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Calling All Community Health Workers: AgriSafe is Offering Free CEU's Through Nov. 1, 2025

Covington, LA – AgriSafe Network was recently awarded grant funding from the Network of the National Library of Medicine (NNLM) Region 3 of the National Institutes of Health to support training and Continuing Education Units (CEUs) for Community Health Workers (CHWs), Promotores de Salud, and Community Health Worker-Instructors (CHW-Is) across the U.S. through the November 1st. CHWs help to forge connections where people live, work, worship, and heal, promoting positive rural health outcomes through outreach, education, and support. AgriSafe is proud to offer education on topics not typically covered in CHW training programs, regarding agricultural health and safety.

The specific training topics AgriSafe is offering include:

- Mental Health in Agricultural Communities
- Suicide Prevention
- Personal Protective Equipment
- Heat-related illnesses
- Zoonotic Disease
- Sleep
- Vaccinations

CHW and CHW-I CEUs for these courses, created by AgriSafe, are available through collaboration with the University of Texas at Tyler Health Science Center, Center for Community & Rural Health Education. For additional information regarding the CEUs available or to sign up, please visit: https://www.agrisafe.org/courses/chw/. Some topics are not yet available but will be released soon. Learners who complete over 10 hours of CEUs will qualify for a digital badge to showcase their achievement.

Additionally, AgriSafe would like to hear from CHW's - if you are a CHW or in a similar role, please take this survey: https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/agrisafecommunityhealthworkersurvey. The survey is also available in Spanish: https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/agrisafeCHWsurveyspanish.

For media inquiries, please contact Laura Siegel, AgriSafe's Health Communications Officer, at lsiegel@agrisafe.org. If you have any questions or want to partner with us on our community health worker initiatives, please reach out to Dr. Tara Haskins, AgriSafe's Total Farmer Health Director, at thaskins@agrisafe.org.

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About AgriSafe Network

AgriSafe Network is a national 501©3 non-profit that educates health care professionals and agricultural communities about important health and safety information for those working in agriculture, fishing, and forestry. They bring together national experts to develop educational materials that can be delivered both digitally and in-person. Their mission is to protect the people who feed the world – and in addition to education, they are cultivating a network of trained agricultural health and safety professionals that understand and support Total Farmer Health®. For more information, visit their website, and follow them on Facebook, Twitter, or LinkedIn.