

ADULT SERVICES POLICY COUNCIL

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Boards, Commissions and Community Representatives/Volunteers

Adult Abuse Prevention Council
Behavioral Health Board
Commission on Aging
County Board of Supervisors
Health Commission
SLO Supportive Housing Consortium

Elected Officials

CA Senator John Laird, 17th District
U.S. Congressman Salud Carbajal, 24th District

Non-Profit Agencies

Access Support Network
Alzheimer's Association
Area Agency on Aging
CenCal Health
Central Coast Hospice
Coast Caregiver Resource Center
Community Action Partnership of SLO (CAPSLO)
Community Health Centers (CHC)
Dignity Health-French Hospital Medical Center
Gala Pride and Diversity Center Senior Advocacy
Hospice of SLO County
Independent Living Resource Center
Lifesteps Foundation
Los Osos Cares
LTC Ombudsman Services of SLO County
North County Connection
PathPoint
Peoples' Self Help Housing
Ride-On Transportation
San Luis Obispo Legal Assistance Foundation
Senior Nutrition Program
Senior Volunteer Services (RSVP/CCCV/PLS)
SLO Hep C Project
SLO Hotline
San Luis Obispo Legal Assistance Foundation
SLO Village
Transitions-Mental Health Association
Tri-Counties Regional Center
United Cerebral Palsy
United Way of SLO County
Wilshire Community Services

Private Organizations

Amdal In-Home Care
Bella Vista Transitional Care
Home Instead Senior Care
Mariposa Music Therapy/Arts for Living
Maxim Healthcare Services
Ridership Development Consultants
Senior Living Consultants

Public Agencies

San Luis Coastal Adult School

San Luis Obispo County Departments of:

Behavioral Health /Mental Health Services
District Attorney / Victim Witness Assistance
Public Health
Probation Department
Sheriff Department
SLO Regional Rideshare
Social Services/Adult Services

Chair: Laura DeLoye
Immediate Past Chair: Kim Chartrand
First Vice Chair: Nicole Bennett
Second Vice Chair: Linda Loebs

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AGENDA

Friday, May 6th, 2022
9:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

INTRODUCTIONS and ANNOUNCEMENTS: (30 Minutes)

New developments for the population, agency or program changes that affect other agencies or programs

PUBLIC COMMENT: (5 Minutes or less)

MEMBER COMMENT: (10 Minutes or less)

GUEST SPEAKERS: (45 Minutes)

- **TMHA – Mark Lamore**

CORRECTIONS / ADDITIONS TO THE SYNOPSIS:

ACTION ITEMS: (10 Mins)

- **Approve April 2022 Synopsis**
- **Confirmation of Nominations 22-23**
- **First Vice Chair: Riley Smith**
- **Second Vice Chair: Savannah Gil**
- **Vaccine Update**

COMMITTEE UPDATES AS NEEDED (10 minutes or less)

- **Health Decision Making and Care**

MEETING LOCATION:

This month's meeting will be available via Zoom

The Zoom link: <https://alz-org.zoom.us/j/99048120265?pwd=UVFGU1I2MlhPSDFtemdzTDRFenRCZz09>

Dial In: 669-900-6833

Meeting ID: 990 4812 0265 Passcode: 996805

NEXT MEETING:

Friday, June 3rd, 2022

MEETING MINUTES

COMMITTEE NAME: ADULT SERVICES POLICY COUNCIL

Meeting Purpose(s): Working together to meet the health and human service needs of
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Leader: Linda Loebis
 Facilitator: Linda Loebis
 Recorder: Carmina Garcia

Meeting Called By: Linda Loebis
 Time: From: 9:00 To: 11:00
 Date: Friday May 6, 2022

Location: Via Zoom

Members Present:

1. Mara Whitten CAPSLO- Paso Robles	14. Sara Zepeda Department of Social Services
2. Clint Weirick Office of CA Senator Laird	15. Michelle Zulim-Clark Public Health Department-Senior Fall Prevention Program
3. Ilene Brill Jewish Family Services	16. Sue Gibson SLG Senior Care/Alzheimer's Association
4. Paul Garth HUD-VASH	17. Carmen Garcia California Phones
5. Jerry Mihaic ILRC	18. Renee Kuhlman Family Consultant CCRC
6. Mark Shaffer United Cerebral Palsy and Ride-On Transportation	19. Elizabeth Merson Public Health
7. Betty Purify People Self-Help Housing	20. Melanie Wickham VASH
8. Fred Monroe Ridership Development Consultants	21. Emma Sartain Cal Poly Student/ Intern @ Wilshire Community Services
9. Jean Raymond Dignity Health/Health Commission SLO County	22. Sadie Weller SLO Legal Assistance Foundation
10. Mark Lamore Transition Mental Health Association	23. Karen Florian Family Consultant CCRC
11. Savannah Gil SLOCOG	24. Sarah Montes Reinhart SLO Public Health
12. Gabriela Garcia Department of Social Services	25. Linda Loebis Senior Volunteer Services
13. Carmina Garcia Department of Social Services	26.

AGENDA ITEMS	COMMENTS/CONCLUSIONS/ACTIONS (IF ANY)
<p>Introductions and Announcements</p>	<p>MARA WHITTEN</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ENROLLING NEW CLIENTS • CAREGIVERS RETREAT JUNE 11, AT ST. JAMES CHURCH, FLYER WILL BE SENT WITH MORE INFORMATION TO FOLLOW <p>CLINT WEIRICK</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SENATOR LAIRD WAS IN THE CONFIRMATION HEARING FOR THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF AGING, THERE IS A LINE OF COMMUNICATION. IF YOU SEE ANY INTERSECTIONS THAT NEED TO BE ADDRESSED VIA LEGISLATION, PLEASE LET THEM KNOW WHAT YOU LIKE AND DISLIKE <p>ILENE BRILL</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CONTINUING TO ASSIST OTHER AGENCIES NEEDS: IF YOU NEED MEDICAL SUPPLIES, GASOLINE, CAR REPAIR FOR YOUR CLIENTS PLEASE REACH OUT <p>JERRY MIHAIC</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • REGISTRY OPEN FOR PA PROGRAM (PERSONAL ASSISTANT), IF ANYONE IS INTERESTED IN BEING A CAREGIVER, PLEASE SEE HIS CONTACT • HMIS: WOULD LIKE CONTACT INFORMATION WITH THE COUNTY • OPENED BY APPOINTMENT ONLY, NEW LOCATION <p>MARK SHAFFER</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CEREBRAL PALSY HAS THEIR ONLINE AUCTION, WITH 65 COOL ITEMS TO GET INVOLVED GO TO THEIR WEBSITE HTTP://UCP-SLO.ORG/ , IT ENDS SATURDAY THE 14TH @ 5:30 PM. • RIDE-ON; IF ANY AGENCY IS LOOKING FOR A 15 PASSENGER VAN AT A FAIRLY REASONABLE RATE PLEASE CONTACT, AS THERE ARE FOUR VEHICLES THAT HAVE BEEN RETIRED AND ARE AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE <p>FRED MONROE</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CO-HOST OF CENTRAL COAST VOICES KCBX ON THE 19TH OF MAY, AT ONE O'CLOCK THE LONG-TERM CARE OMBUDSMAN AND LINDA BECK WILL BE PUTTING TOGETHER AN OUTREACH FAMILY COUNCIL, THE RADIO PROGRAM WILL DISCUSS SUPPORT SYSTEMS AND NETWORKING AMONG FAMILIES OF LONG-TERM CARE RESIDENTS. YOU ARE WELCOMED TO SHARE THIS INFORMATION WITH CLIENTS <p>JEAN RAYMOND</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • FALL HOPING TO HAVE NORMAL EDUCATION RECORDED, IF THERE IS ANYTHING YOU WOULD LIKE THEM TO INVESTIGATE AND PRESENT ON THE COUNTY SITE PLEASE REACH OUT • NO NEW UPDATES FOR DIGNITY HEALTH. FAITH COMMUNITY NURSING COURSE TO BE OFFERED IN FALL, IF ANYONE IN YOUR AGENCY IS INTERESTED, PLEASE CONTACT JEAN. <p>SAVANNAH GIL</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • IF ANYONE NEEDS MORE TRANSPORTATION GUIDES FOR CLIENTS OR AGENCY, OR SETTING UP A MOBILITY WORKSHOP FOR STAFF PLEASE CONTACT SAVANNAH

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<p>Introductions and Announcements</p>	<p>MICHELLE ZULIM-CLARK</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SLOCO SENIORS MONTHLY MEETING: MONDAY MAY 16TH 10:30AM-11:30AM VIA ZOOM TOPIC: MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS MONTH/ MAY IS ALSO OLDER ADULTS MONTH • ATASCADERO SENIOR CENTER-FALL PREVENTION CLASSES WEDNESDAY 12PM-1PM THROUGH JUNE 8TH. LOOKING FOR MORE PARTICIPANTS TO HELP GROW THE ATASCADERO SENIOR CENTER <p>SUE GIBSON</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ALZHEIMER’S ASSOCIATION RAISING FUNDS FOR THEIR WALK WHICH WILL BE ON OCTOBER 29TH MORE INFO TO COME LATER <p>CARMEN GARCIA</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Smart phone basic trainings: Geared towards seniors which will teach them create and receive text and accessibility features. Courses are still via Zoom, courses are provided in English, Spanish, Cantonese and ASL. www.californiaphonees.org • Monthly presentation about our programs: May 20th Catholic Charities will be co-hosting <p>Elizabeth Merson</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • New CDC tool that puts together a decision matrix for people to see if they should get the second booster shot for Covid-19. https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/downloads/vaccines/Second-COVID-19-Booster.pdf <p>Sadie Weller</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Free Legal services in the areas of housing, guardianships, conservatorships, elder abuse, planning for capacity and consumer law. Starting in July they will also be able to assist in government benefits. Bilingual staff available Spanish/English. Contact for legal intake (805) 543-5140 <p>Karen Florian</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CCRC Family Consultants have some grants and counseling available if you know anyone that is taking care of someone and are not being paid, please reach out to Karen (805)451-2450 or Renee (805)364-1026 <p>Sarah Montes</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Medical Eligibility has expanded, if anyone needs an enrollment specialist, we have someone here in the health access division. To enroll https://www.coveredca.com/ or need assistance enrolling call (805) 781-4838 • Webinar: changes to long-term care https://www.chcf.org/event/opportunities-calaim-support-community-living-intersection-institutional-long-term-care/
<p>Public Comment</p>	<p>NONE</p>

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<p>Guest Speakers</p> <p>TMHA- Mark Lamore</p>	<p>HOMELESS SERVICES:</p> <p>HOMELESS OUTREACH TEAM:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • TMHA HAS A CARGO TYPE VAN THAT IS FULLY FITTED WITH TELECOMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT MEMBERS AND THE TEAM USES THIS MOBILE OFFICE TO REACH MEMBERS OF THE COMMUNITY, AND TRY TO ENGAGE. • A METHOD OF ESTABLISHING RAPPORT AND TRUST WITH THE MOST DIFFICULT TO REACH HOMELESS COMMUNITY STARTING OFF WITH FOOD, AND WORK WITH PARTICIPANTS TO ACCEPT SUPPORTIVE SERVICES AND REFERRALS • COMMUNITY HEALTH SERVICES IS A FULL-SERVICE PARTNER IN PROVIDING SERVICES, WHICH INCLUDES: THERAPIST, CASE MANAGERS, PEER SUPPORT, PSYCHIATRIC NURSE PRACTITIONER • ONCE THE PERSON IS ENROLLED THE TEAM CAN ASSIST IN SERVICE DELIVERY OF SERVICES, SUCH AS MEDICATION, COUNSELING, OR PARTICIPATION IN A TREATMENT PROGRAMS SUCH AS MENTAL OR BEHAVIORAL HEALTH • THMA HAS TWO FULL-SERVICE PARTNERSHIPS ONE IN WHICH THERE IS A CAPACITY OF 30 INDIVIDUALS IN THAT TEAM, THE OTHER ADULTS FULL-SERVICE PARTNERSHIP HAS A CAPACITY OF 45 INDIVIDUALS <p>LIBRARY OUTREACH PROGRAM</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • NEW PILOT PROGRAM: WHICH STARTED THIS YEAR • A LOT OF THE HOMELESS VISIT OUR LIBRARIES TO SEEK ASSISTANCE OR HANG OUT DURING THE DAY. AS A RESULT, THE TEAM WILL GO OUT AND ENGAGE WITH THE HOMELESS PATRONS AT THE LIBRARY BUT WILL ALSO ASSIST THEM IN GETTING REFERRALS AND CONNECTED TO SERVICES • WORKING WITH LIBRARY STAFF ON MENTAL HEALTH FIRST AID TECHNIQUES: WHAT IS A MENTAL HEALTH CRISIS, HOW DOES IT LOOK LIKE, HOW DO YOU REACT TO, HOW DO YOU ENGAGE AND REPORT, DE-ESCALATION TECHNIQUES <p>HOMELESS SERVICES CASE MANAGER THROUGH BEHAVIORAL HEALTH</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • WORKING WITH COMMUNITY PARTNERS SUCH AS LAW ENFORCEMENT, SOCIAL SERVICES, AND ANY OTHER AGENCIES THAT ARE ENGAGING WITH THE PUBLIC THAT MAY ENCOUNTER SOMEONE WITH A MENTAL ILLNESS, OR SUBSTANCE ABUSE ISSUE. • JASON HOLLAND IS CURRENTLY THE PERSON WORKING WITH MORRO BAY PD AND ATASCADERO PD, AND COUNTY SHERIFF DEPARTMENT. JASON WILL GO OUT WITH LAW ENFORCEMENT TO ASSIST AN INDIVIDUAL THAT MAY BE CONTEMPLATING SUICIDE, AND ENGAGE WITH THE INDIVIDUAL TO GET THE PERSON SERVICE, AND GET THEM INTO A CRISIS STABILIZATION OF FURTHER EVALUATION <p>OUTREACH PROGRAMS:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ANOTHER ACTION TEAM IS THE CAP TEAM WITH SAN LUIS PD, WHERE THERE IS ANOTHER SOCIAL WORKER EMBEDDED MUCH LIKE JASON'S POSITION, CURRENTLY INTERVIEWING FOR A CASE MANAGER FOR THE FIRE DEPARTMENT • PATH PROGRAM: THIS PROJECTS ASSIST IN THE TRANSITION FROM HOMELESSNESS, TARGETS INDIVIDUALS THAT HAVE CO-OCCURRING DISORDERS. THE PERSON IN CHARGE IN THIS PROGRAM IS A PART-TIME AND GOES OUT TO ASSIST AND REFER INDIVIDUALS TO: SAFE CAMPING PROGRAMS, FIVE CITY COALITION, CAPSLO, ECHO AND OTHER ORGANIZATIONS THAT PROVIDE SUPPORT SERVICES • ALL OUTREACH WORKERS ARE WORKING WITH OUR HOMELESS COMMUNITY MEMBERS TO GET THEM INTO THE HOUSING LIST. COORDINATED ENTRY PROGRAM IS WHAT IS USED TO ASSIST WITH HOUSING

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • HOUSING DISABILITY ADVOCACY PROGRAM: SPECIALIZE, ADVOCATE AND APPLY FOR ASSISTANCE IN THE PROCESS OF SOCIAL SECURITY DISABILITY AND SSI. • HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT (HUD): CURRENTLY HAVE 58 BEDS IN SLO AND ATASCADERO, THESE ARE PERMANENT SUPPORTIVE HOUSING WITH CASE MANAGEMENT SUPPORT. THESE UNITS RANGE FROM ONE BEDROOM TO FIVE BEDROOM HOMES. WORK CLOSELY WITH HOUSING AUTHORITY • 50 NOW PROGRAM: PERMANENT SUPPORTIVE HOUSING PROGRAM, ACT TEAM: REGISTERED NURSE, LICENSED THERAPIST, CASE MANAGERS, CERTIFIED DRUG AND ALCOHOL COUNSELING SUPPORT
Member Comment	NONE
Corrections/Additions to the Synopsis	SYNOPSIS ACCEPTED WITH JEAN RAYMOND CORRECTION NOTATED
Action Items	<p>APPROVE MAY 2022 SYNOPSIS</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A MOTION WAS MADE BY APRIL LEWALLEN TO APPROVED THE SYNOPSIS AS WRITTEN, JEAN RAYMOND SECONDED THE MOTION. <p>CONFIRMATION OF NOMINATIONS 22-23</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • FIRST VICE CHAIR: RILEY SMITH <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • MOTION WAS MADE BY JERRY MIHAIC TO CONFIRM FIRST VICE CHAIR, FRED MONROE TO SECONDED THE MOTION. • SECOND VICE CHAIR: SAVANNAH GIL <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • MOTION WAS MADE BY LINDA LOEBS TO CONFIRM SECOND VICE CHAIR, FRED MONROE TO SECONDED THE MOTION. • ALL VOTED IN FAVOR FOR THE FIRST AND VICE CHAIR AND SECONDED VICE CHAIR CONFIRMATIONS.
Committee Updates as Needed	<p>VACCINE UPDATE</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Case rates have started climbing a bit, but positivity rates have increased from 2.2% to 4.3 %. The positivity rate is the same as it was 12/28/2021 just before our peak cases in Jan/Feb 2022. Boosters are available and encouraged if medically advisable. Visit SLO County's public health site for COVID. All the info is there including the data page to keep an eye on things. <p>HEALTH DECISION MAKING CARE</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • JEAN RAYMOND: WWW.PREPAREFORYOURCARE.ORG TOOL FOR 18 AND OLDER FOR YOU TO PUT YOUR WISHES AND KNOW YOUR PLANNING. FORMS ARE AVAILABLE ON WEBSITE AS WELL IN SOME OF OUR LOCAL LIBRARIES.

The next meeting is: Friday June 3rd, 2022
Location: Via Zoom

Time: 9:00 AM