



Stanislaus County
Department: Behavioral Health and Recovery Services
MINUTES

Type of Meeting:	Cultural Competence, Equity, and Social Justice Committee (CCESJC)	Date:	October 11, 2021
Place:	Zoom / Redwood Room	Starting Time:	9:00 am
Facilitators:	Ruben Imperial	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> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Abraham Andres, Adult/Older Adult System of Care and CCESJC Executive Committee <input type="checkbox"/> Alicia O'Brien, IFT-Community Corrections <input type="checkbox"/> Alicia Rivera, Utilization Management <input type="checkbox"/> Anacani Rocha, Adylene Villasenor, Child Welfare <input type="checkbox"/> Ashley Boyd, Youth and Family <input type="checkbox"/> Bernadet Kaldani, Training <input type="checkbox"/> Cristal Miranda, CCT <input type="checkbox"/> Dalia Perez-Deniz, CMAT <input type="checkbox"/> Dan Domeier, Genesis <input type="checkbox"/> Edgar Moya, Outcomes and Evaluations Management <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Elizabeth Anshutz, CSA <input type="checkbox"/> Estefania Carrazco, Estate Management Office <input type="checkbox"/> Eugene Del Franco, Employment <input type="checkbox"/> Griselda Calderon, School Based Services <input type="checkbox"/> Janet Nunez-Pineda, Prevention & Early Intervention <input type="checkbox"/> Jessica Acevedo, Wellness Recovery Center <input type="checkbox"/> Jorge Fernandez, Golden Valley Health Centers, CCESJC Executive Committee <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Karl Meabrod, Forensics / IFT <input type="checkbox"/> Kom Chen, Employment & Housing Support Services <input type="checkbox"/> Kristi Stewart, SUD Education & Prevention <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Dr. Kristie Nelson, Modesto Recovery Services <input type="checkbox"/> La Tosha Walden, CSA <input type="checkbox"/> Lucilita Escobar, Family Partnership and SED <input type="checkbox"/> Lynda Cambra, Wellness <input type="checkbox"/> Maggie Howard, Business Office <input type="checkbox"/> Maria Guerrero, Leaps & Bounds <input type="checkbox"/> Marlena Neely, COD/FSP <input type="checkbox"/> MaryCruz Vargas, Quality Services <input type="checkbox"/> Megan Vylonis, Quality Services <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 type="checkbox"/> Melissa Norvise, Nirvana <input type="checkbox"/> Miranda Chalabi, Outcomes and Evaluations Management and CCESJC Executive Committee <input type="checkbox"/> Norma Rodriguez, Human Resources <input type="checkbox"/> Patricia Mireles, BHS StanWorks <input type="checkbox"/> Rebecca Clover, Behavioral Health Board <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ruben Imperial, Senior Leadership, CCESJC Executive Committee, Sponsor <input type="checkbox"/> Sarai Ramos, Patient's Rights <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Saroun Moun-Eldrige, SRC <input type="checkbox"/> Shellie Martinez, Children's, Josie's Place <input type="checkbox"/> Stacey Callahan, First Step <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Tameika Easter-Griffin, SED <input type="checkbox"/> Tiffany Bibbins, Medical Records <input type="checkbox"/> Tommy Panyanouvong, Wellness Recovery Center <input type="checkbox"/> Travis Whitehead, SRC Outpatient <input type="checkbox"/> Valerie Van Tuinen, Family Partnership and SED <input type="checkbox"/> TDB, Mental Health Services Act 	<p align="center"><u>Collaboratives / Community Based Organizations</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Alyssa Baker, Nirvana Treatment Institution <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Annie Henrich, SAACR <input type="checkbox"/> Brenda Estrada Ramirez, Turning Point <input type="checkbox"/> Bryan Clarke, The Last Resort <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Carmen Morad, Assyrian Wellness Collaborative <input type="checkbox"/> Cat Talongwa, HPSJ <input type="checkbox"/> Christina Kenney, Turning Point <input type="checkbox"/> Crystal Thed Ford, Nirvana Treatment Institution <input type="checkbox"/> David Kirkpatrick, Turning Point <input type="checkbox"/> Fernando Granados, Sierra Vista <input type="checkbox"/> HP Tan, Turning Point <input type="checkbox"/> Jamie Nard, Turning Point <input type="checkbox"/> Jessica Borelli, AspiraNet <input type="checkbox"/> Jim Stokes, Salvation Army <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> John Aguirre, LGBTQA Collaborative <input type="checkbox"/> Juan Aguilar, Juan Teran, Telecare <input type="checkbox"/> Khani Gustafson, Modesto Stanislaus NAACP <input type="checkbox"/> Laura Urzua, Central Star <input type="checkbox"/> Maria Lopez, Center for Human Services <input type="checkbox"/> Pao Lee, The Bridge <input type="checkbox"/> Perfecto Munoz, WMCC <input type="checkbox"/> Robert Thompson, Nirvana Treatment Institution <input type="checkbox"/> Stacey Callahan, 1st Step <input type="checkbox"/> Vanessa Brown, Aegis Treatment Center <input type="checkbox"/> Virginia Linker, Turning Point, Empowerment Center 	<p align="center"><u>Community Representatives</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Anita Say <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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> Shantel Johnson <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> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> African American <input type="checkbox"/> Assyrian Wellness Collaborative <input type="checkbox"/> Family / Children <input type="checkbox"/> Faith / Spirituality <input type="checkbox"/> Latino / Spanish Speaking <input 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				
Approval of Minutes	All				
BHRS Organizational Chart/ CCESJC Roster Review	Ruben Imperial	Ruben presented a preliminary updated list of the desired representative categories for CCESJC Representatives for future meetings. He encouraged attendees to reach out if they have any specific groups that they feel should be represented but are not currently on the list.			
MHSA Stakeholder Update	Ruben Imperial	Ruben shared that we are also updating the representative categories for our MHSA Stakeholders. We recently sent out an email for individuals to respond and formally identify themselves as representatives of specific groups. This process is ongoing and will be brought to a future CCESJC meeting for review to ensure that we have a broad representation from our community.			
CCESJC Input on Program Development Process <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SAMSHA Grant Award: Community Crisis & Support Team • Mobile Crisis Response 	Ruben Imperial	Ruben reported that due to receiving the SAMHSA Grant, there are community crisis response programs that are now being developed. There will be opportunity for the committee members to ask questions, give input, and take information back to the communities they serve and also ask for their input. We want to make sure that the programs are set up to adequately and accurately serve the needs of our diverse communities.			
Ethnic Services Manager Recruitment	Ruben Imperial	Ruben shared that we have been interviewing for the Ethnic Services Manager position. The goal is to have the process completed sometime in November.			
Consumer/Family Input	All	<p>Anita Say reported that the NAMI Family Support Group meets via Zoom every Monday night from 6:30 to 8:00 pm. She will forward the meeting information to Ruben for distribution. NAMI also has a picnic on October 16th at Davis Park, 701 College Ave., from 11:30 am to 3:30 pm.</p> <p>John Aguirre announced that the Central California LGBTQ Collaborative will be having a soft opening today (October 11th) from 12:00 to 8 pm at the new Advocacy Center at 1202 H St., Suite D. Everyone is invited to attend.</p> <p>Melissa Ayson asked Tameika to tell everyone about the Out of the Darkness Walk. This year's event will take place on Saturday, October 16th at Graceada Park. This event is a way to honor those who have succumbed to, or been touched by, suicide. It is a way to bring awareness to it in hopes of preventing it.</p> <p>Carmen Morad announced that on Wednesdays in October – the 13th, 20th and 27th – the collaborative and HSA have partnered to support a mobile vaccine clinic at the Assyrian American Civic Club located at 2618 N. Golden State Blvd., Turlock, from 10:00 am to</p>			

		4:00 pm. It is open to those who want to get their initial vaccines as well as the booster. Annie Henrich shared in the chat the SAACR will have an equity vaccine clinic at Asian Market, 2425 McHenry Ave., Suite A, on Saturday, October 30, from 9:00 am to 5:00 pm.			
Announcements	All	John Aguirre announced that today is Indigenous People's Day, as well as National Coming Out day for the LGBTQ Community.			
Next Meeting: November 8, 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: Michele Benedix, Administrative Clerk III					