



LA COUNTY BEHAVIORAL HEALTH COMMISSION
“Advocacy, Accountability, and Oversight in Action”

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 Alex Tsobanoudis

L.A. County Board of Supervisors:
 Supervisor Kathryn Barger

Behavioral Health Commission (BHC) Meeting

 **Date:** Thursday, December 11, 2025

 **Time:** 11:00 A.M.

 **Location:** 510 S. Vermont Ave., 9th Floor (T Level), Los Angeles, CA 90020

Validated parking is available at: 523 Shatto Place, Los Angeles, CA 90020. Please take a parking ticket upon entry and bring it to the meeting for validation by security.

MEETING AGENDA

- 1. Call to Order/Welcome** – 11:00 A.M.
- 2. Roll Call**
 - a. Welcome and introduction of new members-at-large*
- 3. Public Comment (GENERAL)**- Opportunity for members of the public and/or stakeholder groups (SALTs, UsCCS, etc.) to provide general comments.
- 4. Commissioners Reports/Updates**
- 5. Consent Agenda**
 - a. Approval of the minutes:*
 - i. November 13, 2025
 - b. DMH Constituent Follow-Up Report*
 - c. DPH-SAPC Legislative Update Report*
 - d. DMH Legislative Update Report*
 - e. BHC Budget Report*
 - f. BHC Topics of Interest*
 - g. Brown Act - updates handout – Effective 1/26/2025*
- 6. Standing Items – Written Reports**



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- a. *BHC Chair Update – Dr. Victor Manalo, PhD., MSW*
- b. *DMH Director Report*
- c. *DPH-SAPC Report*
- d. *MHSA/BHSA Report*

7. New Business

- a. Ratify amendment to bylaws approved on 12/09/25 by the LA CO Board of Supervisors – [BOS motion 12/09/2025](#)

8. Work in Progress

- a. Members-at-large Candidate Recommendation
 - Veteran: Brian Banks, Psy.D.

9. Public Comment (AGENDA ITEM SPECIFIC) - Opportunity for members of the public to provide agenda item-specific comments

10. Announcements


- a. CARE Court Stakeholder Feedback Town Hall – 1/26/26, 5:30pm at Ramona Hall Community Center

11. Adjournment - Next meeting: Thursday, January 08, 2026, at 11:00 a.m.



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Public Access Options

 To join online (with or without ASL):

[Click this Microsoft Teams Link](#)

 **To listen or make public comment by phone:**

English: 844-291-6362 | Access Code: 4972277

Spanish: 323-776-6996 | Conference ID: 444855048

Korean: 323-776-6996 | Conference ID: 228880303

Additional Ways to Submit Public Comment

By email (Email must be received three (3) days prior to meeting date)

Send to mhcommission@dmh.lacounty.gov .

By mail (Postmarked and received three days prior to meeting date):

Mail to:


Los Angeles County Behavioral Health Commission

510 S. Vermont Avenue, Suite 22-111

Los Angeles, CA 90020

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To request additional accommodation (e.g., language, mobility, visual/hearing support), please contact us at:

 (213) 948-2463 or (213) 947-6487

 Email: mhcommission@dmh.lacounty.gov

Please make requests at least 5 days prior to the meeting.