



# **Care First, Jails Last Taskforce Meeting**

**February 29th, 2024**

# Agenda

- Recommendation Status Update
  - Review current progress
- County Plan Template, Timeline & Expectations
- Next Steps



# **Ad-hoc Committee Updates**





# Ad-hoc Committee Report-backs

## DATA

- Peggy Sheehan-Rahman (Chair)
- Brian Bloom
- Corrine Lee
- Kimberly Graves
- Mia Cooper Kahn

## FINANCE

- Corrine Lee (Chair)
- Greg Syren
- Kimberly Graves
- Mia Cooper Kahn
- Michelle Starratt

## RECOMMENDATIONS

- Brian Bloom
- Corrine Lee
- Kristina Bedrossian
- Kimberly Graves
- Margot Dashiell
- Mia Cooper Kahn



# Ad-hoc Committee Update:

## Data

- General update
- Next meeting: Tuesday, 2/13/2024, 12:30 pm



# Ad-hoc Committee Update:

## Finance

- General update
- Next meeting: Friday, 2/9/2024, 3:30 pm



# Ad-hoc Committee Update: Recommendations

- General update
- Status update on recommendations
- Next meeting: Monday, 2/5/2024, 12:30 pm



# **Recommendation Progress Review**








# **Review Recommendations**

- Sections 6–10 ready to be final reviewed
  - Refer to the handout in the packet



# **County Plan Template, Timeline & Agency Expectaions**



# Template Review & Example

This is in the meeting packet:

Multiple Intercepts (Cross-Cutting)					
	Recommendation?	Partners?	Problem that it solves?	Data needed? Budget request?	Progress/Outcome Measure
1)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>EXAMPLE- <i>(Example taken from the County Approved Forensic Plan)</i></li></ul> <p>ACBH should complete a comprehensive assessment of the effectiveness of their Assertive Community Treatment (ACT) and Forensic Assertive Community Treatment (FACT) Teams to ensure that they are operating with high fidelity, and as required by the FACT model.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• CBO Contractors providing FACT/ ACT Services.</li><li>• Consultant Services (to complete the fidelity review and analysis)</li><li>• Client &amp; Program Participants</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Inconsistencies with program implementation of this researched and validated model will decrease the effectiveness of this program. Outcomes will be diminished without a high fidelity, data-driven approach.</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Data: Contractor Performance data, review of protocols, and program operations; client outcome data and satisfaction surveys.</li><li>• Budget: \$50,000</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Comprehensive Assessment due by November 30, 2024.</li><li>• Outcome Report and presentation due to Alameda County Mental Health Advisory Board (MHAB) by January 30, 2025.</li></ul>
2)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>EXAMPLE- <i>(Example taken from the County Approved Forensic Plan)</i></li></ul> <p>ACBH should create a Director of Forensic, Diversion, &amp; Re-Entry Services Position and system of care to coordinate care for justice involved persons with behavioral health conditions across the county.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Alameda County Human Resources Department</li><li>• BOS Approval required for new position.</li><li>• <i>Once position Created:</i> ASCO, Probation, Mental Health &amp; Substance</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Currently justice involved persons fall through the cracks with very little resource coordination. Repeat incarcerations and hospitalizations continue to occur with very little systemwide coordination for this</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Data: None</li><li>• Budget: \$250,000 (Salary and benefits)</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Position should be created no later than September 30, 2024.</li><li>• Position should be filled by July 1, 2025.</li></ul>



# Other Plan Elements

- All recommendation template columns should be complete for all recommendations
- Should include a brief introduction/context for what the agency has already done/has in progress to align with the CFJL objectives
- Summary section



# Recommendation Finalization Timeline

**March 4: Ad-hoc Committee Meeting**



**March 14: FINAL Ad-hoc Committee Meeting**



**March 20: Recommendations finalized & sent to Taskforce**



**March 28: Final recommendations approved by Taskforce**



# Timeline

**March 28**

## **Taskforce Meeting**

### **Action Items:**

- Approve all recommendations
- Assign to agencies

**April 25**

## **Taskforce Meeting**

### **Discussion Items:**

- Interim reports from agencies

**May 23**

## **Taskforce Meeting**

### **Action Items:**

- Approve final agency plans



# Task Force Member Expectations

- Members will review the recommendations thoroughly and come to the 3/28 meeting with any questions/concerns
- Finalization discussions for the recommendations will only cover those with low consensus or issues identified



# Agency Expectations

- When recommendations are received, agency will complete the template columns and write accompanying sections
- Each agency will have an RDA liaison to answer questions and provide support in completing the template





# Agency Expectations (cont'd)

- All drafts of the recommendations should be completed in accordance with the timeline
- Work will be required outside of task force meeting times
- Agencies should contact RDA before the deadline with problems or concerns



## **RDA Role**

- Provide support to agencies in completing plans
- Complete the County-wide plan and summary report
- General support and stewardship of the process to complete plans



# Agency Assignments

## **Agency:**

- District Attorney and Sheriff
- Homeless Care and Coordination & Housing
- Public Defender and Social Services
- Probation

## **RDA Liaison:**

- Charlene
- Jamon
- Felicia
- Emily



# Next Steps





## Next Steps

- Ad hoc committee will finalize recommendations to be send to Task Force for review and approval
- Task Force will review recommendations for final approval and bring questions/concerns to next meeting



# Upcoming Meetings

- 3/4: Recc ad-hoc
- 3/14: Recc ad-hoc (in place of task force mtg)
- 3/28: Task Force Mtg
- 4/1 : Recc ad-hoc
- 4/25: Task Force Mtg
- 5/23: FINAL Task Force Mtg