

The Advisory Board coordinates and supports the following community projects in Contra Costa County:

PEOPLE WHO MAKE A DIFFERENCE

Once a year the Advisory Board acknowledges individuals and groups, both volunteer and non-volunteer, who have made a significant contribution toward reducing substance use in our communities. The awards are presented by the Board of Supervisors.

RECOVERY MONTH CHAMPION

Once a year the Advisory Board recognizes individuals or organizations for their efforts in enhancing and improving the lives of people in recovery. The award(s) are presented by the Advisory Board.

ANNUAL REPORT

Every year the Advisory Board presents a report to the Board of Supervisor and to the community highlighting the Board activities and accomplishments for that year.

Board of Supervisors

District 1 – Supervisor John Gioia
(East Richmond Heights, El Sobrante, Kensington, Montalvin Manor, North Richmond, Rollingwood, Tara Hills)

*Talia Moore E.D.D.
Courtney Cummings
Antwon Cloird*

District 2 – Supervisor Candace Andersen
(Alamo, Canyon, Danville, Lafayette, Moraga, Orinda, San Ramon, Saranap, Walnut Creek (West of Main Street))

*Sienna Cowing
Guita Bahramipour
Catherine Taughinbaugh*

District 3 – Supervisor Diane Burgis
(Antioch, Bethel Island, Blackhawk, Brentwood, Byron, Diablo, Discovery Bay, Knightsen, Oakley)

*Cynthia Chavez
Vacant
Michael Collins*

District 4 – Supervisor Karen Mitchoff
(Clayton, Concord, Contra Costa Centre Pleasant Hill, Walnut Creek)

*Victor Lecha
Victor Ortiz
Tom Aswad*

District 5 – Supervisor Federal D. Glover
(Antioch, Bay Point, Crockett, Hercules, Martinez, Pacheco, Pinole, Pittsburg, Port Costa, Rodeo)

*Sunita Frey
Vacant
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At Large – Internal Operations
(Countywide)

*Jonathan Ciampi
Vacant
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**ALCOHOL AND OTHER DRUGS
ADVISORY BOARD OF
CONTRA COSTA COUNTY**

“The mission of the Contra Costa County Alcohol and Other Drugs Advisory Board is to assess family and community needs regarding prevention and treatment of alcohol and other drug-related problems. Resultant findings and recommendations are forwarded to the Health Services Department and the Board of Supervisors. The Board also serves as an advocate for these findings and recommendations to the communities that we serve.”

If you or someone you know needs help with an alcohol and other drug related problem, call

(800) 846-1652

PURPOSE

The primary purpose of the Alcohol and Other Drugs Advisory Board is to participate in the AOD Services System of Care planning process, and to advise the Health Services Department and the Board of Supervisors on policies, needs, and issues regarding substance use prevention and treatment services. The Board also serves to increase public awareness of substance use issues and to work cooperatively with similar groups in the community.

MEMBERSHIP

The AOD Advisory Board consists of eighteen (18) members who are appointed by the Board of Supervisors to serve a three (3) year term. There are three (3) members from each of the five (5) Supervisorial district and three (3) at-large members. The Advisory Board elects the Chair and the Vice Chair to serve a one-year term.

MEETINGS

The Alcohol and Other Drugs Advisory Board normally meets the 4th Wednesday of each month from 4:00 PM to 6:15 PM. Board and committee meetings may be held at different times & locations throughout the county to facilitate community involvement. Please call Isabelle Kirske at (925) 335-3313 or check our website for specific details. All Board and Committee meetings are **OPEN TO THE PUBLIC** in accordance with the Brown Act and the Better Government Ordinance.

COMMITTEES

Members of the Board are assigned by the Chair to serve on one of the three standing committees:

The **EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE** is responsible for providing leadership and direction to the board and ensuring the committees follow the mission and remain consistent to the established Board Goals and Objectives.

The **COMMUNITY AWARENESS COMMITTEE** provides community education regarding Alcohol and Other Drug relevant information and emerging issues impacting the community. They also arrange Board participation in community events, coordinate Annual Resolutions to the Board of Supervisors and manage the annual People Who Make A Difference Award.

The **PROGRAMS AND SERVICES COMMITTEE** works to review and understand treatment and prevention modalities across all life cycle populations in the Alcohol and Other Drugs system of care, identify gaps, and make recommendations.

QUALIFICATIONS

- Attend monthly Board and Committee Meetings
- You must possess an interest and commitment to address alcohol and drug issues in the community
- No conflict of interest
- Knowledge of addiction and the recovery process is an asset.

Applications are available at your District Supervisor's office, or by calling the Alcohol and Other Drugs Services Administration at (925) 335-3313. They may also be downloaded from the Health Services website at www.cchealth.org/aod/board/