



ADULT COUNCIL SUMMARY NOTES
May 10, 2021 | 11:00 am – 12:30 pm | WebEx

Members in Attendance: Karla Caro (CDSC), Vianey Del Real Ochoa (MHS), Deona Dorsey (WF), Leslie Easton (SDCC), Antoinette Fallon (CC), Laurel Fisher (RII), Melissa Hall (JFS), Alex Heyer (WF), Syed Imam (UPAC), Julia Kamp (SDCCD), Liz Kruidenier (LWV), Jeffrey Najarian (WH), Diego Rogers (MHCA), Angela Rowe (ADS), George Scolari (CHGSD), Stacy Thompson (RIHS), Marisa Varond (CADRE), Scott Waters (MHS), Peggie Webb ().

Non-Members in Attendance: Monique Arellano (), Janet Cacho (CDO), Amanda Downing (MHS), Andrea Duron (BHS-AOA), Piedad Garcia (BHS-AOA), Gwen Jajou (Optum), Terra Jennings (RII), Betsy Knight (BHS-AOA), Elizabeth Miles (BHS-QI), Danyte Mockus-Valenzuela (BHS - MHSA), Kimberly Pettiford (PCE), Phuong Quach (BHS-AOA), Elena Quintanar (), Jessica Quintero (), Claire Riley (BHS-AOA), Joel San Juan (), Dalila Valencia (RIHS).

AGENDA ITEM	SUMMARY	ACTION
I. Welcome and Introductions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Meeting called to order at 11:00 AM by Marisa Varond. 	
II. Review of March 2021 Summary Notes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Council members reviewed summary notes. No additions/changes noted. 	
III. Public Input	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Angela Rowe provided public input. 	
IV. Director’s Update	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Regional Mobile Crisis Response Team Notice of Intent to Award to Telecare Corporation has been posted. BHS currently working in developing memorandums with the law enforcement jurisdictions. Discussed Continuum of care and improvements <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Paradise Valley Hospital based crisis stabilization unit opened in April. Discussed clubhouses and outpatient mental health clinics, contracts, and extensions. 	
V. Health Care Disparities <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Nexus between population health, behavioral health, and racial disparities and access to care. (Goal #1) (Piedad Garcia) Workforce disparities (Diego Rogers) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> County has taken an active role in policy around systemic racism and healthcare disparities. Discussed the following topics: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Population health plans ➤ Mental health and substance use ➤ Black and Latino community ➤ Physical health indicators Chair Fletcher announced workforce conference to take place in the next 3-4 months. BHS to take lead. Workforce disparities <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Diego teaches at SDSU part-time and described the community services, currently issues and how programs can be more effective. Discussed five items based on the disparities paper: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Increase program funding. 	



	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 2. Need to redesign plans from 10 to 20 years ago. 3. Increase use of paraprofessionals and redefine job qualifications. 4. Documentation requirements and administrative issues and demands. 5. Need to use a bottom-up community-based approach. 	
VI. Informational Items <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Adult Council Committees <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Consumer (Terra Jennings) ○ Work Well (Alex Heyer) ○ Cultural Competence Resource Team (Ann Vilmenay) • MHSA Update (Danyte Mockus-Valenzuela) 	Consumer update <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • "Boots on the Ground "tool Kits. • New website: www.BootsOnTheGroundSanDiego.com Work Well <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • More job openings as businesses are reopening. • DOR presenting at the May meeting. • Contact Alex Heyer at alexheyer@workforce.org to be added to the Work Well meeting distribution list. Cultural Competence Resource Team <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No update. MHSA Update <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • May is Mental Health Month • Event calendar - email Nancy Page to be added at (Nancy.Page@sdcounty.ca.gov). • Website: https://www.sandiegocounty.gov/content/sdc/hhsa/programs/bhs/mimhm_resources.html 	
VI. Announcements	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Announcement made by Stacy Thompson. 	

Finalized Goals

- Collaborate with CCRT to examine and address health care disparities and social determinants of health in communities of color, particularly around access to care and workforce goals.
- Work with the County, system partners, and the Housing Council to address social determinants of health, to include technology needs.
- Continue to receive updates on Continuum of Care reforms, providing recommendations to the BHS Director from the Adult Council’s cross-disciplinary membership.
- Better understand and make recommendations regarding recent increases in overdose deaths.
- Work with system partners to respond to decreases in access to care and to explore new opportunities for collaboration.

* Bold goals are FY 20/21 priorities

Hot Topics:

Refugees & Immigrants
Services for Deaf/Hard of Hearing
California’s Advancing and Innovating Medi-Cal (CalAIM)
Housing and Board and Cares



LIVE WELL
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Presentations:

Assisted Outpatient Treatment (July 2021)

IT Needs for Clients in Housing Developments (Jun 2021 – Jeffrey Najarian)

Mobile Crisis Response Teams (Oct/Nov 2021)

Crisis Stabilization Units (Dec 2021)

CalAIM (Sept/Oct 2021)