

Patients' Rights Committee Agenda

Wednesday, June 17, 2020

Webex Meeting

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10:30am to 11:30pm

| TIME | TOPIC | TAB |
|----------------|--|--------------|
| 10:30am | Welcome and Introductions <i>Walter Shwe and All</i> | |
| 10:35am | Updates: AB 2316 <i>Justin Boese</i> | Tab A |
| 10:40am | PRC Survey Updates <i>Justin Boese</i> | Tab B |
| 10:50am | Workplan Development <i>Walter Shwe and All</i> | Tab C |
| 11:15pm | Plan for Next Meeting | |
| 11:25pm | Public Comment | |
| 11:30pm | Adjourn | |

The scheduled times on the agenda are estimates and subject to change.

Patients' Rights Committee Members

Chairperson: Walter Shwe

Chair Elect: Catherine Moore

Members: Daphne Shaw, Darlene Prettyman, Richard Krzyzanowski, Susan Wilson, Mike Phillips

Staff: Justin Boese

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Agenda Item: Updates: AB 2316

Background/Description

AB 2316: In 2018, the Patients' Rights Committee co-sponsored AB 2316, authored by Assemblymember Susan Eggman. The bill passed and was signed into law in August 2018. AB 2316 requires the California Office of Patients' Rights (COPR) to make training materials for county mental health patients' rights advocates (PRAs) available for all PRAs at any time online. It also requires counties to verify that newly hired PRAs review these materials within 90 days of being hired, and to keep a copy of that verification and send a copy to the Patients' Rights Committee (PRC). Committee members will be reviewing the verification forms that the PRC has received to date.

Enclosures:

1. List of received AB 2316 PRA training verification forms, by PRA name and county.

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**AB 2316 PRA Training Verification Forms Received
1.31.20 – 4.9.20**

| <u>Name</u> | <u>Date</u> | <u>County</u> |
|----------------------|--------------------|----------------------|
| Toby Henry | 1.31.20 | Sacramento |
| Allison Roberts | 2.23.20 | San Diego |
| Cheryl Anne Carolino | 3.19.20 | San Diego |
| Lori Stone | 3.22.20 | San Diego |
| Alma Lopez | 4.9.20 | Fresno |

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Agenda Item: PRC Survey Updates

How This Agenda Item Relates to Council Mission

To review, evaluate and advocate for an accessible and effective behavioral health system.

This agenda item will help Council members in evaluating the state of patients' rights in California counties, particularly regarding patients' rights in county jails.

Background/Description:

At the June 2019 PRC Meeting, the committee decided to develop a survey to gather more information about patients' rights in county jails, as well as other potential topics. Since there are significant barriers to surveying the county jails themselves, the intended target population for the survey are the local behavioral health boards and commissions. The survey invitation was sent out on May 26, 2020. Justin Boese will provide an update on the responses received so far.

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Agenda Item: Workplan Development

Background/Description:

During the April 2020 conference call, the Patients' Rights Committee reviewed the workplan and began a discussion to update it. The committee will continue the discussion on the workplan and create a new draft based on current committee objectives.

Enclosures:

None