

San Joaquin and Stanislaus Q3 Community Advisory Committee Meeting

September 30, 2024 Minutes

ATTENDEES

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Perfecto Munoz: West Modesto	John Bodtker: CA Health	Jake Souza: Stanislaus County
Community Collaborative - CEO	Collaborative - Director, CalAIM	Health Services Agency - Public
	Programs	Information Technician
Tran Nguyen: Family Resource	Sharrie Sprouse: Stanislaus County	Justin Phillips: Modesto Gospel
Center, Director of Community	HSA Pubic Health Division -	Mission - Programs Manager
Resource & Referral Programs	Program Coordinator	
Jim Stokes: The Salvation Army	Dr. Inés Ruiz-Huston: El Concilio -	Jeffrey Lewis - Legacy Health
Modesto Corps - Shelter Director	VP, Civic Engagement	Endowment, President & CEO
Carmen Andrade: Healthcare	Medi-Cal Member 35	Medi-Cal Member 36
Options		
Medi-Cal Member 37	Medi-Cal Member 38	

HEALTH NET ATTENDEES

Ayleen Dimailig, Sydney Turner, Dr. Pooja Mittal, Eliana Argueta, Sharon Rushing, and Pao Houa Lee

The purpose of the Community Advisory Committees is to empower members to bring their voices to the table to ensure Health Net is actively driving interventions and solutions to build more equitable care. The CAC advocates for Health Net members by ensuring that Health Net is responsive to their diverse health care needs.

AGENDA ITEM	DISCUSSION	NEXT STEPS / ACTION	OWNER
Call to order, Introductions, & Agenda Overview	 Call to order at 12:02pm. Committee members and Health Net staff introduced themselves. 	N/A	N/A
Resource Presentation: California Health Collaborative	John Bodtker (CalAIM Program Director, California Health Collaborative) gave an overview of CalAIM Enhanced Care Manamgent (ECM) and Community Supports (CS)offered by the California Health Collaborative within the region. He shared a Member success story and how folks can connect with the organization. The committee appreciated the overview and the services offered. One Member asked to connect off- line to see if they were eligible for the available services. The California Health Collaborative contact information and website was shared with the committee.	N/A	N/A
Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion (DEI) Training Program	 Sharon Rushing (Senior Health Equity Specialist) reviewed Health Net's DEI trainings for providers and staff as required by DHCS. Committee provided feedback on the 4 trainings - Advancing Health Equity: Understanding Drivers and Increasing Accountability 		N/A

 Stigma against JI population and
their barriers to getting the care
they need.
understand their own diverse
background. Also, work on
specific cultural competencies
with doctors. It is key to
understand their spectrum on
diversity and cross-cultural
understanding.
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Language Assistance Program/Services
and Health Literacy
 No additional feedback on
training topics
Cross-Cultural Communication and
Competent Care for Diverse Populations
 Communicating with patients with
IDD/DD.
Transgender, Gender Diverse Inclusive
and Affirming Care
 No additional feedback on
training topics.
When committee was asked if they have
any other suggestions or recommended
trainings, committee members suggested to
address:
 Justice-involved population
 Need more mobile doctors and
nurses that can support locally
during evenings and weekends.
 A partnership between Legacy
Health Endowment and El
Concilio to develop a DEI
document was suggested that is
aimed at raising awareness and
sharing with non-profits.
When committee was asked what health-
related social needs should be addressed,
they mentioned:
 Healthcare providers to come to
the community
 Housing and food insecurity
 Provider hours do not meet
community needs.
 Connect with cultural and spiritual
leaders to advocate for Gender
support.

SB 1019 / APL 24- XXX: Non-Specialty Mental Health Services: Member Outreach, Education, and Experience Requirements	 Sydney Turner (Director, Public Policy) reviewed Senate Bill 1019, a new requirement that addresses the historic underutilization of Non-Specialty Mental Health Services (NSMHS) by ensuring Members and PCPs are aware of all covered NSMHS. Health Net requested the committee's feedback on the development and implementation of an annual outreach and education plan for Members and PCPs about covered NSMHS. Committee expressed concerns over long wait times for mental health services and a need for clarity in the referral process. Committee had suggestions for more inviting marketing and public imagery to encourage seeking help, i.e. the use of Member stories vs data and statistics. They emphasized the need for trauma- informed care and sensitivity to multiple cultures. 	N/A	N/A
Population Needs Assessment & Local SMART goal	Sydney Turner shared information on the new Population Needs Assessment, which is a collaboration with other plans and local health department to identify the priority needs of the community. Eliana Argueta (Regional Program Manager) shared San Joaquin and Stanislaus's SMART goals with the committee and requested feedback –	N/A	N/A
	San Joaquin: Pending finalization From January 2024-December 2025, San Joaquin County Local Health Department (LHD) and MCPs including Health Net will collaborate to improve depression screening for pregnant and postpartum members by 50%. Stanislaus: By December 2025, Stanislaus County and MCPs will work collaboratively to develop targeted interventions to improve childhood immunizations rate for those 2 years old and younger to exceed the DHCS benchmark 50th percentile.		
	 Committee identified barriers such as lack of local vaccine access and transportation issues preventing families from accessing vaccines. Suggested mobile clinics or school-site vaccinations as solutions. They emphasized the limited access to care in rural communities, advocating for 		

	 mobile units to support underserved areas. Committee suggested schools act as trusted spaces for healthcare access, proposing mobile care services and community health worker (CHW) programs to enhance accessibility. 		
Community Sharing/Open Forum	Committee members were invited to share items for Community Sharing/Open Forum. Members requested support. Eliana Argueta shared a flyer for Behavioral	Will send out requested information to Members.	Program Manager of Community Advisory Committees
	Health Month.Meeting was adjourned at 1:30pm.		

NEXT MEETING

Date: Thursday – December 5, 2024

Time: 12pm – 1:30pm

Location / Dial-in #:

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