



**MEDIA ALERT:**

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## Inland Empire Utilities Agency Hosts Blood Drive

**Inland Empire, CA** – The Inland Empire Utilities Agency (IEUA) and LifeStream will be hosting a blood drive on Wednesday, September 28, 2016 from 8:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. at IEUA's Headquarters located at 6075 Kimball Avenue, Building B, Chino.

Blood donations are used everyday for surgery patients, cancer patients, accident victims, bone marrow recipients, burn patients and organ transplant recipients. One in seven people will need a blood transfusion sometime in their lifetime. One donation can save several lives.

The public is invited to donate and help save lives. Donors must be at least 17 years of age, should be in good health, drink plenty of water before donating, bring photo identification, and weigh at least 110 pounds.

- ❖ Free cholesterol check
- ❖ Free iron level check
- ❖ Free blood pressure check
- ❖ Snacks and juice will be provided

What: Blood Drive

Where: Inland Empire Utilities Agency, 6075 Kimball Avenue (Building B, Event Room), Chino 91708

When: 8:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Walk-ins are welcome, but appointments are strongly encouraged and will receive priority. Contact Michelle O'Brien at (909) 993-1741 or [mobrien@ieua.org](mailto:mobrien@ieua.org) to schedule an appointment.

*LifeStream is a private, not-for-profit, 501(c) (3) comprehensive blood center serving more than 80 medical facilities in Southern California. Based on the need for a readily available blood supply, LifeStream was established by the medical societies of San Bernardino and Riverside counties and has been helping to save lives by connecting donors and patients through the gift of blood since June 19, 1951.*

*The Inland Empire Utilities Agency covers 242-square miles, distributes imported water, provides industrial/municipal wastewater collection and treatment services, and other related utility services to more than 870,000 people through its member agencies which include Chino, Chino Hills, Cucamonga Valley Water District, Fontana, Fontana Water Company, Montclair, Monte Vista Water District, Ontario, and Upland.*

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