



# Santa Cruz County Syringe Services Program Advisory Commission

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## Notice of Public Meeting and Agenda

**Date:** Tuesday, August 9, 2022

**Time:** 6:00 PM – 7:30 PM

*In response to the COVID-19 public health emergency and pursuant to the provisions of AB 361 and Cal. Gov. Code 54953, this will be a hybrid meeting with both a physical location and a virtual location for those who prefer to attend remotely. Both in-person and remote attendees will have an opportunity to comment.*

### Location:

701 Ocean Street, Behind County building  
Santa Cruz, CA 95060

**\*\* MASKS ARE REQUESTED FOR IN-PERSON ATTENDEES, REGARDLESS OF VACCINATION STATUS.**

1. Roll Call & Introductions
2. Review & Approval of Minutes
3. Correspondence:
4. Public Comment: *Any person may address the Commission for a period not to exceed 3 minutes on matters within the jurisdiction of the Commission.*
5. Elect new Vice Chair
6. Program Updates – Program Staff
7. Focus Area Updates
  - 7.1. Update from Community Engagement Ad-Hoc Subcommittee
  - 7.2. Research and discuss federal perspective on syringe exchange
  - 7.3. Commission questions for Resource Planner IV/Public Works
  - 7.4. Biennial Report Continued Discussion
8. New Business/Action Items
  - 7.1. Vote for Next Meeting Location, Virtual or In-Person (AB 361)
9. Topics for Future Meetings/Action Items
10. Adjournment

Next Meeting to be held on September 13, 2022, at 6:00 PM

*The County of Santa Cruz does not discriminate based on disability, and no person shall, by reason of a disability, be denied the benefits of its services, programs or activities. If you wish to attend this meeting and require special assistance to participate, please call 831-454-4623 (TTY/TDD: 711) at least 72 hours in advance to make arrangements.*

*Summarized from Santa Cruz County Code, Chapter 2.125, Commission objectives include: increase coordination between agencies, departments, jurisdictions, and other stakeholders and policies related to delivery of services provided by SSP; review pending State and Federal legislation that may impact SSP, consumers and/or providers; stay informed and educated on SSP and related public health strategies; provide a forum for consumers and other parties interested in syringe services to contribute ideas to policy and program development and make recommendations to the Board of Supervisors regarding any proposed changes.*