

Local Mental Health Board Meeting

Monday, May 24th, 2021

Online/Call-in ZOOM

Members Present: Nicki King, Antonia Tsobanoudis, Brad Anderson, Aleecia Gutierrez, Rachel Warren, Serena Durand, Sue Jones, Nick Birtcil, John Archuleta, Jonathan Raven, Bob Schelen, Robin Rainwater, Xiaolong Li, Maria Simas, Carol Christensen

Members Absent: None

CALL TO ORDER

1. **Welcome and Introductions:** Meeting called to order at by Board Chair Nicki King
2. **Public Comment:** None
3. **Chair Report:** Provided by Nicki King
 - Health Council worked on Strategic Plan and she reports it is moving along
4. **Approval of Agenda:** Motion by Antonia Tsobanoudis, 2nd Brad Anderson

Yea "I"	Nay	Abstention
13	0	0

Motion: Passed

5. **Approval of Minutes:** Motion by Maria Simas, 2nd Carol Christensen

Yea "I"	Nay	Abstention
15	0	0

Motion: Passed with corrections

6. **Member Announcements:** Antonia participated in roundtable event Local Voices Project a spinoff of Yolo People Power which was started by local ACLU. Helps with decision making process with Police department. Recommended more surveys outside of email for those in marginalized communities. Looking for people who have had police interaction in the last 5 years.
7. **Correspondence:** None
8. **Time Set Agenda:** Crisis Now Q& A
9. **Mental Health Directors Report:** Presented by Karen Larsen
 - **Street Medicine RFP-**issued RFO for street and mobile medicine and CommuniCare chosen as vendor. Starting contract negotiations. Included health systems money and whole person as well as CMSP money. Allows us to purchase mobile medical units. Will include physical health services, mental health services and possibly dental.
 - **FSP Transition-**Starting June 1st we will be beginning transition. Starting with TP client first. All clients have been notified. Laura's Law clients will also be transitioned. We are hoping to do some in person warm handoffs because we want the client to feel comfortable. Karen will provide a grid for who will be taking over FSP Clients for next meeting.

- **Governors May Revise**-2 billion to MHSA, BH world there is 4 billion dollars being invested in Children and Youth Behavioral health. Not all is county funding. There is several billion being invested in BH infrastructure. Quite a few investments in trying to keep people out of State Hospitals. One specifically calls out state hospitals will no longer be accepting LPS in State Hospitals. For our County that only applies to one that must be rehoused. A lot of concern for public safety.
- Annual Report will come to you next meeting for voting

Regular Agenda

1. **Board of Supervisors Report:** None
2. **Criminal Justice Update:** Drug possession cases. Starting January 1st we would view them as public health not public safety. We will see how many will engage and get help. Allison Zuvela is retiring.
Ab142 was voted out of appropriations committee 7-2. Should it make it out it should go to senate.
This last weekend was NAMI Walk, we sponsored chalk walk. Our collaborative Court team 15 of us showed up. 4 da rep 1 public defender and 2 probation.
Da office launched Portal-transparency all about data and policy change. Use the data to drive changes. Was launched less than a month ago. Found a few disparities-cases coming in from law enforcement when compared to census Latin X vs black or white. We can try and make some changes once they come into the system to address the disparities. Unique that this is all helped by third party-Measures for Justice. June 17th, we have a graduation planned. If your interested in watching this, this one will be very uplifting. May be available on YouTube to view.
3. **Public Comment on Agenda Items:** None
4. **Future Meeting Planning and Adjournment:**
 - Nominating Committee Report
 - Complete questionnaire that Nicki Sent out
 - Sheriff to come to a future meeting (end of summer)
 - Vote at future meeting when to return to in person meetings
 - Vote on Annual Report

Next Meeting: June 28th at 6pm Via Zoom

Meeting Adjourned: 7:47pm