Words to Deeds 2024 Attendee List

Name	Title	Organization
Ambarin Faizi	DO	Department of State Hospitals
Amelia Moore	Director, Healthcare Policy and Advocacy	Johnson & Johnson
Amy Labowitch	Event Manager	Words to Deeds
Andrew Craven	Deputy Chief Probation Officer	El Dorado County Probation Department
Anh Thu Bui, MD	Project Director, 988-Crisis Care Continuum	California Health and Human Services Agency
Anita Fisher	CCJBH Council member	ССЈВН
Ashley Breth	Assistant Deputy Director	Department of State Hospitals
Ashley Williams	Deputy Director of Legislative and External Affairs	Emergency Medical Services Authority
Austin Dickman	CARE Project Manager	California Health and Human Services Agency
Belicia Smith	SSA	ССЈВН
Benny Benavidez	CALBMHC Governing Board member	CALBMHC
Bill Brown	Sheriff	Santa Barbara Sheriff's Office
Brenda Grealish	Executive Officer, CCJBH	ССЈВН
Budge Currier	Assistant Director, Public Safety Communications	Cal OES
Cameron Byrd	Associate Governmental Program Analyst	Council on Criminal Justice and Behavorial Health
Carmen Jacinto	COO Community Based Projects	Amity Foundation
Catherine Coyne	Life Member (Ret.)	California State Sheriffs' Association
Catherine York	Management Analyst II	Sacramento County
Charles Ervin	Judge	Sierra County Superior Court
Chelsea Weathers	Executive Assistant II	California State Sheriffs' Association
Dr. Cherylynn Lee	Police Psychologist	Santa Barbara Sheriffs Office
Chris Lee	Senior Researcher	Possibility Lab at University of California, Berkeley
Curtis Howard	Founder and Consultant	LivEx
Dana Cherry	Mental Health Program Manager	Los Angeles Public Defender
Danielle Sanchez	Legislative Director	CPOC
David Meyer	Retired	Retired
Deanna Adams	Supervisor	Judicial Council

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Deirdre Benedict	Supervising Analyst	Judicial Council of California
Diana Becton	District Attorney	Contra Costa County
Elizabeth Basnett	Director	Emergency Medical Services Authority
Elizabeth Castillon Vice	Manager	ССЈВН
Dr. Emma Rasmussen	Deputy Director	County of Fresno, Department of Behavioral Health
Emily Mantsch	Associate Governmental Programs Analyst	Council on Criminal Justice and Behavioral Health
Erica Bottorff	Holistic Defense Advocate	Santa Barbara County Public Defender
Erik Ewers	Director, "Hiding in Plain Sight"	Ken Burns / Ewers Brothers Productions
Francine Byrne	Director, Criminal Justice Services	Judicial Council of California
Hallie Fader-Towe	Director of Justice & Health Initiatives	The Council of State Governments Justice Center
JD Hatchett	Chair	Solano County Behavioral Health. Advisory Board
Jennifer Katy Wilson	MD	Clinical and Court Evaluations
Jeremy Merrick	Senior Analyst	Judicial Council of California
Jessica Camacho Duran	Health Program Specialist II	Council on Criminal Justice and Behavioral Health
Jessica Sodhi	988 Systems Director	California Governor's Office of Emergency Services
Jevon Wilkes	Executive Director	California Coalition for Youth
Jim Sorg	Director of Care Integration	Tarzana Treatment Centers, Inc.
Jonathan Porteus, PhD	CEO	WellSpace Health
Jonathan Raven	Asst CEO	CA DA's Association
Julio De Leon	Legislative Representative	Riverside County Sheriff's Office
Kamilah Holloway	Reasearch Scientist III	ССЈВН
Karen Larsen	CEO	Steinberg Institute
Karleen Jakowski	Assistant Director/Mental Health Director	Yolo County Health and Human Services Agency
Kate Sadowsky	Director, Community Outreach	UC Possibility Lab
Kathryn Jett	Principal Partner	JETT and Associates
Katie McAlindon	Senior Community Researcher	The Possibility Lab at UC Berkeley
Kelly Glossup	Behavioral Health Manager	Alameda County Sheriff's Office

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Kevin O'Connell	Research Consultant	O'Connell Research
Kiran Sahota	CEO	Concepts Forward Consulting
Kit Wall	Project Director	Words to Deeds
Kytzia Romero	Program Supervisor	Imperial County Behavioral Health
Lahela Mattox	COO	RTFH
Latonya Harris	Research Scientist	MHSOAC
Laura Jane Kessner	Bureau Director, Bureau of Central Operations	Los Angeles County District Attorney's Office
Laura Montagna	Chair Behavioral Health Board of Humboldt County	Behavioral Health Board of Humboldt County
Lindsay Boulton	Staff Services Manager III	Department of State Hospitals
Liz Butler Steyer	Executive Director	CA Institute on Law, Neuroscience and Education
Luke Bergmann	Director, Behavioral Health Services	County of San Diego, Health & Human Services Agency
Mack Jenkins	Chief Probation Officer (ret)	Council on Criminal Justice and Behavior Health
Manuel Jimenez Jr	Regional Director	La Familia Central Valley
Marcus M. Huntley	Head Deputy - Collaborative and Restorative Justice	Los Angeles County Public Defender's Office
Maria Ruiz	Deputy Director	Imperial County Behavioral Health Services
Mark Gale	Criminal Justice Chair	NAMI Greater Los Angeles County
Mark Grabau, Ph.D.	Chief Psychologist	CA Dept of State Hospitals
Maureen Reilly	Counsel	MHSOAC
Dr. Melanie Scott	Assistant Deputy Director, CFPD	Department of State Hospitals
Melissa Jajko	Senior Psychologist Supervisor	DSH
Melissa Martin-Mollar	Chief of Research and Evaluation	MHSOAC
Nikki Figueroa	Policy Analyst	CPOC
Norma Pate	Deputy Director, Program Operations and Administrative and Legislative Services	MHSOAC
Oscar Bentiez	Managing Director of Diversion & Reentry	Third Sector
Paula Astslis	Assistant Chief Psychologist - Diversion & Community Based Restoration Program	Department of State Hospitals, Sacramento
R. Christine (Chris) Hershey	Founder	Cause Communications
Randall Hagar	Policy Consultant and Legislative Advocate	Psychiatric Physicians Alliance of California

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Randie Chance	Principal Manager	Judicial Council
Randy Clopton	Research Associate	Possibility Lab at UC Berkeley
Rose Colangelo	Emergency Department System Lead	Sutter Health
Ryan Quist	Behavioral Health Director	Sacramento County Behavioral Health
Sandra Gallardo	Counsel	MHSOAC
Scott Svonkin	Vice Chair CCJBH	ССЈВН
Shannon Tarter	Health Program Specialist	MHSOAC
Sharon Roth	MS.	NAMI/CACITA
Sheree Lowe	Vice President, Policy	California Hospital Association
Sondy Daggett	Freelance Writer	Working with Cause Communications
Stacey Camacho	Deputy Director, Community Forensic Partnerships	Department of State Hospitals
Stephanie Landgraf	Captain	San Luis Obispo County Sheriff's Office
Stephanie Welch	Deputy Secretary of Behavioral Health	California Health and Human Services Agency
Stephen Manley	Judge	Superior Court, State of California. County of Santa Clara
Susan Wilson	Council Member	CA Behavioral Health Planning Council
Sylvia Bazan	Behavioral Health Manager	Imperial County Behavioral Health Services
Tara Gamboa-Eastman	Director of Government Affairs	Steinberg Institute
Theresa Comstock	Executive Director	CA Association of Local Behavioral Health Boards/Commissions
Tiana Moore	Deputy Chief Program Officer, Program Development	Brilliant Corners
Tiffanie Synnott	Deputy Director	Sacramento County Conflict Criminal Defenders
Toby Ewing	Director	MHSOAC
Todd Henry	Deputy Chief of Police	Davis, CA
Tony A. Hobson, Ph.D.	Behavioral Health Director	Colusa County Behavioral Health
Tracey Whitney	Assistant Head Deputy District Attorney	Los Angeles County District Attorney's Office
Tyler Fong	Deputy Chief Operating Officer	Brilliant Corners
Valerie Cahill	Behavioral Health Manager	Napa County Behavioral Health
Vanessa Schnaidt	Vice President	Cause Communications
Vanessa Vollaire	project Director	Amity Foundation

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Veronica Kelley	Agency Director	County of Orange Health Care Agency
Vicky Arenas	Comms Director	Cause Communications
William Arroyo	Member of CA Rehabilitation Oversight Board (C-ROB)	CDCR
Yolanda James-Sevilla	Division Director	Santa Cruz County Probation