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Worksite Labs Statement on Barriers to COVID-19 Care

LOS ANGELES, CA – Sept. 13, 2021 – The US Department of [Health and Human Services \(HHS\)](#) released a [study](#) today that highlights barriers to COVID-19 vaccinations, such as time, transportation, cost, and clinic or vaccine site location. It provided examples of best practices, such as partnering with local churches and trusted community leaders—a strategy already implemented by [Worksite Labs](#).

[Gary Frazier](#), a Black healthcare entrepreneur and CEO of Worksite Labs, has been forging partnerships between churches and his company to provide our country's most vulnerable populations with high-quality care and protection from COVID-19. He opened free clinics in Black and Latinx neighborhoods in Brooklyn and South Los Angeles in [month and month, respectively] that provide bilingual COVID-19 education and healthcare services. Worksite Labs provides the community centers with gold standard PCR testing with results guaranteed in 24-hours by utilizing innovative onsite labs.

"It is vital that the healthcare industry grows beyond its traditional practices to provide COVID-19 care to all. Labs need to physically move to the places where people need fast and accurate test results," stated Frazier. *"Growing up in Compton, I saw firsthand the barriers to healthcare faced by vulnerable populations and am committed to addressing the challenges head-on through collaboration with community leaders."*

Worksite Labs also offers COVID-19 vaccinations at its South Los Angeles community center location and provides bilingual COVID-19 education. Approximately 44% of the unvaccinated population may be willing to get vaccinated against COVID-19, according to a [HHS brief issued in August 2021](#).

[LINK: Learn more about the Brooklyn community center]

[LINK: Learn more about the South Los Angeles community center]

About Worksite Labs

Worksite Labs brings certified COVID-19 testing labs to convenient locations, guaranteeing gold-standard PCR testing with results in as little as 90 minutes. The California-based company has locations across the U.S., including Los Angeles, Atlanta, Austin, Las Vegas, New York, San Francisco and Seattle, and at airports with international service.

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