



**Provider Advisory Committee**  
**COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES – DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH**  
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**Tuesday, November 8, 2022**

**2 p.m. - 4 p.m.**

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2:00 - 2:05	<p><b>Welcome</b>  <i>Gary Tsai, M.D., Director, Los Angeles County,          Department of Public Health, Substance Abuse Prevention Control</i></p>
2:05 – 2:10	<p><b>Approval of Meeting Minutes – September 13, 2022</b>  <i>Emily Caesar, Systems of Care</i></p>
2:10 – 2:15	<p><b>Proposed CY 2023 PAC Meeting Dates</b>  <i>Anulkah Thomas, Systems of Care</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Tuesday, February 14, 2 – 4 pm</li> <li>• Tuesday, April 11, 2 – 4 pm</li> <li>• Tuesday, June 13, 2 – 4 pm</li> <li>• Tuesday, August 8, 2 – 4 pm</li> <li>• Tuesday, October 10, 2 – 4 pm</li> <li>• Tuesday, December 12, 2 – 4 pm</li> </ul>
2:15 – 2:25	<p><b>PAC Awards Workgroup Update</b>  <i>Claudia Murillo</i></p>
2:25 – 2:35	<p><b>Business Technology Workgroup Update</b>  <i>Jim Symington &amp; Aris Tubadeza</i></p>
2:35 – 2:55	<p><b>Reaching the 95% Workgroup Update</b>  <i>Deena Duncan &amp; Bill Tarkanian</i></p>
2:55 – 3:10	<p><b>SAPC Response to Funding Utilization Report</b>  <i>SAPC Team</i></p>
3:10 – 3:25	<p><b>New Monthly Practitioner Updates Procedure</b>  <i>Antonette Moore &amp; Ami Shah</i></p>
3:25 – 3:35	<p><b>Discussion Items</b>  <i>Anulkah Thomas, Systems of Care</i></p> <p>Items generated from PAC meeting brainstorms and inquiries received by PAC and SAPC. Prioritized Focuses were flagged specifically for this meeting.</p>

	<b>Prioritized Focuses</b>	<b>Parking Lot</b>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• SAPC/network efforts to expand RBH bed availability</li> <li>• FUW &amp; R95 Workgroup Recs</li> <li>• SAPC OD Prevention Strategy</li> <li>• What does it really mean to “meet people where they are”?</li> <li>• Understanding importance of CAL-OMS &amp; data</li> <li>• Reports Section in SAGE</li> <li>• SPA-Based Meetings</li> <li>• Sage User Decision-making (Primary/Secondary)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Staff Recruitment &amp; Retention</li> <li>• Workforce Acceptance of MAT</li> <li>• CalAIM</li> <li>• Provider Manual Updates</li> <li>• MAT P&amp;P Updates</li> <li>• MAT Coordination</li> <li>• Contingency Management</li> <li>• COVID</li> <li>• Monkeypox</li> </ul>
3:35 – 3:40	<b>Brainstorming Topics for Future Meetings</b> <i>Emily Caesar, Systems of Care</i>	
3:40 – 3:50	<b>SAPC Announcements</b> <i>SAPC Team</i>	
3:50 – 3:55	<b>Meeting Wrap Up</b> <i>Anulkah Thomas, Systems of Care</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Review Decisions/Next Steps</li> <li>• Meeting Evaluation +/-deltas</li> </ul>	
3:55 – 4:00	<b>Public Comments</b> <i>Gary Tsai, Director, DPH-SAPC</i>	
Adjourn	<b>Reminder: Next Provider Advisory Committee Meeting</b>	