UC ANR Research on Priority Topics of the Healthy Families and Communities Strategic Initiative

A Partial Bibliography

Note: The following compilation includes peer-reviewed academic articles published since 2009. Authored by UC ANR academics, they address one or more of the three priorities of the HFC Strategic Initiative: healthy living for obesity prevention, youth science literacy, and positive youth development. The list is just a starting point; more research studies are being published all the time. The research informs UC Cooperative Extension teaching and extension programs across California communities.


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