



WASHINGTON HEIGHTS / INWOOD GENE PROJECT COALITION

The Genetics Education Needs Evaluation (GENE) Project is a five-year venture to investigate and improve access to genetics information. Launched in June 2000, it is managed by the March of Dimes under a cooperative agreement with the Maternal and Child Health Bureau of the Health Resources and Services Administration. The long-range vision of the GENE Project is to create a network in Washington Heights and Inwood. This network will develop culturally appropriate human genetic information that will assist individuals and groups in getting information and making informed choices about health.

Next Meeting: Tuesday, April 29, 2003

1-3 PM

**Alianza Dominicana
2410 Amsterdam Ave. (and 180th St.)
3rd Floor Conference Room**

Lunch will be provided.

You should come to this meeting if:

You work with children

You have a business in Washington Heights/Inwood

You run a community based organization

You work with families with inherited medical conditions (i.e. diabetes)

Visit http://www.groups.yahoo.com/group/gene_coalition/ for more information.

Washington Heights/Inwood GENE Project Coalition Members

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RESPONSE FORM

Name _____

Organization _____

Address _____

Telephone # _____

Fax # _____

E-Mail _____

Please check one:

YES. I am attending this meeting.

NO. I am not able to attend this meeting but am interested in the GENE Project and would like more information.

NO. I am not able to attend this meeting but am sending the following representative from my organization:

Name: _____ **Title:** _____

NO. Thank you for your invitation, but I am not available or interested in the GENE Project at this time. Please remove me from your mailing list.

**Please fax or email your response to:
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