

**MULTIDISCIPLINARY PREVENTION ADVISORY COMMITTEE (MPAC)
APPROVED MEETING MINUTES**

DATE: October 14, 2015
TIME: 1:00 p.m.
LOCATION: Legislative Counsel Bureau
401 South Carson Street
Third Floor, Room 3137
Carson City, Nevada 89701

Video-Conference

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MPAC Committee Members Present

Cheryl Bricker
Heidi Gustafson
Joseph Joshua Livernois
Justice Michael Douglas
Karla Wagner
Keith Carter
Kristen Rivas
Dr. Mel Pohl
Michael McMahon
Monty Williams
Stephanie Asteriadis Pyle, Vice Chair

Partnership of Community Resources
Foundation for Recovery
Northern Nevada HOPES
Supreme Court of Nevada
University of Nevada, Reno
Las Vegas Metro Police Department
CPP- Children, Youth & Family
Las Vegas Recovery Center
Division of Public and Behavioral Health
Statewide Native American Coalition
Nevada Prevention Resource Center, UNR

MPAC Committee Members Absent

Carol O'Hare
Cesar Melgarejo
Dena Schmidt, Chair
Patrick Bozarth
Scott Shick

Nevada Council on Problem Gambling
Office of the Governor
Department of Health and Human Services
Community Counseling Center of Southern Nevada
Chief Juvenile Probation Officer, Douglas County

Others Present

Christina Turner
Julia Peek
Linda Lang
Trey Delap

Maternal and Child Health Services
Division of Public and Behavioral Health
Nevada Statewide Coalition Partnership
Group Six Partners

SAPTA Staff Present

Bill Kirby
Kevin Quint
J'Amie Frederick
Martie Washington

Health Program Specialist I
Bureau Chief
Administrative Assistant III
Health Program Manager II

1. Welcome and Introductions

Stephanie Asteriadis Pyle opened the meeting in due form at 1:07 p.m. and after introductions, a quorum was established.

2. Public Comment

Trey Delap, of Group Six Partners, indicated he would like to make a public comment during agenda item six.

3. Approval of September 11, 2015 Meeting Minutes

Kristen Rivas moved to approve the September 11, 2015 meeting minutes, Heidi Gustafson seconded the motion, and the motion unanimously passed.

4. Nominate and Elect New Members

It was decided at the last MPAC meeting that a primary care physician be designated to serve on the Committee; the National Governors Association (NGA) Prescription Drug Abuse Task Force recommended Dr. Kori Singleton of Northern Nevada. Committee member Heidi Gustafson recommended Dr. James Eels of Southern Nevada for consideration. Dr. Mel Pohl moved to elect both primary care physician nominees to the serve on the Committee, Heidi Gustafson seconded, and the motion unanimously passed.

Monty Williams moved to elect Linda Lang to serve on the Committee, Ms. Pyle seconded, and the motion unanimously passed.

5. Statewide Epidemiology Workgroup (SEW) Update

The SEW's Chair, Julia Peek, informed the Committee that the SEW is currently being revised to be more thoroughly supportive to the MPAC. The SEW's goal is to obtain as much data as possible to support the MPAC's efforts to reduce prescription drug abuse. At this time, the SEW is currently working on data collection pertaining to the Youth Risk Behavior Surveillance System (YRBS), Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System (BRFSS), and identifying any potential gaps in the National Governors Association's Strategic Plan.

6. Review of National Governors Association's (NGA) Nevada Strategic Plan, and Make Recommendations of Possible Modifications

Cheryl Bricker urged the Committee to visit <http://healthierv.org/> for an update on the Nevada Statewide Coalition Partnership's current efforts to prevent prescription drug abuse. Linda Lang indicated that she is currently compiling a collection of data related to the coalition work done throughout Nevada over the past three years, and that this data may be helpful in identifying potential gaps. Ms. Lang added that she would disseminate that information through the Chair.

Ms. Pyle led the Committee's discussion and review of the 2015 Quarter Four recommendations and activities included in the Nevada Prescription Drug Abuse Prevention 12-Month Strategic Plan. A copy of the Strategic Plan can be downloaded from SAPTA's website at <http://dpbh.nv.gov/Programs/ClinicalSAPTA/Meetings/MPACHome/>.

After the Committee's review of the 2015 Quarter Four recommendations, Mr. Delap asked the Committee members what the Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) has done to implement Senate Bill 459, and what recommendations DHHS has for the Pharmacy Board on implementation of Senate Bill 459. Ms. Pyle indicated that information was not available at this time, but that the Committee will continue to be actively involved in obtaining the answers to Mr. Delap's questions.

7. **Discussion and Approval of Agenda Items for Next Meeting**

- Next meeting is scheduled for December 2, 2015, at 1:00 p.m.
- Discuss potential partners in judicial education
- Coalition update from Linda Lang
- Discuss possible subcommittees
- Discuss possible Pharmacy Board liaison

8. **Public Comment**

There was no public comment.

9. **Adjournment**

Ms. Gustafson moved to adjourn the meeting, Mr. Williams seconded, and the meeting was adjourned in due form at 3:10 p.m.