



Stanislaus County
Department: Behavioral Health and Recovery Services
MINUTES

Type of Meeting:	Cultural Competence, Equity and Social Justice Committee (CCESJC)	Date:	December 14, 2020
Place:	Zoom	Starting Time:	9:00 am
Facilitators:	Ruben Imperial, Miranda Chalabi	Ending Time:	10:30 am
Attendance: <i>Attendees will be identified with an X in the box – if absent, the box will not be checked.</i>	<p align="center"><u>Behavioral Health & Recovery Services Departments / CCESJC Executive Committee</u></p> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Abraham Andres, Adult/Older Adult System of Care and CCESJC Executive Committee <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adylene Villasenor, Child Welfare <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Alicia Rivera, Utilization Management <input type="checkbox"/> Bernadet Kaldani, Training <input type="checkbox"/> Cherie Dockery, Senior Leadership <input type="checkbox"/> Candiss Trew, Human Resources <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Carlie Amacher, Training <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Dalia Perez-Deniz, Leaps <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Daniel Brown, Genesis <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Edgar Moya, Data Management Services / Performance Measures <input type="checkbox"/> Estefania Carrazco, Estate Management Office <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Eugene Del Franco, Employment <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Gabriela Mungia, Quality Services <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Griselda Calderon, School Based Services <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Gloria Vargas, Medical Records <input type="checkbox"/> Janet Nunez-Pineda, Prevention & Early Intervention <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Jessica Acevedo, Wellness Recovery Center <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Jorge Fernandez, Golden Valley Health Centers, CCESJC Executive Committee <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Karl Meabrod, Forensics / IFT <input type="checkbox"/> Kathleen Grundy, CSA/CPS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Tommy Panyanouvong, Wellness Recovery Center <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Kristi Stewart, SUD Education & Prevention <input type="checkbox"/> Kom Chen, Employment & Housing Support Services <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Dr. Kristie Nelson, Modesto Recovery Services <input type="checkbox"/> Lucilita Escobar Family Partnership and SED <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Lynda Cambra, Wellness til Maggie Howard, Business Office <input type="checkbox"/> Maria Guerrero, Leaps & Bounds <input type="checkbox"/> Marlena Neely, COD/FSP <input type="checkbox"/> Megan Vylonis, Quality Services <input type="checkbox"/> Martha Cisneros, Mental Health Services Act <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MaryCruz Vargas, Quality Services <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Mayra Mendoza, Mental Health Services Act, CCESJC Executive Committee <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Melissa Ayson, Volunteer Office <input type="checkbox"/> Melissa Farris, Family Advocate <input type="checkbox"/> Melissa McCay, Children's System of Care <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Miranda Chalabi, Ethnic Services Manager <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Gabriela Munguia, Quality Services <input type="checkbox"/> Patricia Mireles, BHS StanWorks <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Rebecca Clover, Behavioral Health Board <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Sarai Ramos, Patient's Rights <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ruben Imperial, Senior Leadership, CCESJC Executive Committee, Sponsor <input type="checkbox"/> Saroun Moun-Eldrige, SRC <input type="checkbox"/> Shellie Martinez, Children's, Josie's Place <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Tameika Easter-Griffin, SED <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Travis Whitehead, SRC Outpatient <input type="checkbox"/> Valerie Van Tuinen, Family Partner Ship and SED	<p align="center"><u>Collaboratives / Community Based Organizations</u></p> <input type="checkbox"/> Albert Gonzalez, Leticia Vasquez, Jaime Soto, Summer Hillas-Buck,Telecare <input type="checkbox"/> Alyssa Baker, Nirvana Treatment Institution <input type="checkbox"/> Brenda Estrada Ramirez, Turning Point <input type="checkbox"/> Bryan Clarke, The Last Resort <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Crystal Thed Ford, Nirvana Treatment Institution <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Christina Kenney, Turning Point <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> David Kirkpatrick, Turning Point <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fernando Granados, Sierra Vista <input type="checkbox"/> HP Tan, Turning Point <input type="checkbox"/> Jamie Nard, Turning Point <input type="checkbox"/> Jessica Nila, HPSJ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Jessica Borelli, AspiraNet <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> John Aguirre, LGBTQA Collaborative <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Laura Urzua, Central Star <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Maria Lopez, Center for Human Services <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Monica Bahr, Center for Human Services <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pao Lee, The Bridge <input type="checkbox"/> Perfecto Munoz, West Modesto Collaborative <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Robert Thompson, Nirvana Treatment Institution <input type="checkbox"/> Selene Flores, Aegis Treatment Center <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Virginia Linker, Turning Point, Empowerment Center	<p align="center"><u>Community Representatives</u></p> <input type="checkbox"/> Carmen Maldonado, Peer <input type="checkbox"/> David Reed Norton, Peer <input type="checkbox"/> David Roberts, Peer <input type="checkbox"/> Gary Nicholas <input type="checkbox"/> Heriberto Serrano, Peer <input type="checkbox"/> Jamie Hoover, Consumer <input type="checkbox"/> Jeanette Valencia, Peer Committee <input type="checkbox"/> Kurt Trepel, Consumer <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Margie Johnson, Peer <input type="checkbox"/> Olga Rodriguez <input type="checkbox"/> Patricia Young, Peer Volunteer <input type="checkbox"/> Roseann Reynoso <input type="checkbox"/> Stanley Binder, Lived Experience <input type="checkbox"/> Steven Ney, Consumer <input type="checkbox"/> Timothy Hilton, Peer <input type="checkbox"/> Tommy Walker <input type="checkbox"/> Trena Eisenberg, Peer <input type="checkbox"/> Troy Simmons <input type="checkbox"/> Walter Brown, Peer <input type="checkbox"/> Yvette Leatherman, Peer <p><u>Need Representation from:</u></p> <input type="checkbox"/> African American <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Assyrian Wellness Collaborative <input type="checkbox"/> Family / Children <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Faith / Spirituality <input type="checkbox"/> Latino / Spanish Speaking <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Law Enforcement <input type="checkbox"/> South East Asian / Asian

Order of Agenda Items	Presenter(s)	Discussion	Scheduled Actions	Person(s) Responsible	Target Date
Welcome & Introductions	All	Ruben Imperial called the meeting to order.			
Approval of Minutes	All	October's minutes were approved with no corrections.			
Peer Support During COVID	Tommy Panyanouvong & Jessica Acevedo	<p>Tommy Panyanouvong shared a slide show to the group. He shared on Pandemic Resilience and Modeling New Ways to Provide Peer Support Services. He gave a brief history on the Empowerment Center. Consumers participating with the Empowerment Center receive services of peer support, modeling of safe and ethical behaviors, promotion of self-determination, empowerment, and lifelong learning. Members of the center are also linked to community resources including housing, employment, and education. The Empowerment Center strives to stay connected to the community by collaborating with other programs and providing space for community organizations to reserve for meetings/support groups as well as events for enhancing social activities and educational opportunities.</p> <p>If you have any question, you can call the Empowerment Center at (209) 544-1913.</p> <p>Jessica Acevedo shared a slide show with the group. She mentioned how the Wellness Recovery Center is now open for onsite peer support at granger community resource center. She also shared on what they do. The Wellness Recovery Center is a community-based program that offers peer support to adult individuals in the community. They promote overall community wellness. In peer support, we meet peers where they are at, build a relationship, and connection with peers. Creates empowerment in the peer community. They are there side by side with peers. Everyone has a unique life journey. Support peers in their recovery journey by utilizing strength-based approach. Peer Support Staff can share own lived experience and inspire hope.</p> <p>For any questions and additional support, call the Wellness Recovery Center at (209) 558-4610.</p>			
CCESJC Refocus	Miranda Chalabi	Miranda Chalabi shared a slide show on what to expect going forward with the CCESJC meeting. She shared State and Federal Requirements, Data Priorities, CCESJC Oversight Committee and CCESJC duties and tasks to the group.			
Announcements	All	None Reported			

Next Meeting:

January 11, 2021

Reminder: The time spent in Quality Services activities can be claimed for reimbursement from enhanced funding. All BHRS staff is asked to code time spent in quality improvement activities and meetings on their time entry each week using organizational code MH-60211700 or MH6501170 (for SUD). (Instructions are located on BHRS Intranet – QS TAB/Additional Resources). In addition, be sure to sign the sign-in sheet for these activities.

The Cultural Competence, Equity and Social Justice Committee meets on the second Monday of each month from 9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m., unless otherwise indicated.

For more information on the Committee or past/future meetings, please visit:
<http://www.stancounty.com/bhrs/cultural-ethnic.shtm>

Respectfully Submitted By: Sarai Ramos

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