



Community Action Partnership of Kern is committed to preparing its employee for the COVID-19 vaccine. Find out details about vaccine eligibility, safety and the benefits of the vaccine for individuals, families and our communities in today's CAPK in Action Newsletter. And check out an adorable story about a stinky garbage truck from our Broadway Head Start Center.



Stinky stuff is the Best

Book inspires creative kids

Children at the Broadway Head Start Center love "I Stink," a book about a garbage truck by Kate and Jim McMullen. The saucy trash-collector talks about the ABC's of garbage on his nightly rounds. Teachers at Broadway recognized a teachable moment and had students build their very own dump truck - using recycled materials. Kids learned about recycling and exercised their math, literature and artistic skills - all while having fun!

Visit the CAPK COVID-19
Page



Together we can end the pandemic.

Vaccines that can protect you from COVID-19 are now available in Kern County. Prepare yourself for your vaccination by clicking the button above and visiting the CAPK COVID-19 page to learn more about how the vaccines were developed, how they work and how they keep you safe. More information is available by visiting the Kern County Public Health website at the link below.

Visit the Kern County Public Health Vaccine Website



Teaming up for Healthy Living *CAPK's CalFresh team collaborates for clients*

The CAPK CalFresh Healthy Living team has developed the County Nutrition Action Plan (CNAP) coalition to help create a culture of health and well-being in Kern County. Now they're looking for you to get involved. Join the CAPK and partners Kern County Aging and Adult Services and the University of California Collaborative Extension to build a community focused on health and nutrition education by calling 661-439-3838. The next meeting is March 25. "My favorite part of CNAP is seeing new partners share their ideas on how we can best serve Kern County residents who are in need of assistance. I enjoy hearing partners make announcements and being able to coordinate our CalFresh Healthy Living efforts to reach SNAP-Ed eligible participants," said Health Educator Yesenia Fernandez.

