

Local Mental Health Board Meeting

Monday, December 5th, 2022

Online/Call-in ZOOM

Members Present: Inesita Arce, Jonathan Raven, Aleecia Gutierrez, Nicki King, Warren Hawley, Robin Rainwater, Sue Jones, Brad Anderson (late), John Archuleta (late)

Members Absent: Serena Duran, Carol Christensen, Beverly Sandeen, Maria Simas, Xiaolong Li

CALL TO ORDER

1. **Welcome and Introductions:** Meeting called to order by Board Chair Jonathan Raven at 6:08pm
2. **Public Comment:**

- **Linda wight**-participated in Crisis Now Training Request Item g in directors report to provide update on 988 number and how its integrated in our system. What funding has been formed to get 24-hour crisis stabilization. What measures are being taken to advertise to housing managers and business owners, so they know there is a response.
- **Antonia Tsobanoudis**-still involved in yolo has a family member on Conservatorship called LPS and she wanted to point out that LPS conservatorship be on lowest care possible regardless of what happens. Family member has now had enough physical ailments that now they feel that a Skilled Nursing Facility is more appropriate now that she is bed ridden instead of locked facility. We must give her that opportunity. Antonia wanted to bring that to the board's attention. LPS is different than regular conservatorship. Allows them the freedom and autonomy to aske for their rights back.
- a. **Chair Report:** Johnathan Raven would like to recognize and have a moment of silence for Bob Schelen. Bob spent many years working for this board as well as being the Local Mental Health Board Chair in previous years.
- **Nicki King**-Bob Schelen was such a beautiful human and was always willing to step up for Local Mental health Board to be on Finance Committee

3. **Approval of Agenda:** Jonathan Raven moved for approval, no 2nd

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Motion: approved

- Approval of Brown Act:** Jonathan Raven moved for approval, no 2nd

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Motion: approved

4. **Approval of Meeting Minutes from October 24th, 2022:** Jonathan Raven moved for approval, no 2nd

Yea "I"	Nay	Abstention
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Motion: approved

5. **Member Announcements:** None
6. **Correspondence:** None
7. **Time Set Agenda:** [First 5 Presentation](#) with Gina Daleiden

Board questions:

- Nicki King who on MH Staff is responsible for children's programming-Technically still Karleen Jakowski but Mary Yung is the Children's MH Coordinator with support of the Children's MH Director Tony Kildare.

Consent Agenda

8. **Mental Health Directors Report:**

- **Crisis Now**-Karleen Jakowski states what we realized after learning collaborative there are considerable timeline challenges to getting the buildings we need. We are working with Lionakis and they have done several other projects for the county. Timeline quoted was well into 2025, we were unhappy with that timeline even knowing construction timelines are long. We have 3 more meetings scheduled before Ian leaves and we should be able to cut down 6 months of that timeline. If we can get local Fire approval that will cut down the timeline. We will stop including timelines in the updates because construction timelines are always changing.

Working on enhancing the current Crisis line we have now. Describe it as an air traffic controller. Pushing the calls to appropriate connections. Considering launching as Phase 1, as timeline for construction for remodeling gets clearer than we will move into Phase II for stabilization center. RFP sometime in late 2023 to come online in late 2024. What we learned in learning collaborative is that the current system we have now is not cost effective. The plan is to overstaff in receiving stabilization center that could go out on crisis calls in the off hours to meet that 24-hour model. We are working on hiring Peer Support Workers who would partner up with the co-responders.

We are planning to use the current Juvenile Detention Facility as well as the portable buildings on site. There is lots of work will go into repurposing those building so that they functionally support the program needs.

Ian states they are working on brining a presentation to the board for January/February for Crisis Now.

- **DSH**-Nicki King asks, are the issues concerning the Department of State Hospitals only about the criminal justice use of State Hospitals? Jonathan states there are some on LPS and others who need but because of overcrowding they are waiting to access services. So, they are pushing back to local communities to treat in community and then we decriminalize and end up with no criminal charges. In a year we have 1-2 patients in a state hospital, but they are not apart of this program.
- **K-12**-New coordinator is reaching out to partners to find out how they are document refusals. Aleecia Gutierrez wants to know that the people who need the services are receiving them. If families are declining, are we going back to follow up? We can force a family to have a child participate but could the county follow up to verify that there

aren't any stigmas involved with their choice to decline. This will be our first full school year, so we are excited to see how the programs were accessed and utilized. We have met with all districts except Davis and have had glowing feedback that this is working so well. Have MHOAC Grant that has requested to do a site visit. They want to test it out with Yolo, and we are excited to share how its going.

Regular Agenda

9. **Board of Supervisors Report:** Observing only this evening, no BOS report received
10. **Criminal Justice Update:** changes for 2023 we have 2 new judges rotating into Mental Health Court and Addiction Intervention Court. Judge Janine Beronio will be taking over addiction intervention court and Presiding Judge Dan Maguire will be taking over MH Court.
11. **Public Comment on Agenda Items:** none
12. **Future Meeting Planning and Adjournment:**
 - Calendar review for 2023 Meeting Dates
 - ****SAVE THE DATE****
Yolo County MHSA Stakeholders,
Please plan on attending the Yolo County Mental Health Services Act (MHSA) Community Engagement Work Group (CEWG) Meeting (virtually) on Wednesday December 7, 2022 @3:30 PM-5:00 PM. The CEWG is an ongoing engagement work group to support the Mental Health Services Act planning in Yolo County.

Agenda: CEWG Listening Session & Focus Group

Join Zoom Meeting: <https://yolocounty.zoom.us/j/87356022897>

Next Meeting: January 23, 2022 6pm

Adjourned: 7:18