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**#VitalToLife**

## **Blood donations are essential!**

Blood donations are needed due to many companies just like ours that are unable to host a blood drive during this time. **Vitalant** and **Mercy Medical Center Merced** are teaming up to save lives and we are encouraging our community members to schedule an appointment to donate blood.

When you register to donate at any Vitalant Donation Center and provide our Mercy Medical Center Merced association code (**SMFH074**), we will be able to track your generous donation as part of our partnership in saving lives. Please be sure to let the Vitalant team know when you arrive that you are donating on behalf of Mercy Medical Center Merced – association code: **SMFH074**.

There is a Vitalant Donation Center in Merced located at 382 E. Yosemite Avenue or to find another Vitalant Donation Center near you, please visit **[Vitalant.org/locations](https://www.vitalant.org/locations)** or call **877.25.VITAL**.

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