

MHSA Community Forum – October 5, 2017 in Richmond

The following is information from the October 5 forum at the Richmond Auditorium:

- 109 persons signed in and participated.
- 107 persons turned in a demographic survey form and self-identified with the following information:
 - Gender.** Male: 23% Female: 68% Other: 9%
 - Age Group.** Under 26: 5% 25-59: 69% Over 60: 25%
 - Race/Ethnicity.** White/Caucasian: 40% Hispanic/Latino: 21%
Black/African American: 22% Asian/Pacific Islander: 13%
Native American: 1% Other: 8%
 - Self-Identify as:** Consumer: 24% Family Member: 24% Service
Provider: 50% CCBHS: 13% Other: 14%

NOTE: percentages may add up to more than 100%, as persons may self-identify with more than one race/ethnicity or consumer/family member/service provider status.

- 15 persons provided written input.
- 12 persons provided public comment
- 26 persons completed a Community Forum Evaluation and agreed or strongly agreed that:
 1. The objectives of the forum were clearly stated - 81%
 2. The forum met the stated objectives - 76%
 3. The small group discussions were effective - 65%
 4. The right topics were chosen - 84%
 5. They felt comfortable providing input - 84%
 6. They were satisfied with the experience - 73%
 7. They were satisfied with the method of obtaining input - 68%
 8. They were satisfied with the location - 80%
 9. They were satisfied with the availability of reasonable accommodations - 82%
- Comments and suggestions for future community forums include:
 - too noisy, couldn't hear in the small groups, not enough space (10 comments) - spread the tables out, have fewer people in a group, eliminate the tables so people could sit closer.
 - do it later in the day so more people will come.
 - provide more time for each discussion item (3 comments).
 - have cards at each table so people could write comments as they are listening to the discussion.
 - invite more agencies as well as individual service providers. (2 comments)
 - have more discussion on children of trauma.

MHSA Community Forum – October 25, 2017 in Martinez

The following is information from the October 25 forum at Vicente Martinez High School:

- 92 persons signed in and participated.
- 79 persons turned in a demographic survey form and self-identified with the following information:
 - Gender.** Male: 28% Female: 64% Other: 8%
 - Age Group.** Under 26: 3% 25-59: 67% Over 60: 30%
 - Race/Ethnicity.** White/Caucasian: 66% Hispanic/Latino: 14%
Black/African American: 6% Asian/Pacific Islander: 13%
Native American: 1% Other: 5%
 - Self-Identify as:** Consumer: 15% Family Member: 24% Service
Provider: 40% CCBHS: 15% Other: 28%

NOTE: percentages may add up to more than 100%, as persons may self-identify with more than one race/ethnicity or consumer/family member/service provider status.

- 5 persons provided written input.
- 4 persons provided public comment
- 24 persons completed a Community Forum Evaluation and agreed or strongly agreed that:
 1. The objectives of the forum were clearly stated - 96%
 2. The forum met the stated objectives - 91%
 3. The small group discussions were effective - 88%
 4. The right topics were chosen - 88%
 5. They felt comfortable providing input - 100%
 6. They were satisfied with the experience - 100%
 7. They were satisfied with the method of obtaining input - 88%
 8. They were satisfied with the location - 92%
 9. They were satisfied with the availability of reasonable accommodations - 83%
- Comments and suggestions for future community forums include:
 - More variety in meeting dates and times would be helpful.
 - Have the CBOs focus on what services they offer – 3-5 minutes maximum per CBO.
 - I wish we could have had more time to discuss the topics. (4 comments)
 - Overall, good information and helpful resources. (3 comments)
 - Have more forums for parents of young children. (2 comments)
 - Very well organized.
 - It felt like we were all service providers there.
 - Would have liked to participate in more than one group discussion.
 - Individual classrooms were good for the discussions. You could hear others.
 - Excellent forum, nice venue, thank you!

Contra Costa Behavioral Health Stakeholder Calendar

November 2017

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			<p>1 MH Commission: 4:30—6:30 pm 550 Ellinwood Way Pleasant Hill</p>	<p>2 CPAW: 2-5pm 2425 Bisso Ln Concord</p>	3	4
5	6	7	<p>8 CPAW Systems of Care: 10am—12 pm 1340 Arnold Dr, Ste 200, Martinez</p>	<p>9 Children's: 11:00-1:00pm, 1340 Arnold Dr, Ste 200, Martinez Social Inclusion: 1:30-3:30 pm 2425 Bisso Ln, Concord</p>	10	<p>11 </p>
12	13	14	15	<p>16 CPAW Steering: 3:00 - 4:30 pm 1340 Arnold Dr, Ste 200, Martinez</p>	17	18
19	<p>20 CPAW Membership: 3:00 - 4:30 pm 1340 Arnold Dr, Ste 200, Martinez</p>	21	<p>22 Aging and Older Adult: Cancelled AOD Advisory Board : 4 - 6:15pm, 2nd Floor, 1220 Morello, MTZ</p>	<p>23 </p>	24	25
26	<p>27 CPAW Innovation: 2:30 - 4:30pm 1340 Arnold Dr, Ste 200, Martinez</p>	<p>28 Adult: 3:00 - 4:30pm 1340 Arnold Dr, Ste 200, Martinez</p>	29	30		