Meeting Minutes

September 10, 2019 - 8:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.

Micron Conference Room 1

9616 Micron, Suite 900 Sacramento, CA 95827

Facilitator: Effie Ruggles **Scribe**: Stacey Kennedy

Meeting Attendees:

- Robin Blanks-Guster
- Effie Ruggles
- Kathryn Andrew
- Dr. Ruenell Adams Jacobs
- Rebecca Lewis
- Amber Hill
- Elaine Ellers
- Dr. Kevin Keating
- Cristina Newport

- Fay Bursch
- Leesa Hooks
- Stacey Kennedy
- Donyale Abe
- Robyn Alongi



Absent Members:

- Ravinder Khaira
- Palvinder Dhillon
- Jessica Porten
- Mary Baston
- Harry Wang

Welcome and Introductions	Meeting called to order at 8:10 a.m. by Stacey Kennedy
Agenda and Minutes	May minutes reviewed and approved as written by the Board
Public Health Officer's Report	 Presented by Leesa Hooks for Dr. Law In August, CDC published a health advisory on severe pulmonary disease associated with vaping devices containing cannabinoid products such as THC or CBD. So far there are 215 possible cases from 25 states. The exact cause is undetermined. Sacramento County has one reported case. Recommendations for the public is to refrain from using electronic vaping products with any concerns of specific health risks, monitor symptoms and talk to your doctor with concerns, electronic cigarette or electronic vaping products should not be used by youth, young adults, and pregnant women. This is West Nile Virus season (from Summer to Fall) and Sacramento County has one case thus far. A Health Advisory on Mosquito-borne diseases was sent out on September 3 to remind clinicians to collect specimens for testing and report to public health with any case of West Nile Virus. Sexual Health Clinic at 4600 Broadway, suite 1300 is in full swing with a half time Nurse Practitioner. Clinic hours are half day Wednesday from 8-12, and full days on Thursday and Friday from 8-5pm. We hope to expand to 5 days a week eventually. The clinic has also recently enrolled to be a Family Pact Provider and expects to begin providing Family PACT services as soon as we receive a certification of approval. The clinic will provide Long Acting Reversible Contraception services and continue to provide access to oral contraception. The County STD program is participating in providing STD treatment services at Los Rios Campuses since January this year. Designated funding for that project will end by the end of this year. We have received positive feedback from the students as well as Los Rios staff and we are currently exploring ways to continue these much needed services for the students. A health alert was sent out regarding mercury in skin creams: a Sacramento county resident is hospitalized with the highest level of methyl mercury ever recorded

MCAH Update	 Presented by Leesa Hooks We want to make the MCAH Advisory Board meeting meaningful for the Board, please let us know if you have any suggested future topics or speakers. The newly awarded Black Infant Health contractors are the Child Abuse Prevention Center who will serve South Sacramento and the Mutual Assistance Network who will serve North Sacramento. The Perinatal Health Program is partnering with CPS to identify pregnant moms with substance use disorder who currently do not have other children. These moms will be eligible to receive home visitation services from the Public Health Nurses.
2016 Child Death Review Team (CDRT) Report	 Presented by Stephanie Biegler & Jasmine Brosnan, Child Abuse Prevention Center (CAPC) This is the 28th year of the CDRT report and the data collected is used to create and implement prevention programs. All child deaths are identified in the county The Power Point presentation is attached and copies of the report are available through MCAH or CAPC
NFP Update	 Presented by Fay Bursch There are currently 4 nurses on staff, with 108 clients and 22 on a waitlist. Some women on the waitlist can be moved over into the African American Perinatal Health Program Working towards having the Incentive Fund partially fund one position with a county match and we do anticipate some CHVP expansion funds in the future. Referrals are coming in from Capital OB, Halo Medical Clinic, Camellia Women's Health, Foster Care and hospital social workers. Will be attending a Health Fair on 11/9 in Del Paso Height for additional outreach. There is a new goal setting app for moms to used called <i>Goal Mama</i>, they can put input their goals and get daily reminders. Nurses are receiving training on multiple topics such as, opioid use, intimate partner violence, and social determinates of health. Exciting news- NPF may receive CalWorks Home Visiting Initiative program funding which will grow the staff by 4 additional nurses and 1 supervisor. This will go the Board on October 22nd.

Perinatal Equity Update	 Presented by Stacey Kennedy: The project has wrapped up its activities and was able to contract with UC Davis to conduct chart reviews for 2017-2018 AA preterm births. 45 charts were review (a summary of the results is attached) Notable data showed Thirty percent of the women had pre-eclampsia and 48% had placenta concerns to include pre-eclampsia, previa, abruption, intrauterine growth restriction, as well as other issues. The social workers' notes were also reviewed the chart reviews indicated that almost 70% of the women reported stress during their pregnancy and 21 women report some substance use while pregnant. A lack of support during pregnancy was noted by 42% of the women. Anxiety, depression or some other mental health disordered was noted in 47% of the women.
	 We have been working with RSE to create a media campaign to raise awareness in the community. Concepts around institutional racism have been developed and are currently being tested with focus groups in the community.
Policy Update	 The legislative session will be over on Friday 9/13 A September 2019 Bill update was sent out to all board members Notable bills include SB 276 the Vaccine Exemption Bill that was signed into law. This bill would require the State Department of Public Health, by January 1, 2021, to develop and make available for use by physicians an electronic, standardized, statewide medical exemption request that would be transmitted using the California Immunization Registry (CAIR), and would be the only documentation of a medical exemption that a governing authority may accept. SB 419 pupil discipline: suspensions: willful defiance bill would prohibit the suspension of a pupil enrolled in a school district or charter school in grades 4 and 5 for disrupting school activities or otherwise willfully defying the authority of those school personnel engaged in the performance of their duties. The bill, from July 1, 2020, until July 1, 2025, would prohibit the suspension of a pupil enrolled in a school district or charter school in any of grades 6 to 8, inclusive, for those acts. SB 154 restorative dental services: his bill would authorize a provider of services for the treatment of dental caries to provide, and receive reimbursement for, the application of silver diamine fluoride when used as a caries arresting agent, as specified, if the provider first consults with the beneficiary and obtains written informed consent, and if the treatment is included as part of a comprehensive treatment plan. The bill would permit a registered dental hygienist in alternative practice who meets the requirements of

	the bill to bill for the services described in the bill.
Board Member	Presented by Robyn Alongi
Updates/Announcements	 Current translation services for health education materials are problematic. Many materials are not translated in a way that the population can understand.
	 Currently working with a media company on a new DTI campaign that will be rolling out soon and will include images of local families.
	Presented by Dr. Kevin Keating
	 California Northstate University, School of Dental Medicine hopes to start a class in Fall 2020, Dr. Keating has been named the new Dean. They are working with the FQHC's to plane a residency rotation, they will have 1 dental operatory at the hospital.
	 The school has a mission to enroll an ethnically diverse student population.
	Presented by Dr. Ruenell Adams-Jacobs
	 The entering medical student class at UCD is currently 22% African American and 26% Latino, this is the most diverse group of students ever.
	Presented by Katie Andrew
	 On 9/26 at 5:00 PM the Medical/Dental Learning Community will host a session in Rancho Murrieta. A Blue Cross representative will speak on what can be done to move towards integration.
	 On 12/4 the Medical/Dental Learning Community will host a session with Dr. Susan Fisher-Owens, a pediatrician in San Francisco from the Medical Society will be the speaker.
	 On 2/6 the new president of the California Dental Hygienist Association will speak on integration and working with DTI projects.
Wrap-Up/Adjournment	Effie adjourned the meeting at 9:35 a.m.
	Next Meeting is November 12 th , 2019