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# AGENDA ITEM 6A

## Information

February 26, 2015 Commission Meeting

### California Mental Health Services Authority (CalMHSA) Update

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**Summary:** The California Mental Health Services Authority (CalMHSA) will be presenting a status report on CalMHSA program funding, evaluation results, and sustainability. The presentation will be an update on Prevention and Early Intervention (PEI) Statewide Projects, Phase Two, and Evaluation of PEI Statewide Projects (Summary of Year Two Findings), and sustainability.

The CalMHSA is a Joint Powers Authority (JPA) acting on behalf of member counties to administer three Prevention and Early Intervention (PEI) statewide programs. The PEI programs managed by CalMHSA are Suicide Prevention, Stigma and Discrimination Reduction, and the Student Mental Health Initiative. The contract between the JPA and the Department of Health Care Services (DHCS) authorizes CalMHSA to develop and implement the PEI statewide programs in accordance with the Guidelines issued by the Mental Health Services Oversight and Accountability Commission (MHSOAC or Commission) in March 2010.

**Enclosures:**

- CalMHSA Staff Recommendations for County PEI Funded Activities in Phase II FY 2015-17.
- Evaluation of California's Statewide Mental Health Prevention and Early Intervention Programs (Summary).

**Recommended Action:** None.

**Handout:** A PowerPoint will be provided at the meeting.

**Presenters:** Maureen Bauman, President, California Mental Health Services Authority (CalMHSA), and Member of the CalMHSA Board of Directors, and Wayne Clark PhD, incoming Executive Director of CalMHSA.

**Motion:** None.