

**YOLO COUNTY MCAH ADVISORY BOARD**  
**NOVEMBER 18, 2015**  
**MINUTES**

The Yolo County MCAH Advisory Board met on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of November 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, Katy King-Goldberg, Kathleen Middings, Stephen Nowicki

**Voting Members Absent:** Barb Boehler, John McKean, Jenifer Newell, Jeni Reed, Tia Will

**Staff & Guests:** Jan Babb, Carolyn Campos, Jessica Hackwell, Ashley Logins-Miller, Jaime Ordonez, Anna Sutton, Alissa Sykes, Ed Walters

**8:45 – 9:05 A.M.**

**1. WELCOME AND ROLL CALL**

- The meeting was called to order at 8:53 a.m. by Stephen Nowicki, at which time around the table introductions were performed.

**2. CONSIDER APPROVAL OF AGENDA**

- The Advisory Board did not achieve quorum.

**3. CONSIDER APPROVAL OF [SEPTEMBER 9, 2015 MINUTES](#)**

- The Advisory Board did not achieve quorum. The Advisory Board will table consideration for the approval of the September 9, 2015 Minutes at the next meeting.

**4. PUBLIC COMMENT**

- There was no public comment.

**9:05 – 10:00**

**5. PREGNANCY FULL SCOPE MEDI-CAL COVERAGE EXPANSION, *Nolan Sullivan and Edward Walters***

- Edward Walters, Medi-Cal Analyst from the HHSA Service Centers, shared information on Pregnancy Full Scope Medi-Cal Coverage Expansion and what that means to Yolo County Residents. Please see the [Memo](#) for additional information.
- Medi-Cal Expansion for pregnancy increased to 138% of the Federal Poverty Level to match non-pregnant adult coverage. In addition, pregnancy related only coverage was increased to 213% of the Federal Poverty Level, and meets the mandate of minimum essential coverage.
- Women in an income between 61%-138% of the Federal Poverty Level are now eligible for either full scope benefits or pregnancy related coverage. There are benefits to both options. Those that stay with pregnancy related care will automatically move to managed care 60 days after delivery.
- There are now eligibility workers staffed at CommuniCare Health Center offices to assist clients and staff with Medi-Cal related questions.
- Upcoming in June 2016: The expansion of Medi-Cal to all children under 19 years of age, regardless of citizenship.

**Action Item:**

- This information might be beneficial to share at a HICC meeting.

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### 6. MCAH DIRECTOR'S REPORT, *Jan Babb*

- [See attachment](#). Jan will be working to provide this report in writing prior to the meeting. This report will include programs related to Maternal, Child, and Adolescent Health as well as the Community Health Branch but will not include direct services, which are in the Child, Youth and Family branch.
- Perinatal Mental Health Collaborative (PMHC) has a consultant helping develop a survey in parallel with Butte County. This survey will map all family practice, pediatrics and obstetrics office on screening, referral, treatment and training on perinatal mood disorders. The survey will launch in January, with the data from the survey being released in May.  
**Action Item:** Please help spread the word at all providers' offices and hospitals. This survey will be for all levels of staff.
- In addition the written report, Jaime Ordonez, the CHDP Director provided an update for CHDP. Recently, the CHDP staff provided eligibility training to 17 provider's office staff. On November 15<sup>th</sup>, 15 providers attended the first CHDP vision training. In the future, CHDP staff will be providing training for other HHS programs and staff.

### 7. ELECT A VICE-CHAIR, *Stephen Nowicki*

- This item was tabled as quorum was not met.

### 8. IDENTIFY HEALTH COUNCIL REPRESENTATIVE, *Stephen Nowicki*

- This item was tabled as quorum was not met. However, Kathleen Middings is interested.

### 9. 2016 CALENDAR, *Stephen Nowicki and Jan Babb*

- Options for moving the MCAH Advisory Board meeting time and date were discussed.

#### **Action Item:**

- Ashley Logins-Miller will check room availability for the 3rd and 4th Wednesday of the month.
- A Doodle Poll will be sent out with options.

### 10. 2016 RETREAT DATE AND AGENDA, *Stephen Nowicki and Jan Babb*

- Due to scheduling conflicts, the MCAH Advisory Board Retreat will be moved to January 20<sup>th</sup>. The location is to be determined. If you have agenda items for the retreat, please email Jan Babb.

10:00 – 10:10 A.M.

### 11. Announcements

- Kathleen Middings shared that she is seeing low numbers for teen pregnancy right now and is also looking at options to expand education.
- Jessica Hackwell shared that the Perinatal Mood and Anxiety Disorder conference was moved to March 2016. More information will be shared in the future.
- Carolyn Campos shared that the Mama Sherpa's movie was shown a few weeks ago. Sutter Davis and CommuniCare Health Centers midwifery were a part of that movie.

## ADJOURNMENT

### 12. Next meeting

- Adjourned at 10:26.

Respectfully submitted by:



Ashley Logins-Miller, Secretary  
Yolo County MCAH Advisory Board