



**MENTAL HEALTH SERVICE ACT  
ANNUAL PLAN UPDATE  
PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD and PUBLIC HEARING**

**Comment Period:  
June 27th-July 27th, 2018**



**Public Hearing Date & Location: July 18th from 10 am-12pm  
778 S Franklin St, Ft Bragg OR 1120 S Dora St, Ukiah**

The Mental Health Services Act, also known as Proposition 63, provides increased funding opportunities to transform and support the county mental health programs that provide client and family member driven "recovery and resiliency" mental health services to children, TAY youth, adults and older adults. The Act is funded through an annual one percent tax on income in excess of \$1 million to fund county mental health programs that are consistent with local county approved plans that include broad-based community involvement including mental health service consumers and family members of consumers. This plan outlines the goals and funding guidelines for the next three years. The MHSA consists of five components:

- **Community Services and Supports Plan** provides funds for direct services to individuals with severe mental illness.
- **Prevention and Early Intervention Programs** provides investment of MHSA funding for outreach programs for families, providers, and others to recognize early signs of mental illness. The overall goal is to improve early access to services and programs, to reduce stigma and discrimination experienced by individuals with mental illness. MHSA Prevention and Early Intervention Programs serve Californians of all ages.
- **Innovative Programs** funds and evaluates new approaches increasing access to the underserved and unserved communities, promote interagency collaboration, and increase the overall quality of mental health services.
- **Workforce Education and Training Programs** provides funding to improve the capacity of the mental health workforce.
- **Capital Facilities and Information Technology** provides funding for building projects and increasing technological capacity to improve mental illness service delivery.

The Public Hearing is an opportunity for you to ask questions and provide comments on the MHSA 3-Year Plan and/or programs. Comments and questions will be collected written and verbally during the public hearing, and responded to formally in writing in the MHSA 3-Year Plan.

**If you have any questions or comments about the Annual Plan Update please contact Robin Meloche, MHSA Coordinator at:  
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You may also mail your comments to: 1120 S. Dora St. Ukiah, CA 95482**

**We want to hear from you!**

