

**JCC Community Advisory Council Meeting Minutes April 14, 2025, 4:30-6:30pm
Hybrid Meeting**

Committee Members Present: Craig Newton (co-chair), Jacquie Jaquette (co-chair), John Curtis, Danica Alexander, Mandy Powell, Donea Goshert, Maribel Nava, Manuel Garduno

Committee Members Absent: Maria Underwood

Non-Committee Members Present: Sarah Swanson, Casey Moore

Staff Present: Sandra McHenry, Dave Hansen, Riah Safady, Sam Watson, Jennifer Lind, Sadie Wade

Agenda Item	Discussion	Action	Follow-up
I. Call to Order	Sandra called the meeting to order at 4:35pm		
II. Behavioral Health Network	Staff shared a presentation and asked for feedback on what future updates would be important to the CAC to hear.		
III. Approval of Agenda & Minutes	Approval of March 2025 minutes.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> CAC member moved to approve the March minutes, vote taken and minutes were approved by majority. 	
IV. Word on the Street – All	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sarah from OHSU shared a few items: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Due to current federal NIH funding, the Healthy Oregon Project will no longer be processing kits for genetic cancer screenings. April is Head and Neck Cancer Awareness Month. Number one prevention strategy for head and neck cancer is abstaining from tobacco and alcohol use. Second is prevention via HPV vaccination. OHSU is launching a youth cancer champions initiative, hoping to engage youth in advocacy opportunities to discuss cancer prevention in peer settings. In Douglas Co. they are holding a traditional health worker cancer prevention screening and training for free CEUs. Mobile unit will be in the Rogue Valley in May. CAC member shared that Sandra is running for Medford School Board. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Healthy Oregon Project https://www.healthyoregonproject.com/en Head and Neck Cancer Awareness https://takeactionagainstcancer.com/april-is-head-and-neck-cancer-awareness-month-2/ OHSU Youth Champions Application https://youthhpvchampions.org/involved 	

V. CHIP Grant Presentation – Casey Moore/Hannah Rarick, Oregon Spinal Cord Injury Connection	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Casey and Hannah shared a presentation about the proposed CHIP grant project to the CAC. 		
VI. CHIP Grant Presentation: Danica Alexander, Deaf Activities of Southern Oregon	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Danica shared a presentation about the proposed CHIP grant project to the CAC. 		
VII. Closed Session CHIP Grant Voting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> There was a discussion regarding each grant request. A vote is called for the approval of OSCIC. Vote taken and it was unanimously approved to fund the full amount of \$20,000. A vote is called for the approval of DASO. Vote taken and it was unanimously approved to fund the full amount of \$20,000. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Notify organizations of grant approval. 	
VIII. CHIP Feedback	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Staff shared an update regarding the feedback provided by the OHA on the CHIP: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Jackson & Josephine County Regional CHP received a 45/50 score. Jackson Care Connect & AllCare responded to the feedback on 3/31/25. Oral Health Strategy drafted and shared with the CAC with opportunity for members to provide feedback. The final strategy will be sent to the CAC for approval by vote. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The final Oral Health Strategy was approved by the CAC via email vote. 	
IX. Adjourn	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Craig adjourned the meeting at 6:31pm <p>Next meeting: May 12, 2024, 4:30-6:30pm</p>		