



County of Santa Cruz

HEALTH SERVICES AGENCY
Behavioral Health Division



Salud Mental y
Tratamiento del Uso
de Sustancias

NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

MENTAL HEALTH ADVISORY BOARD

NOVEMBER 21, 2024, 3:00 PM-5:00 PM

HEALTH SERVICES AGENCY, 1400 EMELINE, ROOMS 206-207, SANTA CRUZ, CA 95060

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Tiffany Cantrell-Warren Director, County Behavioral Health	Karen Kern Deputy Director, County Behavioral Health

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MENTAL HEALTH ADVISORY BOARD AGENDA

Time	Regular Business
3:00 – 3:15	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Roll Call• Public Comment (No action or discussion will be undertaken today on any item raised during Public Comment period except that Mental Health Board Members may briefly respond to statements made or questions posed. Limited to 3 minutes each)• Board Member Announcements• <i>Approval of October 17, 2024 minutes*</i>• Secretary's Report
	Standing Reports
3:15 – 3:25	September and October Patients' Rights Report – George Carvalho, Patients' Rights Advocate for Advocacy, Inc.
3:25 – 3:40	Board of Supervisors Report – Supervisor Felipe Hernandez
3:40 – 4:05	Presentation: MHSA 2024-2025 Annual Plan Update and Public Comment Karen Kern, Behavioral Health Deputy Director
	Presentation
4:05 – 4:30	Medication Use in Mental Health – Mike Neidig and Dean Kashino, MHAB Members
	New Agenda Items
4:30 – 4:55	<i>Vote on revised Santa Cruz County Code 2.104 and revised Bylaws*</i>
4:55 – 5:00	Future Agenda Items
5:00	Adjourn

*Italicized items with * indicate action items for board approval.*

**NEXT MENTAL HEALTH ADVISORY BOARD MEETING IS ON:
JANUARY 16, 2025, 3:00 PM – 5:00 PM
LOCATION TO BE ANNOUNCED**