



## News Release

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### **Molina Healthcare of California and Reach Out Provide Jurupa Valley Families with Groceries During Coronavirus Pandemic**

**Jurupa Valley, Calif., May 11, 2020** –Molina Healthcare of California (“Molina”) recently partnered with local nonprofit, Reach Out, to provide groceries to their clients in need during the coronavirus pandemic. As a result, 50 families received bags full of nutritious non-perishable foods to stock their pantries, gift cards for future purchases of food, clothing, educational resources and activities for children at home. The giveaways were provided to families through curbside pick-up to practice safe social distancing. Molina and Reach Out will host another event to support more families on May 13.

“We were thrilled to support Reach Out and their continued efforts giving back to the community,” said Ruthy Argumedo, associate vice president of community engagement at Molina Healthcare of California. “It was so special to distribute the groceries and see the appreciation from local families, many of whom are struggling financially during these difficult times. We look forward to our next event with Reach Out to provide even more families in need with necessities.”

“Reach Out’s commitment to families in need has never been stronger,” said Diana Fox, executive director of Reach Out. “This unparalleled time is putting too much pressure on families that have no resources to fall back on. Understanding that, we know that partnerships are crucial to reaching those most in need, and whether it’s recruiting resource providers or reaching the hardest-hit families, Reach Out is working across traditional boundaries to get resources out right now.”

Reach Out is a nonprofit that offers an array of programs to improve the health and well-being of thousands of individuals. They offer education and support programs around parenting, substance abuse, youth development, health cities, community coalitions and valuable training and development opportunities.



*Molina's Community Engagement distributed bags of groceries to Reach Out's clients during the coronavirus pandemic. Each bag included non-perishable pantry essentials to help families access food during the difficult time.*



*Each bag distributed by Molina to Reach Out families included non-perishable food items such as fruits, vegetables, pasta, cereal and other essentials. Molina also provided resource information and a Frisbee and jump rope for children to use during the California Safe at Home order.*

### **About Molina Healthcare of California**

Molina Healthcare of California has been providing government-funded care for low-income individuals for over 35 years. Molina's mission has always been to provide quality health care to people receiving government assistance. As of December 31, 2019, the company serves approximately 565,000 members through Medi-Cal, Medicare, Medicare-Medicaid (Duals) and Covered California (Marketplace). Molina's service areas include Sacramento, Los Angeles, San Bernardino, Riverside, San Diego, Orange County and Imperial counties. For more information, visit [MolinaHealthcare.com](http://MolinaHealthcare.com) and connect with us on Facebook, Twitter, Instagram and YouTube.

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