Summary/Action Minutes

I. Affordable Care Act Enrollment Update Attachment

Alex Briscoe, Director, and Rachel Metz, Coverage Initiative Administrator of the Health Care Services Agency and Randy Morris, Division Director, Social Services Agency presented a PowerPoint presentation and provided an update on the Affordable Care Act Enrollment.

On January 1, 2014 approximately 40,000 people transitioned from HealthPAC Medi-Cal Expansion to Medi-Cal. Clients who were not successfully transitioned into a plan, the Health Care Services and Social Services Agencies are working with this population on a case by case basis.

The Social Services Agency has received over 14,000 MAGI Medi-Cal applications through the California Healthcare Eligibility, Enrollment and Retention (CalHEERS). CalHEERS has had technical difficulties and the system is frequently down. The CalWIN-CalHEERS interface has been delayed until January 20, 2014.

Purpose:
☒ Report progress
☐ Advocacy or Education
☐ Request Health Committee Recommendation or Position
☐ Other:

Recommendation from the Health Committee: None.

II. Healthy Nail Salon Recognition Program Attachment

Ariu Levi, Director and Pamela Evans, Program Coordinator, Environmental Health Department, presented a PowerPoint presentation and provided an update on the Healthy Nail Salon Recognition Program.

In 2013 Alameda County piloted the Healthy Nail Salon Recognition Program. The benefits of the program allow for staff productivity and attracts health-conscious consumers, enhances health and safety of staff and customers and there are less harmful chemicals in air water and soil. In the 2014 the program will initiate outreach out to connect with all 330 nail salons to offer on-site technical assistance and to recognize up to ten (10) new salons. The budget for the second year of the program is approximately $24,000.

Purpose:
☒ Report progress
☐ Advocacy or Education
☐ Request Health Committee Recommendation or Position
☐ Other:

Recommendation from the Health Committee: None.
III. HOPE Collaborative Update  Attachment

Sabrina Wu, Project Director, Health for Oakland’s People and Environment (HOPE) Collaborative presented a PowerPoint presentation and provided an update on the HOPE Collaborative.

The HOPE Collaborative was developed to create community-driven and sustainable environment change that will significantly improve the health and wellness of Oakland residents most impacted by social inequities. Some the HOPE Collaborative accomplishments include:

Food Enterprise Development
• Oakland based regional food hub (locally grown)
• Health corner store project (offer healthier food choices)
• Capacity building for limited resource and start-up food entrepreneurs

Community and Youth Engagement
• Leadership development trainings
• Community education and workshops on food systems and built environmental topics
• Community outreach
• Youth participatory action research

Purpose:
☑ Report progress
☐ Advocacy or Education
☐ Request Health Committee Recommendation or Position
☐ Other:

Recommendation from the Health Committee: None.

PUBLIC COMMENT: None.

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