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**GOUVÈNÈ CUOMO PIBLIYE LÈT BAY SEKRETÈ SÈVIS SANTE AK SÈVIS
SOSYAL LA K AP MANDE EKITE AK DISTRIBISYON RAPID NAN PWOGRAM
VAKSINASYON COVID-19 LA**

Jodi a, Gouvènè Andrew M. Cuomo ak yon kowalisyon gwoup te pibliye yon lèt yo voye bay Sekretè Depatman Sante ak Sèvis Sosyal (Department of Health and Human Services, DHHS) la Alex Azar pou mande yon pwogram vaksinasyon federal ki jis epi ekitab. Pwogram distribisyon federal aktyèl la toujou rete konsantre sou yon plan distribisyon malavize ki inyore kominote Nwa, Mawon, Azyatik ak kominote pòv yo. Anba lidèchip Gouvènè Cuomo, New York ap goumen pou modifye plan an pou angaje lidè kominotè yo ak lidè relijye yo pou mete konfyans nan vaksen an, epi ede distribisyon li nan kominote sa yo ki istorikman defavorize.

"Pandan n ap apwoche kòmansman pwogram vaksinasyon COVID-19 la, mwen kontinye ankouraje gouvènman federal la pou li amande plan yo pou enkli distribisyon ekitab nan kominote yo ki frape pi di nan pandemi an", **Gouvènè Cuomo te deklare.** "Kominote Nwa, Ispanik, Azyatik kominote ki gen revni fèb yo peye pri ki pi wo a pandan COVID-19 la. Istorikman defavorize pa enstitisyon swen sante yo, se gouvènman federal la ki pou rektifye pwogram pa yo pou konsantre sou founi kominote sa yo pi bon kalite swen ak aksè ak vaksen an. Avèk premye tou vaksen yo ke yo ap distribye opli vit ke posib nan semèn pwochèn nan, pa gen tan pou pèdi. Mwen ankouraje administrasyon an pou li aji epi ofri solisyon rapid."

Tout tèks lèt la okonplè anba la a:

10 desanm 2020

Chè Sekretè Azar:

Nou kanpe ansanm nan eksprime enkyetid grav ak plan distribisyon vaksen administrasyon Trump la. Pandan ke nou ankouraje pa rapò ki sot pase yo konsènan efikasite vaksen an, gen travay ijan ki dwe fèt pou asire efò vaksinasyon yo alafwa de rapid ak jis.

Gouvènè yo bezwen finansman federal nan mezi pou yo egzekite plan distribisyon konplè pou garanti ke tout kominote yo gen aksè ak vaksen an. Asosyasyon Ofisyèl Sante Eta ak Teritoryal (Association of State and Territorial Health Officials) la estime

ke yon pwogram distribisyon vaksen konplè ta koute apeprè 8 milya dola. Jiska dat, administrasyon Trump la administre sèlman 200 milyon dola bay eta yo.

San finansman adekwa, distribisyon an pa pral ekitab. COVID-19 mete toutouni disparite kwonik nan sa ki gen pou wè ak sante nan peyi nou an epi rann kominote koulè yo soufri anba viris sa a yon fason ki pa apwopriye. Komunitè koulè soufri anba kondisyon ki te egziste deja yon fason ki pa apwopriye, tankou opresyon, obezite ak ipè tansyon (tansyon wo), ki agrave domaj ke viris la kapab lakoz -- Afwo-Ameriken yo mouri de fwa pi souvan ke Ameriken blan yo akòz COVID la, ak Latinos yo mouri yon fwa edmi anplis ke blan yo. Reyalite ki kache a se ke kominote koulè yo manke aksè nan enstitisyon ak sèvis swen sante yo. Men nan fòm aktyèl la, plan vaksinasyon Administrasyon Trump la depann sou etablisman swen sante prive ki istorikman te eskli kominote Nwa ak kominote mawon yo. Nan repoze sou yon sistèm ki gen fay ak prejije, apwòch administrasyon an pral sèlman sèvi plis pou elaji disparite ki deja egziste nan rezilta sante yo.

Travayè esansyèl yo ki te pote nasyon sa a nan pi move moman nan pandemi sa a an majorite se moun koulè yo. Yo merite yon plan vaksinasyon nasyonal ki fèt espesyalman pou asire ke yo pwoteje yo.

Marc Morial, ki siyen anba epi Prezidan ak Direktè Egzekitif Jeneral Lig Nasyonal Iben (National Urban League) an, te di ke plan Administrasyon Trump lan se yon plan ki, "san reflechi, ensousyan epi yo bezwen tounen ak li sou pwèn dep a". Derrick Johnson, ki siyen anba epi Prezidan ak Direktè Egzekitif Jeneral NAACP, te di ke, "nenpòt entwodiksyon nan yon plan vaksinasyon ki pa gen enfrastrikti nou konnen ki efikas nan kominote Nwa ranfòse menm enkonpetans ki te afekte anpil twòp kominote ki te neglije nan mitan pandemi mondyal sa a". Reveran Al Sharpton, ki siyen anba epi Prezidan ak Fondatè Rezo Aksyon Nasyonal (National Action Network) la te deklare, "Mwen te wè fim sa a anvan. Anpil Ameriken Nwa ap viv nan dezè swen sante, kote pa gen okenn lopital oswa sant swen sante nan zòn nou an. Sa a fè nou mal anpil pandan kriz la COVID la. Tretman enjis sa sou wout pou li pwodui ankò. Mwen pa wè ki jan nou pral wè distribisyon egal nan vaksinasyon an baze sou plan federal la. Yo dwe ranje sa imedyatman".

Kominote Nwa ak mawon yo ki te premye nan lis moun ki mouri akòz COVID yo pa ka dènye nan lis moun ki ap resevwa vaksen an. Gouvènman federal nou an bezwen kanpe epi delivre yon pwogram vaksinasyon klas mondyal ki ap rive nan kominote defavorize yo byen vit ak yon fason konplè. Mache prive a enkapab pou kont li. Nou bezwen angaje òganizasyon relijye yo, gwoup katye yo ak òganizasyon san bi likratif lokal yo ki gen rasin pwofon nan kominote Nwa, mawon ak kominote pòv yo pou yo ka fè sa reyalize. Epi nou bezwen finansman an pou fè sa.

Pandemi sa a pa ka fini, e peyi nou an p ap vrèman an sekirite, jiskaske tout moun gen aksè ak yon vaksen. Administrasyon Trump la dwe aplike yon plan vaksinasyon nasyonal ki pa kite okenn kominote dèyè, e li dwe fè sa kounye a. Tan a kout. Nou rete

prepare pou travay avèk ekip ou a ak gouvènman federal la pou egzekite yon pwogram vaksinasyon ke Etazini sa a merite.

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