

### Sacramento County Alcohol and Drug Advisory Board

#### **Meeting Minutes**

Wednesday, November 13, 2024, 5:30 pm

#### **Teleconference/ Via Zoom**

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

Jennifer Churchill (1 <sup>st</sup> Vice Chair)		Melinda Avey (Chair)		Judith Mummert	
Barbara Oleachea	$\boxtimes$	Chris Baker	$\boxtimes$	Gene Rojas	$\boxtimes$
Ryan Raftery		Paul Tanner		Gail Brosnan	Ø
Javon Williams		Sarah Weber		Jermel Taylor	
Sameer Sood		Jenny Stoneburner		Severine Hollingsworth	⊠
Rachel Davidson					

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Welcomes/Roll Call	1 <sup>st</sup> Vice Chair, Jennifer Churchill, called the meeting to order at 5:30 pm.		
Approval of Minutes and Agenda	A motion was made and seconded to approve this evening's agenda.		
	A motion was made and seconded to approve the October 9, 2024, meeting minutes. Motion carried.		
Presentation: Welcome Homes	<ul> <li>An overview of the Sacramento County Welcome Homes program was given by:</li> <li>Melissa Loyd, Deputy Director, Sacramento County Child Protective Services</li> <li>Sherri Green, Division Manager, Behavioral Health Services</li> <li>Lori Miller, Division Manager, Behavioral Health Services</li> </ul>		
Public Comment	No Public Comment		



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New Business	• 2024 HC Award recipient has been selected and will be presented to Judge Brown at the January 2025 meeting.			
Behavioral Health Integration Update	• No new update from last month's meeting.			
Proposition 1 Update	<ul> <li>Proposition 1 is now being referred to as Behavioral Health Services Act (BHSA) or Behavioral Health Transformation (BHT).</li> </ul>			
Public Comment	No Public Comment			
Committee Monthly Report • Criminal Justice Committee • Prevention Committee • Treatment Committee • Membership Committee	Criminal Justice Committee An update of the Recovery Court program was given. Prevention Committee No Prevention Committee update was given. Treatment Committee The Treatment Committee did a site visit at TLCS 3737 Marconi. Membership Committee A welcome to the newly appointed Board member Sarah Weber, who is attending her first meeting tonight. Nominations for Chair, 1 <sup>st</sup> Vice Chair and 2 <sup>nd</sup> Vice Chair are now being accepted for calendar year 2025. We currently have the following nominations: Chair: Melinda Avey 1 <sup>st</sup> Vice Chair: Jennifer Churchill 2 <sup>nd</sup> Vice Chair: Ryan Raftery Additional nominations can be done by contacting Gail Brosnan or Rich Daniel prior to December Meeting.			
Public Comment	No Public Comment.			
Provider Announcements	Jori Shaffer, Bridges Inc.: Bridges is getting ready to open their fifth fathers with children unit located on Yreka Rd.			
Public Comment	No Public Comment.			
Behavioral Health Services (BHS) Report Ryan Quist, Director	<ul> <li>Kelli Weaver, Deputy Director, Behavioral Health Services, provided the following report:</li> <li>Behavioral Health Bridge Housing update: We have been awarded a total of \$58 million in round 3. This program is designed to be a transition between permanent housing and unsheltered</li> </ul>			



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	populations. Outcomes are significantly better when we engage with clients in a sheltered environment rather than an unsheltered encampment. Bridges is one of the providers that will be able to do improvements on three of their houses.
Public Comment	No Public Comment.
Substance Use Prevention and Treatment Services (SUPT) Report Lori Miller, Division Manager	<ul> <li>Lori Miller, SUPT Division Manager, provided the following report: <ul> <li>We have seen a significant reduction in the number of fentanyl-related deaths in our county. There has been a 56% decline from last year to this year.</li> <li>November 30, 2024, National Methamphetamine Awareness Day. We will be having an informational/Resource table at East Parkway.</li> <li>Trending Substances: "Pink Cocaine" more information can be found on the Safer Sacramento website https://www.safersacramento.com/</li> </ul> </li> <li>Pamela Hawkins, SUPT Health Program Manager, provided the following report: <ul> <li>New residential providers are coming to our network. Center Point a 31 bed facility and Serenity a 6 bed facility will be contracting with Sacramento County and providing residential services to clients in the next few months.</li> <li>SUPT is working with our CORE Mental Health providers to be able to provide care screenings at the CORE locations.</li> <li>SUPT has started provider committees per modality.</li> <li>A list of Sober Living providers with the services they offer has been created and is available as a handout at tonight's meeting.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
Public Comment	No Public Comment.
Adjournment	Motion to adjourn approved at 7:015 pm.