

Meeting Minutes

Wednesday, October 12, 2022 5:30 pm

Teleconference/ Via Zoom

Meeting Attendees: (If member is present box is checked)

Jennifer Churchill (Chair)	\boxtimes	Melinda Avey (1st Vice Chair)	\boxtimes	Carlos Simpson (2nd Vice Chair)	
Barbara Oleachea	\boxtimes	Chris Baker		Ricki Townsend	
Irene Chu		Chris Carlson	\boxtimes	Christian Landaverde	\boxtimes
Ryan Raftery		Maria Padilla-Castro	\boxtimes	Harry Carlson	\boxtimes
Nicholas Erickson	\boxtimes	Paul Tanner		Jessica Elorduy	×
Crystal Sheffield	×	Alexis Sanchez		Bridgette Dean Nick Golling (Alternate)	
Gail Brosnan	\boxtimes				

Topic	Minutes
Welcomes/Roll Call	Chair, Jennifer Churchill, called the meeting to order at 5:31 PM.
Agenda and Approval of Minutes	 Chris Carlson made a motion and Melinda Avey seconded the motion to approve the agenda was approved. Motion carried. Chris Carlson made a motion and Maria Padilla-Castro seconded the motion to approve the September 14, 2022 minutes. Motion carried.
AB 361 Vote Results	Nine Advisory Board members voted to conduct the November 9 meeting in a virtual format and one voted to conduct the meeting in-person. The November 9 meeting will be conducted in a virtual format.
Public comment	No public comments were made.



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Presentation: Recover	Nick Gulino, CEO, provided a presentation about the telehealth Recover program. The presentation will be sent to Advisory Board members by email. Contact information: nick@letsrecover.com
Public comment	No public comments were made.
Presentation: WellSpace Health	Johnathan Porteus, CEO, provide a presentation about the WellSpace Health CRISIS System and the Crisis Receiving for Behavioral Health (CRBH) program (formerly the SURE Center). The presentation will be sent to Advisory Board members by email.
Public comment	No public comments were made.
Board Action	Melinda Avey made a motion and Maria Padilla-Castro seconded the motion to send a letter to the Board of Supervisors in support of continued funding for the CRBH Program through Fiscal Year 2023-24. A vote was conducted (Aye: 11, Nay: 0). Motion carried. Chris Carlson made a motion and Melinda Avey seconded the motion for the Executive Committee to draft the letter. A vote was conducted (Aye: 11, Nay: 0). Motion carried.
Public comment regarding the Board Action	No public comments were made.
Board Announcements	 HC 2022 Award nominations are due November 14. The Nomination Form will be sent to Advisory Board members by email. For future meetings, if an Advisory Board member cannot attend a meeting, please notify Chair Churchill or SUPT staff.
Advisory Board Committee Reports	Criminal Justice Committee A Mental Health Felony Diversion Program presentation was provided at the September 19 meeting. At the October 17 meeting, the City of Sacramento Homeless Services will provide a presentation about the Auburn Outreach & Engagement Center. Beginning in November, the new recurring schedule for this meeting will be the first Monday of the month from 2:00-4:00 pm. Upcoming Presentations: December: Groups Recover Together



Alcohol and Drug Advisory Board		
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	 February: Mobile Crisis Support Team and Wellness Call Center and Response Team March: Mental Health CORE Programs 	
	Melinda Avey expressed her thanks for the invaluable support by Kimberly Grimes and Chris Carlson added that she's the heart and soul of the committee.	
	Prevention Committee Nick Erickson and Shari Egeland shared information about Measure B that will be on the November 8 ballot. The next meeting is Tuesday, October 18, 2022 at 1:30 pm, which will be held in a virtual format.	
	Treatment Committee John Durbin reported that the Job Fair was held at WellSpace Health on Saturday, September 24 from 10 am – 1 pm. Seventeen of nineteen providers attended as well as some certifying agencies. Unfortunately, only twelve to fifteen participants attended. However, participants received a lot of time and personal attention. Although participation wasn't what we were hoping for, we did learn some really great ideas for spreading the word for future job fairs, and the coordinating and networking that took place among providers was really great.	
	Melinda Avey, Maria Padilla-Castro, and Jennifer Churchill expressed their appreciation for our personal Rock Star, John Durbin!	
	The next Treatment Committee will be held on October 19, 2022 at 3 pm, which will be held as a hybrid format.	
	Membership Committee Harry Carlson expressed his thanks to new Advisory Board members for their committee participation. Harry recommended getting more youth involved in the Advisory Board. There is currently one vacant Technical Member seat.	



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Provider Announcements	John Durbin, Bridges Professional Treatment Services: DUI programs are trying to negotiate a fee increase and word from the Department of Health Care Services is that all DUI program services are to return to in-person services only beginning in 2023.
Behavioral Health Services (BHS) Report	 Dr. Quist provided the following report. Behavioral Health Continuum Infrastructure Program Successfully applied for \$23.5 million for a Mental Health Rehabilitation Center. Submitted an application for a youth Crisis Stabilization Unit and Psychiatric Health Facility. We are now working on an application
Dr. Ryan Quist, Director, Behavioral Health Services	for SUD Residential Treatment. Homeless Encampment and Response Team (Heart Program). Addressing the needs of our homeless. For more information: https://dhs.saccounty.gov/BHS/Pages/heart.aspx The Mental Health adult system of care is being increased from 6 to 10 outpatient clinics that will be located throughout Sacramento County. Each clinic will have a walk-in, peerrun wellness center. Linkages and referrals to substance use treatment will also be made.
Public comment	No public comments were made.
Substance Use Prevention and Treatment Services (SUPT) Report Lori Miller, SUPT Division Manager	Lori Miller reported that there have been 62 Fentanyl poisoning/overdose deaths in Sacramento County so far this year. SUPT continues our partnership with the District Attorney's Office's 1 Pill Can Kill campaign. SUPT is contracting with an organization called Arrive Alive to bring Fentanyl and Narcan® education and awareness to schools. Working with parents, youth, and school officials. We've presented at two high schools so far and have four more scheduled. We're excited to support the accessibility and



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	availability of Narcan® within the schools. Sacramento City Unified School District is taking the lead in this effort and we're hoping other schools will follow their lead. • Melissa Viscarra shared SUPT Announcements. This will be sent to Advisory Board members by email. • Kimberly Grimes shared the following in the chat: ○ APART Film and Discussion, October 13 at 7:00 PM, St. Anthony's Church. ○ Brother Be Well will be presenting at November 10 Methamphetamine Coalition. ○ Behavioral Health Racial Equity Collaboration (BHREC) Coaching Session will be held October 27, 2022. ○ Celebrating Filipinx Community, Culture, and History will be held October 22 from 11 am - 7 pm at San Joaquin Delta College. ○ Diwali Celebration will be held October 29, 2022 from 12 pm - 7 pm at BAPS Shri, 48 Armstrong Ave, Mather.
Public comment	No public comments were made.
Adjournment	Meeting adjourned at 7:29 PM.