

Department of Obstetrics & Gynecology
Santa Clara Valley Medical Center

XII Annual
Ob/Gyn Department
Domestic Violence Forum
2020

Thursday, October 8, 2020

**Honorable Judge Eugene M. Hyman (Ret.)
Superior Court of California**

Starting his career as a Police Officer in Santa Clara County, Judge Hyman retired as Judge of the Superior Court of California, County of Santa Clara. Judge Hyman has been a Lecturer in Law at the University of Santa Clara, and in Canada, Germany, Australia, and New Zealand. Judge Hyman's teaching included Domestic Violence Law, Community Property Law, and California Post Conviction Practice. Judge Hyman authored multiple publications related to Domestic Violence, including issues of Mental Health, Evidence, Causation, Response and Prevention. He presided over the first Juvenile Domestic Violence and Family Violence Court that received a United Nations Public Service Award in 2008.

Leigh Kimberg, MD

Dr. Leigh Kimberg is a Professor of Medicine at UCSF and the Program Director of the Program in Medical Education for the Urban Underserved (PRIME-US) in the UCSF School of Medicine. She has practiced primary care internal medicine in the safety net in San Francisco for three decades. Dr. Kimberg's professional interests focus upon promoting health equity and improving healthcare for under-resourced communities impacted by structural inequities through policy and advocacy, quality improvement, research, and medical education. She is particularly focused on ways to prevent and mitigate the effects of trauma, interpersonal violence (IPV) and structural violence on historically marginalized communities. Dr. Kimberg is the IPV Prevention Coordinator for the San Francisco Department of Public Health and directs a program called ARISE (Aspire to Re-Imagine Safety and Equity); ARISE aims to build and evaluate multi-sector university-healthcare-community partnerships to prevent and mitigate trauma, support resilience, and promote health equity and social justice. Dr. Kimberg serves on the Clinical Advisory Committee for CALQIC, the UCSF led state-wide demonstration project for ACEs Aware, an initiative of the CA Office of the Surgeon General. Through PRIME-US, Dr. Kimberg and the PRIME-US team strive to build an innovative medical education program to recruit, support, nurture and equip diverse medical students to become leaders in caring for under-resourced communities and promoting health equity and social justice.

Esther Peralez-Dieckmann, MPA

The Executive Director of Next Door Solutions to Domestic Violence, the oldest and largest provider of domestic violence services in Santa Clara County. Next Door Solutions was the second domestic violence agency established in California and the first bilingual shelter in the nation. Over a span of 25 years, Esther Peralez-Dieckmann's career has included work in the public, private and non-governmental sectors throughout the Southwestern U.S. She has coordinated workforce and community development efforts to address barriers to greater well-being and economic security. She has coordinated research studies to address violence against women with justice involved girls and the use of community health workers to provide education and awareness about domestic violence in under-served communities in Texas and has several publications on this work.

Event Schedule

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| 8:00 am | 2020 Domestic Violence Forum Introduction Liliana Hamlett, MD |
| 8:10 – 8:40 am | Honorable Judge Eugene M. Hyman Superior Court of California |
| 8:40 – 9:10 am | Leigh Kimberg, MD Medical Professor University of California San Francisco |
| 9:10 – 9:40 am | Esther Peralez-Dieckmann Executive Director Next Door Solutions to Domestic Violence |
| 9:40 – 10:00 am | Discussion |

EDUCATION OBJECTIVES

- Get acquainted with California Laws pertaining intimate partner violence. Make your documentation in medical records count.
- Become familiar with current efforts to prevent and mitigate the effects of interpersonal violence, specifically in communities impacted by structural inequities and racism.
- Get informed about the resources provided by the Santa Clara County's largest provider of domestic violence services.