5 Ways to Use APHA Action Alerts

Action alerts are sample messages on public health issues.

1. Professional networks
   Forward APHA action alerts to colleagues and others in your professional networks. Include a personal note so they know why you care about the issue and why they should respond.

2. Friends and family
   Share APHA action alerts with friends and family, including community or social groups, such as your book club or neighborhood organization. The next time you host a BBQ, picnic or potluck, spend 5 minutes talking about an advocacy issue that’s important to you. Ask everyone to speak out through an APHA action alert.

3. Students
   Tell your students or anyone you mentor about APHA action alerts and why it’s important to speak for health. Use the alerts for student assignments or extra credit.

4. Policymakers
   Contact your policymakers and legislators, use APHA action alerts as talking points. Offer to be a resource as they work on an issue.

5. You
   Read the APHA action alerts yourself and make sure you respond!

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