



Older Adult Council MEETING NOTES

Wednesday, April 25, 2018 10:00 am – 12:00 pm 211 San Diego, Sophie & Henry Haimsohn Meeting Room 114 3860 Calle Fortunada, Suite 101, San Diego, CA 92123

	AGENDA ITEM	SUMMARY	ACTION
I.	Welcome and Introductions (Nicole Loebach, Chair)	Nicole Loebach, OAC Chair, called the meeting to order and introduced Betsy Knight, BHS PC, who will be sitting in for Connie.	
II.	Public Comment	None	
III.	Approval of March 28, 2018 Minutes	The March 28, 2018 minutes were approved as submitted.	
IV.	Chair's Report (Nicole Loebach, Chair)	The Chair asked those present to introduce themselves. (Refer to sign-in-sheet for attendance).	
V.	Cal MediConnect Behavioral Health (George Scolari, Com. Health Group.	George Scolari, from the Community Health Group (CHG) gave an overview of Medi-Cal Managed Care & Cal MediConnect System that included an explanation of the differences in the behavioral health benefits covered by the health plans versus those covered by the County Mental Health Plan. A general discussion followed regarding the impact on services to the older adult population and how can clients gain a better understanding of benefits and how access them. The Consumer Center for Health Education Advocacy (CCHEA) was given as a referral for more information.	Care & Cal MediConnect BH Overview power point to be sent out to OAC distribution list.
VI.	Behavioral Health Director's Report Updates (Alfredo Aguirre)	Not in attendance	
VII.	Older Adult SOC Update (Piedad Garcia)	 Betsy Knight provided the following information on behalf of Piedad Garcia and the Adult and Older Adult System of Care: The Seniors in Crisis pilot project, renamed the Alzheimer's Response Team, will have its kick-off on June 4th. The DMC Organized Delivery system, approved by the Board of Supervisors in March 2018 to expand the Substance Use Disorder (SUD) delivery system, will be 	





	in effect July 1, 2018. Betsy also provided an update on the AOA system of care homeless outreach workers and gave an overview of homeless outreach efforts taking place in collaboration with the City of Diego. Betsy also noted that the Technical Resource Library (TRL), Section 2.8 has detailed Homeless Outreach Worker information available to those that are interested.	
VIII. MHSA Update (Adrienne Yancey)	Martin Dare reported that BHS is continuing to seek state approval to use innovation funds for a Community Engagement Process, separate from the summer forums, to guide development of the next round of BHS MHSA Innovation projects.	
IX. QI Update (Dasha Dahdouh)	Dasha Dahdouh shared copies of the Older Adult MHS Databook findings for Q2 FY 17-18 and noted there has been a 3.6 % increase in the number of older adults receiving OABHS services from the previous Q1 report.	
X. Housing Council (Ruth Covell)	Ruth Covell reported that she has attended that last housing council meeting, but had nothing of note to report. Ruth also shared her concern that the community should be made aware the each time a SRO is torn down to make way for larger development we are losing beds.	
XI. Discussion, Action Plan AdHoc Workgroup	The Chair asked the council members what information they would like Alzheimer's San Diego to cover in next month's presentation and the following questions were identified: • What resources can be utilized to help people 60 and over? • What MediCal specific services are available as well as services for severely low-income.	
XII. Announcements/Public Comments	Legal Aid has openings for peers with lived experience to do case management work.	