









OLDER ADULT COUNCIL AGENDA

May 24, 2023 | 10:00 am – 12:00 pm | ZOOM – **Summary Notes**

TIME	AGENDA ITEM	SUMMARY	ACTION
10:00 AM	I. Welcome, Introductions, Public Comment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> New Guests/Participants: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bri Ferreira, Suicide Prevention Council - CHIP Faeth Jackson, NAMI SD Community Advocacy Program 	
10:05 AM	II. Chair Report, Velia Gitari, MA – Program Manager at UPAC–EMASS <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mission Statement Summary Notes from April 2023 Introduction of New Voting Member BHAB – MaryJo to relate her comments Article/Video- new scam w/Artificial Intelligence (AI) Virtual/Digital Health New Alzheimer medication not being cover by CMS at this time Update Workgroup on Volunteerism/Employment Retreat – Break Out Rooms 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> AI can replicate voices in high-tech phone call scams, FTC warns (nbcnews.com) video link sent to OAC on 5/25/2023 Can a chatbot help people with eating disorders as well as another human? : NPR audio link sent to OAC on 6/12/2023
10:15 AM	III. Director’s Update – Dr. Piedad Garcia, Deputy Director	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> May is: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mental Health awareness month Older American month Asian Pacific Islander month Mental Health America SD <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Meeting of the Minds Conference (10/2023) Combined Council (10/2023) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Possible OAC participation Increase awareness of OA’s CCRT & Peer Council: seeking OA representation 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <i>Meeting of the Minds Behavioral Health Conference</i> information sent to OAC on 5/30/2023
10:25 AM	IV. Presentation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> CSH Older Adult Housing update (Aging, Homelessness and Supportive Housing) – Simonne Ruff, Director (CSH) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <i>Aging, Homelessness and Supportive Housing</i> by Simonne Ruff, Director (CSH) 	 CSH - Older Adult Council 05-24-2023.pc <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <i>Aging, Homelessness and Supportive Housing</i> presentation sent to OAC on 5/25/2023



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11:00AM 11:20AM	V. Action Items <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Breakout Rooms (Session #3) <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Dementia – where does it overlap, misdiagnosis. Homelessness – increased number in OAs, factors Summaries 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Session #3: 25 minutes Employment/Volunteerism – on hold, will revisit later in the year 	
11:35 AM	VI. Information Updates <ul style="list-style-type: none"> AIS Resources/ongoing updates for OA’s (Kimberly Pearce) Health Disparities/Diversity & Inclusion (ongoing discussion) MHSA Update (Dr. Danyte Mockus-Valenzuela) Other: Hot Topics, etc. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> AIS Bulletin (May 2023) 	 May 2023 Online Bulletin Final.pdf <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <i>AIS Bulletin (May 2023) sent to OAC on 5/24/2023</i>
11:50 AM	VII. Public Input/Announcements	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Peer Council meeting every 3rd Tuesday of the month at 2:00 pm (NAMI SD) Community Advocacy Training, 5/26/23 from 2pm – 4pm (NAMI SD) SanDi-ECAN Meeting - discussion on Scams & Fraud (shared by Rachel L., AIS) Annual Research Town Hall, August 24 from 6 pm – 8 pm (Alzheimer’s Association) 	 NAMI Peer Council Flyer.pdf <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <i>NAMI SD Peer Council Meeting flyer sent to OAC on 5/25/2023</i>  Become a Community Advocate.pdf <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <i>Community Advocacy Training flyer sent to OAC on 5/25/2023</i>  SanDi-ECAN Agenda 05.31.23.docx <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <i>SanDi-ECAN Meeting flyer sent to OAC on 5/25/2023</i>  RTH Flyer 2023.pdf <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <i>Annual Research Town Hall flyer sent to OAC on 6/12/2023</i>

NEXT MEETING: June 28, 2023 | 10:00 AM – 12:00 PM | ZOOM Virtual Platform



Hot Topics:

Upcoming 2023 Presentations:

January	On The Go Transportation – Tina Nguyen
February	n/a
March	Dr. Yourman – Chief Geriatric Officer
April	Dr. Kattan and Betsy Knight – Harm Reduction and C-HRT
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June	
July	
August	
September	Retreat 9/27/23? (In person, COC?)
October	
November	
December	DARK

Tentative:

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

***OA Shallow Housing Subsidy – Deme Hill**

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

***NAMI Consumer Advocacy – Sten Walker**

***Alzheimer Response Team (ART) – Update (AIS)**

***Dementia vs Severe Mental Illness**

***Virtual Reality**

CalAIM and OAs (Kristen Smith)??

***RTFH**



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Attendees:

1. Connie German-Marquez, BHS-AOA
2. Dr. Piedad Garcia, BHS-AOA
3. Kimberly Pearce, County Adult Protective Services
4. Cate Beery OAOS, Douglas Young Center
5. Simonne Ruff, CSH
6. Pamela Alvarado, Serving Seniors
7. Tim Nou, BHS-HCO on behalf of Janet Cacho
8. Faeth Jackson - NAMI San Diego Community Advocacy Program
9. Serena Richards, Optum
10. Rachel Lehnert, Aging & Independence Services
11. Melissa Penaflor - NAMI San Diego, Community Advocacy Program
12. Evelyn Parada, Geriatric Specialist, UPAC Counseling & Treatment Center
13. Lisa Garcia, Recovery International
14. Brenda Sarabia, BHS-AOA
15. Velia Gitari, MA UPAC EMASS and PS Programs
16. Debbie Iadisernia, OAOS CRF Heartland Center
17. Bri Ferreira, Program Coordinator for SPC, CHIP
18. Tammy Little, Jewish Family Service, Patient Advocate
19. Valerie Ramirez, BHS-AOA
20. Donovan Ackley III, PhD CADC PSS, Improving Health Outcomes Through Technology, San Diego State University Research Foundation
21. Lena Huang, Community Engagement Manager at the Alzheimer's Association, San Diego/Imperial Chapter
22. Lisa Thurston, LCSW, Turn BHS
23. Brian Kendrick, LCSW Geriatric Outreach Specialist SBGC and MSWRC
24. Mary Jo O'Brien
25. Kacie Rodvill, NAMI San Diego, Peer Support
26. Alex Reif, The Foundation for Senior Care
27. Francisco Evangelista, BHS-AOA
28. Beth Brainerd Hallock, Interfaith
29. Carol N.
30. Oscar Talaro, BHS