



Stanislaus County  
Department: Behavioral Health and Recovery Services  
AGENDA

Type of Meeting:	Behavioral Health Equity Committee (BHEC)	Date:	April 14, 2025
Place:	Court Room	Starting Time:	11:00 am
Facilitators:	Lezzette Ervin	Ending Time:	12:00 pm
Sr. Leader Sponsor:	Leonor Sierra		
BHEC Vision:	To be a leader in providing culturally competent services and to be recognized for our excellence in this by our community, state and nation.		
BHEC Mission:	<p>In partnership with our providers and community, our mission is to transform our entire system by:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ Ensuring that culture is acknowledged and incorporated throughout BHRS in a measurable and substantive way</li><li>▪ Educating our workforce about the meaning of cultural competence and about how to actually implement the concepts</li><li>▪ Ensuring our Cultural Competence Plan remains effective and responsive to change</li><li>▪ Empowering consumers, family members, and communities representing all cultures</li></ul>		
Order of Agenda Items	Person(s) Responsible	Desired Outcome (Information/Discuss/Problem -Solving/Input/Decision)	Time Allocated (Min)
Welcome and Introductions	Lezzette Ervin	Information	5
Call to order and Approval minutes	All	Discuss/Input/Decision	5
BHSA Updates	Maribel McCarroll	Information/Discussion/Input	10
Stanislaus County Demographics	Lezzette Ervin	Information/Discussion/Input	10
Behavioral Health Equity updates/Intro New staff	Lezzette Ervin	Information/Discussion/Input	5
Updates on Site Visits	Lezzette Ervin	Information/Discussion/Input	5
BHRS Webpage Project	Lezzette Ervin	Information/Discussion/Input	10
Community Announcements	All	Information/Discussion	10
<u><b>NEXT MEETING:</b></u> May 12, 2024 – <b>New Location: 1130 12<sup>th</sup> Street Court Room</b>	The Behavioral Health Equity Committee meets the 2 <sup>nd</sup> Monday of each month, from 11:00a.m. to 12:00p.m. in the Court Room, 1130 12 <sup>th</sup> Street, unless otherwise indicated.		