



**COUNTY OF ORANGE
HEALTH CARE AGENCY**

MENTAL HEALTH BOARD

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Study Meeting Notes

Wednesday, September 11, 2019

Health Care Agency
405 W. 5th Street, Room 512
Santa Ana, CA 92701
9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

Members Present: Clayton Chau, Karyl Dupee, Sandra Finestone, Matthew Holzmann, Steve McNally, Kristen Pankratz, Michael Rose

Members Absent: Christine Costa, Supervisor Andrew Do, Mark Levy, Bethsabe Romero, Joy Torres

I. Welcome & Introduction: Michael Rose

- Meeting began at 9:04 a.m. Each member and guest introduced themselves and their respective affiliation.

II. Public Comment

- N/A

III. Scheduled Discussion Item

- Review School's Mental Health Services Survey Report-
 - Stacy Deeble-Reynolds from Orange County Department of Education (OCDE) provided a detailed overview of the School's Mental Health Services Survey Report. She described the types of surveys used in the report and added this was the first time the schools participated in a survey to identify mental health needs in the school. Stacy suggested having a future presentation on the California Healthy Kids Survey by Stephan Lambert, to get a better understanding of the data collected. Members of the MHB engaged in a discussion to identify ways to look into a second survey in the future and possibly provide a Mental Health Awareness Award to the school that promote wellness and are stigma free. Dr. Rose will send out an email to all members to see who would be interested in forming an ad hoc for the schools mental health wellness promotion. This ad hoc would work with OCDE or Board of Supervisors (BOS) in providing an award and possible incentive for the school's mental health wellness efforts.

- Stigma Free OC Update
 - Mark Lawrenz provided an update on the number of pledges, which are over 1,300 to date. BHS plans to go have the Stigma Free OC website go live in October. He include information and print outs of the website and what reviewed the services that would be available such as the toolkit, resources, calendar of events, interactive map, and much more. In addition, Mark provided a draft of the MHB logo which all members were very excited about.
- Update on Suicide Prevention Community Forum
 - Mark Lawrenz shared the Proclamation provided by the BOS. In addition, the Suicide Prevention Task Force has been meeting throughout Orange County and are looking at more ways to market suicide prevention.
- Update on Cultivating Hope in the Community-
 - Dr. Rose provided information on the event which is taking place on Sunday, September 22, 2019, 12:30-4:00pm at Mile Square Park, Freedom Hall. The event will feature live music, mental health resources, food and much more.
- Review Member Code of Conduct- *Tabled*

IV. Open Discussion:

- Public Comments Received:
 - Tabled.
- New Advocacy issues-
 - N/A

V. Committee Reports:

- Older Adult Committee- They will meet on the 4th Wednesday for the month of September due to room scheduling issues.

VI. Adjournment

- Meeting ended at 10:40 a.m.