



DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES  
**BEHAVIORAL HEALTH AND  
 RECOVERY SERVICES**

Promoting and protecting health, well-being, self-sufficiency, and safety of all in Marin County.

MARIN COUNTY  
**ADVISORY BOARD ON ALCOHOL AND OTHER DRUG PROGRAMS**  
 August 3, 2020 @ 6:30 P.M.



Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87266476827?pwd=WGJ1M2FpU0w0QnFWaXdRZG44d2hMQT09>

Meeting ID: 872 6647 6827 / Passcode: 697874  
 Dial by your location: +1 669 900 6833 US

Benita McLarin, FACHE  
 DIRECTOR

Jei Africa, Psy.D.  
 DIVISION DIRECTOR

20 North San Pedro Road  
 San Rafael, CA 94903  
 415 473 6809 T  
 415 473 7008 F  
 415 473 3344 TTY  
[marinhhs.org/bhrs](http://marinhhs.org/bhrs)

**M-I-N-U-T-E-S**

TIME	SUBJECT
6:30 PM	Call to Order Call for AOD Quorum: YES Present: John Reilly, Gail Dunnett, Ruby Gibney, Tracy Novick, Christine Lam, Mark Dale, Supervisor Katie Rice, Corey Dodge  Guests: Kathy Koblick, Roxana Yekta, Zane Morrissey, Tori Kropp, Heather Johnson, Mark Karandang  Absent: Ruby Gibney, Suzanne Kanner  Staff: Jei Africa, Cat Condon, Taffy Lavié
6:31 PM	Introductions: Introduce Board Members & New Candidates
6:35 PM	Review of Agenda / Approval of July 6, 2020 meeting Minutes <i>Motion to approve by Tracy N and approved by John R – All Approved</i>
6:40 PM	Open Public Time
6:45 PM	Kathy Koblick, MPH, Public Health Division Director will give an overview of Marin Prevention Network (MPN). <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• MPN began with funded coalitions through the substance abuse and prevention block grant</li> <li>• 10+ years ago it was decided this money would be best used to fund coalitions in the community to come up with work plans that are based on the goals and strategies in the BHRS Prevention Strategic Plan</li> <li>• Will be funding coalitions in Marin based on geographic locations</li> <li>• Looking at policy and working on language that is found in policy</li> <li>• Restorative justice practice in with youth court</li> <li>• Working on changing social norms</li> <li>• Works closely with MCOE as well as many other community based organizations</li> <li>• Guidebook for parents and caregivers is distributed annually to families of incoming freshmen</li> <li>• MPN has a just released website that is not completely finished but will include all information about what they are doing</li> <li>• Social Host Ordinance explanation and working to decrease house parties where kids are drinking</li> </ul>

7:00 PM	<p>BHRS Staff Reports: Jei Africa, BHRS Director and Cat Condon, Division Director, SUD will provide updates related to BHRS’ response to the COVID19 pandemic including outreach efforts, continuation of essential services, etc. Information will also be provided on statewide efforts to address Behavioral Health needs during COVID19.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Admission has slowed to services at Helen Vine due to lack of COVID-19 rapid tests at Marin Health. Tests are now taking 24 hours and folks have to stay in a separate monitoring room upon entering. Looking at possibly getting a trailer to accommodate another person with pending COVID results</li> <li>• HealthRight 360 recently started accepting Marin admissions again</li> <li>• Involved in a group trying to offer some support to AA and being able to perhaps have meeting outside</li> <li>• Save the Date for the Suicide Prevention Collaborative launch on Aug 5<sup>th</sup> at 1pm</li> </ul>
7:15 PM	<p>Committee Reports:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• RX Safe Marin – Mark Dale             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ 4% uptick in overdose deaths most likely due to COVID-19</li> <li>○</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Legislative Update – nothing to report</li> <li>• Membership Committee Reports             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Tracy N reported on education which overlaps with her other group regarding resources. Working on creating a more friendly spreadsheet. Having trouble reaching people right now most likely due to closures.</li> <li>○ Corey D reported that there hasn’t been much progress on the Narcan project. Will be talking with Danika (Narcan coordinator) later this week and hopefully have more to report next time</li> <li>○ Gail on Treatment Center committee: created a spreadsheet of about 20 different treatment centers. Working on getting all the information on what each of them offer as well as funding and what insurance they accept. Hoping to share the spreadsheet and have board members help fill in the gaps.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
7:30 PM	Adjournment
	<i>PLEASE NOTE WE WILL BE DARK (NO MEETING) IN SEPTEMBER</i>
	Next Executive Conference Call: Mon. Sept. 21, 2020 @ 12:15 p.m.– Conference Call- 415-473-7719 / 636825
	Next AOD Board Meeting: Mon. Oct. 5, 2020 @ 6:30 pm via Zoom

All public meetings and events sponsored or conducted by the County of Marin are held in accessible sites. Requests for accommodations may be made by calling (415) 473-3020 (Voice) (415) 473-3232 (TTY) or by email at [disabilityaccess@marincounty.org](mailto:disabilityaccess@marincounty.org) at least four work days in advance of the event. Copies of documents are available in alternative formats, upon written request. Late agenda material can be viewed in the office of Community Mental Health Services, between the hours of 8:00 am and 5:00 pm. Community Mental Health Services office is located at 20 N. San Pedro Road, Suite 2021, San Rafael, CA, 94903. Thank you for your interest and participation in the workings of the Marin Mental Health Board. If you would like more information or would like to speak with a member of the Board, please contact: Taffy Lavié 415-473-6809