



State of Maryland Behavioral Health Advisory Council

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THE MARYLAND BEHAVIORAL HEALTH ADVISORY COUNCIL

UPDATED AGENDA

September 18, 2018

- 9:30 - 9:40** **INTRODUCTIONS, APPROVAL OF MINUTES, AND ANNOUNCEMENTS-**
- 9:40 –10:00** **DIRECTORS REPORT** – Barbara J. Bazron, Ph.D., Deputy Secretary, Behavioral Health/Executive Director, Behavioral Health Administration
- 10:00 - 10:30** **UPDATE ON EFFORTS RELATED TO:**
Opioid Intervention Teams (OIT): Birch Barron, Deputy Director, Opioid Operational Command Center
Parity Act: Ellen Weber, Vice President for Health Initiatives, Legal Action Center
- 10:30 – 10:45** **COUNCIL BUSINESS**
- 10:45-11:00** **DISCUSSION: THE COUNCIL COMMITTEES**
1. Cultural Linguistics and Competency Committee
2. Criminal Justice-Forensics Committee
3. Planning Committee
4. Life Span I Committee
5. Life Span II Committee

Meetings of the Maryland Behavioral Health Advisory Council are held on the third Tuesday (as specified on the meeting schedule) every other month in the Lower Level Conference room of the Dix Building at Spring Grove Hospital Center. The Council meetings are normally held from 9:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

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Committees will meet today after the Council meeting adjourns. Breakout rooms have been established and they are as follows:

- **Criminal Justice/Forensic Committee – Dix Building, Lower Level Conference Room**
- **Lifespan Committee I: Mitchell Building, First Floor Conference Room**
- **Lifespan Committee II: Adults and Older Adults – Mitchell Building, Second Floor Conference Room**
- **Planning Committee – Dix Building, Conference Room 129**
- **The Cultural and Linguistic Competence Committee – No meeting today**