Joint Oversight Hearing Senate Human Services Committee Senate Health Committee

August 11th, 2015 2:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. Room 3191

Psychotropic Medication and Mental Health Services for Foster Youth: Seeking Solutions for a Broken System

Agenda

I. Opening Remarks

- Senator Mike McGuire, Chair, Senate Human Services Committee
- Senator Ed Hernandez, Chair, Senate Health Committee

II. Foster Youth and the Specialty Mental Health System of Care

- DeAngelo Cortijo, National Center for Youth Law
- Anna Johnson, Policy Analyst, National Center for Youth Law
- Patrick Gardner, President, Young Minds Advocacy
- Carroll Schroeder, Executive Director, Alliance for Child and Family Services
- Christopher Castrillo, Legislative Advocate, California Academy of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry
- Gail Johnson Vaughn, Executive Director, Families Now
- Dane Cervine, Program Chief, Children's Services, Santa Cruz

III.Medi-Cal Specialty Mental Health System Oversight

- Karen Baylor, PH.D., LMFT, Deputy Director of Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services, Department of Health Care Services
- Will Lightbourne, Director, Department of Social Services
- Patricia Ryan, Executive Director, County Behavioral Health Directors Association
- Frank Mecca, Executive Director, County Welfare Directors Association

IV. Public Comment