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DATE OF MEETING: 6/19/13

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AGENDA ITEM: Presentation and Discussion of Current and Future Stakeholder Contract Deliverables for Increased Participation at Community Forums

ENCLOSURES:

OTHER MATERIAL RELATED TO ITEM:

Issue:

The 2013 CFLC Charter has activities regarding increased stakeholder participation at Community Forums in addition to seeking broad input from people with lived experience of mental illness to participate in MHSOAC meetings. At the June 19, 2013 meeting, the Committee will be provided a presentation from the following two stakeholder contractors:

- Jessica Cruz, Executive Director, National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI)
- Vickie Mendoza, Director of Statewide Community Network, United Advocates of Children and Families (UACF)

Background:

The MHSOAC now has the responsibility to administer the stakeholder contracts that were previously administered by the Department of Mental Health (DMH). Due to the changes in the mental health landscape, it was determined that the contracts require some modifications to help clarify the deliverables. Through collaboration with the contractors, these contracts are being updated to strengthen the deliverables to provide much needed services, training and support for the intended populations and to increase their participation. The presentation regarding the following two contracts at the June 19, 2013 meeting will provide an update on the deliverables associated with increased stakeholder participation.

National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI)

The following NAMI contract deliverables are intended to increase stakeholder participation:

- “Identify, solicit and recruit a diverse group of clients and family members to participate as an advisory pool of delegates whenever the voice of consumers and family members is needed.”
- “Provide representation in the MHSA Stakeholder process, attend MHSA Stakeholder meetings, committees, conferences and workshops scheduled throughout the State.”

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United Advocated for Families and Children (UACF)

The following UACF contract deliverables are intended to increase stakeholder participation:

- “Conduct trainings, conferences and other activities to increase state and local capacities to promote, build and support leadership by youth, parents and family members of children who use public mental health services to increase meaningful participation of parents and caregivers in the development and maintenance of local mental health service systems throughout the state who will be better educated on mental health policy.”

Additional MHSOAC Stakeholder Contracts:

- California Youth Empowerment Network (CAYEN)
- Peers Envisioning and Engaging in Recovery Services (PEERS)

CAYEN contract deliverables intended to increase stakeholder participation:

- “Provides the TAY voice/perspective to policy makers at the statewide and local level through meeting attendance and membership on committees and boards.”
- “Funds youth participants at meetings of the MHSOAC and state and county mental health meetings.”
- “Identify appropriate meetings to be attended and/or committees for TAY to apply to for membership.”
- “Prepare youth on issues related to all meetings in order to maximize the benefit of attendance.”
- “Organize all travel and stipends for CAYEN members as needed for statewide or local meetings such as MHSOAC Community Forums and Commission meetings.”
- “Assist youth in identifying appropriate county personnel to initiate contacts with in order to secure information on the current status of the Counties MHSA Planning Process’ and implementation of the various MHSA components and how they influence the process.”

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PEERS contract deliverables intended to increase stakeholder participation:

- Attend MHSA/MHSOAC meetings
 - “PEERS provides at the state and local level, as well as at MHSOAC specific meetings, the perspective of clients and other individuals with lived experiences across the life span, including individuals from un-served, underserved and inappropriately served communities.”
 - “PEERS ensures that there are representatives situated throughout the state who will be able to attend and participate (as needed) in various county and mental health committee meetings and that representatives report back to PEERS on trends arising out of the counties that are germane to the stakeholder process. PEERS ensures that these representatives will be able to indicate how the counties are developing a working partnership with constituent stakeholders.”