









## OLDER ADULT COUNCIL AGENDA

November 15, 2023 | 10:00 am – 12:00 pm | ZOOM – **SUMMARY NOTES**

TIME	AGENDA ITEM	SUMMARY	ACTION
10:00 AM	<b>I. Welcome, Introductions, Public Comment</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• New attendees:               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Angel Vargas, Behavioral Health Program Coordinator, BHS</li> <li>○ Brady Gunther, JFS</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	
10:05 AM	<b>II. Chair Report, Velia Gitari, MA – Program Manager at UPAC–EMASS</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mission Statement</li> <li>• Summary Notes from August and September 2023</li> <li>• New Voting member: RaeEllen Keeney, LCSW (Telecare AgeWise)</li> <li>• Summary of Combined Council Meeting (2023); next meeting April 2024</li> <li>• OA representation needed for Housing Council (1<sup>st</sup> Thursday of the month, 11 am – 12 pm) and Cultural Competence Resource Team (1<sup>st</sup> Friday of month 10:00 am - 11:30 am) from a Voting Member</li> <li>• Article: Addressing Homelessness Among OAs (U.S. Dept. of HHS, Office of the Assistant Secretary for Planning &amp; Evaluation)</li> <li>• Article: CA Long-Term Care Taskforce (Evelyn)</li> <li>• Chair-Elect nominees - status</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Link on Addressing Homelessness shared with OAC on 11/29/23</li> <li>• Link on LTC Insurance Taskforce shared with OAC on 11/29/23</li> </ul>
10:15 AM	<b>III. Director’s Update – Dr. Piedad Garcia, Deputy Director</b>		 SB 43 (Eggman) CBHDA Fact Sheet Ta <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Information on SB 43 shared with OAC on 11/29/23</li> </ul>
10:25 AM	<b>IV. Presentation</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>CARE Act Overview – Rosolyn J. Harper, PsyD., LMFT, CCTP, Behavioral Health Program Manager (BHS)</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>CARE Act Program Overview – Dr. Rosolyn J. Harper, PsyD., LMFT, CCTP, Behavioral Health Program Manager (BHS)</i></li> </ul>	 CARE Act Program Presentation_rev..pdf <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Presentation shared with OAC on 11/29/23</li> </ul>



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10:50 AM	<b>V. Presentation</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Alzheimer’s Response Team</b> – Marissa Arellanes, APS Supervisor (AIS) and Kimberly Ingram, APS Supervisor</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><i>Alzheimer’s Response Team (ART)</i> – <b>Marissa Arellanes</b> and <b>Kimberly Ingram</b>, Adult Protective Services Supervisors, (AIS)</li> </ul>	 Alz. Response Team OAC Presentation 11. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Presentation shared with OAC on 11/29/23</li> </ul>
11:15 AM	<b>VI. Peer Council Report</b> – Mary Jo O’Brien, NAMI SD		
11:40 AM	<b>VII. Information Updates</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>AIS Resources/ongoing updates for OA’s (Kimberly Pearce)</li> <li>Health Disparities/Diversity &amp; Inclusion (ongoing discussion)</li> <li>MHSA Update</li> <li>Cultural Competency Resource Team (CCRT)</li> <li>Other: Hot Topics, etc.</li> </ul>		
11:50 AM	<b>VIII. Public Input/Announcements</b>		 Become a Community Advocate.pdf   Get Involved Peer Council.pdf <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>NAMI San Diego <i>Community Advocacy Program</i> and <i>Peer Council</i> flyer shared with OAC on 11/29/23</li> </ul>  RI conference flyer.pdf <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>2024 <i>Regional Conference</i> flyer shared with OAC on 11/29/23</li> </ul>

**NEXT MEETING: January 24, 2024 | 10:00 AM – 12:00 PM | ZOOM Virtual platform**



**Hot Topics:**

**Upcoming 2023 Presentations:**

December	<b>DARK</b>
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**Tentative:**

**\*Clubhouses, Hospitals – ER “Senior Friendly”, UCSD (Geriatric ER)**

**\*Social Participation Theme team (AIS)**

**\*NAMI Consumer Advocacy – Sten Walker**

**\*Dementia vs Severe Mental Illness**

**\*Virtual Reality**

**\*PACE**

**\* Updated Managed Care Plan (effective 1/1/2024)**

**Completed 2023 Presentations:**

<b>January</b>	On The Go Transportation – Tina Nguyen
<b>February</b>	n/a
<b>March</b>	Dr. Yourman – Chief Geriatric Officer
<b>April</b>	Dr. Kattan and Betsy Knight – Harm Reduction and C-HRT
<b>May</b>	Simonne Ruff (CSH)- Shallow Housing Subsidies
<b>June</b>	Retreat Planning
<b>July</b>	CalAIM and OA’s - Kristen Smith (AIS)
<b>August</b>	Susan Bower (RTFH) - OAs and Homelessness
<b>September</b>	<b>RETREAT (9/27/23) - Intersection of Dementia and Homelessness</b>
<b>October</b>	Combined Council – Housing and Homelessness
<b>November</b>	CARE Act Overview (BHS) and Alzheimer’s Response Team (AIS)
<b>December</b>	<b>DARK</b>



Attendees:

1. Donovan Ackley III, Ph.D., CADC from San Diego State University Research Foundation, Dept of Psychology iHOTT lab
2. Kimberly Pitts, San Diego Workforce Partnership, Older Adult Workforce Program
3. Cate Beery--Douglas Young Center
4. Lindsey Yourman, MD Chief Geriatrics Officer, Medical Care Services, HHS CoSD
5. Amber Irvine, Behavioral Health Program Coordinator CARE Program, County BHS
6. David Fallon BHS county of San Diego
7. Angel Vargas, BHPC, BHS P&S
8. Debbie Iadisernia, OAOS CRF Heartland Center
9. Kimberly Pearce AIS APS County of San Diego
10. Rosolyn Harper, Behavioral Health Program Manager CARE Program, County BHS
11. Serena Richards, Optum Public Sector San Diego
12. Valerie Ramirez, BHPC, BHS P&S
13. Emmalyn Peña, BHS-Programs & Services
14. Oscar Talaro, County BHS
15. Hulya Eker NCMHC
16. Brian Kendrick, Older Adult Outreach Specialist. SBGC and MSWRC
17. Melissa Penaflor, NAMI San Diego - Community Advocacy Services
18. Brianna Ferreira, SPC Program Coordinator, CHIP
19. Lena Huang, Community Engagement Manager from the Alzheimer's Association, San Diego / Imperial Chapter
20. Dr. Piedad Garcia, BHS
21. Evelyn Parada, Older Adult Outreach Specialist (formerly Geriatric Specialist) with UPAC
22. Lauren French, Program Director, Senior IMPACT
23. Lisa Garcia, Program Manager, Recovery International
24. Francisco Evangelista, BHS
25. Velia Gitari, UPAC
26. Dr. Brenda Sarabia, BHS
27. Brady Gunther, JFS
28. Connie German-Marquez, BHS
29. Janet Cacho, BHS
30. Kacie Rodvill
31. Kimberly Ingram
32. Marisa Arellanes
33. Valerie T. Ramirez-Sicairos, BHS