

# COUNTY OF ORANGE HEALTH CARE AGENCY

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# **ALCOHOL & DRUG ADVISORY BOARD**

Hall of Administration 333 W. Santa Ana Blvd. Santa Ana, CA 92701

Thursday, April 2, 2015 9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

# **General Meeting Minutes**

**Members Present:** Johnnie Harris, Shelly Lummus, Lorraine Martinez, Stacy Deeble-Reynolds,

Roy Richardson, Cathy Stills, Barbara VanRooyan

**Members Absent:** Keith Gotts, Alin Hamade, Milton Mucker

I. Opening at 9:05 a.m.

• Each board member and guest introduced themselves and their respective affiliations.

#### **II.** Approval of Minutes: Action Item

• March 5, 2015

The minutes of March 5, 2015 were approved and placed on file.

Motion: Shelly Lummus

Second: Stacy Deeble-Reynolds Vote: Approved, 5 yes/0 no

# **III.** Committee Reports

At this time we have not begun efforts for this year's community forum. As discussed in our Annual Planning Meeting last month, the board will continue to partner with community organizations in the community in efforts of supporting the work already being done. Also, there are several upcoming community events/forums that members of the board will be participating in. We will continue to update the board on future community forum plans and events.

• Membership Committee: Shelly Lummus and Lorraine Martinez

There are 5 open vacancies on the ADAB. The committee is continuing to identify and recommend potential candidates to fill the open vacancies. The committee is planning to have recommendations confirmed by June.

# • Orange County Mental Health Board: Cathy Stills

Cathy updated the board on the Assisted Outpatient Treatment (AOT) Program. There has been two (2) petitions filed, however both individuals decided to accept treatment. The county Emergency Treatment Services (ETS) program will undergo a remodel and an additional crisis stabilization unit (CSU) will be implemented in South County.

# • Community Collaborative Committees

# Orange County RX & OTC Coalition: Barbara Van Rooyan

Barbara updated the board with information she received from the March 19, 2015 meeting. The coalition is looking at drug overdose deaths and working with constituent pharmacies on the possibility of issuing naloxone without a prescription. Naloxone is a narcotic drug that is used to reverse the effects of other narcotic medicines. Naloxone may also be used to treat narcotic drug overdose or to diagnose narcotic drug addiction. Furthermore, various emergency departments are adopting the Safe Med Brochure which has been effective in informing patients about their medications and best use practice.

# Orange County Substance Abuse Prevention Network (OCSAPN)

Stacy updated the board with information she received from the March 27, 2015 meeting. OCSAPN is currently planning to host a community form later this year (October) in which the Orange County Department of Education will be hosting a resource booth. Various agencies will be participating in efforts of raising community awareness.

- IV. Old Business N/A
- V. New Business N/A

# VI. Behavioral Health Services Update: Mitch Cherness

Mitch updated the board on contract renewals and request for proposals. Mitch also shared
information about the centralization of the county residential bed waitlist. The goal is to give
individuals the opportunity to get into the first residential treatment bed available. The
department is working closely with the courts and will provide updates on the outcome of this
new change.

# VII. Presentation

<u>California Health Kids Survey (CHKS), Chrislyn Nefas, MA, Research Analyst IV</u> <u>ADEPT, Health Promotion Division</u>

Chrislyn provided a comprehensive updated on the CHKS outcome data which was administered in the 2013-2014 school year. A total of 79,806 students participated in the survey which consisted of 20 secondary school districts ranging from grades 7, 9, and 11. To obtain copies of the CHKS report, please visit: <a href="https://chks.wested.org/reports">https://chks.wested.org/reports</a>.

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# VIII. ADEPT Update: Amy Buch

Amy acknowledged the board and their efforts of collaborating with community partners in supporting the work being done in the community on substance abuse. Amy also reminded the board about the upcoming community forums and ensured flyers were distributed.

# IX. Public Comment

• Martin: shared information to the board about Proposition 47 and the legislature.

# X. Adjournment

• 10:07 a.m.

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