



Santa Cruz County Health Services Agency Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services

We Are Serious About Mental Health & Recovery!



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Santa Cruz County Mental Health & Substance Abuse Services offers a variety of services to the community by County employees, as well as through our contracts with numerous community-based agencies. Our services treat persons across the lifespan, from prevention and early intervention services to being a safety net to persons with serious emotional disturbance and serious mental illness and/or substance use disorders. In an effort to shed light on the variety of services and programs we provide, we endeavor to provide a monthly newsletter about what we do.

New Substance Use Disorder Services Director!

We are pleased to announce that after a very extensive recruitment and interview process, we have selected **Shaina Zura** as Santa Cruz County's new Substance Use Disorder Services Director. Shaina is currently the Managing Director of San Diego County for HealthRIGHT 360, where she provides executive leadership for all HealthRIGHT 360 management teams in San Diego County providing substance use disorder treatment, mental health services, early childhood education, perinatal services and transitional housing.

In her current position she has worked very closely with the County of San Diego in their implementation of the Drug Medi-Cal ODS waiver and has extensive experience in strategic planning, quality improvement and stakeholder engagement. Prior positions with HealthRIGHT 360 include: Director of Female Offender Treatment and Employment Program, Director of Outpatient Services, Methamphetamine Program Manager, and Case Manager and Therapist. Prior to joining HealthRIGHT 360, Ms. Zura worked for Gilead Community Services in CT, where she provided mental health and crisis services to adults with severe mental illness in a residential setting.

Ms. Zura joined the County on June 1st, and her initial responsibilities will include implementation of the Drug Medi-Cal expansion program, integrating mental health and substance use disorder treatment programs, and continued focus on the implementation of the Substance Use Disorder Strategic Plan.

Promotion:

We are pleased to announce that Tiffany Kostigen-Mumper has accepted the Mental Health

Supervising Client Specialist position. Tiffany has been a licensed Marriage and Family Therapist for 12 years, the last 4 of which have been here at Santa Cruz County. Tiffany has had experience providing wrap-around, outpatient and school-based services to youth in San Diego in addition to working on CMH's education and child welfare gate programs. Tiffany is an outstanding and creative clinician who brings many art therapy techniques as well as trauma-informed CBT to her work with youth and families. Tiffany is an expert relationship builder with a very positive attitude who looks for win-win exchanges. Tiffany has been a part of making working conditions at CMH better including helping to improve the therapy rooms and helping on our trauma-improved systems' improvement project working the wellness committee, the TLCC. Tiffany is very excited to take on her new role in supporting clinicians and helping them to do their best work with clients and families. We are thrilled she has accepted this new position. She will move into the position June 19, 2017.

Welcome New Staff!

Christina Leslie – Medical Billing Tech
Michael McLay - Sr. Departmental Administrative Analyst
Cybele Lolley MFT, UR Specialist for our new Drug Medi-Cal-Organized Delivery System (DMC-ODS).

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