

# Sacramento County Public Health Advisory Board

**Meeting Agenda**

May 1, 2019, 12:00 PM - 1:30 PM

**Meeting Location**

Primary Care Center  
Community Room 2020  
4600 Broadway  
Sacramento, CA 95820

**Facilitator:** Steven Orkand, Chair

**Scribe:** Theresa Vinson, Staff

**Meeting invitees:** PHAB members  
Open to the Public

<b>Topic</b>	<b>Presenter</b>	<b>Length</b>
<b>Welcome and Introductions</b>	Orkand	5 mins
<b>Approval of April Minutes PHAB Vacancies</b>	Orkand	5 mins
<b>Primary Health Division Update</b> Possible Vote to Support EMS Initiative View Related Documents at: <a href="http://www.dhs.sacounty.net/PRI/EMS/Pages/GI-Proposed-Prehospital-Hospital-Programs-Fees.aspx">http://www.dhs.sacounty.net/PRI/EMS/Pages/GI-Proposed-Prehospital-Hospital-Programs-Fees.aspx</a>	Damiano	15 mins
<b>Public Health Division Update</b>	Kasirye	10 mins
<b>Suicide Statistics and Prevention Efforts</b> <b>Guest Speaker:</b> Liseanne Wick, MS, D.Div. Director Suicide Prevention & Crisis Services Wellspace Health	Wick	40 mins
<b>Possible Future Agenda Items or Open Discussion</b>	All	5 mins
<b>Announcements</b>	Orkand	5 mins
<b>Public Comment</b>	Public	5 mins
<b>Adjourn</b>	Orkand	

**Next Meeting - June 5, 2019 - Primary Care Center - Address As Noted Above**

Documents provided less than 72 hours prior to meeting must be made available to public/posted to PHAB Website

Documents provided by others (public) must be made available promptly after the meeting

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## Related Advisory Boards

- Sacramento HIV Health Services Planning Council: Fourth Wednesday 10am-12pm, 4600 Broadway, Room 2020.
- Medi-Cal Manage Care Advisory Committee: Fourth Monday, 3pm-5pm DHHS 7001-A East Pkwy, Conference Room 1, Sacramento
- Human Services Coordinating Council: Second Thursday 12pm-1:30pm 2700 Fulton Avenue, Sacramento, Room 58 (PHAB Reps: Paula Green and Dr. Orkand)
- Maternal, Child & Adolescent Health: This group meets five times annually, 9616 Micron Suite 900, Conference Room 1, Sacramento, (remaining dates for 2017: Sept. 8 & Nov. 10, 8am-10am)
- Tobacco Control Coalition: Second Wednesday of February, May, September & November 9am -11am, SCOE, 10474 Mather Boulevard, Mather
- Medi-Cal Dental Health Advisory Committee: Fourth Thursday 3pm-5pm 2750 Gateway Oaks Dr. Suite 330, Sacramento
- Alcohol and Drug Advisory Board: Second Wednesday, 5:30pm-7:30pm 2700 Fulton Ave., First Floor Conference Room, Sacramento
- Children's Coalition: Third Wednesday, 4pm-5:30pm Plaza Del Paso, 925 Del Paso Boulevard, Sacramento
- Adult and Aging Commission: Fourth Wednesday, 2:00pm-4:00pm 4600 Broadway, Room 2020, Sacramento
- Mental Health Board: First Wednesday (except December) from 6-8pm 700 H Street, Sacramento, Board of Supervisors' Chambers
- Disability Advisory Committee: First Tuesday, 5:30-7:30pm 700 H Street, Sacramento, Hearing Room 1
- First Five – Sacramento Advisory – Second Friday, 2:00pm-3:30pm 2750 Gateway Oaks Drive, Suite 330, Sacramento
- Reducing African American Child Deaths – Steering Committee Bi-Monthly, Third Wednesday, 2:15pm-4:15pm, Sierra Health Foundation 1321 Garden Hwy, Sacramento

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March 27, 2019

The Honorable Patrick Kennedy, Chair  
Sacramento County Board of Supervisors  
700 H Street, Suite 1450  
Sacramento, CA 95814



Navdeep Gill  
Chief Executive Officer  
Sacramento County  
700 H Street, Room 7650  
Sacramento, CA 95814

**RE: Department of Health Services Budget 2019-2020**

The intention of this letter is to offer strong support for the continuation of core public health programs provided by the Department of Health Services.

The Public Health Advisory Board periodically reviews the work of the Department of Health Services and its various divisions. On a yearly basis we ask to be made aware of budget issues, particularly in regards to new programs. We understand that this year the funding of certain existing programs is at risk. I would like to address some of these programs.

**STD Clinic  
STD Investigator  
TB Investigator**

Control of tuberculosis and sexually transmitted diseases is a **core function** of the Division of Public Health. Unfortunately, Sacramento County continues to experience a high rate of sexually transmitted diseases, among the highest in the state for gonorrhea (5th highest county), chlamydia (6th highest), and HIV/AIDS (9th highest). Neonatal syphilis has re-emerged and is a growing problem. These require treatment services, as will be provided in the new STD Clinic. In some cases, these diseases also require an investigator as part of the prevention effort. **I must stress that at the present time, the rate of sexually transmitted diseases in Sacramento County continues to rise, year by year.** Given the ongoing struggle to control these diseases, we believe this is not the time to cut funding for these programs.

The rate of tuberculosis in Sacramento County remains well above the Healthy People 2020 federal standards. This is related, in part, to the large number of immigrants in our County. It is imperative that we maintain skilled investigators to control this disease, which can spread in the population if proper case-finding is not accomplished. That is the role of the TB Investigator. We urge that you support these control efforts.

### **Healthy Partners**


This program to provide primary care services to our undocumented immigrant population has been extremely successful, not simply as a humanitarian measure, but because it makes good sense from a public health perspective. Up front prevention and primary care keeps people out of our busy emergency departments. Healthy Partners is a valuable public/private partnership and should be maintained, at least at its current level.

### **California Children's Services**

This State-County partnership serves our most vulnerable youth, children with conditions such as cystic fibrosis, hemophilia, cerebral palsy, heart disease, cancer and others. This is a **core safety net program**, and deserves full funding. Our health care system is only as good as the care we provide our most vulnerable.

The funding sources for these programs are complex, and I respect your ability to keep it all straight. Our purpose in this letter is only to remind you of the importance of these programs. Each one, involving different populations, serves a **foundational public health function**. Our Board hopes you will preserve their funding so they can continue to provide these important services.

Sincerely,



Steven Orkand, MD  
Chair  
Public Health Advisory Board



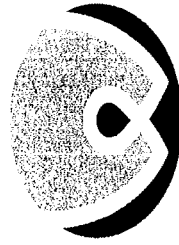
# WellSpace Health

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Liseanne Wick, MS, D.Div

Director

Suicide Prevention Program



## Suicide Prevention & Crisis Services

- **Celebrating 50 years of experience** providing professional expertise and 24hr Suicide Prevention Crisis Line services in CA
  - **Dual-Accreditation Nationally**  
*(American Association of Suicidology, Joint Commission on Behavioral Health)*
  - **Regional provider for the National Suicide Prevention Lifelines**  
*(Primary and/or Backup for 50/58 counties in CA)*
- **Local & Regional Suicide Prevention Crisis Lines, Spanish Lifeline, Maternal Support Line, and a new Teen Crisis Line**
- **Crisis Chat & Crisis Texting** – text HOPE to 916.668.iCAN or go to:  
[www.suicideprevention.wellspacehealth.org](http://www.suicideprevention.wellspacehealth.org)
- **Supporting Community Connections Suicide Prevention Collaborative- Subject Matter Expert**
  - **Teen Suicide Prevention Line- coming soon!**



## **Suicide Prevention & Crisis Services**

- **Online Mental Health Screenings** (*free, anonymous, confidential*)
- **Innovative Emergency Department Follow Up program** - (*post discharge*)
- **Primary Care Follow Up program**- *for suicidal patients@ WellSpace*
  - **Outreach Presentations & Materials**
  - **Community based Trainings**
- **POST Academy Law Enforcement & Dispatcher Training for CA**
  - **CIT Training for Sacramento City PD**





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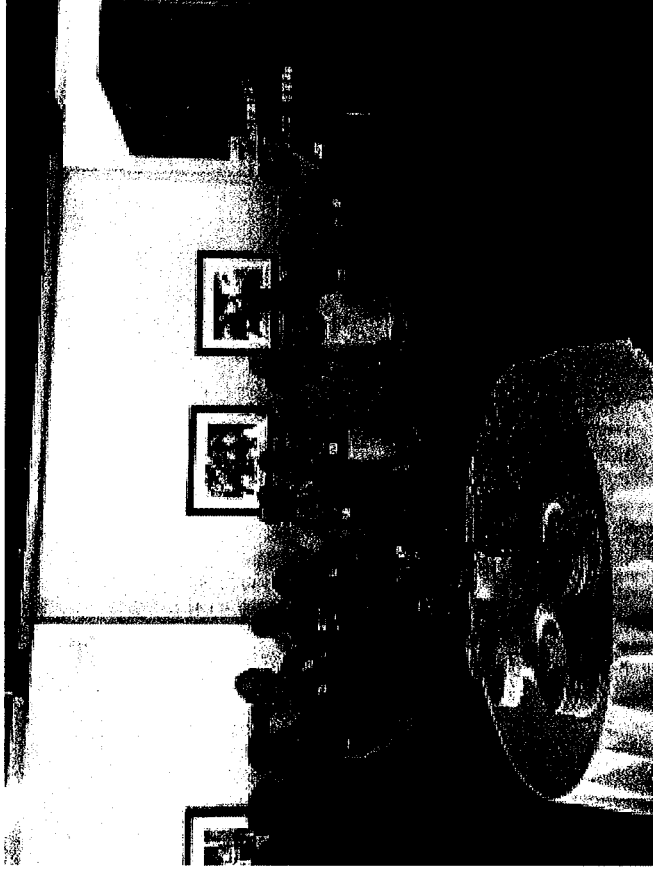
## Crisis Center Connections

- CA Network of Suicide Prevention Crisis Centers
  - Benefits Crisis Centers, state, counties, individuals, families
  - Consistency among centers, yet unique
  - Adherence to national standards & best practices
  - Advocacy



**I've Got Your Back** project

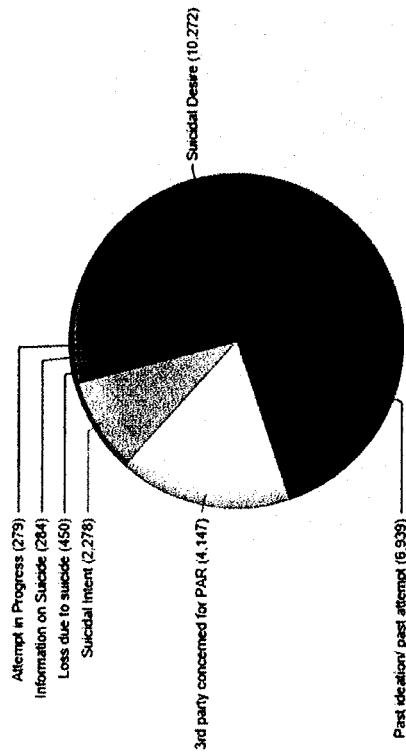
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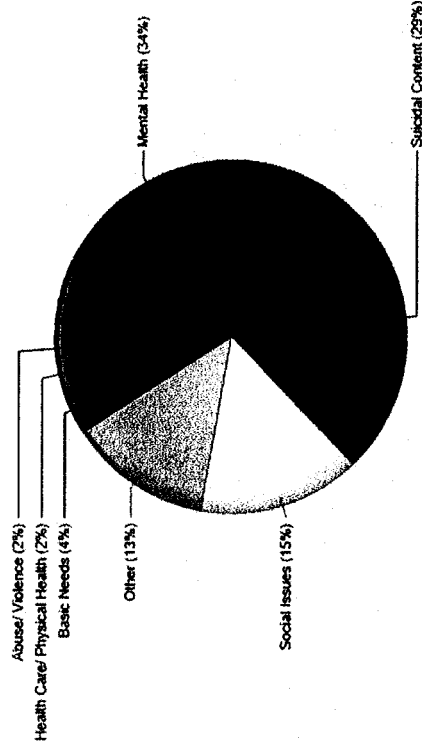
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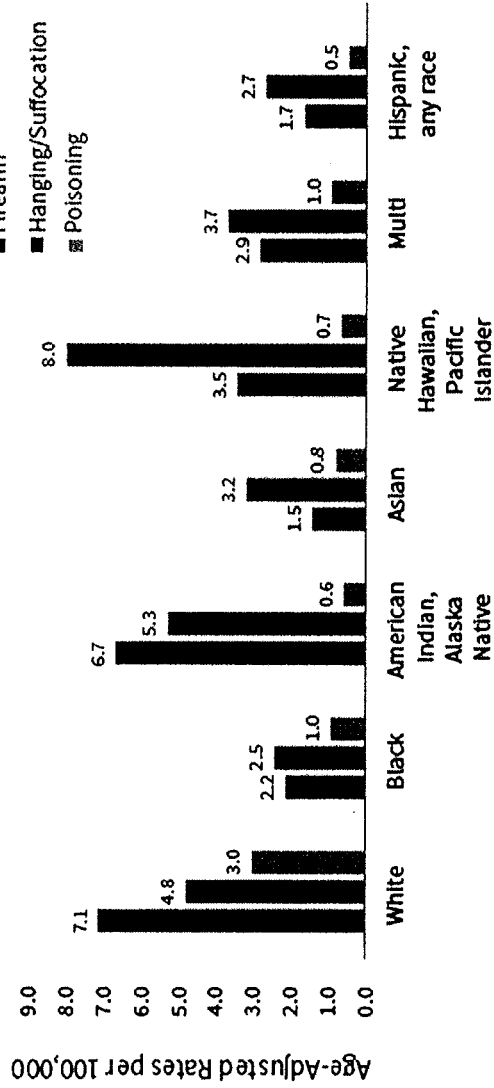
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## Suicide Rates by Mechanism and Ethnicity in California, 2017

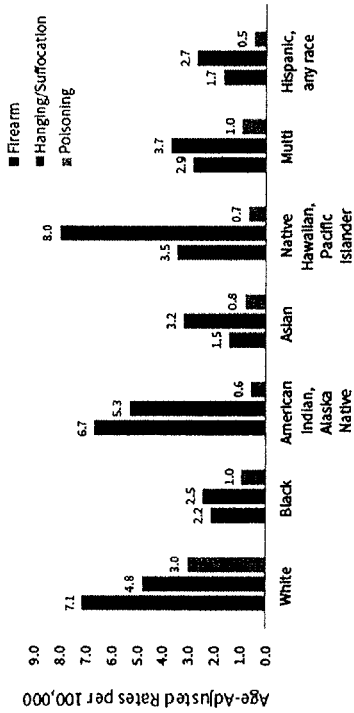


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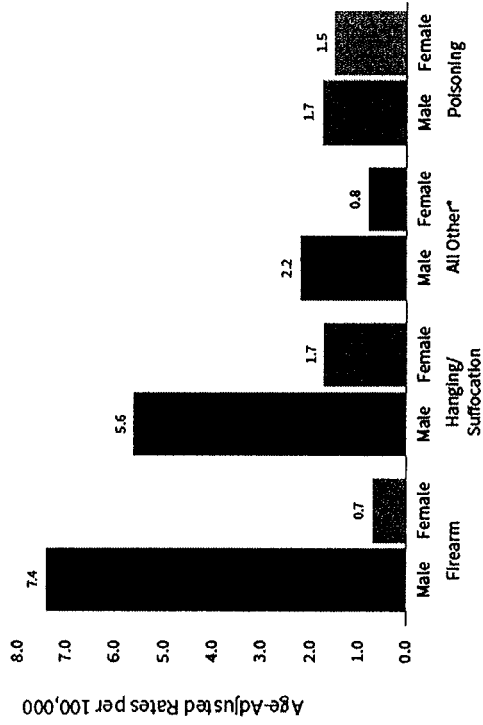


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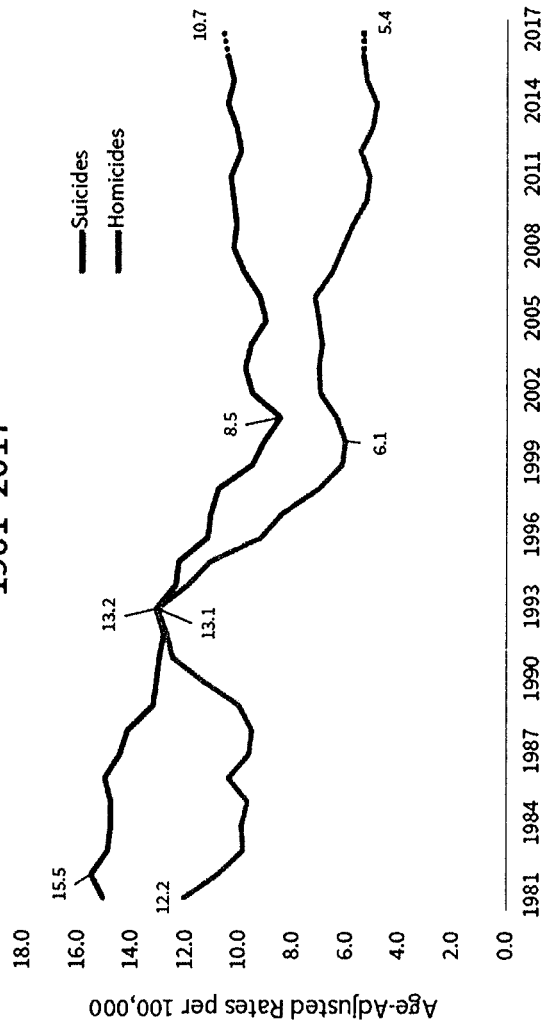
### Suicide Rates by Mechanism and Sex in California, 2017



Note: \* "All Other" includes: Cut/Pierce, Jump, Late Effects, and Other  
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## Homicide and Suicide Rates in California, 1981-2017





# Questions & Comments?



# WellSpace Health

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