

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH CARE SERVICES
Behavioral Health Stakeholder Advisory Committee (BH-SAC)
April 29, 2021
9:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

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AGENDA

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| 9:30 – 9:40 | Welcome, Introductions, and Today’s Agenda
<i>Will Lightbourne, DHCS Director</i> |
| 9:40 – 10:00 | Director’s Update
<i>Will Lightbourne and Jacey Cooper, DHCS</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Update on 1115 and 1915(b) Waiver Approvals |
| 10:00 – 11:00 | Implementation of SB 803: Peer Support Specialists
<i>Marlies Perez, DHCS</i> |
| 11:00 – 11:30 | Mobile Crisis Response: New Opportunities in the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021
<i>Kelly Pfeifer, MD, DHCS</i> |
| 11:30 – 11:50 | Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act SAMHSA Funding
<i>Marlies Perez, DHCS</i> |
| 11:50 – 12:10 | California’s Response to Overdose Crisis during COVID-19
<i>Kelly Pfeifer, MD, DHCS</i> |
| 12:10 – 12:25 | Public Comment |
| 12:25 – 12:30 | Next Steps and Final Comments; Adjourn
<i>Will Lightbourne, DHCS</i> |

2021 DHCS Behavioral Health Stakeholder Advisory Committee Dates

- July 29, 2021 – 1:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.
- October 21, 2021 – 9:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

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