



Stanislaus County

Department: Behavioral Health and Recovery Services

MINUTES

Type of Meeting:	Cultural Competency, Equity and Social Justice Committee			Date:	March 12, 2018																											
Place:	Redwood Room, 800 Scenic Drive			Starting Time:	9:00 am																											
Facilitators:	Abraham Andres, Luis Molina			Ending Time:	10:30 am																											
Attendees:	<p align="center"><u>Behavioral Health & Recovery Services Departments</u></p> <table border="0"> <tr> <td><u>ASOC</u> Monica Avina-TRS</td> <td><u>Genesis</u> Amaeo Beasley</td> <td><u>Prevention</u> Jose Lopez-Higareda</td> </tr> <tr> <td><u>BHS Stanworks</u> Patty Hubert</td> <td><u>Housing</u> Melissa McCay</td> <td>Janet Nunez-Pineda</td> </tr> <tr> <td><u>CCESJC Co-Chairs</u> Abraham Andres</td> <td><u>Human Resources</u> Diana Reynolds</td> <td>Edwin Rivera</td> </tr> <tr> <td><u>CCESJC Community Liaison</u> Luis Molina</td> <td><u>IFT</u> Jennifer Pearson</td> <td><u>Quality Services</u> Jessica Torres</td> </tr> <tr> <td><u>CSOC/TAYA</u> Kong Vang Carla Skiles</td> <td><u>Leaps & Bounds</u> Luz Pulido</td> <td><u>SLT Sponsor</u> Cherie Dockery</td> </tr> <tr> <td><u>Family Advocate</u> Melissa Farris Lourdes Santos-Ortega</td> <td><u>Medical Records</u> Gloria Vargas</td> <td><u>SUD Treatment</u> Charles Yarnell</td> </tr> <tr> <td><u>Family Partnership Center</u> Diana Palacio</td> <td><u>Outcomes/DMS</u> Erica Inacio</td> <td><u>Training</u> Jennifer Baker</td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td><u>PG/LPS/EMO</u> Lucy Soto</td> <td><u>Utilization Management</u> Melanie Love</td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td></td> <td><u>Wellness Recovery</u> Lynda Cambra</td> </tr> </table>			<u>ASOC</u> Monica Avina-TRS	<u>Genesis</u> Amaeo Beasley	<u>Prevention</u> Jose Lopez-Higareda	<u>BHS Stanworks</u> Patty Hubert	<u>Housing</u> Melissa McCay	Janet Nunez-Pineda	<u>CCESJC Co-Chairs</u> Abraham Andres	<u>Human Resources</u> Diana Reynolds	Edwin Rivera	<u>CCESJC Community Liaison</u> Luis Molina	<u>IFT</u> Jennifer Pearson	<u>Quality Services</u> Jessica Torres	<u>CSOC/TAYA</u> Kong Vang Carla Skiles	<u>Leaps & Bounds</u> Luz Pulido	<u>SLT Sponsor</u> Cherie Dockery	<u>Family Advocate</u> Melissa Farris Lourdes Santos-Ortega	<u>Medical Records</u> Gloria Vargas	<u>SUD Treatment</u> Charles Yarnell	<u>Family Partnership Center</u> Diana Palacio	<u>Outcomes/DMS</u> Erica Inacio	<u>Training</u> Jennifer Baker		<u>PG/LPS/EMO</u> Lucy Soto	<u>Utilization Management</u> Melanie Love			<u>Wellness Recovery</u> Lynda Cambra	<p align="center"><u>Community Based Organizations</u></p> <p>Aegis Treatment Centers – Vanessa Brown Behavioral Health Board- Carmen Maldonado Center for Human Services- Karina Lopez IOP The Last Resort-Nahrain Benner, Ramona Canady Telecare –Viridiana Munguia The Bridge-Pao Lee Turning Point-Ronnie LaGro Turning Point Empowerment Center- Christina Kenney WMKKNC-Red Hawk</p>	<p align="center"><u>Communities & Lived Experience</u></p> <p>Consumer- Stanley Bindner, Margie Johnson, Jeanette Valencia</p>
<u>ASOC</u> Monica Avina-TRS	<u>Genesis</u> Amaeo Beasley	<u>Prevention</u> Jose Lopez-Higareda																														
<u>BHS Stanworks</u> Patty Hubert	<u>Housing</u> Melissa McCay	Janet Nunez-Pineda																														
<u>CCESJC Co-Chairs</u> Abraham Andres	<u>Human Resources</u> Diana Reynolds	Edwin Rivera																														
<u>CCESJC Community Liaison</u> Luis Molina	<u>IFT</u> Jennifer Pearson	<u>Quality Services</u> Jessica Torres																														
<u>CSOC/TAYA</u> Kong Vang Carla Skiles	<u>Leaps & Bounds</u> Luz Pulido	<u>SLT Sponsor</u> Cherie Dockery																														
<u>Family Advocate</u> Melissa Farris Lourdes Santos-Ortega	<u>Medical Records</u> Gloria Vargas	<u>SUD Treatment</u> Charles Yarnell																														
<u>Family Partnership Center</u> Diana Palacio	<u>Outcomes/DMS</u> Erica Inacio	<u>Training</u> Jennifer Baker																														
	<u>PG/LPS/EMO</u> Lucy Soto	<u>Utilization Management</u> Melanie Love																														
		<u>Wellness Recovery</u> Lynda Cambra																														
Absent:	<p><u>Administrative Services</u> Maggie Howard <u>ABSAP</u> Gregg Clifton <u>ASOC</u> Kristie Nelson <u>CCESJC Co-Chairs</u> Jorge Fernandez <u>OASOC</u> Colette West <u>Patients' Rights</u> Robyn Grayson</p>	<p><u>Peer Committee</u> Monica Silva <u>YFS</u> Sandra Perez</p>	<p align="center"><u>Community Based Organizations</u></p> <p>AspiraNet – Jennifer Malloy Center for Human Services- Maria Lopez Community Hospice – Sue Garcia El Concilio-Teresa Guerrero Golden Valley Healthcare-Juan Villa LGBTQ- Livingston Community Health-Griselda Vazquez Mi Vida Empieza – Teresa Gomez, Marcos Gallardo NAMI- Parents United – Mike Klemin Project Hope-Vintrica Grant Sierra Vista-Fernando Granados</p>	<p align="center"><u>Communities & Lived Experience</u></p> <p>African American – Assyrian Wellness Collaborative- Child Welfare-Kathleen Grundy Community Hope Recovery-Monica Olguin Family-Children-Lucy Escobar</p>																												
No Representation:	<p><u>BHRS Programs & Departments</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> FSOC 	<p><u>Community Based Organizations</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Community-based SUD Provider Catholic Charities 	<p><u>Communities</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ABCD Partners Faith/Spirituality Latin/Spanish-Speaking Law Enforcement 	<p><u>Lived Experience</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Family- Adult South East Asian/Asian 																												

Order of Agenda Items	Presenter(s)	Discussion	Scheduled Actions	Person(s) Responsible	Target Date
Welcome & Introductions	All	Abraham Andres opened the meeting with welcome and introductions and reminded the committee to please sign up for the CCESJC Newsletter article.			
Approval of Minutes	All	The February minutes were approved with three corrections.			
CC Update Newsletter and Discussion: Prevention & Early Intervention	Janet Nunez-Pineda Luis Molina	Prevention & Early Intervention is rooted in working within the county's most underserved/unserved, cultural and geographical communities with a strong focus of helping reduce risk factors for developing a potentially serious mental illness. Additionally, PEI is meant to help create timely access and linkages to treatment services when necessary to prevent mental health from becoming severe and disabling. One of the many programs that has been successful due to its innovative, cultural approach; and now, also identified as a promising practice is The RAIZ Promotores Mental Health Prevention Program which consists of twelve full time individuals, contracted under various non-profit agencies targeted at reaching the Spanish speaking community in Stanislaus County.			
CLAS Standards Debrief	Abraham Andres	CLAS Standards debrief discussion and feedback with the committee: This is a countywide initiative with a lot more potential. Will look at developing sub-committees in the future to further discuss in detail the CLAS Standards. One of the things that the sub-committee can address is a crosswalk between the Cultural Competency Plan requirements and the CLAS Standards to make any adjustments as needed. A copy of the plan is on the BHRS Intranet/Extranet to view, it was suggested as an idea to add the CLAS Standards to county website.			
Women's History Month Video	Abraham Andres	Gloria Steinem Video was shown in honor of Women's History Month www.history.com The committee was asked – "How is this topic relevant to what we look at CCESJC?" <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Appreciate the video and the topic. It gives hope, we are going in a better direction and thankful. ● We need to make sure that we have equity-that we are at the same starting point so then we can have the equality. ● Society is progressing – we are moving in the right direction. ● Support growth and development by talking to our girls and boys at a young age. ● This meeting feels empowering with every woman on this committee. 			
Consumer/Family Input	All	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Family Advocate Office has moved to 500 N. 9th St. Suite B. Modesto, CA. 			
Training Update	Jennifer Baker	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Principles and Practices of Culturally and Linguistically Appropriate Services, Friday, March 23, 2018. ● Motivational Interviewing and Trauma-Informed Work: Working Smarter not Harder! April 12th and 13th, Sutter Health Education and Conference Center. ● Professional Resilience and Optimization: Compassion Fatigue Prevention on April 25, 2018 facilitated by Eric Gentry, Ph.D. ● Mental Health 1st Aid Training goes out each month. ● 5150 Training is mandatory and is for those individuals that complete 5150's. 			

Order of Agenda Items	Presenter(s)	Discussion	Scheduled Actions	Person(s) Responsible	Target Date
Announcements	All	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Empowerment Center – shout out to The Last Resort on their Newsletter and discussion last month. Empowerment Center will be hosting a St. Patrick's Day Party on March 16th. •Modesto RecFest March 17th from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. •Garden of Eatn' Easter Bake sale Wed. March 28th from 10:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. call 544-1913 to place an order. •K-9 Training, Enslin Park, March 14th 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. •AOT Committee is done with their process – next step will go to the MHSA Stakeholders meeting the 23rd of March at Sutter Gould from 1-4 p.m. •Peer Committee meets the first Thursday of the month from 12 -1pm. at 500 N 9th Street in the Jana Lynn Room. Please contact Monica Silva if you would like to schedule a presentation for the committee. 			
Next Meeting: April 9, 2018 Redwood Room, 800 Scenic Drive		The Cultural Competency, 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.			
Respectfully submitted by: Monica Avina 					