



California Behavioral Health Planning Council

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AGENDA

April 16, 17, 18, and 19, 2024
Holiday Inn Sacramento Downtown - Arena
300 J Street, Sacramento, California, 95814

Notice: All agenda items are subject to action by the Council. Scheduled times on the agenda are estimates and subject to change. If Reasonable Accommodation is required, please contact the Council at 916-701-8211 by **April 9, 2024**, to meet the request. All items on the Committee agendas posted on our website are incorporated by reference herein and are subject to action.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS

Tuesday, April 16, 2024

2:00pm [Performance Outcomes Committee](#)

Wednesday, April 17, 2024

9:00am [Executive Committee](#)

10:30am [Patients' Rights Committee](#)

11:00am Children/Youth Workgroup (working lunch)

12:00pm LUNCH (on your own)

1:30pm [Workforce and Employment Committee](#)

1:30pm [Legislation and Public Policy Committee](#)

Thursday, April 18, 2024

8:30am [Housing and Homelessness Committee](#)

8:30am [Systems and Medicaid Committee](#)

12:10pm Reducing Disparities Work Group (working lunch)

12:10pm Substance Use Disorder Workgroup (working lunch)

Thursday, April 18, 2024

COUNCIL GENERAL SESSION

Room: California

Conference Call (listen only) 1-669-900-6833

Meeting ID: 832 8251 1145

Participant Code: 557329

- 1:30 pm Welcome and Introductions**
Deborah Starkey, Chairperson
- 1:40 pm Approval of October and January Meeting Minutes** **Tab Q**
Tony Vartan, Chairperson-Elect
- 1:45 pm Committee Report-Outs**
- **Performance Outcomes:** Susan Wilson, Chairperson
 - **Patients' Rights:** Daphne Shaw, Chairperson
 - **Executive:** Deborah Starkey, Chairperson
 - **Legislation and Public Policy:** Barbara Mitchell, Chairperson
 - **Workforce and Employment:** Walter Shwe, Chairperson
 - **Housing and Homelessness:** Monica Caffey, Chairperson
 - **Systems and Medicaid:** Uma Zykofsky, Chairperson
 - **Children/Youth Workgroup:** Vandana Pant
 - **Reducing Disparities Workgroup:** Uma Zykofsky
 - **Substance Use Disorder Workgroup:** Javier Moreno
- 2:40 pm Public Comment**
- 2:45 pm BREAK**
- 3:00 pm Department of Health Care Services Update**
Paula Wilhelm, Assistant Deputy Director, Medi-Cal Behavioral Health, Interim Deputy Director of Behavioral Health, CA Department of Health Care Services
- 3:45 pm CA's Behavioral Health System Redesign: County Implementation Update** **Tab R**
Michelle Cabrera, Executive Director, County Behavioral Health Directors Association of California (Invited)
- 4:55 pm Public Comment**
- 5:00 pm Recess**

Public Comment: Limited to a **3-minute maximum** to ensure all are heard.

Mentorship Forum for Council members, including Committee Chairpersons and Chair-Elects, will occur following Thursday's General Session in the same room. We respectfully ask those not participating to exit the meeting space to allow for Council business to occur.

Friday, April 19, 2024

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- 8:30 am Welcome Back & Information Sharing**
Deborah Starkey, Chairperson
- 8:40 am Local County Behavioral Health Services Overview** **Tab S**
*Nicole Ebrahimi-Nuyken, LMFT, Behavioral Health Director,
El Dorado County Health and Human Services Agency*
- 9:25 am Public Comment**
- 9:30 am Behavioral Health System Transformation** **Tab T**
Overview
- 10:05 am Public Comment**
- 10:15 Opportunities for BIPOC and LGBTQ+ Communities** **Tab U**
in the Behavioral Health Services Act (BHSA)
*Stacie Hiramoto, MSW, Director, Racial and Ethnic Mental Health Disparities
Coalition (REMHDCO)*
- 10:50 am BREAK**
- 11:10 am Behavioral Health Services Act (BHSA):** **Tab V**
Council Member Discussion
All Council Members
- 11:40 pm Public Comment**
- 11:55 am Closing Remarks**
Deborah Starkey, Chairperson
- 12:00 pm Adjourn**

2024 Council Meetings Schedule

June 18-21, 2024: [Lake Arrowhead Resort](#)

October 15-18, 2024: [Embassy Suites by Hilton Milpitas Silicon Valley](#)