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**Alzheimer's Los Angeles Launches
"Advances in Alzheimer's Research" Educational Event Series
Free events bring cutting-edge research and culturally and linguistically competent
programming to communities across Los Angeles**

LOS ANGELES, CA (July 17, 2025) — Alzheimer's Los Angeles is proud to announce the 2025 *Advances in Alzheimer's Research* event series, a trio of free educational programs designed to connect community members with the latest in Alzheimer's disease research, prevention, and treatment. Each event is tailored to reflect the unique ways different communities access health information—through culturally and linguistically competent programming rooted in trust and respect.

The 2025 event schedule includes:

- **Saturday, September 13, 2025** – *Skirball Cultural Center, West Los Angeles*
- **Friday, September 26, 2025** – *Wedgewood Rio Hondo, Downey*
 - Program presented in **Spanish** with **English translation available upon request**
- **Saturday, October 4, 2025** – *California State University, Dominguez Hills*
 - Program designed with and for the **Black/African American community**

Each event will feature expert presentations, panel discussions, health screenings, and access to local support services. Topics will include advances in clinical trials, early detection, risk reduction, and resources for caregivers.

Direct community engagement is vital for bridging the gap between cutting-edge research and the communities that are often most impacted but least represented. It's not just about sharing knowledge—it's about building trust and ensuring that care and information are accessible, relevant, and respectful.

Advances in Alzheimer's Research is made possible through the generous support of **Eisai** and **Eli Lilly & Company**, two leading organizations in the fight against Alzheimer's disease whose commitment to equity in care and access to research is helping transform lives.

Alzheimer's Los Angeles is grateful to the series' distinguished **Advisory Council** for their guidance and expertise:

- **Dr. Helena Chui**, Keck School of Medicine, USC
- **Dr. Dung Trinh**, Irvine Clinical Research
- **Dr. Zaldy Tan**, Cedars-Sinai Medical Center
- **Dr. David Reuben**, UCLA Alzheimer's and Dementia Care Program

"Everyone deserves access to the latest information, resources, and support—no matter what language they speak, where they live, or how they identify," said **Heather Cooper Ortner**, President and CEO of Alzheimer's Los Angeles. "We are proud to offer this series in close collaboration with trusted experts and community partners who reflect the communities we serve."

All events are **free and open to the public**. Advance registration is required. For more information and to RSVP, visit AlzheimersLA.org/Research.

About Alzheimer's Los Angeles

Alzheimer's Los Angeles has been serving families for over 40 years throughout Los Angeles County. We provide free care and support, education, advocacy, and connect people to the latest research—empowering all communities to face Alzheimer's with dignity and hope.

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