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Dear Ms. Stackhouse:

On behalf of our Behavioral Health Director, Dawan Utecht, attached please find the Fresno County Mental Health Plan Implementation Plan – Phase II - 2019 update. This is in response to DMH Information Notice #97-06 dated March 14, 1997. The chart below reflects the changes/updates made to the Plan from the 2018 version:

Date Revised	Page	Section	Notes	Reason for Update
1/3/19	376 377	Links to Electronic Files	Added Holistic Cultural and Education Wellness Center Policy Procedure Guide for Alternative Holistic Healers. Added Holistic Cultural and Education Wellness Center Application for Eligibility – Alternative Holistic Providers.	Guidelines for Alternative, Complementary and Holistic healers
1/17/19	75	Appendix A	Replaced Reaching Recovery RNL 5.0 form with the RNL 6.0 form.	Update
2/27/19	48 49	EPSDT SMHS POS Functional Assessment Tools for Children and Youth	Updated the age ranges for administration of the CANS-50 and PSC-35 to reflect clarification from IN 18-029.	Clarified by the state
10/11/19	58 59	Concurrent Review of Inpatient Stays	Added information from PPG 4.3.1 on the Concurrent Review and Claims Authorization Process.	Clarification; new regulation
1/2/20	28 29	Access, Cultural Competence & Age Appropriateness	Added information about the Fresno County Community Suicide Prevention Collaborative, and a link to the Fresno County Suicide	Information

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			Prevention Collaborative Strategic Plan.	
1/2/20	2 3	Planning, Coordination, Outreach & Notification	Updated MHSA Annual Update and Community Planning Process Information to reflect current update and plan.	Updates
1/13/20	28	Access, Cultural Competence & Age Appropriateness	Added a link to the DHCS 2018 SMHS Dashboard Report.	Update
1/14/20	25- 28	Performance Outcomes Systems for SMHS	Added DHCS POS for SMHS information (Adults and Children/Youth) from FY 13-14 through FY 17-18.	Updates
1/23/20	19	Access, Cultural Competence & Age Appropriateness	Updated the Access form completion process and added the MHSUDS IN 19-020.	Clarification; new regulation
1/28/20	iii-vi	Guiding Principles of Care Delivery	Updated DBH's Guiding Principles of Care Delivery	Update
1/28/20	8	Planning, Coordination, Outreach & Notification	Updated Consumer Perception Survey information to include 2017-2018 data	Update

We appreciate your consideration of this Plan and look forward to receiving approval of the Plan. Please advise if it will require any revisions.

Very Best Regards,



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Attachment: Fresno County DBH SMHS Phase II – 2019 Implementation Plan Update

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