

**Sacramento County
 Department of Health Services
 HIV Health Services Planning Council
 Affected Communities Committee
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Meeting Agenda

October 7, 2024, 3:00 PM – 4:00 PM

Meeting Location

**4600 Broadway, Sacramento, CA 95820
 2nd Floor Conference/Community Room 2020**

Facilitator: Zach B. – Chair

Scribe: Angelina Olweny – Council Staff

Meeting Invitees:

- Affected Communities Committee Members
- Open to the Public

Public Comment: This provides opportunities for the public to address the Council as a whole in order to listen to opinions regarding matters within the jurisdiction of the Council during Regular meetings and regarding items on the Agenda at all other meetings. Public Comment time limit is three (3) minutes.

*Action items

Topic	Presenter	Start Time	Length
Welcome and Introductions	Zach B.	3:00 PM	As Needed
Announcements	All		As Needed
Public Comments-Agenda Items-3 Minute Time Limit	Zach B.		
Agenda Review*	Zach B.		

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Minutes Review of August 2024*	Zach B.	As Needed	As Needed
Service Concerns	Zach B.		
Reflectiveness Update	Zach B.		
Fall Positive Advocate Draft*	Zach B.		
Winter Positive Advocate Draft*	Zach B.		
CY24 Training Calendar	Zach B.		
CY24 Outreach <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Website Visits • Advertising • Event Calendar 	Zach B.		
Community Presentation Discussion	Zach B.		
Planning Council Mission and Vision Statement Update	Zach B.		
Public Comments-Non-Agenda Items	Zach B.		
Technical Assistance	Zach B.		
Adjourn	Zach B.	4:00 PM	

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Attachments:

Minutes of August 2024*

Fall Positive Advocate Draft*

Winter Positive Advocate Draft*

CY24 Training Calendar

CY24 Outreach Calendar

NEXT MEETING: **December 2, 2024**

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Meeting Minutes

August 5, 2024, 3:00 – 4:00 p.m.

Meeting Location: 4600 Broadway, Sacramento CA 95820 Conference/Community Room 2020

Facilitator: Zach Basler – ACC Chair

Council Staff: Angelina Olweny

Meeting Attendees: Richard Benavidez, Kelly Gluckman, Zach Basler

Members Absent: Arturo Jackson III, Brad Bartholomai, Steve Austin

Members Excused: Christopher-Kendrick-Stafford, Kane Ortega

Guests: N/A

County Staff: Danielle Caravella

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Topic	Minutes
<p>Welcome, Introductions and, Announcements</p>	<p>Welcome and introductions began at 3:05 PM</p> <p>The HIV Review Event is on Oct 3, 5:30 - 7:00 PM at Clunie Community Center. Gilead is sponsoring the patient-driven event and Dr. Troia will be a speaker. Providers and HIV Health Services Planning Council partner agencies are encouraged to attend.</p> <p>Sunburst Projects and La Familia Community Center will have an education fair on October 19. Everardo Alvizo will host an HIV Community Conversation in English and Spanish at the event.</p> <p>The NorCal AIDS Cycle check distribution event is on August 26 from 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM at Beer and Crown Brewery on 22nd Street.</p> <p>The Rainbow Chamber is providing scholarships to individuals pursuing higher education. The application deadline is August 16.</p> <p>Sunburst Projects and La Familia Community Center will have an education fair on October 19. Everardo Alvizo will host an HIV Community Conversation in both English and Spanish at the event.</p> <p>NorCal AIDS Cycle check distribution event is on August 26 from 6:00 PM-8:00 PM at Beer and Crown Brewery on 22nd street.</p> <p>The Rainbow Chamber is providing scholarships to individuals pursuing higher education. The application deadline is August 16.</p>
<p>Public Comments- Action Items</p>	<p>N/A</p>
<p>Agenda Review*</p>	<p>The agenda was presented for review and approval.</p>

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<p>June 2024 Minutes Review*</p>	<p>Richard Benavidez motioned to accept the agenda as presented and Kelly Gluckman seconded the motion. The committee agreed to table the discussion on the Planning Council’s mission and vision statement until the October meeting.</p> <p>Richard Benavidez motioned to accept the agenda with the changes made and Kelly Gluckman seconded the motion. The motion passed with a majority.</p> <p>Accept: Kelly Gluckman, Richard Benavidez, Zach Basler. Oppose: N/A Abstain: N/A</p> <p>The June minutes were presented for review and approval. Richard Benavidez motioned to accept the minutes as presented and Kelly Gluckman seconded the motion.</p> <p>The statement under service concerns should read “this results in significantly fewer shelter beds”. On page 3 the sentence should be corrected to state that “given that OCH’s contract with UC Davis Health is ending and UC Davis”</p> <p>Richard Benavidez motioned to accept the minutes with the changes made and Kelly Gluckman seconded the motion. The motion passed with a majority.</p> <p>Accept: Kelly Gluckman, Richard Benavidez, Zach Basler. Oppose: N/A Abstain: N/A</p>
<p>Service Concerns</p>	<p>There were no new reported service concerns.</p>

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Reflectiveness Update	Reflectiveness is at 29%. ACC is looking to recruit consumers receiving Ryan White Part A services to participate in the Planning Council. There is an open Native American seat and a designated Mental Health and Substance Use provider seat. Committee members were encouraged to recruit members during community events and meetings outside the standard council and committee meetings.
CY24 Training Calendar	The tentative training calendar is as follows: Lenore Gotelli from RX Healthcare will give a presentation at the August 28 Planning Council meeting. Yvonne Rodriguez will give a Housing and Homelessness presentation at the September 25 Planning Council meeting.
CY24 Outreach	A process will be put in place for the ACC committee and the Council to review contract proposals for developing a new Sacramento TGA website. The committee desires to have one World AIDS Day event where all providers, partners, and consumers can participate.
Community Presentation Discussion	The next community conversation is on September 18 on HIV and Aging.
Summer Positive Advocate Discussion	The Summer Positive Advocate was presented for review and approval. A correction will be made to indicate that the ACC committee is looking to hold community conversations at various locations.

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	<p>Kelly Gluckman motioned to accept the Summer Positive Advocate as presented and Richard Benavidez seconded the motion. Then motion passed with a majority.</p> <p>Accept: Kelly Gluckman, Richard Benavidez, Zach Basler. Oppose: N/A Abstain: N/A</p>
Public Comment-Non-Agenda Items	N/A
Technical Assistance	For technical questions, reach out to Zach Basler.
Adjournment	The meeting adjourned at 3:57 p.m.

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National African Immigrants and Refugee HIV and Hepatitis Awareness Day

National African Immigrants and Refugee HIV and Hepatitis Awareness Day is celebrated on September 9th. According to HIV.gov it was "Founded by advocates in Massachusetts, Washington, D.C., and New York. NAIRHHA Day has been observed annually on September 9 by communities, advocates, healthcare professionals, government officials, and other stakeholders since 2014. The purpose of NAIRHHA Day is to bring national and local attention to the HIV and viral hepatitis needs of African immigrants living in the U.S. in a culturally and linguistically appropriate manner. By addressing some of the unique issues that African immigrants in the U.S. face through awareness, education, and resources, NAIRHHA Day helps to eliminate the pervasive stigma surrounding HIV and hepatitis in these communities and empower individuals within these communities to take charge of their health by encouraging screenings, treatment, and hepatitis B vaccination" (HIV.gov, 2024)

Reference: [National African Immigrants and Refugee HIV and Hepatitis Awareness Day | HIV.gov](#)



National HIV/AIDS and Aging Awareness Day

National HIV/AIDS and Aging Awareness Day is celebrated on September 18th. According to HIV.gov it is led by the [AIDS Institute](#) and explains that "National HIV/AIDS and Aging Awareness Day (NHAAD) is observed each year on September 18 to focus on the increasing number of people who, because of major advancements in HIV treatment, are living long, full lives with HIV. The awareness day also calls attention to the unique health and social needs, as well as the challenges of HIV prevention, testing, treatment, and care among people who are aging. This year's theme, "Protect Our Aging Populations: Meeting New Challenges to Live Longer and Improve Lives!", aims to emphasize the need for prevention, research, and data focused on the aging community and increase medical understanding of the impact of HIV on the natural aging process.



More than half of people living with diagnosed HIV in the United States and dependent areas are aged 50 and older. Some were diagnosed later in life, while others have lived with HIV for many years. Support services are available through health care providers, local community centers, or HIV service organizations. Use the HIV [Services Locator](#) to find services near you" (HIV.gov, 2024).

In recognizing the growing needs of those aging with HIV, The HIV Health Services Planning Council conducted a focused needs assessment in FY23 on the HIV & Aging population. The results and findings of the assessment can be found [here](#).

Reference: [National HIV/AIDS and Aging Awareness Day #HIVandAging | HIV.gov](#)

National Latinx AIDS Awareness Day

October 15 is National Latinx AIDS Awareness Day (NLAAD). According to HIV.gov “NLAAD was first observed in 2003 by the Hispanic Federation and the Latino Commission on AIDS (LCOA). NLAAD is an opportunity to help address the disproportionate impact of HIV in Hispanic/Latinx communities, promote HIV testing, and stop HIV stigma. This observance is also a community mobilization effort that helps promote effective ways to prevent, treat, and stop the transmission of HIV among Hispanic/Latinx people.

The NLAAD 2024 campaign brings together communities, service providers, and organizations providing services to Hispanics/Latinxs throughout the U.S. and territories under one theme: "Start Treatment. Stick to It. Get Better." This year’s campaign is directed at the entire community but focused on people who live with HIV. The campaign urges them to choose one of the many treatment options to maintain their health, reach undetectable viral load and do not pass the virus to others (treatment as prevention)” (HIV.gov, 2024).



Reference: [National Latinx AIDS Awareness Day | HIV.gov](#)

Awareness Days

September 9 is National African Immigrants and Refugee HIV and Hepatitis Awareness Day

September 18 is National HIV/AIDS and Aging Awareness Day

October 15 is National Latinx AIDS Awareness Day

ACC Community Conversations

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Upcoming Events:

TBD

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Call 916-443-3299 to make an appointment or for more information.

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- ⇒ Substance Abuse—Residential



Positive Advocate

Winter 2024

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World AIDS Day

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December 1 is World AIDS Day

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Calendar Year 2024 HHSPC Training Schedule

January 24	Integrated Plan Blueprint
February 28	STD Control Branch
March 27	RX Health Care
April 24	Gilead Community Liaison
May 29	Overview of the Mechanics of the Planning Council
June 26	–
July 24	TBD
August 28	TBD – RX Healthcare
September 25	TBD – Housing and Homelessness
October 23	TBD – Women and HIV Presentation
Nov/Dec 11	TBD

2024 Community Event Schedule

	Event Date	Event	Organization	Location	Time	Space Fee	Comments	ACC Event
2024	Oct. 15	National Latino AIDS Awareness Day	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD		
	TBD	Fentanyl Awareness Safety Fair	Sac DA and DHS	TBD	TBD		1PillCanKillSac.com/Events	Yes
	Dec. 1	World AIDS Day	Collaborative	TBD	TBD	N/A		
	TBD	ARC Carefest	ARC		ARC Student Center	TBD	Free	Free Community Partner
	Feb. 7	National Black HIV/AIDS Awareness Day	TBD	TBD	10:30 am 2:00 pm	None		Y
	Feb-24	HIV is Not a Crime Awareness Day	TBD	TBD	TBD			
	Mar. 10	National Women and Girls HIV/AIDS Awareness Day	TBD	Sacramento LGBT Center	TBD	Free		