

# THE FRONTLINE

POSITIVE RESOURCE CENTER

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Dear Friend,

Each year, PRC is the beneficiary of several community-based fundraising events which extend the reach of our own development efforts. Two of these – Academy of Friends and the Bare Chest Calendar – are in full swing and offer opportunities to participate on behalf of PRC. Attend the Academy of Friends Gala on February 22 and watch the Oscars in a glittering setting, complimented with drinks, food and exquisite company. Or, volunteer on our behalf and ensure the event is a great experience for all who attend. And if you've got what it takes, strut your stuff at the Powerhouse and raise funds and awareness with the Bare Chest Calendar. Either way, your participation directly impacts PRC's bottom line, for which we are eternally grateful.

From all of us at Positive Resource Center, thank you for your continued support!



Brett Andrews  
Executive Director

## 35th Anniversary Academy of Friends Gala

### Academy of Friends Gala

*A Century of Radiance: Celebrating the 100th Anniversary of the Pan Pacific Exposition and the 35th Anniversary of the Academy of Friends Gala*

Sunday, February 22

5:00pm - 11:30pm

Design Center Galleria

101 Henry Adams Street

San Francisco

PRC is pleased to be a beneficiary of the Academy of Friends (AOF) Gala this year. AOF provides grants to support organizations delivering a broad range of community services.

You can help support PRC in two ways: attend the gala or volunteer at the event. When purchasing event tickets, please select PRC as your beneficiary of choice.

Event Tickets: \$250/\$300 at door (if available)

In the "**Referral Code**" section, please enter:

"Positive Resource Center"

[Get your tickets here](#)

Volunteer:

There are two volunteers shifts on the day of the event

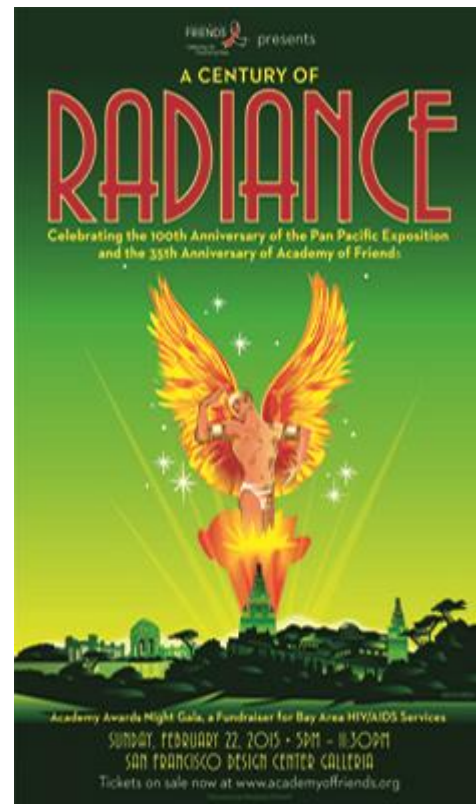
1. General Set-Up, 2pm-7pm

and

2. Event Volunteer, 7pm-12am

To volunteer, please contact **Michael Rubio** at

[MichaelR@positiveresource.org](mailto:MichaelR@positiveresource.org) or (415) 972-0802



## PRC's Free Monthly Workshops

### **We've Got This: Health Access for HIV+ Older Adults**

Thursday, February 26th  
4:00pm - 8:00pm  
LGBT Community Center  
1800 Market Street, 4th Floor  
San Francisco

Positive Resource Center is proud to announce a panel series and tabling fair entitled, **We've Got This: Health Access for HIV+ Older Adults**.

Partnering with Shanti Project and LetsKickASS.org, we will be hosting two panels on available healthcare options as well as a step-by-step guide to on how to get connected with services and sign up for coverage.

In addition, we will also be hosting an opportunity fair throughout the event with various community based organizations offering information about their services along with consultations.

**RSVP** to Vaughn Villaverde at  
[vaughnv@positiveresource.org](mailto:vaughnv@positiveresource.org)  
or at (415) 972-0874



## 2016 Bare Chest Calendar

### **Bare Chest Calendar Semi-Finals**

Thursday, February 19  
Thursday, February 26  
Thursday, March 05  
Thursday, March 12  
Thursday, March 19  
Thursday, March 26  
8:00pm - 11:00pm  
Powerhouse  
1347 Folsom Street  
San Francisco

The Semi-Final contests for the 2016 Bare Chest Calendar Men are currently in full swing on Thursday evenings at the Powerhouse from 8pm to 11pm, now through March. Cheer on your friend or your favorite contestant(s) and help them become a calendar man.

Each year the Bare Chest Calendar raises more and more funds on behalf of Positive Resource Center. Last year's calendar men - Team 2015 - have raised \$134,248.63 to date.

The Bare Chest Calendar began in 1984, and since then 12 men have taken on the challenge each year to raise money that truly makes a difference for people living with HIV/AIDS.

**Recruitment for the 2016 calendar is still going on**, so if you are interested in joining the brotherhood, please visit the [Bare Chest Calendar website](http://Bare Chest Calendar website) for more information.



Positive Resource Center (PRC) is a community-based 501(c)(3) non-profit whose mission is to assist people affected by or at risk of HIV/AIDS through culturally appropriate counseling, education, training and advocacy. As a result, our clients can make more informed choices that maximize available benefits and employment opportunities.

**DONATE NOW!**

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