

Public Policy Committee Meeting Minutes March 2, 2016

CalViva Health 7625 N. Palm Ave., #109 Fresno, CA 93711

Committee Members			Community Base Organizations (Alternates)	
✓	Joe Neves, Chairman		Jeff Garner, KCAO	
\	David Phillips, Provider Representative	✓	Roberto Garcia, Self Help	
✓	Beatrice Avila, Fresno County Representative		Staff Members	
√	Gabriela Chavez, Madera County Representative	✓	Mary Beth Corrado, CCO	
✓	Seng Moua, Fresno County Representative	✓	Jeffery Nkansah, Director, Compliance, Privacy & Security	
✓	Tanya Klapps-Doan, At-Large	✓	Cheryl Hurley, Commission Clerk	
√	Magdalena Nino, Kings County Representative	✓	Courtney Shapiro, Community Relations Coordinator	

The meeting was called to order at 11:31 am. A quorum	
was present.	
The December 2, 2015 meeting minutes were reviewed.	Motion: Approve December 2, 2015 Minutes
There were no discrepancies.	7-0-0-2* (Klapps-Doan / Garcia)
	*Seng Moua arrived after the vote
David Phillips and Seng Moua were introduced as new	
members joining the Public Policy Committee.	
Jeff Nkansah presented the enrollment dashboard.	
February 2016 membership enrollment was 342,670.	
Voluntary disenrollment numbers remain low.	
An annual report was provided to each PPC member.	
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	A comment was made regarding the printed language of the	
Information	report being only in English and a Spanish version was	·
Courtney Shapiro, Community	requested. After further review and discussion with the	ļ
Relations Coordinator	PPC member, it was established that the request for a	
	Spanish version was no longer needed.	
#6 Appeals, Grievances and	Jeff Nkansah presented the appeals, grievances and	
Complaints	complaints report for 2015. Total appeals and grievances	
	for Q4 2015 were 306. Total appeals and grievances for the	
Information	calendar year 2015 were 1,351. There were 393 exempt	
Jeff Nkansah, Director,	grievances received in Q4 2015, with an overall annual total	
Compliance & Privacy/Security	of 1,192. The increase in exempt grievances is a result of	
	membership growth. The majority of appeals and	
	grievances are from Fresno County.	
#7 Health Education	Tony Gonzalez presented the 2015 CVH Health Education	
•	Member Incentive Report. In 2015, a total of 344 CalViva	
Information	Health members participated in 4 health education	
Tony Gonzalez	incentive programs: Kids and Teens Challenge, Fit Families	
	for Life, Member Orientation, and Postpartum Direct	
	Incentive. Of the 344 participants, 273 were from Fresno	
	County, 55 from Madera County and 16 from Kings County.	
	Sixty-three members were selected as raffle winners or	
	direct incentive recipients for the various incentive	
	programs. The Health Education department will continue	
	to promote health education to members.	
	Tony Gonzalez also reported the on the Group Needs	
	Assessment (GNA). The GNA is completed every five years,	
	and included is a member survey. The survey will be mailed	
	to members based on a random selection. The survey will	

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	be initiated on April 30, 2016, and members will have	
	approximately four weeks to complete and return. If	
	members do not complete the survey, an outreach effort	
	will be made to reach those members by phone. The data	
	received will be analyzed and sent to the State. An	
	incentive to complete the survey will be offered via a raffle	
	of gift cards.	
	Jeff Nkansah added that the survey is done to determine	
	what, if any, new programs or initiatives are needed to	
	service our Medi-Cal members.	
#8 Public Programs	Selina Escobar reported on the Behavioral Health Treatment	
	Transition. DHCS requires Managed Care Plans to provide	
Information	Behavioral Health Treatment services to eligible Medi-Cal	
Selina Escobar	beneficiaries less than 21 years of age with an Autism	
	Spectrum Disorder diagnosis not receiving services from	
	Regional Centers. As of February 1, 2016, all beneficiaries	
	up to 20.5 year of age receiving Behavioral Health	
	Treatment services transition from Regional Centers to	
	Managed Care Plans. Beneficiaries age 20.5 or older will	
	continue receiving Behavioral Health Treatment services	
	from Regional Centers.	
#9 Annual Operational	Jeff Nkansah presented the Annual Operational Compliance	
Compliance Report	Report. Total member service calls for 2015 was 151,192.	
	Total mental health calls for 2015 was 1,878. Member	
Information	Services met and exceeded call performance standards in	
Mary Beth Corrado, Chief	2015. Call volumes for 2015 increased approximately 21%	
Compliance Officer	over 2014 levels. Member Handbooks and Provider	
	Directories were mailed to members. Provider updates	

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Jeff Nkansah, Director,	were sent to contracted providers. Six provider toolkits	
Compliance and Privacy/Security	were approved for use with providers. 2,003 provider visits	
	and events occurred throughout Fresno, Kings, and Madera	
	Counties. In 2015 CalViva Health received several	
	regulatory audit and performance reports. Overall, the Plan	
	performed well in meeting regulatory requirements with	
	little or no corrective action. Due to membership growth,	
	an increase in regulatory audits for 2016 is expected.	
#10 Website	A new visual enhancement was made to the CalViva Health	
Information	website. Any feedback regarding these enhancements is	
Jeff Nkansah, Director,	welcome.	
Compliance and Privacy/Security		
#11 External Accountability Set	Lali Witrago presented the External Accountability Set	
Survey	Survey. Two questions were asked of the PPC Committee	
	members:	
Information		
Lali Witrago	 What is most important to you, about your health and your wellbeing? 	
	What is most important to you about your healthcare?	
	The responses consist of concerns in the following areas:	
	appropriate access, adequate access to information, timely	
	access to providers, and concerns with seeing interns rather	
	than doctors and having to repeat their history at each visit.	
#12 Announcements	Greg Hund shared initiatives CVH is currently working on	
	and fundraisers CVH is involved in. Greg also announced	
	that CVH will keep an office downtown to accommodate	
	members needing assistance.	

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	Lali Witrago handed out the Spring CVH Member	
	Newsletter.	
	Tony Gonzalez announced the 2nd Central Valley	
	Conference for promotores/community health workers	
	taking place at Fresno State on March 26, 2016 from 8:30 am to 4:30 pm.	
#13 Public Comment	Magdalena Nino expressed her gratitude for everything CVH has done for the communities served.	
	Gabriela Chavez expressed concern regarding the lack of engagement between CVH booth staff and participants at the Health Fair at CSUF. It was expressed she would like to	
	see Madera Community Hospital provide literature/information on CVH.	
#14 Adjourn	The meeting was adjourned at 12:44 pm.	

NEXT MEETING

June 1, 2016 in Kings County 11:30 am - 1:30 pm

Submitted This Day: June 1, 2016

Approval Date: June 1, 2016

Submitted By:

Courtney Shapiro, Community Relations Coordinator

Approved By:

Joe Neves, Chairman