

Los Angeles County  
**Mental Health Commission**

*“Advocacy, Accountability and Oversight in Action”*

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## Mental Health Commission

**Thursday, September 22, 2022**  
**11:00 am**

*Kathleen Austria, Chair, Presiding*



### VIRTUAL MEETING

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1. **Call to Order/Roll Call/Acknowledgements:** ASL interpreters, Spanish interpreters, CART captioner, technology and multimedia team, and staff support

**Administrative Matters**

2. Approval of July 28, 2022, Mental Health Commission (MHC) Minutes

**Presentations**

3. DMH Administration and ODR Update - Dr. Lisa Wong, Acting Director, Mental Health **(15 min + 10 Q&A)**
4. DMH Financial Update - Kim Nall, DMH Financial Manager **(15 min + 10 Q&A)**
5. Legislative Analysis - Cynthia Wheaton, DMH Legislative Analyst **(10 min & Q&A)**
6. Stakeholder Community Planning Process – Darlesh D. Horn and Robert Byrd, Mental Health Program Managers **(3 min)**
7. Incubation Academy – Darlesh D. Horn and Robert Byrd, Mental Health Program Managers **(3 min)**
8. Update on SB 803 Internal Peers – Scott Hanada, Mental Health Program Manager **(3 min + 3 Q&A)**
9. 988 Program Update - Jennifer Hallman, Mental Health Program Manager **(5 min)**
10. Community Stakeholder Quarterly Reports **(2 min)** SALT, UsCC, CCC, Faith Based, PAC (Peer Advisory Committee) **(2 min)**

**Updates**

11. Board of Supervisors Update – Lily Sofiani, Second District Representative
12. MHC Retreat - Friday, October 14, 2022, Venue: Cathedral of Our Lady of the Angels  
Agenda Item: Review FY 2021-22 Accomplishments & Develop FY 2022-23 Strategic Goals
13. DMH Workforce and Vacancy Update – Ad Hoc Committee
14. Commissioner Updates

**Public Comment**

15. Public Comment: Agenda & Non-Agenda Items (2 min)  
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**Adjournment**