

VALLEY FEVER AMBASSADOR NEWS

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Valley Fever Walk | March 7 | Riverwalk | 9 AM



<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/2026-valley-fever-walk-caminata-por-la-fiebre-del-valle-tickets-1980483416211?msocid=0719202704e661460d7f33ee0574609e>

Here is your opportunity to join us as we raise awareness, provide education, and offer support to those affected by Valley Fever. This family-friendly event is brought to you by the Valley Fever Institute at Kern Medical. Make sure to register and bring your friends, family, and pets!

Faces of Valley Fever

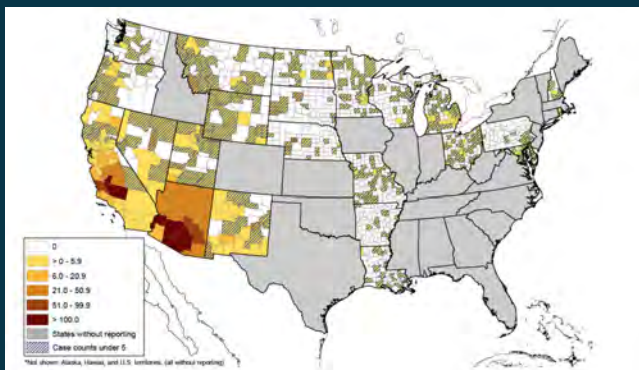
Valley Fever Americas Foundation's mission is to promote awareness of and to support research on Valley Fever and the fungus that causes it. Read more about Valley Fever Americas Foundation's history and goals on the fight against Valley Fever.

<https://www.kernpublichealth.com/healthy-community/illness-disease/valley-fever/faces-of-valley-fever>



Did You KNOW?

Although Valley Fever is endemic in Kern County, it can also be found in other parts of the United States. Cases have been reported in the Southwestern states including but not limited to; Arizona, Utah, New Mexico, and Nevada. Reports have even been made in parts of Washington!



**MYTH
OR
FACT?**

Pets can get Valley Fever.



A person can get Valley Fever from being exposed to pesticides.



I was born in the Central Valley, so I am immune to Valley Fever.

