

Tulare County Office of Education

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Tulare County Office of Education Announces: Child Abuse & Neglect (C.A.N.) Program in Need of Volunteers

The Child Abuse & Neglect (C.A.N.) Prevention Program is seeking volunteers. Sponsored by Tulare County Office of Education, C.A.N. is a preventive program designed to help reduce the incidence of neglect, as well as physical, emotional, and sexual abuse. After receiving a total of 14 hours of training, volunteers will be asked to serve two to four hours per month. Volunteers will work in teams of two and speak from a prepared informational script to kindergarten and fifth-grade classes throughout Tulare County.

A C.A.N. informational meeting will be held Tuesday, September 23, from 1:00 p.m. until 3:00 p.m., at the Tulare County Office of Education's Doe Avenue Complex at 7000 Doe Avenue, Building 300. The next training classes are scheduled for October 15 and 17.

Anyone interested in volunteering or in need of more information may contact the School Health Programs office at (559) 651-0130.

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