



## PRESS RELEASE

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## APPLICANTS SOUGHT FOR MENTAL HEALTH, ALCOHOL AND DRUG ADVISORY BOARD

SHASTA COUNTY – The Mental Health, Alcohol and Drug Advisory Board (MHADAB) is recruiting for three new members to attend meetings every other month, starting in January.

The 15-member board provides oversight for Shasta County's mental health system and substance use programs and requires a mix of members. The current recruitment seeks a veteran or veterans' advocate (such as a parent, spouse or adult child of a veteran), and consumers of mental health and/or substance use services or their family members.

Applicants must:

- Be Shasta County residents.
- Have lived experience with mental illness and/or substance use, or have a family member with that lived experience.
- Be available for meetings. MHADAB meets at 5:30 p.m. on the second Wednesday of every other month, excluding December, though this schedule may change.

Candidates for MHADAB should submit applications by Oct. 20 to be considered at the Nov. 1 meeting, although applications are accepted year-round.

To apply or get more information, call (530) 229-8266, email <u>MHADAB@co.shasta.ca.us</u> or visit <u>shastahhsa.net</u> and select "Advisory Boards."

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