# **Behavioral Health Services**

A Division of Health Care Services Agency



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# SAN JOAQUIN COUNTY BEHAVIORAL HEALTH ADVISORY BOARD (BHB)

# Regular Meeting

November 16, 2022 – 5:00 -7:00 P.M.

Behavioral Health Services 1212 N California St. Conference Room B/C Stockton, CA 95202

#### Minutes

### I. CALL TO ORDER:

- Moment of Silence
- Pledge of Allegiance
- Roll Call

| Board Members:  |                         |   |                         |
|---|-------------------------|---|-------------------------|
|   | Miguel Villapudua       | Р | Mrs. Gertrud K Kandris  |
|   | Ms. Karen E. Ivy        | Р | Mr. Anastassios Kandris |
| Р   | Philip Cisneros         | Р | Mr. Cary L Martin       |
| Р   | Ms. Patricia A Barrett  | Р | Ms. Sabrina Flores      |
| Р   | Mr. Jeffrey N Giampetro |   |                         |
| Р   | Mr. John Weston         |   |                         |
| Р   | Ms. Carolyn E Cooper    |   |                         |
| Guests:   |                         |   |                         |
| Cara Dun; Greg Diederich; Terrance Massey; Angelo Balmeceda; Johnathon Vickery. |                         |   |                         |

## II. PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD - OPEN TIME

# Johnathon Vickery

♦ Lodi peer support groups – Flyers

♦ Saturday 10-12 Suicide survivors' day at Wellness center.

## III. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Approval of Minutes from the September 2022 Meeting
Minutes approved.

### IV. OLD BUSINESS:

• Amended Bylaws approved at BOS

♦ Now called the BHAB

♦\$25 Stipend – all members effective 10-1/ Travel reimbursement.

- Mandatory Training directly following the Behavioral Health Board meeting.
  - ♦ Requests for Proposals and Requests for Qualifications. Terrance Massey

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#### V. NEW BUSINESS:

- Data Book Angelo Balmaceda
  - ♦ Review of Data Book presentation.
  - ♦ Can we use MHSA dollars to prepare for future pandemics etc.?
    - ◆ No this is something that needs to be done on the County level.
- ♦ Can we report and build up for the future?
  - ◆ Yes, we're submitting an action report on Dec 13<sup>th</sup>.
- ♦ Relaxation of regulations during covid allowed for Telecare services.
- Angelo MHSA Planning will be starting, and we will be into new areas. Flyer going out this week.
  - Jeff it would be a good idea to have the mobile crisis unit where we are having the public outreach.
    - It would have significant downtime for mobile crisis if we were too
- Selection of the Nominating Committee:
  - ♦ Sabrina Flores, Jeff Giampetro and Tasso Kandris were selected to serve as the Nomination committee for this year.

#### **VI.** COMMITTEE REPORTS:

• Legislative Report – Gertie Kandris

## The CARE (Community Assistance, Recovery and Empowerment)

Court Proposal was unveiled on March 3, 2022 by Governor Newsom's Administration to address California cities struggling to address homeless and mental health crisis on their streets as reported to you at our March 16, 2022 Behavioral Health Board Meeting.

It passed in the Legislature with overwhelming support. It is a first in-the-nation framework to empower individuals suffering from untreated schizophrenia and other psychotic disorders.

CARE COURT is bolstered by the state's \$15.3 billion in funding to tackle homelessness and \$11.6 billion annually in mental health services.

**SB 1338** the Community Assistance, Recovery and Empowerment Act (Senator Umberg and Senator Susan Talamantes Eggman) will provide assistance upstream, ahead of conservatorships and outside the walls of institutions. Under CARE Court, families, clinicians, first responders and others will be able to refer individuals suffering from schizophrenia spectrum or psychotic disorders.

CARE COURT will be implemented statewide and will start with a phased-in approach. The first co-hort to implement CARE Court includes Glenn, Riverside, San Diego, Stanislaus, Tuolumne and San Francisco. Tasso asked about the PHF Facility

# VII. Directors Report - Cara Dunn

- Reinstituting holiday events for staff and clients
- Genevieve will be starting Dec 5<sup>th</sup>
- City of Stockton providing 4Mill dollars to CMC for alternate emergency services for lower level MHS and instead of sending out law enforcement for lower acuity calls. BHS will be partnering with them.
  - ♦ Questions regarding if CMC will have Peer support?
  - ♦ Greg will check on this as it has not launched yet.
  - ♦ Betsy Pettis will be Asked to present on new SUD programs upcoming funding in January.



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### VIII. REMINDERS

- MHSA Consortium 12/7/2022 3pm
- Cultural Competency Committee 11/22/2022 11am
- Suicide Prevention Committee 12/20/2022 3pm

## IX. Board Comments

♦ None

X. ADJOURN TO WEDNESDAY December 21, 2022 at 5:00 P.M.

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