## Sacramento County Behavioral Health Commission (BHC) Executive Committee Meeting Minutes

October 20, 2025

Meeting Time Monday, October 20, 2025 6:00 PM – 8:00 PM Meeting Location 7001-A East Parkway Conference Room 1 Sacramento, CA 95823

## **Meeting Invitees**

- BHC Executive Committee
   Members
- General Public

Attendance							
Behavioral Health Commission (BHC) Members							
Name	Attendance	Name	Attendance				
Judith Mummert	⊠Present □ Absent	Laura Asay-Bemis	⊠Present □Absent				
Cassidy Paige	⊠Present □Absent	Jennifer Churchill	□ Present ⊠ Absent				
Patricia Wentzel	⊠Present □Absent		□Present □Absent				
County Staff to Behavioral Health Commission (BHC) Executive Committee							
Name	Attendance	Name	Attendance				
Dr. Ryan Quist	⊠Present □ Absent	Chris Costa	⊠Present □Absent				
Jane Ann Zakhary	⊠Present □ Absent		□ Present □ Absent				

Agenda Item		Discussion	Time
I.	Welcome and Introductions Committee Introductions Introductions of BHS Team	The meeting was called to order at 9:00AM. Behavioral Health Commission (BHC) members and Sacramento County Behavioral Health Services (BHS) staff introduced themselves.	9:00am
II.	Meeting Logistics	Executive Committee members agreed to hold Executive Committee meetings on the first Thursday of each month in the evening, at a central location. The next meeting is scheduled for Thursday, December 4, 2025, from 6:00 PM to 7:30 PM at 700 H Street, Sacramento CA 95814.	9:20am
		Members expressed a preference to meet monthly for now, as the BHC is getting started. The meeting frequency may shift to quarterly in the future.	
		Members also concluded that the scheduling of the BHC general meetings should be moved from the 4 <sup>th</sup> Wednesday to the 3 <sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of each month. The next general meeting will be scheduled for Wednesday, November 19, from 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM. The meeting location is still being finalized.	
III.	Discussion/Action Item: Review & Approve Agenda for Next BHC General Meeting	The following Agenda items were identified to be included on next BHC General Meeting Agenda:  BHS Director's Report	9:40am

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	<ul> <li>Behavioral Health Services Act update</li> <li>General public comment</li> <li>Election of BHC officers: Per the BHC Bylaws, election of officers happens each November at the general meeting. Chairperson Mummert advised that she would be stepping down but would hold her seat until the new year.</li> <li>Committee Updates</li> <li>Committee Appointments</li> </ul>	
IV. Discussion: Future Agenda Topics	<ul> <li>Discussion of a retreat in early 2026, similar to what was held by the Mental Health Board each year.</li> <li>Brainstorm new ways to integrate mental health treatment and substance use prevention and treatment.</li> <li>More information from the Intensive Placement Team. How do they address co-occurring needs? How is their budget broken down?</li> <li>Deep dive into housing services</li> <li>Overview of the children's system, including early psychosis intervention.</li> <li>Question about SacEDAPT waitlist, BHS Director to follow up</li> <li>Sheriff overview of misdemeanor and felony diversion programs.</li> <li>Assistance for grandparents and single fathers raising kids with extreme behaviors.</li> </ul>	10:20am
V. General Public Comment	None	10:35am
VI. Adjournment	Chairperson Mummert adjourned the meeting.	10:39am