



California Association of Local Behavioral Health
Boards and Commissions

CALBHB/C Winter 2019 Newsletter

“An ounce of performance is worth pounds of promises.” Mae West

What is the impact of the mental health programs, services and facilities in our communities?

CA’s mental/behavioral health board and commission members would like to know!

It is alarming to hear rumors regarding “an MHSA Refresh” when we do not have the information to understand the performance of the current system.

CALBHB/C is working in two areas to increase access to this vital performance information to help boards/commissions as they advise locally.

1) **Advocacy:** CALBHB/C is advocating for a standard set of MHSA Performance Outcome Data: [Letter to CA Senate Budget Subcommittee Dec. 2019.](#)

2) **Performance Outcome Information** on our [website](#): This includes information related to:

Criminal Justice

ER Visits

Employment

Homelessness

Hospitalizations

Student Performance

See: www.calbhbc.org/performance

TELECONFERENCES

Suicide Prevention

Criminal Justice

January 31, 11:30 am

Older Adults

Friday, February 21, 11:30 am

REGIONAL MEETINGS / TRAINING

Bay Area: April 18 (Tentative)

Registration information will be emailed to local board chairs and staff. All board/commission members and related staff are invited.

ISSUE BRIEFS - www.calbhbc.org

Board & Care (ARF)

Criminal Justice

Disaster Preparation/Recovery

Employment

Older Adults

Additional Topics:

www.calbhbc.org/newsissues

RESOURCES – www.calbhbc.org

Handbook, On-Line Training, Member Orientations, PowerPoints & More!

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