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The [GOCHIA April 2019 Newsletter](#) is now available online.
 Check it out to stay current with local news, events, job openings and more!

UPCOMING EVENTS:

April: RHIT/RHIA Exam Prep (3 CEUs)

April 13, 2019 (Saturday)
 9:00 am – 12:00 am
 TODOS Conference Rooms, 1st floor of the Center for Cancer Prevention and Treatment
 Across the street from St. Joseph Hospital. 1000 West LaVeta, Orange 92868

This collaborative tutorial is intended to strengthen and reinforce the competencies needed to prepare for the RHIA or RHIT Certification Exam. The program will focus on domain competencies covering:

- Data, Content, Structure and Standards; Information Protection: Access, Disclosure, Archival, Privacy and Security; Informatics, Analytics, and Data Use; Revenue Management; Leadership

For more information check out [RHIT/RHIA Exam Prep Flier](#).
 Register at <https://www.eventbrite.com/o/gochia-15487404222>.

- **Non-Member:** \$50.00
- **Student Member** \$25.00
- **Student Non-Member** \$30.00
- **Members:** \$40.00

May: Graduate Recognition Dinner

May 3, 2019 (Friday)
 Registration: 5:30pm
 6:00pm – 8:30pm
 Knott’s Berry Farm

Cost:

- Members and guests: \$30
- Graduating Students: \$10 (GOCHIA will be providing the graduating student with \$10 gift card)

- Students: \$10.00

Please join us for an evening of celebration. The current graduates of HIM programs and their mentors will be recognized, and the recipient of the GOCHIA scholarship (see below) will be announced.

Don't miss out! <https://www.eventbrite.com/o/gochia-15487404222>

GOCHIA SOCIAL MEDIA UPDATE

- **GOCHIA Facebook** and Twitter sites have been activated for our members
 - Facebook Group: Greater Orange County Health Information Association (GOCHIA)
 - This is set up as a private group.
 - Go to site and request group member access.
 - Patty Durkee with Cypress students: Jonalyn Kairan and Michelle Martinez will share the access process for the members
 - Twitter: twitter handle is: **#GOCHIAHIT**
- **Coming soon:** Instagram and LinkedIn activation.

GOCHIA Scholarship

GOCHIA is committed to encouraging Health Information Administration (HIA) and Health Information Technology (HIT) students complete their education and enable them to successfully embark on their Health Information Management (HIM) career paths. This year, GOCHIA established its **first** Student Scholarship program.

The deadline for submissions has been extended to **Friday, April 19**. For more information check out [GOCHIA website](#) or email GOCHIA@CaliforniaHIA.org.

Stay tuned for announcement of recipients later this month.