



## **CULTURAL COMPETENCE RESOURCE TEAM MINUTES**

October 6, 2017 | 10:00 am - 11:30 am | HSC- Coronado Room: 3851 Rosecrans St, San Diego, CA 92110

In Attendance: Awichu Akwanya (UWEA), Edith Mohler (CYF), Elisa Barnett (BHETA), Dasha Dahdouh (QI), Danielle Eguiza (AOA), Piedad Garcia (AOA), Rick Heller (HSRC), Celeste Hunter (CASRC), Kat Katsanis-Semel (MHA), Amanda Lowe-DuBose (AOA), Jama Mohamed (UWEA), Edith Mohler (CYF), Leo Pizarro (NAMI), Maria Samayoa (AOA), Dalila Valencia (RI), Ann Vilmenay (BHS-AC), Mercedes Webber (RI), Charity White-Voth (AOA), Jessica Young (TAY)

AGENDA ITEM	SUMMARY	ACTION
I. Welcome and Introductions	Piedad called the meeting to order at 10:05 am.	
II. Approval of September 201 Minutes	Motion to approve September 1, 2017 minutes was moved and second by Elisa Barnett & Celeste Hunter.	
III. Chair's Report (Piedad Garcia)	<ul> <li>Hepatitis A Update</li> <li>477 cases confirmed/probable and 17 deaths.</li> <li>The County is working closely with other County departments, community partners (including homeless and drug treatments services providers, hospitals, federally qualified health clinics, cities, law enforcement, businesses, food and beverage industry associations, pharmacies, and others), the California Department of Public Health and the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention to halt the hepatitis A outbreak by focusing on three key areas: vaccination, sanitation and education.</li> <li>Vaccination - has now been recommended for people who are homeless, illicit drug users, staff at homeless service providers and substance use treatment agencies, public safety and emergency workers, health care workers and sanitation workers, to expand outreach vaccinations will be provided at city camp site and three upcoming tent locations serving the homeless populations.</li> <li>Sanitation - include handwashing stations placed around the County with the majority in the City of San Diego. The County continues to distribute kits to the at-risk population, which include hand sanitizer, cleansing wipes, bottled water, a waste bag and information on preventing hepatitis A.</li> <li>Education - Public health officials have been providing presentations on the Hepatitis A outbreak to local healthcare providers and the community.</li> <li>For additional information, documents and updates from the San Diego County via website:         http://www.sandiegocounty.gov/content/sdc/hhsa/programs/p hs/community_epidemiology/dc/Hepatitis_A.html     </li> <li>Tiny Homes</li> </ul>	Action Items:  O Charity to provide San Diego County Hepatitis A website link to members via email.
	A Tiny Home display presentation was provided to the Housing Council that demonstrated various Tiny Home models for alternative housing solution to the housing crisis	





in San Diego. The displays included models from 150-square-	
foot home, to 400-square-foot homes. The County and City of	
San Diego are working together in decision-making, as the	
current hurdle surrounding development is Zoning	
Ordinance. The Tiny Homes Central and the American	
Institute of Architects will be hosting the presentation, titled	
"Alternative Housing Solutions - How Accessory Dwelling	
Units, Tiny Home Villages, and Modular Housing Can Help	
Address San Diego's Homeless and Housing Affordable Crisis"	
on Saturday, October 28, 2017.	
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### **State Update**

 On September 29, 2017, Gov. Jerry Brown signed Affordable Housing Bond Act, which would place a \$4 billion dollar general obligation bond on November 2018 ballot for Affordable Housing Development in the state of California.

## **BHS Ops Plan**

- BHS Budget Operations Planning for FY 2018-2019 has commence its reviews, the deadline for programs to submit request is today October 26, 2017.
- IV. MHSA Update
  (Piedad Garcia on behalf of Adrienne Yancey)
- BHS Staff will presenting the 3 innovation programs, (Urban Beats, CREST Mobile Hoarding Units, & Telemental Health), to the MHSOAC on October 26, 2017.

# V. Committee Updates Education & Training (Charity White-Voth)

### **Education & Training**

- The Cultural Competence Suggested Training References library which can be used to assist with meeting the 4 hour requirement, that include attending an event, reading a book, viewing a movie, or other activity that broadens perspective and increases understanding of a particular culture, ethnicity or group, has been updated. To submit any inquiries or suggestions, contact committee representatives Charity White-Voth or Ann Vilmenay.
- The committee elected to update the Cultural Competence Handbook, due to changes in the existing tools and recommendations to make the Survey for Clients to Assess Program's Cultural Competence, more comprehensive for clients. Dasha Dahdouh will be finalizing the document with member's feedback within a few weeks and will be posted in the TRL.
- Self-Assessment Checklist has been approved by BHS Executives, titled "Promoting Cultural Diversity Self-Assessment (PCDSA)".
- BHETA has requested the committee to review and provide updates for the Cultural Competence e-learning trainings.
   Members were requested to submit any feedback to the committee.
- The Cultural and Linguistic Competency Policy Assessment (CLCPA) was rolled out and sent to providers.





	<b>Children's Update</b> (Edith Mohler)	Children's     CYF and Pathways-to-Wellbeing staff had their annual team building event with a cultural competence theme that	
VI.	QI Updates (Dasha Dahdouh on behalf of Liz Miles)	<ul> <li>included a Diversity and Inclusion course.</li> <li>DHCS notified BHS, they had approved the County of San Diego DMC-ODS Implementation Plan.</li> <li>Dasha to provide Access Time Report to discuss excessive wait times.</li> </ul>	Action Item:  o Dasha to provide Access Time Report for December meeting (via email and printed)
VII.	Miscellaneous	Recommendation to have future presentations at the CCRT by various residential treatment programs and recovery centers.	Action Item:  O Piedad to coordinate – tentatively in January
VIII.	Announcements	<ul> <li>Mercedes Webber informed the Peer Liaison County-wide Meeting on October 24, 2017 will have a presentation on Creative Art Therapy.</li> <li>Ann Vilmenay announced of a film about homelessness in San Diego that will be screening throughout the county called "Tony – The Movie", in addition Hepatitis A vaccinations will be provided at some locations. For film information visit: <a href="https://tony-themovie.com/">https://tony-themovie.com/</a></li> <li>UWEA will be hosting a Women's Wellness Fair at the UWEA location on October 18, 2017.</li> </ul>	

NEXT MEETING: DECEMBER 1, 2017 10:00 AM - 11:30 AM | HEALTH SERVICES COMPLEX - CORONADO ROOM