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CALIFORNIA MENTAL HEALTH ADVOCACY RESOURCES | APRIL 30, 2019

MHSOAC MENTAL HEALTH STAKEHOLDER ADVOCACY CONTRACTORS

The Mental Health Services Oversight and Accountability Commission (MHSOAC) contracts with several organizations to conduct statewide mental health advocacy on behalf of specific stakeholder populations receiving services in California’s Public Mental Health System. In addition to local and state-level advocacy activities, these agencies conduct statewide outreach, engagement, education, training, and research to support community participation and improve mental health outcomes for these stakeholder populations. Each of the agencies listed below are responsible for coordinating with local networks of advocates throughout the state.



MENTAL HEALTH AMERICA OF NORTHERN CALIFORNIA (NORCAL MHA)

PROGRAM: ACCESS California

Stakeholder Population Represented:

Adult Mental Health Clients/Consumers

720 Howe Avenue, Suite 102, Sacramento, CA 95825
(916) 376-7736

access@norcalmha.org

www.norcalmha.org

www.accesscalifornia.org



NAMI CALIFORNIA

Stakeholder Populations Represented:

- Family Members of Adult Mental Health Clients/Consumers
- Diverse Communities

1851 Heritage Lane, Suite 150, Sacramento, CA 95815
(916) 567-0163

www.namicalifornia.org



CALIFORNIA YOUTH CONNECTION (CYC)

PROGRAM: No Stigma, No Barriers (NSNB)

Stakeholder Population Represented:

- Transition Age Youth (ages 16-25)

1611 Telegraph Ave, Suite 1100, Oakland, CA 94612
(415) 442-5060

www.calyouthconn.org



CALIFORNIA ASSOCIATION OF VETERAN SERVICE AGENCIES (CAVSA)

Stakeholder Population Represented:

- Veterans

980 9th Street, 16th Floor, Sacramento, CA 95814
(916) 449-9686

www.californiaveterans.org



HEALTH ACCESS FOUNDATION

PROGRAM: #Out4MentalHealth

Stakeholder Population Represented:

- LGBTQ

1127 11th St. Suite 925, Sacramento, CA 95814
(916) 497-0923

www.healthaccess.org



UNITED PARENTS

PROGRAM: Parents and Caregivers for Wellness

Stakeholder Population Represented:

- Parents and Caregivers of Children and Transition Age Youth

391 S. Dawson Drive, 1A, Camarillo, CA 93012
(805) 384-1555

www.unitedparents.org



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OTHER MENTAL HEALTH ADVOCACY ORGANIZATIONS IN CALIFORNIA

Mental Health America (MHA)

Mental Health America (MHA) - founded in 1909 - is the nation's leading community-based nonprofit dedicated to addressing the needs of those living with mental illness and to promoting the overall mental health of all Americans. Our work is driven by our commitment to promote mental health as a critical part of overall wellness, including prevention services for all; early identification and intervention for those at risk; integrated care, services, and supports for those who need it; with recovery as the goal.

MHA Affiliates in California

MHA of Northern California (NorCal MHA)

720 Howe Avenue, Suite 720
Sacramento, CA 95825
(916) 366-4600
www.norcalmha.org

MHA of California (MHAC)

2110 K St
Sacramento, CA 95816
(916) 557-1167
www.mhac.org

Mental Wellness Center

617 Garden St.
Santa Barbara, CA 93101
(805) 884-8440
www.mentalwellnesscenter.org

MHA of Alameda County

954 60th St.
Oakland, CA 94608
(510) 835-5010
www.mhaac.org

MHA of Los Angeles

200 Pine Avenue
Long Beach, CA 90802-4052
(562) 285-1330
www.mhala.org

MHA of San Diego County

4069 30th St.
San Diego, CA 92104-2601
(619) 543-0412
www.mhasd.org

MHA of San Francisco

870 Market Street, Suite 928
San Francisco, CA 94102-3001
(415) 421-2926
www.mentalhealthsf.org

MHA of Yuba-Sutter

1965 Live Oak Blvd
Yuba City, CA 95991
(916) 505-4419

National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI)

NAMI, the National Alliance on Mental Illness, is the nation’s largest grassroots mental health organization dedicated to building better lives for the millions of Americans affected by mental illness. What started as a small group of families gathered around a kitchen table in 1979 has blossomed into the nation's leading voice on mental health. Today, we are an association of more than 500 local affiliates who work in your community to raise awareness and provide support and education that was not previously available to those in need.

NAMI Affiliates in California

NAMI California
 (916) 567-0163

www.namicalifornia.org

Contact information for all NAMI affiliates located in California can be found here:

<https://nami.org/Local-NAMI?state=CA>

NAMI has local affiliates in the following California communities:

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| NAMI Alameda County | NAMI LAPEM La Puente | NAMI San Mateo County |
| NAMI Alameda County South | NAMI Lassen County | NAMI Santa Clara County |
| NAMI Amador | NAMI Long Beach | NAMI Santa Cruz County |
| NAMI Antelope Valley | NAMI Los Angeles South Central | NAMI Shasta County |
| NAMI Asian Pacific Los Angeles | NAMI Marin County | NAMI Solano County |
| NAMI Asian Families, San Gabriel Valley | NAMI Mendocino County | NAMI Sonoma County |
| NAMI Butte County | NAMI Monterey County | NAMI South Bay Los Angeles |
| NAMI Chino Valley | NAMI Mt. San Jacinto | NAMI Southern Santa Barbara |
| NAMI Coachella Valley | NAMI Nevada County | NAMI Stanislaus |
| NAMI Contra Costa County | NAMI Orange County | NAMI Tehama |
| NAMI East Bay | NAMI Placer County | NAMI Temecula Valley |
| NAMI East San Gabriel Valley | NAMI Pomona Valley | NAMI Tri-Valley |
| NAMI El Dorado County | NAMI Sacramento | NAMI Tulare County |
| NAMI Fresno | NAMI San Bernardino | NAMI Tuolumne County |
| NAMI Glendale | NAMI San Diego | NAMI Urban Los Angeles |
| NAMI Gold Country | NAMI San Fernando Valley | NAMI Ventura County |
| NAMI Humboldt County | NAMI San Francisco | NAMI Western Riverside County |
| NAMI Inland Valley | NAMI San Gabriel Valley | NAMI Westside Los Angeles |
| NAMI Kern County | NAMI San Joaquin County | NAMI Whittier L.A. County |
| | NAMI San Luis Obispo County | NAMI Yolo County |