

# Sacramento County Public Health

## Maternal Child and Adolescent Health Advisory Board



### Meeting Minutes

November 12, 2019 - 8:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.

#### Micron Conference Room 1

9616 Micron, Suite 900  
Sacramento, CA 95827

**Facilitator:** Effie Ruggles

**Scribe:** Stacey Kennedy

#### Meeting Attendees:

- Robin Blanks-Guster
- Effie Ruggles
- Kathryn Andrew
- Dr. Ruenell Adams Jacobs
- Rebecca Lewis
- Elaine Ellers
- Cristina Newport
- Dr. Harry Wang
- Fay Bursch
- Leesa Hooks
- Stacey Kennedy
- Donyale Abe
- Dr. Melody Law
- Dr. Olivia Kasirye
- Nick Mori
- Jackie Washington-Ansley
- Alexa Bunton

#### Absent Members:

- Ravinder Khaira
- Palvinder Dhillon
- Jessica Porten
- Mary Baston
- Amber Hill
- Dr. Kevin Keating

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| Welcome and Introductions                               | Meeting called to order at 8:05 a.m. by Effie Ruggles   |
| Agenda and Minutes                                      | September minutes reviewed and approved with changes by the Board   |
| Public Health Officer's Report                          | <p>Presented by Dr. Law</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Flu season is here and the mask mandate is in effect. There are 2 strains of vaccine available. Flu B is seen in more cases this year so far. Free flu clinics are open.</li> <li>• Sexual Health Clinic at 4600 Broadway, suite 1300 is STD clinic is working on expanding services for HIV and PrEP patients but it may not be another 6 months. There will be an announcement</li> <li>• The Los Rios STD Clinic services will continue until May 2020. We are not sure if any additional funding will be available to keep it open after that time.</li> <li>• The Board of Supervisors is considering an ordinance to ban the sale of flavored tobacco products in the county. This will be presented to the board on November 19<sup>th</sup>. The City has already passed the ordinance.</li> </ul> |
| MCAH Update   | <p>Presented by Leesa Hooks</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The Perinatal Equity Program has an exciting opportunity to work with a champion physician, Dr. Mikah Owens who will help facilitate strategies to address healthy equity, cultural humility, and implicit bias.</li> <li>• The newly awarded Black Infant Health contractors are the Child Abuse Prevention Center and the Mutual Assistance Network. There is currently a class going on at Kaiser on Arden. The program is looking to expand services into area that will bring in women of all socioeconomic status.</li> </ul>  |
| Perinatal Substance Use/Pregnancy & Labor Complications | <p>Presented by Barbara Sheehy &amp; Dr. Lynn Yonekura, Dignity Health</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Slides for this presentation were sent out via e-mail</li> <li>• Effie suggested bringing together different agencies to learn more about how systems can work together for pregnant women. Dr. Kasirye suggested a possible future workshop to determine the work that is currently being done and where the gaps are.</li> </ul>  |

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| NFP Update                         | <p>Presented by Fay Bursch</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• There are currently 4 nurses on staff, with 110 clients and 23 on a waitlist.</li> <li>• There is a graduation ceremony on November 22<sup>nd</sup> from 1-3 PM with 15 graduates, all Board Members are invited to attend.</li> <li>• Referrals continue to come in mostly from Capital OB.</li> <li>• NFP is finally transitioning to a new database and the will be able to tailor reports and the nurses can use their phones to input data.</li> <li>• The Governor’s budget will provide an additional \$700,473 a year to fund home visiting services, this will add 2-3 nurses to our staff.</li> <li>• NPF will be working with CalWorks Home Visiting Initiative program funding which will grow the staff by 4 additional nurses and 1 supervisor.</li> </ul>  |
| Policy Update                      | <p>Presented by Katie Andrew</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• On January 10<sup>th</sup> the Governor must submit his budget</li> <li>• On February 21<sup>st</sup> new bills will be introduced</li> <li>• January 24<sup>th</sup> is the last day for any committee to hear and report to the floor bills introduced in that house in the odd-numbered year. Last day to submit bill requests to the Office of Legislative Counsel.</li> </ul>  |
| Board Member Updates/Announcements | <p>Presented by Elaine Ellers</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The Dept. of Social Services will be putting more funding into the Cal-Learn program for the Adolescent Family Life Program curriculum, Positive Youth Development. This will start July 2020.</li> </ul> <p>Presented by Jackie Washington-Ansley</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The most recent CPSP Roundtable was attended by 53 people and covered oral health, Hep B and TDap. Another one will be held on January 24<sup>th</sup> and the topics will be obesity during pregnancy, and safe sleep.</li> <li>• At a recent health fair screening the nurses screened participants for hypertension and found 33 out of the 35 screened had some level of high blood pressure. Many were not on medications for a number of access reasons.</li> </ul> <p>Presented by Katie Andrew</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The next Medical Dental Collaborative will be held on December 4<sup>th</sup> at the Sierra Sacramento Medical Society. Contact Katie Andrew for more information. Oral Health in the Medical Home: The Critical Role of Oral Health in Optimal Health – Register here: <a href="https://bit.ly/Dec2019MedDentalLC">https://bit.ly/Dec2019MedDentalLC</a></li> </ul> |
| Wrap-Up/Adjournment                | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Effie adjourned the meeting at 9:50 a.m.</li> </ul>  |

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|  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Next Meeting is January 14<sup>th</sup>, 2020</li><li>• Have a nice holiday season!</li></ul> |
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