

Mental Health Services
Oversight & Accountability Commission

Breakout Group 1

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Film Debrief

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Facilitated Discussion



Discussion Question 1:

What key social, environmental, health, economic, and demographic factors should be considered to identify mental health needs and strengths of communities?

How are these factors measured and what data sources are currently available at the state and local levels?



Discussion Question 2:

What opportunities exist to disseminate population-level data to guide the planning and delivery of programs and services to reduce mental health risk, bolster resilience, and ensure timely support as mental health needs emerge?



Discussion Question 3:

What are the benefits, limitations, and ethical considerations of using population-level data to inform policies, targeted program delivery, and resource allocation?



Discussion Question 4:

What state-level support is needed to fortify data-informed mental health prevention and early intervention programs and services in California, including key collaborations, infrastructure, and technical assistance?



Final thoughts...

Post-Forum Survey

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