



# **BEHAVIORAL HEALTH ADVISORY COUNCIL**

**May 4, 2022**

# BHAC GROUP AGREEMENTS

- Hold space, make space; Remember WAIT (Why Am I Talking?)
- Stay engaged to the best of your ability
- Share your experience & hear the experience of others
- Acknowledge intent and center impact
- Expect and accept non-closure
- Experience discomfort - (creating a safer space for challenging conversations can be uncomfortable at times)
- Name and account for power dynamics in the room and in the work
- We are here to work collaboratively, and share responsibility for the success of our work together

# **BYLAWS COMMITTEE UPDATE**

**Our Goal:** Progressive, not overly prescriptive, reflects our principles and commitment to equity.

**Our Authority:** Advise Local Mental Health Authority;  
Collaborate w/System of Care & Substance Use Services

**Our Language:** “People first”; Consistent; Inclusive

**For Today:** Role of the County and CCO  
Review draft of “Purpose” statement

**Next steps:** Review Code of Conduct; Membership

# What We Do



**Mental Health and  
Addiction Services Division**

MULTNOMAH COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT

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