

YOLO COUNTY MCAH ADVISORY BOARD

September 9, 2015

MINUTES

The Yolo County MCAH Advisory Board met on the 9th day of September 2015, in the Thomson conference room at the Bauer building at 137 N. Cottonwood Street, Woodland, CA at 8:45 a.m.

Voting Members Present: Jessica Cerniak, Julie Gallelo, Katy King-Goldberg, John McKean, Kathleen Middings, Stephen Nowicki

Voting Members Absent: Barbara Boehler, Jenifer Newell, Tia Will

Staff & Guests: Jan Babb, Chris Bulkely, Marbella Colimote, Jennifer Davis, Gina Daleiden, Ramy Hussein, Ashley Logins-Miller, Roya Moreno, Jaime Ordonez, Zach Romawac, Laurie Somerhausen, Anna Sutton, Jennifer Travis,

8:30 A.M. CALL TO ORDER

WELCOME INTRODUCTIONS.

- The meeting was called to order at 8:45 a.m. by Julie Gallelo, at which time around the table introductions were performed.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES AND AGENDA

- The consideration for approval of the September 9, 2015 agenda. The motion was approved by John McKean, second by Katy King-Goldberg, approved by consensus and the motion carried.
- The consideration for approval of the [August 12, 2015 minutes](#). The motion was approved by Stephen Nowicki, second by Katy King-Goldberg, approved consensus and the motion carried.

PUBLIC COMMENT

There was no public comment.

REPORTS & PRESENTATIONS

RESTORATIVE JUSTICE UPDATE

- Chris Bulkely from the Yolo County District Attorney's office shared an update on the Restorative Justice and the Homeless Division Program.
- The Homeless Division Program is in the process of being launched in West Sacramento. It offers pre and post charge diversion to the homeless population for a variety of crimes. A Social Worker Practitioner, as part of the Homeless Service Unit at HHSA, provides an assessment on eligible individuals. From that assessment, a care plan is developed that addresses health, behavioral health, self-sufficiency and housing. The goal is behavior change.
- The offender will participate in a conference that includes panelists from the community. The conference includes discussion around what are the harms to the community, victim, and offender. The program has been able to recruit an individual who participated in the Bridge to Housing program to serve as a panelist. The conferences are held in community building and are set in a small.

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- The panel and offender work out an agreement to address the needs that are created by the harm, including how they intend to avoid the conduct in the future and how to rebuild trust with the community. It is not a lecture of how the offender is a bad person, but a discussion around what happened and that the community wants the offender to do better. There is immunity at the conference so that anything discussed cannot be held against them in Court.
- Gaps are being identified, such as alcohol and drug abuse programs for the transitional aged youth. For the homeless populations, those that have mental health issues tend not to get or take their needed medications or attended an appointment which leads to more offences.
- Panel members are volunteers. Training includes a Saturday class, observing a conference, and completing a background check. Facilitators are trained for an additional day and half.
- Eligibility criteria for Homeless Diversion Program has been developed and signed off by five (Winters is not a participant) law enforcement. Any misdemeanor except domestic violence, sex cases, child abuse, DUI, or violation of court order. Some individuals are also ineligible due to prior charges. Typical charges seen from the homeless population include substance abuse charges, camping, theft, and battery, all of which are eligible for the Diversion program. The program is voluntary for the offender. It focus is for the chronic and situational homeless, not the transitional aged youth who may be couch surfing.

MCAH DIRECTOR'S REPORT

- Jan acknowledged that is Julie's last meeting and the Board wishes her well.
- Please see the [September 9, 2015 MCAH Director's Report](#). Highlights include:
 - A new Health Officer will be on board soon. Dr. Caldwell is continuing to cover the position.
 - **CHVP:** With the expansion of the criteria for CHVP program, 47 referrals have been since June. 14 of those families have been assigned with four more being assigned to the new home visitor. There are 43 classic cases being carried in addition to the 18 new cases. The goal is to have 80 families receiving services by the end of the fiscal year. Katy has new brochures available if you are interested in having some.
 - **CPSP Roundtable:** October 22, 2015 from 12:30 – 2:00pm featuring Dr. Robert Felix, Executive Director of "Mother To Baby".
 - **CNAP:** Eatfresh.org is a great resource that is funded through State SNAP. Can be referred to services such as school lunch, CalFRESH, and WIC. Lots of recipes available. The developers will be holding a training on October 15th from 10:00 – 12:00 in the Gonzalez building. They will be showing the site and are open to feedback to make it easier for clients to use. It is also available in Spanish.
 - **WIC:** Will be moving to building A in West Sacramento to be co-located with the Service Centers on September 25th.
 - **Garden:** Garden Anniversary is on September 16th. Over 500 pounds from the demonstration garden has been given to WIC participants. Some displays were also in the Yolo County Fair.
 - Due to the Health & Human Service Integration, many of the services for the MCAH population have moved to the Child, Youth and Family Branch. Alissa Sykes, the Branch Director for that branch, has been invited to participate in the Advisory Board.
 - Due to some ongoing scheduling conflicts, perhaps the board could discuss changing the schedule for 2016.

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- Jan will be taking a role with Health council.

REVIEW POLICY PLATFORM

- Please review the [Policy Platform](#).
- Katy moves to approve the MCAH Advisory Board Policy Platform, second by Stephen Nowicki. Approved consensus and motion carried.
- There was a discussion around how to share the Platform Statement. Ideas included: presenting to the Board of Supervisors in January, add to the MCAH Advisory Board page, and share with Health Council. Please also take it back to the leadership at your own agency.

ELECT A NEW CHAIR

- Katy King Goldberg moves to nominate Stephen Nowicki as Chair, seconded by Jessica Cerniak. Approved consensus and motion carried.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **Zach Romawac:** Partnership HealthPlan of California will be holding a summit on Thursday, November 19th in Fairfield. The focus for the summit will be perinatal mood and anxiety disorders and will be applicable to providers and community resources. Further information will be coming out soon.
- **Jennifer Travis:** Help Me Grow application has been drafted and will be submitted to the national program. Screening is happening across the County.
- **Anna Sutton:** Postpartum Support International will be holding training in Sacramento on January 28th and 29th around Perinatal Mental Health. PSI – training on Jan 28 & 29 – highly encourage you to spread the word about this. The flyer can be found [HERE](#).
- **Gina Daleiden:** There is a new application for a member going before the Board of Supervisors at the next meeting. The Advisory Board may want to look at more geographical diversity in the representation of the Board.
- **Julie Gallelo:** The First 5 Commission will be meeting today to approve funding of special projects including:
 - Northern California Children’s Therapy Center through the MIND will be doing provider capacity building training providers for further diagnostics and treatment of autism spectrum disorder.
 - CommuniCare Health Centers will be funded in years 2 and 3 of special projects to more fully incorporate developmental screening and connecting the screens completed through a care coordinator to their primary care providers to review the results.
 - Overnight care at the Yolo Crisis Nursery for high risk children, up to 5 beds per week.
 - Family Hui will be modifying its curricular to include ACEs and an ACEs screener for parents.
 - There has also been an Interim director and leadership changes.
- **Anna Sutton:** Yolo ACEs is now known as Yolo Resilience Network. This team is still meeting regularly. They will be hosting a free screening of *Paper Tigers* on October 6th and 7th. More information on the screening can be found [HERE](#). Please make sure to RSVP. In addition, the team has been helping Sacramento establish a resilience group there. On October 16th Sacramento will be hosting a training “[Beyond Trauma: Building A Resilient Sacramento](#)”.

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- AB 329, which mandates comprehensive sexual health in schools, is before the Governor for review but now has a tentative start date of January 1, 2016. Tentative start date for AB329 for California Healthy Youth January 1, 2016.
- There is also a bill up for discussion and review that requires daycare workers to be vaccinated.

ADJOURNMENT

- **Next meeting** scheduled for: November 18, 2015
 - Agenda Items:
 - CMSP update
 - Full Scope Medi-Cal
 - Elect a vice-chair
 - 2016 Calendar
- Adjourned at 10:00 am.

Respectfully submitted by:



Ashley Logins-Miller, Secretary
Yolo County MCAH Advisory Board