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ALCOHOL & DRUG ADVISORY BOARD

Hall of Administration
Planning Commission Hearing Room
333 W. Santa Ana Blvd
Santa Ana, CA 92701

Thursday, September 5, 2013
9:00 am – 10:30 am

MINUTES

Members Present: Keith Gotts, Alin Hamade, Johnnie Harris, Shelly Lummus, Lorraine Martinez, Milton Mucker, Rolf Parkes, Stacy Deeble-Reynolds, Roy Richardson, Cathy Stills

Members Absent: Lori Sanjuan, Stephen Secord, Elaine Werner-Hudson

Call to Order:

- Milton Mucker called the meeting to order at 9:03 a.m.
- Members of the board and audience introduced themselves and their respective affiliations.

Approval of Minutes: Action Item

The minutes of July 2, 2013 were approved and placed on file.

Motion: Cathy Stills

Second: Keith Gotts

Vote: 10 yes/0 no

Presentation: Drug Court Update

(PowerPoint or Handout available upon request)

Orange County Probation Department

Carla Lopez, Supervising Probation Officer

Ron De La Riva, Supervising Probation Officer

Health Care Agency, Behavioral Health Services

Diane Holley, Program Manager, Alcohol & Drug Abuse Services

Committee Reports:

Heroin Forum Committee - Shelly Lummus

The committee met last week to confirm the agenda and is pending confirmation from a local church as the venue. The agenda will include Commissioner Ed Hall and School Resource Officers from Huntington Beach Police Department.

Legislative - Rolf Parkes

Rolf shared information on the following legislation; Assembly Bills 395, 473, 492 and 984; Senate Bill 55. (Handouts available upon request)

Membership - Milton Mucker

Shelly Lummus, Lorraine Martinez and Stephen Secord have volunteered to serve on the Membership Committee. Once several applications are received, Danielle will forward to committee members to review and coordinate interviews.

Provider Meeting: Cathy Stills

The last provider meeting was in July. The month of September is "Recovery Happens" month so various treatment providers will be sponsoring events in recognizing recovery. The county distributed a set of guidelines for medically assisted clients on how to detox. Providers are pleased to hear about the possible expansion of the drug Medi-Cal benefit to include young adults; this is pending authorization through the Affordable Care Act.

Old Business:

None

New Business:

None

Behavioral Health Services Update:

***Brett O'Brien, Division Manager,
Alcohol & Drug Abuse Services (ADAS)***

- Brett updated the board on various legislation, Assembly Bill 109, 395, 720, and Senate Bill 1022. (Handout available upon request)
- Brett also shared program information in regards to AB 109. Services continue to be provided which include residential, sober living, outpatient, and onsite co-located staffs who are conducting assessment. Over 1,300 assessments have been conducted to date. The department is continuing to work with constituent department to determine the success of the programs.

ADEPT Report:

Amy Buch, Division Manager, Public Health

- The department is excited about a new partnership with the Orange County Medical Association (OCMA) to assist in outreach awareness on prescription and over the counter drug abuse. OCMA will adopt HCA's campaign/materials and will distribute them to various entities such as doctor's offices. They will also be co-hosting two upcoming events.
- Family day is September 23, 2013. Research shows that when parent and children eat meals together, their communication is overall improved and children are less likely to experiment in drug use. The events this year re: family day will be at Main Place mall in

Santa Ana. Also, the annual Rock and Roll event will be on October 19, 2013 in Mission Viejo.

Public Comment:

Barbara Van Rooyan: Introduced herself to the board and is interested in becoming a member and has submitted an application for consideration. She shared that she is a retired community college counselor and has experience in advocacy work; particularly at the elementary school level. Her son passed in 2004 due to an oxycontin overdose.

Adjournment:

- Meeting adjourned at 10:16 a.m.

Danielle A. Daniels

Clerk of the Alcohol & Drug Advisory Board

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