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## Substance Use Provider Monthly

# NEWSFLASH

### DMC-ODS SUD Coordination of Care —RESIDENTIAL PROGRAMS

**Purpose:** Collaborative and coordinated approach to linking clients with appropriate services to address specific needs and to ensure clients are moving across the ASAM Levels of Care

**Monday, May 9, 2022 and  
Monday, May 23, 2022  
1:00–4:00 PM**

**Who:** Substance Use Disorder (SUD) Residential Treatment Providers

**Meeting Type:** Virtual  
Zoom Meeting ID's

Fatima = 443 152 1575  
Michelle = 969 251 6007

**Contact:** [Michelle.Richardson@cchealth.org](mailto:Michelle.Richardson@cchealth.org)

### Effecting Change through the Use of Motivational Interviewing (MI)

**Purpose:** Understand the fundamental Spirit of MI, Principles and micro-skills to utilize in order to effectively promote behavior change in individuals

**Wednesday, May 11, 2022  
9:00 AM–12:30 PM**

**Who:** SUD Treatment Providers

**Meeting Type:** Virtual

**Register:** [CLICK HERE](#)

**Contact:** [vnorith@mednet.ucla.edu](mailto:vnorith@mednet.ucla.edu)

### MEDS Coalition

**Purpose:** Prevent prescription drug-related overdoses, addiction, and crimes through community education and engagement, policy change, and advocacy.

**Thursday, May 12, 2022  
9:00–11:00 AM**

**Who:** Open to the community and public at large

**Meeting Type:** Virtual  
For Zoom address and password contact April Rovero at

[Rovero@Arovero.net](mailto:Rovero@Arovero.net) or [info@ccmedscoalition.org](mailto:info@ccmedscoalition.org)

### CaAIM Substance Use Disorder (SUD) Information Notices (IN) Study Group

**Purpose:** Collaborative review and discussion of DHCS Behavioral Health Information Notices related to SUD Treatment services in anticipation of CaAIM

**Thursday, May 12, 2022 and**

**Thursday, May 26, 2022**

**12:00–1:00 PM**

**Who:** All SUD Treatment Providers

**Meeting Type:** Virtual

**Zoom Meeting ID:** 443 152 1575

**Contact:** [Michelle.Richardson@cchealth.org](mailto:Michelle.Richardson@cchealth.org)

### SUD Youth Treatment Providers

**Purpose:** Collaboration, Networking, Compliance and Identification of Needs

**Tuesday, May 17, 2022**

**11:00 AM–12:00 PM**

**Who:** Providers and County

**Meeting Type:** Virtual

<https://cchealth.zoom.us/j/9888907448>

**Zoom Meeting ID:** 988 890 7448

**Contact:** [Patricia.Rogers@cchealth.org](mailto:Patricia.Rogers@cchealth.org)

### DMC-ODS System of Care Meeting

**Purpose:** Relevant Policy/Compliance Information and Collaboration.

**Thursday, May 19, 2022**

**10:00 AM–12:00 PM**

**Who:** All DMC-ODS Substance Use Disorder (SUD) Providers

**Meeting Type:** Virtual

Address: 443 152 1575

**Contact:** [Mary.McLain@cchealth.org](mailto:Mary.McLain@cchealth.org)

### SUD Data Quality Workgroup

**Purpose:** Monitor, analyze and improve data collection

**Friday, May 20, 2022**

**9:00–10:30 AM**

**Who:** Providers and County

**Meeting Type:** Virtual

Address: 413 463 0113

**Contact:** [Mark.Messerer@cchealth.org](mailto:Mark.Messerer@cchealth.org)

### Alcohol and Other Drugs Advisory Board

**Purpose:** Board Monthly Meeting

**Wednesday, May 25, 2022**

**4:00–6:15 PM**

**Who:** Open to the community and public at large

**Meeting Type:** Virtual

**Zoom Meeting ID:** <https://cchealth.zoom.us/j/97569031783>

**Contact:** [Jayme.Shipe@cchealth.org](mailto:Jayme.Shipe@cchealth.org)

### Primary Prevention Providers Staff

**Purpose:** Network and Coordination

**Thursday, May 26, 2022**

**11:00 AM–12:30 PM**

**Who:** Education & Environmental Prevention Strategies Staff

**Meeting Type:** Virtual

**Zoom Meeting ID:** <https://cchealth.zoom.us/j/98356059215>

**Meeting ID:** 983 5605 9215

**Contact:** [Jayme.Shipe@cchealth.org](mailto:Jayme.Shipe@cchealth.org)

### DMC—ODS SUD Coordination of Care—OUTPATIENT PROGRAMS

**Purpose:** Collaborative and coordinated approach to linking clients with appropriate services to address specific needs and to ensure clients are moving across the ASAM Levels of Care

**Friday, April 22, 2022**

**9:00–11:00 AM**

**Who:** Substance Use Disorder (SUD) Residential Treatment Providers

**Meeting Type:** Virtual

**Zoom Meeting ID:** 969 251 6007

**Contact:** [Michelle.Richardson@cchealth.org](mailto:Michelle.Richardson@cchealth.org)

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**County Perinatal Coordination**

**Purpose:** Collaboration and Networking

**Monday, May 23, 2022**

**9:30–10:30 AM**

**Who:** Providers, County and Special Guest Speaker

**Meeting Type:** Virtual

**Zoom Meeting ID:** 702 102 7205

**Contact:** [Sonya.Blunt@cchealth.org](mailto:Sonya.Blunt@cchealth.org)

**COMPLIANCE CORNER**

**The California Ethical Treatment for Persons with Substance Use Disorders Act**

[Governor Newsom Signs Legislation SB 349](#)

On April 13, 2022, Governor Gavin Newsom signed SB 349 introduced by Senator Thomas Umberg (D-Santa Ana), which is a legislation that establishes stronger patient protections for those seeking Substance Use Disorder (SUD) treatment. “People seeking treatment have a right to know that they are receiving appropriate and safe care,” said Governor Newsom. “There is no place in California for treatment providers who take advantage of those struggling with addiction—and with this legislation, we are taking steps to provide additional protections for patients, family members, and loved ones of those who are seeking treatment.” SB 349 requires every treatment provider in California to adopt and provide a client bill of rights, ensuring that those seeking substance use disorder treatment are afforded basic rights and protections in a treatment setting that is safe and ethical. This legislation also prohibits treatment providers from engaging in false or misleading advertising. More information to follow regarding compliance with SB 349

**OTHER IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Upcoming Training: Thursday, June 9, 2022: Cognitive-Behavioral Therapy (CBT) and Relapse Prevention Strategies; Registration Link: [CLICK HERE](#)

**CalAIM SUD Provider/County One-Hour IN Study Sessions**

As part of our efforts to invite you to help us in the transformation of Contra Costa’s DMC-ODS as we work toward improving quality outcomes, move services to a more consistent and seamless system by reducing complexity and increasing flexibility through the CalAIM initiative, we have created Study Sessions to collectively review and gain a better understanding of the State’s Information Notices that impact DMC-ODS operations. The Study Sessions are open to all staff every other Thursday. No need to be an expert or be super prepared, we simply need to work together through the changes. If you have any questions email Michelle ([Michelle.Richardson@cchealth.org](mailto:Michelle.Richardson@cchealth.org)) or Fatima ([Fatima.Matalsol@cchealth.org](mailto:Fatima.Matalsol@cchealth.org)). As we start, the following INs are up for review: IN 21-075, IN 22-011, if you can join us we will see you soon.

**WORTH REMINDING:  
IMPORTANT EMAIL ADDRESSES**

- [AODregistrations@cchealth.org](mailto:AODregistrations@cchealth.org) ..... Registrations
- [AODS@Shelterinc.org](mailto:AODS@Shelterinc.org) ..... Applications for Recovery Housing Grants
- [AODSproviderdemands@cchealth.org](mailto:AODSproviderdemands@cchealth.org) ..... Demands for Payment