



# Stanislaus County

Department: Behavioral Health and Recovery Services

## MINUTES

<b>Type of Meeting:</b>	Cultural Competency, Equity and Social Justice Committee			<b>Date:</b>	September 11, 2017																								
<b>Place:</b>	Redwood Room, 800 Scenic Drive			<b>Starting Time:</b>	9:00 am																								
<b>Facilitators:</b>	Abraham Andres, Jorge Fernandez			<b>Ending Time:</b>	10:30 am																								
<b>Attendees:</b>	<p align="center"><b><u>Behavioral Health &amp; Recovery Services Departments</u></b></p> <table border="0"> <tr> <td><b><u>Administrative Services</u></b> Maggie Howard</td> <td><b><u>Human Resources</u></b> Christi Golden</td> <td><b><u>Utilization Management</u></b> Melanie Love</td> </tr> <tr> <td><b><u>ASOC</u></b> Monica Avina-TRS Travis Curtiss-TRS</td> <td><b><u>Medical Records</u></b> Gloria Vargas</td> <td><b><u>Wellness Recovery</u></b> Lynda Cambra</td> </tr> <tr> <td><b><u>BHS Stanworks</u></b> Amanda Mejia</td> <td><b><u>Outcomes/DMS</u></b> Erica Inacio</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td><b><u>CCESJC Co-Chairs</u></b> Abraham Andres Jorge Fernandez</td> <td><b><u>Patients' Rights</u></b> Robyn Grayson</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td><b><u>Family Advocate</u></b> Denise Dillon Melissa Farris</td> <td><b><u>Prevention</u></b> Edwin Rivera</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td><b><u>Genesis</u></b> Amaeo Beasley</td> <td><b><u>Quality Services</u></b> Jessica Torres</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td><b><u>Housing</u></b> Melissa McCay</td> <td><b><u>SUD Treatment</u></b> Charles Yarnell</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td><b><u>Training</u></b> Jennifer Baker Bernadet Betyaghoub</td> <td></td> </tr> </table>			<b><u>Administrative Services</u></b> Maggie Howard	<b><u>Human Resources</u></b> Christi Golden	<b><u>Utilization Management</u></b> Melanie Love	<b><u>ASOC</u></b> Monica Avina-TRS Travis Curtiss-TRS	<b><u>Medical Records</u></b> Gloria Vargas	<b><u>Wellness Recovery</u></b> Lynda Cambra	<b><u>BHS Stanworks</u></b> Amanda Mejia	<b><u>Outcomes/DMS</u></b> Erica Inacio		<b><u>CCESJC Co-Chairs</u></b> Abraham Andres Jorge Fernandez	<b><u>Patients' Rights</u></b> Robyn Grayson		<b><u>Family Advocate</u></b> Denise Dillon Melissa Farris	<b><u>Prevention</u></b> Edwin Rivera		<b><u>Genesis</u></b> Amaeo Beasley	<b><u>Quality Services</u></b> Jessica Torres		<b><u>Housing</u></b> Melissa McCay	<b><u>SUD Treatment</u></b> Charles Yarnell			<b><u>Training</u></b> Jennifer Baker Bernadet Betyaghoub		<p align="center"><b><u>Community Based Organizations</u></b></p> <p>Aegis Treatment Centers – Vanessa Brown  <b>Behavioral Health Board-</b> Carmen Maldonado  <b>Center for Human Services-</b> Maria Lopez  <b>Life Path-</b>Diane Rose  <b>Sierra Vista-</b>Fernando Granados  <b>Telecare –</b> Nora Martinez  <b>The Bridge-</b>Pao Lee  <b>The Last Resort-</b>Nahrain Benner  <b>Turning Point-</b>Samantha Valladares  <b>Turning Point Empowerment Center-</b> Alicia Silva  <b>WMKKNC-</b>Red Hawk</p>	<p align="center"><b><u>Communities &amp; Lived Experience</u></b></p> <p><b>Child Welfare-</b>Joseph Green  <b>Community Hope Recovery-</b>Monica Olguin  <b>Consumer-</b> Stanley Bindner, Jeanette Valencia</p>
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<b>Absent:</b>	<p><b><u>ABSAP</u></b> Gregg Clifton  <b><u>ASOC</u></b> Kristie Nelson  <b><u>CCESJC Community Liaison</u></b> Luis Molina  <b><u>CSOC</u></b> Carla Skiles  <b><u>EMO</u></b> Susan Quadra</p>	<p><b><u>IFT</u></b> Della Garcia  <b><u>MHSA</u></b> Dan Rosas  <b><u>OASOC</u></b> Colette West  <b><u>Peer Committee</u></b> Monica Silva  <b><u>SLT Sponsor</u></b> Cherie Dockery</p>	<p><b><u>YFS</u></b> Sandra Perez</p>	<p align="center"><b><u>Community Based Organizations</u></b></p> <p>AspiraNet – Melissa Joslin  Community Hospice – Sue Garcia  El Concilio-Teresa Guerrero  Golden Valley Healthcare-Juan Villa  LGBTQ-  Livingston Community Health-Griselda Vazquez  Mi Vida Empieza – Teresa Gomez, Marcos Gallardo  NAMI-Lynn Padlo  Parents United – Mike Klemin</p>	<p align="center"><b><u>Communities &amp; Lived Experience</u></b></p> <p>African American –  Assyrian Wellness Collaborative–  Family-Children-Claudia Gallardo</p>																								
<b>No Representation:</b>	<p><b><u>BHRS Programs &amp; Departments</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>FSOC</li> </ul>	<p><b><u>Community Based Organizations</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Community-based SUD Provider</li> <li>Catholic Charities</li> </ul>	<p><b><u>Communities</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>ABCD Partners</li> <li>Faith/Spirituality</li> <li>Latin/Spanish-Speaking</li> <li>Law Enforcement</li> </ul>	<p><b><u>Lived Experience</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Family- Adult</li> <li>South East Asian/Asian</li> </ul>																									

Order of Agenda Items	Presenter(s)	Discussion	Scheduled Actions	Person(s) Responsible	Target Date
Welcome & Introductions	All	Abraham Andres opened the meeting with welcome and introductions.			
Approval of Minutes	All	The August 2017 minutes were approved with no corrections.			
CC Update Newsletter & Discussion	Diane Rose – Life Path	LIFE Path serves Stanislaus County residents ages 14-25 and their families who meet the early psychosis intervention requirements. Studies show that 3 in 100 young people (between 12 and 25) will experience psychosis. LIFE Path is a transitional age youth program. Services are provided in the preferred language of the client, through interpreters if needed. Services are provided in a culturally and linguistically sensitive manner. LIFE Path is a community based program, able to provide many services throughout Stanislaus County. There is no fee to the clients or their families. Referrals to the LIFE Path program can be made at 209-312-9580. The LIFE Path program is collaboration between Stanislaus County Behavioral Health and Recovery Services, Sierra Vista Child & Family Services, and Center for Human Services.			
Review CLAS Standard #5	Jorge Fernandez	I Love Lucy - Down the Line of Translation –YouTube Video shown to the committee to introduce the importance of communication. Reviewed CLAS Standard #5: “Offer language assistance to individuals who have limited English proficiency and/or communication needs, at no cost to them, to facilitate timely access to all health care services”. The committee broke up into groups to discuss: What is <u>Quality</u> Interpreting & Translating? Feedback: Training, Different languages within cultures, Same language different meaning, Meeting them where they are at. What <u>Factors</u> must be taken into account in order to provide accurate Interpreting & Translating? Feedback: Education level, Boundaries, Cultural ethics, Managing sessions. Whose <u>Needs</u> should be taken into account when Interpreting & Translating? Feedback: Consumers, Everyone, Family and Training for interpreters.			
Diversity Week Reminder	Abraham Andres	Diversity Awareness Week for BHRS will be October 2 <sup>nd</sup> - 6 <sup>th</sup> , 2017. Thank you to all the programs that have signed up for diversity week. Senior Leader Team will visit the different programs to see the different displays.			
Consumer/Family Input	All	Tim White has moved to IFT, Melissa Farris will now represent Family Advocate program. Family Advocate program is accepting volunteers.			
Training Update	Jennifer Baker	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>●Mental Health First Aid in Spanish September 20<sup>th</sup> and 21<sup>st</sup> almost full.</li> <li>●Trauma Informed Care in Connection with Southeast Asian Communities Friday, September 29, 2017 almost full.</li> <li>●LGBTQ 101 Training Tuesday, October 10, 2017</li> </ul>			
Announcements	All				

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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>●Free Diabetes Screening and Cholesterol Testing-King Kennedy Memorial Center Saturday, September 16, 2017 from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. 601 S. Martin Luther King Drive, Modesto, CA.</li> <li>●Aegis Treatment Center 1235 McHenry Ave. Ste. A&amp;B, Modesto, CA.-Open House Wednesday, September 27<sup>th</sup> from 4-7 p.m.</li> <li>●Hawaiian Luau-Empowerment Center 1001 Needham St., Modesto, CA. Friday, September 22, 2017 from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Free event.</li> <li>●Out of the Darkness Walk Community Park September 16, 2017 at Graceada Park starting at 7:30 a.m.</li> </ul>			
<b>Next Meeting:</b> October 9, 2017 Redwood Room, 800 Scenic Drive		<b>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.</b>			
Respectfully submitted by: Monica Avina					