

LOS ANGELES COUNTY DMH & DPH-SAPC

Behavioral Health Service Act (BHSA) Community Planning Process

BHSA Behavioral Health Prevention Forum

AGENDA	
TUESDAY, OCTOBER 28, 2025, 9:30-12:30	
MEETING INFORMATION	
IN-PERSON Only for people with a confirmed RSVP	ONLINE Open to all who want to listen to the session.
Natural History Museum 900 Exposition Blvd, Los Angeles, CA 90007	Behavioral Health Prevention Forum Meeting-Join Microsoft Teams
PURPOSE	Inform CPT members and community stakeholders about the State definition of behavioral health prevention and early intervention services and changes from MHSA to BHSA.
OBJECTIVES	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Distinguish between Prevention and Early Intervention per the State’s definition. 2. Recognize key differences between Prevention and Early Intervention under MHSA and BHSA and discuss implications. 3. Discuss input and advocacy opportunities to ensure that the California Department of Public Health’s prevention programs address local priorities in Los Angeles County.
TIME	ITEMS
9:30 (15 min)	I. SESSION OPENING <ol style="list-style-type: none"> A. Welcome & Introductions B. Land and Labor Acknowledgements C. Meeting Purpose, Objectives, & Agenda
9:45 (45 min)	II. PREVENTION AND EARLY INTERVENTION DEFINITIONS <ol style="list-style-type: none"> A. State’s Continuum of Care <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Los Angeles County Department of Public Health—Substance Abuse Prevention and Control (SAPC): Continuum of Care and Examples 2. Los Angeles County Department Mental Health: Continuum of Care and Examples B. Questions and Clarifications
10:30 (45 min)	III. PREVENTION AND EARLY INTERVENTION – MHSA & BHSA <ol style="list-style-type: none"> A. MHSA and BHSA: Key Differences and Implications <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Los Angeles County Department Mental Health B. Questions and Clarifications
11:15	IV. BREAK

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11:30 (50 min)	V. OPPORTUNITIES FOR INPUT & ADVOCACY A. Opportunities for Input & Advocacy B. Discussion
12:20 (25 min)	VI. CLOSING REFLECTIONS & MEETING EVALUATION A. BHSA CPT Prevention and Early Intervention Online Session (November 14, 2025, from 9:30-12:30) B. Meeting Evaluation
12:30	VII. ADJOURN