Press Release: Violence Prevention Coordinating Council Hosting Gun Violence Prevention & Mental Health Workshop

PARK FOREST – On Saturday, April 13, 2024, Kingdom Church International, which is the south suburban lead agency for the Violence Prevention Coordinating Council, is hosting a Gun Violence Prevention & Mental Health Workshop.

"It is important to give members of the community the tools and knowledge to prevent gun violence and take care of their mental health," said Tiffany Lyles-Williams of *In Tandem Workforce, Inc.* "This event is for the entire community, including residents, business leaders, government officials, those in education and everyone in between."

The event will run from 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM on April 13 and will be held at the Empowerment Center, 202 Forest Boulevard in Park Forest (across from the Park Forest Police Department). It will feature workshops on gun violence prevention, domestic violence prevention, mental health, and youth empowerment. It is free to attend, free lunch is provided and free resources will be available, including gun locks. Registration is not required, but only those registered are guaranteed lunch and other free items. Registration is online at www.trykci.org/vpcc-workshop.

For more information contact (708) 252-3648 or email info@trykci.org.

WHO: Local residents and community leaders
WHAT: Gun Violence Prevention & Mental Health Workshop
WHEN: Saturday, April 13; 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM
WHERE: 202 Forest Blvd, Park Forest, IL

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