



SISKIYOU COUNTY

Behavioral Health Services Board

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SISKIYOU COUNTY BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES BOARD MINUTES

June 20, 2022; 3:30 p.m.
Behavioral Health Services
2060 Campus Drive, Yreka, CA 96097

Board Members Present

- Donna Mathwig
- Lisa Rogers
- Dee McGuffey
- Sup. Nancy Ogren

Staff Present

- Sarah Collard, HHSA Director
- Samantha Schlieter, MHSA
- Tracie Lima, Clinical Director BHS
- Christine Gannon, CSOC Supervisor

Guest: Earl Chancellor

- I. Call to Order: Meeting called to order at 3:35 PM.
- II. Roll Call: Due to Covid-19 precautions, Board members Mathwig and Rogers participated in the meeting by Zoom, all other members attended in person.
- III. Minute Approval: Board member Mathwig made a motion to approve minutes from the meeting held on May 16, 2022. Motion seconded by Supervisor Ogren. Motion passed unopposed.
- IV. Public Comment: None
- V. Presentation on Children's System of Care: Christine Gannon, Clinical Supervisor for the Children's System of Care (CSOC), presented to the board on services and staffing. At this time there are only two clinicians in CSOC and four behavioral health specialists and oversees two peers advocates. Services offered by CSOC include:
 - a. Foster youth assessment and therapy.
 - b. Juvenile justice-involved youth assessment and therapy.
 - c. Evaluations of youth at risk of child exploitation.
 - d. Family Urgent Response System (FURS) – a joint task force initiative to aid foster kids and/or caregivers in crisis to help stabilize the home and avoid displacement of the child.
 - e. Urgent assessments for crisis and foster emergencies.

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- f. Assessment for youth at risk of being placed in short-term residential programs to determine if a placement is appropriate.
- g. Therapeutic Behavioral Services, which are the most intensive intervention for youth and families. These services can last up to six months.
- h. Full Service Partnership
- i. Rehab services and individual therapy
- j. Intensive Care Coordination and Intensive Home-Based Services aimed at stabilization for youth at risk of hospitalization.

I. Action Items:

- a. Monthly discussion and approval of Resolution #11-01 Authorizing Use of Remote Teleconferencing Provisions Pursuant to AB 361 and Government Code section 54953
 - i. Supervisor Ogren motioned to continue with remote and hybrid meetings. Board member McGuffey seconded. With no one opposed the motion passed.
- b. Chair nomination and possible action.
 - i. Tabled.

II. Chair Report:

- a. Discussion of a possible new member – Earl Chancellor: Supervisor Ogren motioned to nominate Mr. Chancellor as a member. Board member McGuffey seconded. With no one opposed the motion passed and the nomination will go to the Board of Supervisors for their approval.
- b. Data Notebook: Director Collard shares with the board that in years past the data notebook has been presented to the Board of Supervisors by board members. The notebook is due every year in October and reviews the data behind the county's behavioral health services. Director Collard asks the board to read the notebook when they are able as there are questions in the surveys that can be answered by the board.

III. Department Report:

- a. Budgets: Director Collard shared that preliminary budgets have been submitted by all departments with final approval expected in September. Board members asked why the budget is in a deficit and Director Collard explained that it is written with every position fully staffed at full time

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regardless of the reality of staffing. She further explains the sources of revenue for mental health.

- b. Director Collard also shared that the department's External Quality review was just completed. Once the report on this is received from the state Director Collard will share it with members. The triennial review has now begun and will finish on July 27, 2022.

IV. Other/Identification of Future Agenda Items:

- a. Six Stones Wellness Center will be invited to present
- b. Medications supervisor Brian Nicholson will also be invited to present
- c. Requirements to join the board will be revisited

- V. Next Meeting: A regular meeting is scheduled for Monday, July 18, 2022 at 3:30 p.m., Yreka location/Zoom. The venue will be determined based on possible ongoing Covid-19 restrictions.

- VI. Adjourned: There being no other business the meeting was concluded at 4:21 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Vacant

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Signature on file

Laura Price , Board Secretary
Health and Human Services Agency

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