



# Imperial County Behavioral Health Advisory Board



IMPERIAL COUNTY  
**Behavioral Health Services**  
MENTAL HEALTH & SUBSTANCE USE RECOVERY

Meeting location: Center for Clinical Training, 651 Wake Avenue, El Centro, CA 92243

**MEETING WILL BE IN PERSON**

**Zoom Broadcast:**

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## Agenda

**APRIL 22, 2026**

**12:00 pm**

**A. CALL TO ORDER – VICE CHAIRMAN HAROLD WALK**

- i. Roll Call
- ii. Introduction/ Welcome
- iii. Board Member Report/Updates
  - a. April 9 Children’s Subcommittee Site Visit – El Centro Children Services
  - b. April 14 Adult/Older Adult Subcommittee Site Visit – El Centro Full-Service Partnership
  - c. April 20 SUD Subcommittee Site Visit – Calexico SUD Programs

**B. PUBLIC COMMENT (Three (3) minutes per speaker)**

**C. ACTION ITEMS**

- i. Approval of Minutes: 02/18/26 and 03/18/26

**D. OLD BUSINESS OLD BUSINESS**

- i. Mental Health Triage & Engagement Services Unit Update – Maria Ruiz

**E. New Business**

- i. Behavioral Health Services Act Public Hearing

**F. Director’s Report**

- i. Adult Residential Substance Use Disorder Treatment Facility Groundbreaking Ceremony, April 30, 2026, at 9am

**G. Adjournment**

- i. Next Meeting: Wednesday, May 20, 2026

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