



Featuring

Jerry Tello

“Our Promise, Our Future: Merced County Children’s Bill of Rights”

Jerry Tello is the co-founder of the National Compadres Network and the Director of the National Latino Fatherhood and Family Institute. He is an internationally recognized expert in the areas of family strengthening, community mobilization and culturally based violence prevention/intervention issues. He has extensive experience in the treatment of victims and perpetrators of abuse and in addictive behaviors, with a specialization in working with multi-ethnic populations. Mr. Tello has authored a series of children’s books, numerous curriculums, and is the co-editor of Family Violence and Men of Color as well as a recipient of the Presidential Crime Victims Service award and Rotary International’s Ambassador of Peace award.

March 23, 2010

10:00am-3:00pm

Welcome & Introduction

*“Our Promise, Our Future:
Merced County Children’s Bill of
Rights*

**Lunch & Special
Recognition**

**Keynote Presentation
*Jerry Tello***

Director, National Latino
Fatherhood and Family
Institute

Small Group Discussions

Adjournment

THE CHILDREN’S BILL OF RIGHTS is an explicit statement of the priority that Merced County places on caring for its children. It is our proclamation of the rights we believe all young people should have in order to grow and develop optimally. It is **Our Promise, Our Future.**