



COUNTY OF YOLO

Health and Human Services Agency

Behavioral Health Services Provider Stakeholder Work Group Minutes Thursday, June 20, 2019, 10:30 AM – 11:30 AM

Attendees: Sandra Sigrist, Bridget Chukwura, Melina Ortigas, Crystal Pineda, Mila Green, Rebecca Mellott, Sadie Shen, Sara Gavin, David Hafter, Leigh Harrington, Pam Sidhu, Amy Leino, Jull Cook, Heather Vasquez, Lindsay Brown, Karen Larsen, Jenni Pettit, Christina Grandison

Introductions and Program Updates

- Amy Leino/Pam Sidhu (QM)-Finalized Network Adequacy Submission, final emails went out yesterday. For Specialty MH Services, an attestation form was included. CEO attestations due by next Tuesday. Some data is program specific and only one attestation needs to be completed for all programs for example CommuniCare HC and Turning Point will only need one submitted for each.
- Karen-Network Adequacy was a heavy lift with all the changes. As form guidelines continue to change, we thank you and appreciate your understanding.
- Sandra- Announced Mila Green as accepted the position of Deputy Branch Director for Adult & Aging. We will be posting for a Manager position shortly.
- Jenni-Announced CYF welcomes new Deputy Branch Director Karleen Jakowski, she will oversee Children's MH Contracts, Tay Program when it transitions from AA to CYF, and continue to work with QI Team.
- Rebecca-Welcome Lindsay Brown, new Finance Manager over Health.

Mental Health Directors Report-Karen (Handout)

- Last time PSWG was together was for Circling Services
- Busy with legislation in Sacramento-Center of major social issue will need to provide resources for Homeless, Mental Health Substance Use. There are 13 proposed bills around Behavioral Health waiting to see if they will be potential threat or potential opportunity.
- Carve Out-Specialty MH carve outs given to counties, the waiver expires in 2020. Will it continue to make sense for CA to continue with it? As physical health, Substance Use, and MH services begin to care for the whole person.
- Garnering local politician attention-Davis ARF Pacifico. Use to be used as student housing. We have been in discussing with the City for over 2 years. Will the site

work for us? The money must be spent by June 30th next year. Will have to give back if not used.

- PTG Housing (Davis)-Board and Care statewide is going out of business. Working with TP/PTG on sustainability program. We want to help it stay in business because the work they do is important.

History of PSWG-Karen

PSWG started 8 years ago. Developed so that we may have an open dialog between County and Providers to increase transparency about budget and programs. Partner with providers for more than 50 % of provider network. We encourage and look forward to having more Providers get on the Agenda and present their services at upcoming meetings.

Budget Overview-Rebecca

(See PowerPoint Presentation)

RFP Updates-Karen

- All updates can be found on the website at the following location:
<https://www.yolocounty.org/health-human-services/providers-partners/contracts-unit>

Evaluation: Plus/Delta

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<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Clear Budget Presentation• On Time• Overview of HX• RFP Overview	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Deeper dive into numbers-what programs are covered and what are the numbers for each• Plug RBA Outcomes (per Rebecca this is coming, around October 1st)

NEXT MEETING

Thursday, September 19, 2019
10:30 AM – 11:30 AM
137 N. Cottonwood, Woodland, CA 95695 – Bauer Building,
Thomson Conference Room