Community-Violence/SMA14-4>