

**County of San Luis Obispo
Behavioral Health Department
Mental Health Services Act**

Mental Health Advisory Committee (MAC) Stakeholder Group Meeting:

This document is proof of stakeholder involvement in decision making priorities and practices for the County of San Luis Obispo Mental Health Services Act programs.

The MAC Stakeholder Group asserts that they have fully understood and made a decision regarding the changes for the following program/service:

Adult Services Case Manager	
Current Program/Service Adult Services Division Case Managers	New Changes/Updates to Program/Services Adding 1.0 FTE Adult Case Manager (previously approved under Released Prudent Reserve through 6/30/2022)
Current Total Amount: \$169,523	New Total Amount: \$226,030 Adding a BH Specialist II at Step 1 the salary and benefits total \$113,015, with an expectation of \$56,507 in revenue, bringing the total addition to: \$56,508
<p>Justification:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Vacancies and reductions in Clinician capacity creates an increased need for case management to help consumers remain engaged and in maintenance of their treatment, wellness, and recovery. • The case managers meet with clients linking them to resources and assist with Medi-Cal eligibility. Additionally, they provide support, education, information, referral, and community outreach. The case managers also assist in orientation of families and clients entering the mental health system. The overall goal for the case managers is to provide navigation for various systems, advocacy, and support for loved ones and family members of mental health consumers. • Assist in the development of the client’s treatment plans. • Medi-Cal reimbursable documentation as part of service delivery. • Assist clients in developing problem solving skills related to daily living, housing, managing chronic symptoms of illness, decreasing psychiatric hospitalizations and employment. <p>Outcomes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Program participants will demonstrate improvements in quality of life as a result of intervention. • Program participants will demonstrate improved wellness and recovery outcomes. • Improved treatment outcomes by enhancing wellness and recovery efforts. 	

On Wednesday, July 27, 2022: **Add additional funding support for Adul Case Manager.**

[X] SLOBHD Staff recommends approval by the MAC Stakeholder Group as specified above.

[] SLOBHD Staff does not recommend approval by the MAC Stakeholder Group as specified above.

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