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# ALCOHOL & DRUG ADVISORY BOARD

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

> April 7, 2016 9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

**Minutes** 

**Members Present:** Stacy Deeble-Reynolds, Margaret Fleitman, Geoffrey Henderson, Debra Kelsey,

Lorraine Martinez, Roy Richardson, Lori Sanjuan, Cathy Stills,

**Members Absent:** Keith Gotts, Johnnie Harris, Shelly Lummus, Milton Mucker, Frederick Williams

I. Opening at 9:11 a.m.

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

# II. Approval of Minutes: Action Item

• March 3, 2016

The minutes of March 3, 2016 were approved and placed on file.

Motion: Stacy Deeble-Reynolds Second: Geoff Henderson Vote: Approved, 8 yes/0 no

III. Committee Reports

- Legislation Committee –Keith Gotts and Roy Richardson
  - o SB 987 on taxation of Marijuana; if the bill is not passed in the November 2016 elections the bill will go into effect in 2018.
- Provider Meeting- Cathy Stills and Lorraine Martinez
  - The topic of the provider was on Drug Medi-Cal, which will be covered in the presentation for this meeting. The providers will be trained in administrating Naloxone, and the County will be providing Naloxone to all the agencies and training at least four staff on administrating the drug.

- Community Collaborative Committee-
  - Orange County RX & OTC Coalition: Margaret Fleitman

    There was a presentation provided by Vicky Sweet at the March 17, 2016 meeting, on the six month pilot program that was being done by three cities whose police officers carry Naloxone. This has resulted in 5 out of 6 saves with overdose cases.
    - In addition the SOLACE program presented a symposium on prescription drug abuse at UCI. Providing information on what they do in the community along with trainings; as of today the SOLACE Foundation has saved 32 lives.
  - Orange County Substance Abuse Prevention Network (OCSAPN): Stacey Deeble-Reynolds
    Stacy shared that the Garden Grove Drug-Free Coalition will host a Reality Party. It is a simulated party demonstrating different drug trends at teen parties. They have different tour times offered in different languages. You may look up more information or sign-up at <a href="www.ggdfc.org">www.ggdfc.org</a>. In addition, the Annual OCSAPN Conference date has been set for September 22, 2016.
  - Mental Health Services ACT (MHSA) Steering Committee: Cathy Stills, Shelly Lummus Geoff attended the last meeting and provided information on the sub- committee meeting on the Adult Services Sub-Committee. At the meeting they provided community outcomes reports on Adult programs. Presentation highlights where on successful efforts with co-occurring disorder members in programs such as Community Collaborative Courts.
  - Orange County Tobacco Education Coalition (OCTEC): Stacy Deeble-Reynolds
    There is a social media campaign related to vaping, promoting positive and healthy choices instead of participating in vaping and other substance use. Hashtag being used #getitoutoc

# IV. Old Business

• None

# V. New Business

• None

# VI. Behavioral Health Services (BHS):

# **Mitch Cherness**

- In regards to contract services, additional funding will be added to Post-Custody services allowing Driving under the Influence (DUI) court clients to receive services post custody. In addition, Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) transitional housing, Sober Living for AB 109 clients, and residential and detox programs are up for renewal as well. Naloxone training will take place on April 26-28, 2016 at 1:00pm, allowing providers to train their staff.
- Mitch provided statistics on the gate keeping waitlists. Currently there are 437 people on the waitlist to get into treatment. Intravenous Drug Users (IDU) is getting in at 2 weeks wait or sooner and non-IDU's are 4-6 weeks, and non-IDU's requesting specific programs are 1-2 months long.

# **Brett O'Brien**

• Children, Youth and Prevention Behavioral Health Services are also in contract renewal season. Additionally, the state is working on updating the Youth Services Policy Manual. The state has also established a Youth Advisory Group to obtain impute from a youth's perspective on what should be included in the manual updates. Finally, the Early and Periodic Screening Diagnosis and Treatment (EPSDT) benefit under Medi-Cal for Children and Youth, will allow for people to claim this benefit while also receiving treatment for mental health services.

#### VII. Presentation

# Drug Medi-Cal (DMC) Services Demonstration Project

By: Sandra Fair, Medi-Cal Coordinator

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• Sandra provided an extensive presentation on the Drug Medi-Cal, designing and organized system for substance use disorder services. Her presentation included an overview of what the 5-year pilot plan project consists of and included the factors that the stakeholders should consider. She then provided the benefits to the project and the requirements for expanded drug Medi-Cal services, followed by the planning steps. All future trainings and updates will be provided to the board via email by Danielle Daniels.

For additional information about the Drug Medi-Cal (DMC) Services Demonstration Project, please contact ddaniels@ochca.com or 714-834-5481.

# VIII. ADEPT Report

- The Sheriff's department and ADEPT will be putting on a panel and providing training called "Evolution on Opiate Use" providing information on drugs such as prescription drugs or heroin. Flyers about the event were made available, and attendees will need to RSVP. In addition, National Take Back Day, will be on April 30, 2016 from 10:00am 2:00pm. Also, there will be various sites throughout Orange County to dispose of unused or expired medication (see flyer for details).
- For Social Media campaigns/updates designed for the youth about tobacco and vape free lifestyles, follow @getitoutoc on Instagram.

# IX. Public Comment

#### Tamara Jimenez

Shared information on Senate Bill 524; the Comprehensive Addiction and Recovery Act, in which passed the Senate on March 10<sup>th</sup> and will still need to pass through the House of Representatives. Also part of the judiciary hearings is the Police Assisted and Addiction Recovery Initiative (PARRI), Anaheim Police Department is the first to join the Initiative. Furthermore, there will be a conference put on by the Foundations Recovery Network in Texas on November 29-30, 2016. It will be on recovery results for long term sobriety; you may register at www.foundationsevents.com

# X. Adjournment

• 10:23 a.m.

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