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DATE OF MEETING: 10/16/13

PREPARED BY: Best/Oseguera

DATE MATERIAL
PREPARED: 10/5/13

AGENDA ITEM: Draft Cultural Competence PowerPoint Presentation

- ENCLOSURES:
- Draft Cultural Competence PowerPoint Presentation
 - Cultural Competence Presentation Pre and Post Test
 - Cultural Competence Presentation Evaluation Form

OTHER MATERIAL RELATED TO ITEM:

Issue:

CLCC member Sharon Jones will provide an overview of the PowerPoint Presentation she will present to the MHSOAC Commissioners and Staff. The membership will have the opportunity to provide comments and suggestions to improve the presentation.

Background:

Per its Charter, the CLCC provides an annual Cultural Competence Presentation to the Commission. At the November 2011 Commission meeting, Jose Carniero, EdD, Director, Office of Minority Health Resource Center, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, conducted a presentation on the Culturally and Linguistically Appropriate Services (CLAS) Standards. Last year, Tamu Nolfo, PhD, ONTRACK Program Resources provided the Commission with a presentation entitled Cultural Competence: "Meeting the Challenge." The presentation outlined how understanding and incorporating cultural competence practices and the CLAS Standards into the decision-making process of the Commission can increase creativity in problem-solving through new perspectives, ideas, and strategies, while promoting inclusion and equality.