



OFFICE OF THE MAYOR
CITY OF CHICAGO

RICHARD M. DALEY
MAYOR

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, Hispanic communities in Chicago and in major cities throughout the United States are faced with many challenges every day; and

WHEREAS, with a Hispanic population of nearly 26 percent, the City of Chicago recognizes the need to confront the challenges Hispanics face with a proactive strategy that strengthens community alliances and networks; and

WHEREAS, the Chicago Hispanic Health Coalition empowers individuals, builds coalitions and supports organizations with the goal of promoting healthy behaviors and reducing the risk of illness and injury; and

WHEREAS, to maximize and coordinate efforts among city and state organizations to promote healthy lifestyle awareness in Chicago's Hispanic communities, the Chicago Hispanic Health Coalition is joining together with its member agencies and the National Alliance for Hispanic Health, to sponsor Vive Tu Vida! Get Up! Get Moving!:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, RICHARD M. DALEY, MAYOR OF THE CITY OF CHICAGO do hereby proclaim May 26, 2007, to be VIVE TU VIDA! GET UP! GET MOVING! WELLNESS DAY IN CHICAGO and encourage all Chicagoans to recognize the need for increased health awareness in the Hispanic community and to support the efforts of those participating in this important event.

Dated this 17th day of May, 2007.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Richard M. Daley".

Mayor