

# Shifting the Current - Advancing Mental Health Prevention and Early Intervention using Evaluation and Technical Support

## **Prevention and Early Intervention Subcommittee**

**PEI Forum Series: Day Three** 

**Reducing the Negative Consequences of Mental Health Needs** 

# **Meeting Agenda**

Monday, April 5, 2021 | 12:30 PM - 4:30 PM

#### **Zoom Teleconference**

Note: This meeting will be recorded.

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TIME	TOPIC
12:30 PM	Welcome and Introduction Subcommittee members: Commissioner Mara Madrigal-Weiss (Chair) and Commissioner Mayra Alvarez (Vice-chair)
12:35 PM	Presentation: Prevention and Early Intervention in Mental Health
	Kali Patterson, MA, Research Scientist, MHSOAC Ashley Mills, MS, Research Supervisor, MHSOAC
	Commission staff will provide an overview of the Commission's Prevention and Early Intervention Project and outline the purpose of the forum series in advancing prevention and early intervention in California through data and technical support.
1:00 PM	Keynote Speaker 1 Presentation with Q&A:
	Imelda Padilla-Frausto, PhD, Research Scientist at UCLA Center for Health Policy Research and Commissioner for Los Angeles County Department of Mental Health
	Dr. Padilla-Frausto will highlight her work in identifying population measures and data to track negative mental health outcomes, specifically focusing on how the California Mental Health Interview Survey (CHIS) could be used as a surveillance tool for tracking unmet mental health needs including its determinants and outcomes.
1:30 PM	Break
1:40 PM	Keynote Speaker 2 Presentation with Q&A:

4:30 PM	Adjourn
4:25 PM	Next Steps
	<ul> <li>What technical assistance is needed to support data-driven and multisector efforts to reduce disparities and the negative consequences of unmet mental health needs?</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>What are some key opportunities for prevention of negative mental health outcomes?</li> <li>What partners need to be involved? What are some barriers to collaboration?</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>What are key indicators and data sources that capture prolonged suffering, unemployment, school failure, incarceration, removal of children from their home, homelessness, and suicide? How can these indicators be tracked to demonstrate changes over time?</li> </ul>
	Group Reflection Topics:
	Richard S. Knecht, MS Integrated Services Advisor, Consultant to California Department of Social Services
	Pia V. Escudero, LCSW  Executive Director, Division of Student Health and Human Services, Los Angeles Unified School District
	Brenda Grealish, MA  Executive Officer, Council on Criminal Justice and Behavioral Health
	Panelists:
	Dr. Niendam will lead a panel of representatives from multiple sectors in a discussion of opportunities to reduce negative mental health outcomes with an emphasis on data surveillance, technical assistance, and multisector coalition. Between panel discussions, all forum attendees will have an opportunity share their input and engage in focused discussion guided by Dr. Niendam and Commission staff.
2:45 PM	Panel Discussion and Group Reflection
	Facilitator: Cary McQueen, Founder and Executive Director, Art With Impact
	Participants will be led through a short debrief to process reactions to the Art With Impact film.
2:35 PM	Film Debrief
2:20 PM	Break followed by a short film from Art With Impact
	Dr. Niendam will discuss the role of early psychosis intervention in reducing negative mental health outcomes, highlighting the importance of data, evaluation, and technical assistance.
	<b>Tara Niendam, PhD,</b> Associate Professor in Psychiatry and Executive Director of the UC Davis Early Psychosis Programs (EDAPT and SacEDAPT Clinics)

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