



A G E N D A

Orange County Older Adults Advisory Commission

Friday, October 11, 2024

9:30 A.M.

www.officeonaging.ocgov.com

Location:

Easterseals

1063 McGaw Ave, Suite 100

Irvine CA 92614

The Orange County Older Adults Advisory Commission shall not hold a meeting unless the number of members participating constitutes a quorum of the Orange County Older Adults Advisory Commission.

This agenda contains a brief description of each item to be considered. Except as provided by law, no action shall be taken on any item not appearing in the agenda. Members of the public who wish to speak on an item(s) may complete a Speaker Request Form(s) identifying the items prior to the beginning of the meeting. To speak on a matter not appearing on the agenda, but under the jurisdiction of this Commission, you may do so during Public Comments. Commission members may not discuss or take action on issues raised during public comment unless the issue is listed in this agenda. Speaker request forms must be completed prior to the beginning of the meeting, the reading of the individual agenda items and/or the beginning of Public Comments. When addressing the Commission, please state your name and place of residence for the record prior to providing your comments. Address the Commission as a whole, through the Chair. Comments to individual Members or staff are not permitted. Speakers are limited to three (3) minutes.

Materials/handouts can be accessed up to 72 hours in advance of the meeting by visiting <http://www.occommunityservices.org/>. or calling (714) 480-6450.

1. CALL TO ORDER: Vice Chair, Crystal Miles
2. INSPIRATION: Commissioner Elizabeth Busick
3. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE: Commissioner Beck Levin
4. ROLL CALL: Secretary, Dave Tetzlaff
5. SECRETARY COMMENTS: Secretary, Dave Tetzlaff
 - A. Monthly Volunteer Service Hours
6. PUBLIC COMMENTS

At this time, members of the public may address the Commission regarding any items within the subject jurisdiction, provided that no action is taken on off-agenda items unless authorized by law. (Comments shall be limited to three (3) minutes, unless the Chair pre-identifies a different time at the start of meeting for all public speakers).
7. INTRODUCTIONS: Vice Chair, Crystal Miles
8. PRESENTATION:

Early Intervention Services for Older Adults

Keith Wilson, Health Program Specialist
OC Health Care Agency

9. DISCUSSION ITEMS:
 - A. Early Intervention Services for Older Adults Presentation
 - B. Senior Center Liaison topics:
 - i. Ask senior centers "When Older Adults need help you cannot provide here, where do you refer them for help?"
 - ii. Scheduling OCTA transit trainings at senior centers.
 - iii. Asking senior centers if they need support helping their participants register to vote or making a voting plan.
 - C. Gray Matters - A Look at the Orange County Office on Aging Report
https://www.ocgrandjury.org/sites/jury/files/2023-07/2015-2016_GJ_Final_Report.pdf and Responses to Findings and Recommendations, 2015-16 Grand Jury Report: "Gray Matters – A Look at the Orange County Office on Aging"
http://cams.ocgov.com/Web_Publisher_Sam/Agenda07_26_2016_files/images/O00616-000861A.PDF
10. CHAIR REPORT: Vice Chair, Crystal Miles

AGENDA

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11. OC OFFICE ON AGING UPDATES: Claudia Harris, Director, Office on Aging and Veteran Services or Designee
12. PRESENTATION SCHEDULE: Commission Members, Sandy Stang and Barbara Sloate
13. ANNOUNCEMENTS: All Commission Members
14. ADJOURNMENT

Next OAAC Meeting
November 8, 2024 – 9:30 a.m.

Executive Committee
October 25, 2024 – 9:30 a.m.

DISCLAIMER: No member of OAAC shall sign a letter or make a statement purported to represent the position of OAAC as a body. Letters or verbal statements of support or opposition on any issue shall only be made or signed by the Chair of OAAC and shall be submitted to the Commission for pre-approval. The policy of the Board of Supervisors does not allow OAAC or its Chair to sign a letter of position on any matters pertaining to legislation. OAAC members may write personal letters or speak as individuals stating personal positions but may not do so as representing the position or opinion of OAAC or the County of Orange.

Early Intervention Services for Older Adults (EISOA)

Date Presented:
October 11, 2024

Presentation

Agenda

- History and Info
- Our Agencies
- Service Areas
- Early Intervention Services for Older Adults (EISOA)
- Referrals
- Visual Narrative
- Contacts and Questions

Collaborative Agencies



Asian American Senior Citizens Service Center
850 N. Birch St, Santa Ana, CA 92701
aascsc.org



Abrazar, Inc.
[7101 Wyoming Street Westminster, CA 92683](http://7101WyomingStreetWestminster,CA92683)
abrazarinc.com



Access California Services
[300 W. Carl Karcher Way, Anaheim, CA 92801](http://300W.CarlKarcherWay,Anaheim,CA92801)
accesscal.org



Korean Community Services
[7212 Orangethorpe Ave., Suite 9A Buena Park, CA 90621](http://7212OrangethorpeAve.,Suite9ABuenaPark,CA90621)
kcsinc.org



OMID Multicultural Institute for Development
[2101 Business Center Drive., #150 Irvine, CA 92612](http://2101BusinessCenterDrive.,#150Irvine,CA92612)
omidinstitute.org



Orange County Children's Therapeutic Art Center
[2215 N. Broadway St, Santa Ana, CA 92706](http://2215N.BroadwaySt,SantaAna,CA92706)
occtac.org



Southland Integrated Services, Inc.
[9862 Chapman Ave. #B Garden Grove, CA 92841](http://9862ChapmanAve.#BGardenGrove,CA92841)
southlandintegrated.org



The Cambodian Family
[1626 E. 4th Street Santa Ana, CA 92701](http://1626E.4thStreetSantaAna,CA92701)
cambodianfamily.org



Viet Rainbow of Orange County
[8682 Beach Blvd. Suite 200, Buena Park, CA 90620](http://8682BeachBlvd.Suite200,BuenaPark,CA90620)
vietroc.org

EARLY INTERVENTION SERVICES FOR OLDER ADULTS

A Project of
MECCA MULTI-ETHNIC COLLABORATIVE OF COMMUNITY AGENCIES



MECCA's Early Intervention Services for Older Adults Program targets adults 60 years of age and older who are experiencing the early onset of mental health conditions or those who are at an increased risk of developing mental health conditions. The program reaches out to unserved or under-served older adults who are isolated due to social, cultural and linguistic barriers. The program provides services at no cost.

PROGRAM OVERVIEW

This program aims to:

- Prevent the onset of behavioral health conditions through providing outreach, social support, and treatment to older adults.
- Create and foster healthy and integrated lifestyles; promoting healthy and active aging.
- Improve levels of socialization and functioning, mental health status, and quality of life.

PROGRAM SERVICES

- Educational Classes
- Skill-building Workshops
- Support Groups
- Cultural Awareness and Integration
- Comprehensive Assessments
- Home Visits and Case Management
- Socialization Support and Activities
- Referrals to Resources and Services

For more information, please contact:

MECCA, Multi-Ethnic Collaborative of Community Agencies
www.ocmecca.org 714-202-4750 info@ocmecca.org

COLLABORATIVE AGENCIES

The Multi-Ethnic Collaborative of Community Agencies, MECCA, is a coalition of community-based agencies with a vision of improving the quality of life for under-served multi-ethnic communities.



Our multi-lingual and multi-cultural staff are familiar with a variety of languages, cultures, and customs.



Funded by: OC Health Care Agency (OCHCA), Behavioral Health Services, Prevention & Intervention, Mental Health Services ACT/Prop. 63



EISOA

<https://www.ocmecca.org/programs/services/>



EISOA Highlights

Services:

- **No Cost** Services for Participants and the Public
- In-person and online educational workshops and socialization events
- Resource referrals and linkages to supports like healthcare services, benefits enrollment, housing resources, transportation, translation, food resources, etc.
- Case Management services and Home Visits
- Group and Individual Therapy and Gero- Psychiatry Referrals

Languages:

- English
- Arabic
- Vietnamese
- Spanish
- Khmer
- Farsi
- Korean

EISOA Referrals

Eligibility:

- Resident of Orange County
- Age 60 or above

Referral Methods:

- Call, MECCA or Subcontracted Agencies Directly
- Email, MECCA or Subcontracted Agencies Directly

Once a referral is received, potential participant will be connected to one of our subcontractors, by language or location preference, and the subcontractor will contact them for intake promptly

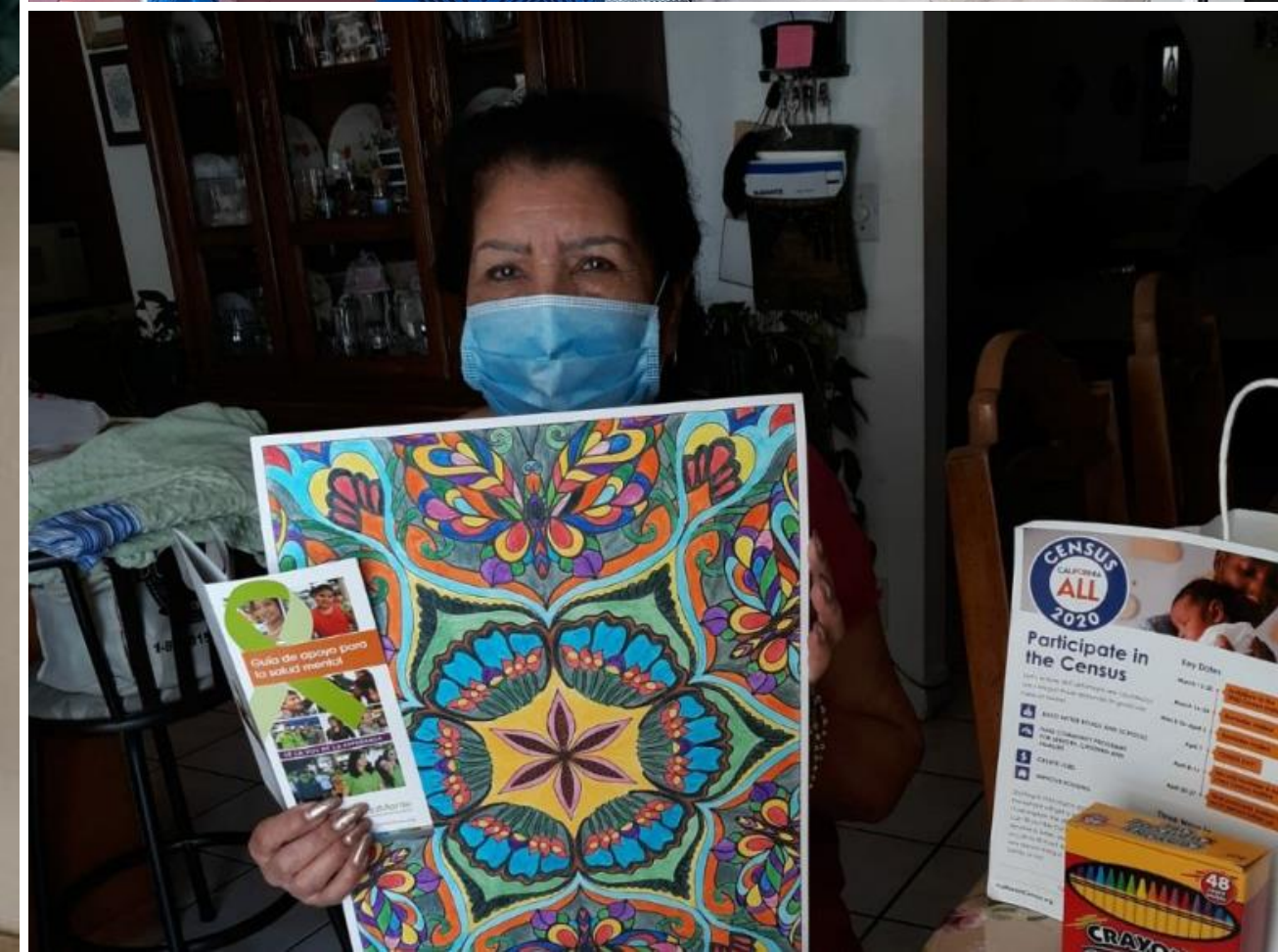


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Contacts/ Questions

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- **ADA accessibility** – discover accessibility options on OC Bus
- **Safety guidelines** – learn what we're doing to keep everyone safe

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The program is for Orange County residents only. Workshops also available in Korean, Mandarin, Spanish, and Vietnamese.

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