# Provider & Stakeholder Work Group Minutes Thursday, March 28, 2013 – 10:30 AM

### Introductions: Kim Suderman

• Introductions made; welcome back to Trish Stanionis; welcome to Doug Zeck, Jr., Interim Executive Director fourth and Hope. Doug gave a short personal introduction.

#### **Round Table & Announcements: All**

- Poshi Mikalson:
  - ▶ Doing final forum for CA LGBTQ, aimed at reducing disparities at Sacramento State on April 12<sup>th</sup>, 2013. She will send information for distribution to the group.
- Trish:
  - The Incredible Years—classes are being offered and in high demand thanks to the marketing effort funded by MHSA. Sign up at YFSA website,
  - Universal Screening Tool—the HIPPA issue has been corrected. Screening is underway. This tool is extensive, comprehensive, and covers mental health and safety factors. It is a family resource tool for how to find families at risk. It is not an assessment but an initial screening used to identify red flags with kids through 7 different tests/categories. The first Hispanic bilingual male facilitator will complete the training shortly.
- Joan Beesley
  - MHSA PEI—Mental Health First Aid is taking off. A two day training is coming up in April. Another 3½ hour training on the signs and symptoms of suicide will be available soon and those 15 years old and up are eligible to attend. The curriculum for youth is coming mid-May and a trainer is being trained. Community Education Resources are available at little or no cost to staff. Contact <u>Joan</u> if you are interested in training your staff, volunteers, family members, etc. Front line staff is a good candidate for this training. It is designed for the public, is a stigma reduction tool, and evidence based practice. The Yolo Count DA's full staff has been trained as a result of a mini-training session initiated by Kim.

Trish offered to post on the YFSA website and FaceBook page

- Luky Maldonado:
  - ➤ The Safety Center is signed up with Davis Regional Center for training on working with populations with developmental delays.
  - ➤ DUI programs: On April 11<sup>th</sup> they will start at the DRC, working with Sacramento Office of Education for the AB 109 population. An open house will be held on April 9<sup>th</sup> at 11:30 AM. She will forward brochures, to distribute.
- Dr. Arturo Villamor:
  - ➤ Two new hires start next week Kathryn McColgin, a full time senior staff nurse, funded through IGT, and Dr. Padmini Shamasundara part time.

# **Budget Updates:**

- County/State Budget: Patrick Blacklock
  - ➤ The year continues to remain flat. Health Care Reform and the Affordable Care Act continue with no resolution. The State is attempting to pull back funding and the Counties are resistant because of: residual population costs, the first 3 years are supposed to be no cost to states so the county questions the need to pull back money and with realignment, and counties want to maintain as much funding as possible.

- > Sequestration threatens funding decreases in many areas, we are still monitoring potential risks.
- Departments and Providers
  - Questions were asked about Contracts. ADMH reported some staff shortages—illness has impacted the Finance Dept., but will be setting up meetings as needed soon. Providers were asked to wait a few weeks, and if no news, to feel free to contact the Dept. The Cost Report was already sent to providers by ADMH finance staff.

## **Program Updates**

- Program Presentations
  - Victor Community Support Services (see <u>PowerPoint presentation</u>): David Hafter gave a presentation on the company and the programs specific to Yolo County.
    - A request was made to develop a curriculum addressing eating disorders.
- Laura's Law (see <u>PowerPoint presentation</u>): Kim gave a presentation on Laura's Law followed by a brief open comment period.
  - Michele Kellogg and Poshi Mikalson voiced position of non-support citing civil rights concerns.
  - ➤ Kim:
    - ...noted that they are in the early stages of polling this group and others and pulling recommendations together for the BOS. She wants to hear from consumers and citizen rights advocates on both sides of the issue
    - ...encourages the PSWG participants to offer perspectives on this issue as well as attend board meeting(s) when Laura's Law is presented.
    - ...announced that Nevada County will be giving a presentation in April to the LMHB and we can
      distribute this information to the group.
    - ...discussed how group participation is crucial in developing the 3 year plan in terms of how MHSA money will be used what programs to add, change, tweak, etc. We will have a facilitator for the planning process and during this time MHSA meetings will increase and there will be the opportunity for participation and to speak on positions.
- Mental Health Court Update: Kim
  - First court session occurred on March 25<sup>th</sup>, one person entered into the program.
- Health Council Membership Update: Kim
  - The BOS approved membership on the Health Council giving the Provider Stakeholder Work Group a formal vote. John Buck is the representative, with Gordon Richardson as the alternate.
- Crisis Intervention Program (CIP): Kim
  - This is moving forward and a meeting will be scheduled soon.

## Other Updates: All

- May PSWG Meeting: The location will likely change. Look for updates to the meeting request,
- Luky agreed to make a provider presentation at the next meeting if we do not already have someone scheduled.

Next Meeting: Thursday, April 25, 2013, <u>10:30 AM – 12 Noon</u>