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Calling all HIV/AIDS prevention and care service providers!

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Free community-based organizational HIV/AIDS training sponsored by the *National Minority AIDS Council*. Enhance your skills through the following KIC Regional Training workshops:

- Board Development
- Fiscal Management
- Grant Writing
- HIV Treatment Update
- Surviving the Audit
- Why MEdia?
- Community Planning Leadership Orientation Training
- Increasing Participation of Vulnerable and Underserved Populations in Planning: Ryan White CARE Act Amendments of 2000

These training sessions are designed to accommodate your busy schedule, offering you a choice of attending from one day of training to all five days of the program.

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National G/L Chamber's new core programs

WASHINGTON, DC — The National Gay & Lesbian Chamber of Commerce announced its four main programs.

"We feel the chamber's four anchor programs will give prospective members the benefits they want and deserve," said NGLCC co-founder Chance Mitchell. "These programs represent the NGLCC's one year journey from the drawing table to becoming the community's only national organization expressly dedicated to gay and lesbian business," said co-founder Justin Nelson.

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Diversity Development, Procurement Program

The program will ensure gay and lesbian owned businesses have increased opportunities for procurement contracts with Corporate America. Working with corporations and their diversity supplier managers, NGLCC will serve as the only certifying organization for the purposes of procurement contract opportunities. The NGLCC and the DPPP will be the main bridge between Corporate America and gay and lesbian owned businesses and entrepreneurs.

Financial Services Partnership Program

The Financial Services Partnership Program was designed to give NGLCC members access to capital to start or grow their businesses. The NGLCC and its financial corporate partners recognize the strength and importance of a diverse business community and are committed to cultivating resources to ensure NGLCC members are able to meet their financial growth needs.

General Membership Benefits

General membership benefits comprise the third component of the NGLCC. From business and service discounts, including group purchasing power for health and business insurance, to regional conferences and seminars, a quarterly magazine, public and private sector advocacy, and nation-wide networking opportunities, the NGLCC is working to provide businesses with the tools they need to continue to grow and be successful.

Workplace Diversity, Opportunity Initiative

The NGLCC is dedicated to ridding the workplace of discrimination and increasing opportunities for gays and lesbians in the workplace, including obtaining domestic partnership benefits. The Chamber will work to facilitate business transactions among members and corporate partners, offer education and assistance, work with other state, local and national groups, and provide a venue to seek legal advice. Additionally, the NGLCC will aggressively support legislation at the federal, state and local levels banning discrimination in the workplace.

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