

County of Los Angeles – Department of Mental Health
Service Area 3

Quality Improvement Committee Meeting
September 7, 2007
9:30 – 11:30 am

AGENDA

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| I | Welcome and Introductions | Reina Vidaurri |
| II | Review of Minutes | Reina Vidaurri |
| III | Department Update | Reina Vidaurri |
| IV | Department QIC Update | Ted Wilson |
| V | SA 3 Project | Leslie Shrager |
| VI | EPSDT Update | All |
| VII | Other Issues | All |
| VIII | Adjournment | All |

Next Meeting: October 17, 2007 @ENKI

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ATTENDEES

Misty Allen	ALMA	Susan Houck	Hathaway-Sycamores
Gloria Santos	Almanson	Marisol Lara	Hillsides
Leslie Gallegos	Arcadia MHC	Lizette Scott	Leroy Haynes
Leah Merjil	Bienvendidos	Julie McInnis	McKinley CC
Leslie Shrager	Children's Bureau	Padma Duravasula	Prototypes
Isabel Perez	Ctr for Aging	Rebecca DeKeyser	Prototypes
Paula Randle	David & Margaret	Judy Law	PUSD Sch. MH
Margaret Faye	DMH	Rosa Martinez	Rosemary Children's
Ted Cannady	DMH	Christine Williamson	Rosemary Children's
John Tobin	DMH	Tracy Wilson	San Gabriel CC
Reina Vidaurri	DMH	Janel Grobes	Serenity
Ted Wilson	DMH	Bill Fujihara	Social Model
Brenda Huicochea	D'Veal	Candice Rodriguez	SPIRITT
Windy Luna-Perez	Ettie Lee	Karleen Paquette	The Family Center
Melody Taylor-Stark	Five Acres	Saundra Lockwood	Trinity-El Monte
Gassia Ezikian	Foothill Family		

WELCOME

Reina Vidaurri welcomed the group at 9:37 a.m. followed by self-introductions.

REVIEW OF THE MINUTES:

The minutes from July 18,, 2007 were reviewed and accepted.

DEPARTMENT UPDATE:

The governor did not fund AB2034 for this fiscal year. DMH is encouraging all AB2034 providers to continue to serve their existing consumers. DMH is discussing ways to maintain the program. The Department is planning a countywide MAT meeting to introduce the new assessment tool, completing the Summary of Findings and to answer operational questions. The training will be held on October 17, 2007-the location has not been identified. PEI guidelines have not been finalized, but are expected to be finalized by the State within the next two weeks. Service Area Three will host a PEI forum at the SAAC meeting, Thursday, September 13, 2007 from 2:00 – 4:00 pm at BHC Alhambra.

DEPARTMENT QIC UPDATE

Ted discussed the Change of Provider form. Patient's Right will be sending out a new form. The May Surveys were down by 900. Training for the November Outcome Performance Surveys will be conducted in the last two weeks of October. 2007. A flyer will be sent out with the information on the training date and location.

SERVICE AREA 3 PROJECT

Leslie gave an update on the project. She distributed the overview and the training flyer discussing each in great detail.

EPSDT UPDATE:

The California Institute for Mental Health was scheduled to provide training on September 19, 2007. Information from this training would be shared with the members.

OTHER ISSUES:

Providers shared information on how to close a chart with a DSM IV Diagnosis when a client does not meet Medical Necessity.

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at approximately 10:35 am.

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