

SHASTA COUNTY MENTAL HEALTH, ALCOHOL AND DRUG ADVISORY BOARD (MHADAB)

SPECIAL MEETING

Minutes

July 6, 2022

Members: Ron Henninger, Kalyn Jones, Sam Major, Connie Webber, Charlie Menoher, Dale Marlar, David Kehoe, Jo-Ann Medina, Heather Jones, Cindy Greene, Mary Rickert, Christine Stewart, Alan Mullikin, Anne Prielipp

Absent Members: Angel Rocke

Shasta County Staff: Laura Burch, Miguel Rodriguez, Kerri Schuette, Katie Cassidy, Jacob Hahn, Daren Fisher, Nicole Carroll

Guests: Marci Fernandez, Kathy Hemmingway, Marjeanne Stone, Dillon E. Woulfe, Mary Sutter, Raylene McNeal, Mary Axelson, Nancy D’Nayer, Lisa Stout, Shannon Hunt, Jill Phillips, Katherine Haley, Ashley Zarou, Susan Power

| Agenda Item | Discussion | Action | Individual Responsible |
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| I. Introductions | ➤ All present parties were welcomed and introduced. | | ➤ Ron Henninger, MHADAB Chair |
| II. Public Comment Period | <p>➤ Guests provided personal accounts of family members who struggle with barriers to accessing adequate serious mental illness (SMI) and substance use disorder (SUD) treatment in Shasta County. Raylene McNeal discussed a cycle of 24-hour holds and the perception of lack of family rights. Mary Sutter discussed the impact of anosognosia, and the plight of families who are forced to choose between providing emergency housing to their ill family member and accessing a full range of services. Marcy Fernandez discussed stigma and lack of available care for those with a concurrent diagnosis of SMI and SUD. Mary cited a need for intensive treatment services and the detrimental effect of gaps in service when transitioning between programs.</p> <p>➤ Guest Dillon E. Woulfe suggested inviting public commentary after agenda item discussion, and for minutes to be distributed within a week following meetings.</p> | | |
| III. Provider Reports | ➤ None. | | |
| IV. Board Member Comments/Reports | ➤ MHADAB Chair Ron Henninger updated members on meetings to discuss shared goals with Shasta County Board of Supervisors members. | | ➤ Ron Henninger, MHADAB Chair |
| V. Approval of MHADAB Minutes | ➤ May 4, 2022 and June 1, 2022 minutes were submitted for approval in written form. | ➤ May 4, 2022 and June 1, 2022 minutes were approved as written with 14 Ayes, 0 Nays. | <p>➤ Motion: Charlie Menoher</p> <p>➤ Second: Heather Jones</p> |
| VI. Announcements and Review of Correspondence | ➤ None. | | |
| VII. Action Items | A. Establish a subcommittee to complete the Shasta County 2022 Data Notebook and Survey for Behavioral Health | ➤ Connie Webber, Kalyn Jones, and Ron Henninger volunteered to complete the | ➤ Kerri Schuette, Deputy Branch Director |

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| | Boards and Commissions – Kerri Schuette, Deputy Branch Director B. Discuss and Consider Approving a Substance Use Disorder (SUD) Subcommittee or Collaboration with the Shasta Substance Use Coalition, with Board Member Assignment and Committee Report – Katie Cassidy, Adult Services Program Manager | Shasta County 2022 Data Notebook survey. ➤ Anne Prielipp, Alan Mullikin, Sam Major, and Ron Henninger expressed interest in establishing an Ad Hoc SUD-focused subcommittee. | ➤ Ron Henninger, MHADAB Chair |
| VIII. Presentations | A. <u>SUBSTANCE USE DISORDER (SUD) SERVICES AND TOPICS OF EXPLORATION</u> – Katie Cassidy, Adult Services Program Manager Katie Cassidy highlighted several areas of exploration relevant to current issues, including the Drug Medi-Cal Organized Delivery System (DMC-ODS), Substance Abuse Block Grant (SABG) funding, current SUD research, and more. B. <u>FENTANYL STORY MAP</u> - Jacob Hahn, Agency Staff Services Analyst II Fentanyl Story Map | | ➤ Katie Cassidy, Program Manager ➤ Jacob Hahn, Agency Staff Services Analyst |
| IX. Discussions/Updates | A. <u>CASE MANAGER SERVICES UPON RELEASE FROM COUNTY JAIL – Lieutenant Dale Marlar, Board Member</u> Discharge planning is active in the jail. With 9,000 bookings per year, each is assessed by medical personnel upon entry and again prior to release. Limitations imposed by current law and case law dictate the role of law enforcement in determining release and services upon release. Public commentary spoke to frustrations with 5150 detainment protocols related to their use as a default means to access services on behalf of someone with SMI who is unwilling or unable to do so themselves. Lieutenant Marlar noted that it is more difficult to initiate the conservatorship process from jail than from a hospital or mental health facility. Members of the public wishing to provide medication history or other pertinent information on behalf of someone who has been booked may call the jail and request to speak with Lieutenant Marlar directly. | | ➤ Dale Marlar, Board Member |
| X. Directors’ Report | ➤ The Director’s Report was submitted in written form. | | |
| XI. MHADAB Standing Committee Report | ➤ None. | | |
| XII. Other Reports | ➤ None. | | |
| XIII. Reminders | ➤ See Agenda. | | |
| XIV. Adjournment | | ➤ Adjournment (7:09 p.m.) | |

Ron Henninger, Chair


Nicole Carroll, Secretary