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Entre Amigas Support Group Annual Report 2021-2022

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Project Name: ENTRE AMIGAS
Total Project Budget: \$15,000
Program Goals:
Goal 1: Provide community-based services to women who don't qualify for existing services
Goal 2: Reduce stigma surrounding behavioral health issues and treatment
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Goal 3: Increase awareness of behavioral health needs and services

Number of Participants served for this year: 48 Hispanic/Latino women- Ages between 18 to 82 years.

Community collaboration and partnership:

Women's Behavioral Health Initiative, Nogales Community Development, "Nogales Little Mercado", Mexican Consulate, Mariposa Community Health Center, ZONTA Club, Pinal Hispanic Council, Literacy Volunteers of Santa Cruz County-ESL Classes.

	Number of	Referrals	Outcomes
	Participants		
Support Group attendance report by			
date:			
January 2021	12		
February 2021	19		
March 2021	35		
April 2021	22		
May 2021	28		
June 2021	31		
July 2021	28		
August 2021	38		
September 2021	47		
October 2021	87		
November 2021	88		
December 2021	38		
Monthly workshops attendance report			
by month (Emotional intelligence,			
finances, health, literacy, etc)			
Conectando con tus emociones – March,	17		
2021			
Emociones en tiempos de COVID- March,	17		
2021.			
Story Telling workshop – March 2021	21		
Immigration Law - April, 2021	7		
Alzheimer information- April 2021	21		
Crianza con Cariño – April to June 2021			
(6 weeks course)	86		
Financial workshop - June 2021	13		
Menopause July, 2021	28		
Emotional intelligence- July 2021	15		
Housing workshop September 2021	30		
Domestic Violence October to November			
2021 (7 weeks course)	175		
RX 360- opioid information December	38		
2021			

Assessment's Outcomes & Referrals

Participants in need of medical care and/or insurance	31% of the 48 participants do not have a medical home or do not have health insurance	<u>15</u> referred to Arizona health System (AHCCCS) and / or MCHC	9 qualified for a medical home/insurnce 3 Referrals are in process 1 declined services 2 did not qualified
Participants in need of housing, education or employment programs.	<u>90%</u> of the 48 participants scored high on "The Needs assessment" for one or more of the following criteria.		
	Housing43_	<u>8</u> – referred to Nogales Housing Authority or Chicanos por la Causa	Ensured affordable Housing _1 <u>3</u> - Referrals in Process _14 Referrals Declined <u>8</u>
	Education- <u>22</u>	<u>22</u> - referred to computer, English classes or work stop center	Education <u>18</u> - Declined <u>4</u> - Completed- 18
	Employment- _12_	<u>12</u> - Santa Cruz One Stop Workforce Center, El Dorado employment services, NCD- Small Business Preparation	Full time employment <u>3</u> Part time employment 1_ Small Business/Self Employment <u>6</u> Declined <u>2</u>