



MEETING NOTES

Meeting Purpose: This meeting convened health care providers, community-based organizations, and social service agencies to learn about the Student Behavioral Health Incentive Program from Central California Alliance for Health (Alliance) and also allow members to connect and share with each other their ACEs work and efforts.

Attendees:

- Priscila Bacio
- Laura Wishart
- Allison Guevara
- Jorina Elbers
- Sindia Garcia
- Becky Shoemaker
- Britta Vigurs
- Cal Gordon
- Cameo Culcasi
- Denise Gonsalves
- Devon Francis
- Cassandra Flores
- Kate Nester
- Kathryn Kane-Vandervort
- Rebecca Nolazco
- Regina Randolph
- Rosio Sanchez
- Scott Prysi

Student Behavioral Health Incentive Program

- Regina Randolph, Sr. Program Development Analyst from the Alliance presented on the Student Behavioral Health Incentive Program (SBHIP).
 - Regina overviewed the Student Behavioral Health Incentive Program and presented on the purpose of incentive payments and the program design of SBHIP.
 - Regina outlined the selection criteria for Local Educational Agencies (LEAs) in Santa Cruz County.
 - The LEA identified in Santa Cruz County for SBHIP is the Pajaro Valley Unified School District (PVUSD).
 - Regina shared the timeline of activities of SBHIP and highlighted the targeted interventions for partners in PVUSD and the post-SBHIP goals.

Group Reflections

- Members were put in groups to connect and share with each other their ACEs work, progress, and efforts.
 - Allison Guevara shared that partners would like to know the process of ACEs referrals, how they are tracked, and if they are successful. With expansion of wellness centers in schools, it is crucial to understand how the referral process will be to connect students to outside resources.
 - Jorina Elbers shared that some partners were sharing the successes they are having with ACEs screenings, however, there is a common thread of challenges with training new staff on ACEs, in addition to orienting them on logistics, workflows, and resources. Partners would appreciate having a directory to ACE-related resources to utilize at their organizations and health centers.
 - Priscila Bacio shared that partners shared their progress on how they are applying concepts of ACEs at their organization and how other organizations and health centers are processing referrals. A member was able to share their perspective as a community health worker/promotora on taking on the work of ACEs to help patients navigate resources in the community..

Closing

- Our next ACEs Community of Practice meeting is on Wednesday, August 30, 12 - 1 pm.