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AWBW's Trauma-informed Healing Arts Virtual Fall Event

**TICKETS NOW AVAILABLE!**

Join us for a unique home-based art experience:

**Home Is Where the Art Is**

**October 2nd-4th, 2020**

An interactive virtual weekend of celebration and transformation benefitting A Window Between Worlds

2020 has been an exceptional and challenging year — both individually and collectively.

With increased feelings of isolation and threats to our well-being, **AWBW's trauma-informed healing arts curriculum is needed now more than ever** by our over 500 Windows Facilitators offering art workshops to nearly 40,000 trauma survivors annually. Our transformative art workshops are also a helpful resource for all of us as we learn to cope with the current circumstances.

To address this need, we have created this special event that gives you, our community of supporters and your networks, the **opportunity to experience our art workshops on a deeper level** in the safety and comfort of your home while simultaneously supporting the growth and sustainability of the Windows Program.

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Your *Home Is Where the Art Is* experience includes:

- Three interactive art workshops under the guidance of seasoned Windows Facilitators
- A [Window of Resilience Box](#) full of art supplies and supportive sensory items
- Additional programming, including live music, awards, and an expert speaker
- Recorded videos of all virtual programming

For children under 12, we recommend our special "A Book About Me" so that they too can create art that shares their own stories, during the event or at any time.

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[Purchase Tickets](#)

*Proceeds benefit tens of thousands of survivors through the training and support of Windows Facilitators at over 250 partnering organizations across the country.*

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Join our Presenting Sponsor, Elisa Pearlman, in supporting this special event. Sponsorship benefits include Window of Resilience Boxes mailed directly to you, or to anyone of your choice nationwide.

[Sponsorship Opportunities](#)

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Know someone who may benefit from the transformative power of art during these difficult times? Forward this email or pass along the link [awbw.org/artathome](http://awbw.org/artathome) to share about this unique experience. Window of Resilience Boxes can also be gifted and mailed to anywhere in the US.

## [Live & Learn, Inc.](#) is hiring a Research Assistant

*Please share this announcement with interested candidates in California.*

[Now Hiring: Research Assistant](#)

[View this job on Idealist.org](#)

[Live & Learn, Inc.](#) is hiring a Research Assistant to support the company with policy-relevant public behavioral health research, evaluation, and technical assistance projects. Research Assistants work remotely for anywhere between 20-40 hours per week and are compensated hourly. Live & Learn, Inc. offers benefits such as home office reimbursement, health premium reimbursement, health savings account contributions, paid time off, and a flexible schedule. We are open to the right person working part-time or full-time.

Live & Learn specializes in the inclusion of those who have personally struggled with their mental health in our research and consulting projects. Live & Learn generates revenue from research and development grants, technical assistance contracts, and consulting. We are passionate about collaboration and partnership among practitioners, advocates, and researchers to promote public health and welfare. [Read about our current and past projects.](#)

*We are currently looking for someone who can also assist with light administrative and operations duties.*

### DUTIES:

- Assist on data collection, analysis, and reporting of research and technical assistance projects.
- Conduct literature searches and reviews current events in the health field.
- Write reports and other materials for public dissemination.
- Work virtually with multidisciplinary social science researchers to conduct research projects.
- Create tables, figures, and charts for presentations and publications.

- Become familiar with project-specific research content and study aims.
- Communicate clearly and effectively with scientists, activists, and policymakers.
- Participate in organizational development and compliance with support from executive staff.
- Maintain websites using SquareSpace (content updates, affiliate directories, graphics, etc.).
- Create newsletters and social media posts to share with Live & Learn constituents.

#### REQUIRED:

- Residing and working in California.
- First-hand or academic knowledge of peer support and alternative approaches to mental health.
- Meet deadlines, communicate challenges, attend meetings to collectively advance project objectives.
- Proficient in Microsoft Office (Word, Excel, Power Point).
- Working knowledge of, or commitment to learning, industry-specific software, such as Qualtrics (survey software), Endnote (reference software), Google Scholar (academic literature).
- Ability to get along with others who have different perspectives and sources of knowledge.
- Excellent writing skills.
- Motivated by deadlines and opportunities to problem-solve.

#### PREFERRED:

- Living in San Luis Obispo County, or elsewhere near the Central Coast of California.
- History of a disability and/or personal experience with mental health services is an asset.
- We are particularly interested in individuals who can substantively contribute to projects based on their knowledge of the experiences of diverse racial/ethnic, cultural, and gender identities.
- BA/BS in public health, sociology, social work, or other social science discipline.
- Commitment to honest, direct communication, and public service.

Please send a one page cover letter and your resume/CV to [contact@LiveLearnInc.net](mailto:contact@LiveLearnInc.net) by August 30, 2020.

Position to start in September or October 2020.

[View this announcement on our website](#)

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## New funding opportunity: Equity in parks and green spaces



City parks and green spaces play a vital role in the social, economic, and physical well being of America's cities and their residents. Research shows that a lack of green space—specifically trees—can impact academic performance, crime rates, personal health and even increased illness and death from extreme heat and poor air quality. Yet many low-income communities and communities of color are left without access to quality parks.

RWJF is interested in funding an organization or a collaboration of up to three organizations to develop an initiative that will work to increase equitable access to parks and green spaces through influencing policy and systems change, particularly in small and midsize cities.

Up to \$400,000 is available for this planning grant with the expectation that the recipients will apply for a larger implementation grant. Do you think you could be a part of this important work?

[Learn more about eligibility and selection criteria >](#)

SHARE:    

## Invitation to Apply: Ending the HIV Epidemic Steering Committee

*Sent on behalf of Julie Tolentino*

attachments:

[EHE-Infographic-Strategies-Final.pdf](#)

[EHE-SteeringCommitteeRolesResponsibilities-Final.pdf](#)

Good afternoon,

The Los Angeles County Department of Public Health, Division of HIV and STD Programs (DHSP) is seeking members to serve on the county-wide Ending the HIV Epidemic (EHE) Steering Committee. [Ending the HIV Epidemic](#) is a five-year federal initiative focused on four key pillars: (1) diagnose people with HIV as early as possible, (2) treat people with HIV rapidly and effectively, (3) prevent new HIV transmissions, and (4) respond quickly to HIV outbreaks.

The Steering Committee will advise and collaborate with DHSP on the implementation of local HIV-related strategies and will incorporate a broad range of perspectives from evidence-based programming, community organizing, public health, epidemiology, to health care delivery and financing, and alternate health care delivery models (e.g. street medicine), among other areas. Attached you will find a summary of the roles and responsibilities of Steering Committee members as well as a snapshot of EHE strategies we hope to advance.

We are looking for new voices and partnerships across sectors that will be able to take our existing HIV prevention and care efforts to the next level as well as emphasize the health equity and social justice perspective. Please note, you do not need HIV experience to be considered. If you are interested, please apply through the SurveyMonkey link below and/or feel free to share widely. Should you have any questions, please email [EHEInitiative@ph.lacounty.gov](mailto:EHEInitiative@ph.lacounty.gov).

**TO APPLY visit:** <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/EHEapplication>

Applications must be received by **Friday, August 14, 2020**. Selected candidates will be notified in early September.

Thank you on behalf of the Division of HIV and STD Programs. We look forward to ending the HIV epidemic, once and for all.