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Presentation Title: *APU and Azusa: Working Together, Walking Together*

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Abstract:

As research shows, there is an alarming rise of childhood obesity in the United States. Due to this problem, a team of APU faculty, staff, and community members partnered together to combat this problem and promote "good" in the city of Azusa. As a result, families and children are moving, walking, and dancing their way into fitness in Azusa. In this special session, panelists will discuss several programs launched this past fall to promote physical activity and wellness among Azusa residents. They will also share their plans for future programs that will hopefully inspire others to use their God-given abilities and passions to reach out and serve our local community.

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