

Stanislaus County

Department: Behavioral Health and Recovery Services

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Type of Meeting:	Cultural Competency, Equity and Social Justice Committee			Date:	January 9, 2017				
Place:	Redwood Room, 800 Scenic Drive			Starting Time:	9:00 am				
Facilitators:	Abraham Andres, Jorge Fernandez			Ending Time:	10:30 am				
Attendees:	Behavioral Health CCESJC Co-Chairs Abraham Andres Administrative Services Maggie Howard ASOC Emily Maeyama-MRS Monica Avina – TRS Travis Curtis – TRS EMS Stanworks Amanda Mejia CCESJC Community Liaison Luis Molina CSOC Carla Skiles Family Advocate Tim White Genesis	MHSA Dan Rosas OASOC Teresa Gonzales Colette West Kimberlee Hamilton Outcomes/DMS Erica Inacio Patients' Rights Robyn Grayson Prevention Edwin Rivera Quality Services MaryCruz Vargas SLT Sponsor Cherie Dockery	SUD Treatment Charles Yarnell Training Jennifer Baker Utilization Management Gabriela Marquez Wellness Recovery Lynda Cambra YFS Sandra Perez	Community Based Organizations Aegis Treatment Centers – Vanessa Brown El Concilio-Beverly Perez, Teresa Guerrero Empowerment Center-Christina Kennney LGBTQ-John Aguirre Livingston Community Health- Griselda Vazquez Mental Health Board- Carmen Maldonado, Reginold Gilbert Telecare – Nora Martinez WMKKNC-Red Hawk	Communities & Lived Experience Child Welfare-Kathleen Grundy The Bridge Community Center-Pao Lee				
Absent:	Curtis Rager ABSAP Gregg Clifton FSP-COD Steven Leonard Human Resources Christi Golden IFT Debra Taylor	Medical Records Gloria Vargas Gwen Gnapp MHSA Dan Rosas PG/LPS/EMO Carlos Cervantes Peer Committee Monica Silva		Community Based Organizations AspiraNet – Melissa Joslin Center for Human Services-Maria Lopez Community Hospice – Sue Garcia Golden Valley Healthcare-Juan Villa Mi Vida Empieza – Teresa Gomez, Marcos Gallardo NAMI-Lynn Padlo Parents United – Mike Klemin Sierra Vista-Fernando Granados Turning Point-Trina King	Communities & Lived Experience ABCD Partners – African American – Assyrian – Carmen Morad Consumer-Jamie Hoover, Stanley Bindner Family-Children-Claudia Gallardo				
No Representation:	BHRS Programs & Departments • FSOC	Community Based Organizations Community-based SUD Provider Catholic Charities	 Communities ABCD Partners Faith/Spirituality Latin/Spanish- Speaking Law Enforcement 	Lived Experience Family- Adult					

Order of Agenda Items	Presenter(s)	Discussion		Person(s) Responsibl e	Target Date
Welcome & Introductions	All	Abraham Andres opened the meeting with welcome and introductions.			
Approval of Minutes	All	The December 2016 minutes were approved with no corrections.			
CC Update Newsletter & Discussion	Kimberlee Hamilton	Since 1990 the National Coalition for the Homeless has sponsored the National Homeless Persons' Memorial Day on December 21 st , the first day of winter and the longest night of the year to call attention to the tragedy of homelessness and memorialize those who have passed. This year Stanislaus County and the City of Modesto proclaimed December 21 st "Homeless Persons Memorial Day" in our area. During our meeting a candle was lit and the members read out loud the 33 names of the individuals that were mentioned on December 21 st ; those who have lost their lives due to homelessness.			
Community-Hope- Recovery	Susan Jones, Kimberlee Hamilton, John Zacharias	Community-Hope-Recovery is a component of High Risk Health and Senior Access Team newly developed which provides community service and peer support creating a safe place to meet. Peer groups are open to the public. Open Monday thru Friday 9-3:30. The volunteers who presented shared their story of becoming involved and how welcomed they felt. Recovery Values & Service Guidelines handout was distributed to the committee. Reviewed what High Risk Health and Senior Access Team has to offer for example: • Senior Access Team has a geriatric specialist doctor • Senior Log Project-Scams that focus on seniors • HICAP –Provides free and objective information and counseling about Medicare • Special Medical Program -Help seniors find a program that can reduce their share of cost • LGBTQ Senior Group-Meets Mondays at 3pm Volunteer celebration is held the 2 nd Friday of the month at The Alano Club at 1:00 p.m. Transportation is available if needed.			
CCESJC Goals and Objectives 2017	Abraham Andres	CCESJC plays a very intricate role into what's called the Cultural Competency Plan Requirement required by the State. Reviewed the objectives that were developed in 2010 for example: • Monitor different penetration rates • Look at anti stigma related activities • Consumer and family culture • CSOC-0-18 years of age • Understanding consumer and family member focus on 18-21 age group - TAYA • Focus on the Recovery model • Monitor cultural competency action plans • Monitor cultural supervision Ideas for Goals and Objectives for 2017 for example: Develop a team to go out and visit the different teams to observe the welcoming environment and provide feedback to this committee.	CLAS Standards – Review handout next month or email to the committee.	M. Avina	

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		cultural committees	goals and objectives ntain as priority. Suggested to review in			
Stigma Reduction/Welcomi ng Environment Report	Jorge Fernandez	Not reported				
Consumer/ Family Input	All	None reported				
Training Update	Jennifer Baker	LGBTQ 101 was filled quickly CBMCS – will email training information Cultural Summit coming in March				
Announcements	All	 Continuum Of Care taking place at the end of this month-last Thursday of the month. It reflects were Stanislaus County falls with housing. For more information contact The Housing Authority. Triannual audit will be held at the end of the month. State will review this meetings attendance, minutes and follow through of items. Reminded and encouraged the members to please sign up for the 2017 CCESJC Newsletter article. 				
Next Meeting: February 13, 2017 Redwood Room, 800 Scenic Drive		The Cultural Competency, Equity and Social Justice Committee meets on the second Monday of each month from 9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m., unless otherwise indicated.				
Respectfully submitted	d by: Monica Avina	1				