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VENDOR ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Thursday, August 14, 2025

9:30 am (*Hybrid*)

Zoom/NLARC Santa Clarita Valley Office

~AGENDA~

- I. **Call to Order & Introductions** - Alex Kopilevich, Chair (*1 min.*)
- II. **Committee Member Attendance/Quorum** (*1 min.*)
- III. **Share Impact Story From Individual Served** (*5 min.*)
- IV. **Public Input** - Agenda Items only (*3 min. per person, 3-person limit*)
- V. **Consent Items**
 - A. Approval of Minutes from the June 12, 2025, Meeting (*1 min.*)
 - B. Approval of the Agenda (*1 min.*)
- VI. **Action Items**
- VII. **Committee Business**
 - A. Orientation – Alex Kopilevich (*5 min.*)
 - 1. Bylaws
 - 2. Committee Roster
 - 3. Committee Meeting Schedule
 - 4. Priority Issues/Goals
 - B. Update on Vendor Mentorship Program – Alex Kopilevich (*1 min.*)
 - C. Self-Determination Update – Silvia Renteria-Haro (*1 min.*)
- VIII. **Report Outs**
 - A. **Deputy Director Officer's Report** – Evelyn McOmie (*5 min.*)
 - B. **Chief Financial Officer's Report** – Vini Montague (*5 min.*)
 - C. **Community Services Director's Report** – Arshalous Garlanian (*5 min.*)
 - i. DSP Internship Program
 - D. **Legislative Report** – Belinda Abatesi (*5 min.*)
 - E. **Executive Director's Report** – Angela Pao-Johnson (*10 min.*)

IX. Open Topics for Discussion – Alex Kopilevich (10 min.)

- A. Vendor Surveys
- B. System/Industry Issues

X. Committee Work Group Information/Committee Work Group Final Reports:

- A. **Early Start Services** (Jodie Agnew-Navarro) (3 min.)
For meeting schedule and information
Contact: Jodie Agnew-Navarro - jodie.agnew-navarro@chimeinstitute.net
Next workgroup meeting: September 18, 2025 @ 9:30am (via Zoom).
 - i. Early Start Services

- B. **School Age Services** (Paul Borda & Cal Enriquez) (3 min.)
For meeting schedule and information
Contact: Paul Borda - paul@abatherapypartners.com and Cal Enriquez - cal.enriquez@aveanna.com
Next workgroup meeting: August 12, 2025 @ 10:00am (via Zoom).
 - i. School Age Services

- C. **Adult Services** (Octavia Watkins) (3 min.)
For meeting schedule and information
Contact: Octavia Watkins - excellencecrp@gmail.com
Next workgroup meeting: September 17, 2025 @ 11:00am (via Zoom).
 - i. Adult Services

XI. Board Committee Reports

- A. Nominating Committee (Alex Kopilevich -VAC Rep.) (1 min.)
- B. Executive Finance Committee (Jaklen Keshishyan – VAC Rep.) (1 min.)

XII. Board Meeting Agenda Items

XIII. Announcements/Public Input/Information Items (3 min. per person)

- A. Next Meeting: Thursday, September 11, 2025, at 9:30 a.m. Hybrid – In-person location Chatsworth Office
- B. Committee Attendance

XIV. Adjournment

XV. Review of Meeting Action Items (Item Owner and Due Date)