



**El Cajon Collaborative Council Meeting**  
**February 7, 2017 / 12:30 – 2:00pm**  
**Cajon Valley Union School District Board Room**  
750 E. Main St., El Cajon, CA 92020

Meeting Purpose:

To engage community members in resource sharing, networking, and action to benefit the children, youth and families of El Cajon

**Meeting Agenda**

- I. Welcoming Remarks & Introductions (*5 minutes*)
- II. Newcomers' Collaborative: (*10 minutes*)  
May Hassan, Co-Chair Newcomers' Collaborative
- III. Homeless Work Group & East Region Homeless Task Force Report: (*10 minutes*)  
Carol Lewis, Coordinator El Cajon Collaborative
- IV. Presentation: (*30 minutes*)  
**Topic:** Alcohol and Other Drug Counseling  
**Program:** Family Health Centers of San Diego- El Cajon Clinic  
**Presenter:** Monica Peddicord, CADC II and Larry McGill, Director of Alcohol and Drug Services  
[mpeddicord@fhcsd.org](mailto:mpeddicord@fhcsd.org)  
[www.fhcsd.org](http://www.fhcsd.org)
- V. Presentation: (*30 minutes*)  
**Topic:** Adult Education Programs  
**Program:** East Region Adult Education  
**Presenter:** Ute Maschke, Ph.D., Block Grant Manager  
[umaschke@guhds.net](mailto:umaschke@guhds.net)
- VI. Announcements: (*5 minutes*)  
**Group Discussion**

**Upcoming Meetings:**

**Homeless Work Group Meeting- February TBA**  
**Little House 131 Avocado Ave. Conference Room**  
**Newcomers' Collaborative Meeting- February 14**  
**HHSA-East Region Conference Room 10:30-12:00**  
**Next ECC Meeting- March 7- CVUSD Board Room**  
**12:30-2:00 pm**  
**Cajon Valley Union School District (Board Room)**  
**750 E. Main St., El Cajon**  
**Bring your sack lunch.**

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**Mission:**

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## 2016-2020 Overall Strategic Focus El Cajon Collaborative

### Goals:

1. Increase pro-social activities for children and youth:
  - A. Objective: Increase access to safe & healthy recreational opportunities
  - B. Objective: Increase opportunities for meaningful youth leadership and civic engagement.
  
2. Increase community involvement in Collaborative partnerships:
  - A. Objective: Increase community engagement in self-sufficiency opportunities.
  - B. Objective: Increase community partnerships to support cultural inclusion.
  - C. Objective: Mobilize residents to proactively participate in community enhancement activities.
  
3. Enhance prevention strategies using the public health model:
  - A. Objective: Advance opportunities to create safe, healthy and livable neighborhoods (universal)
  - B. Objective: Improve community health & wellness through resident engagement (secondary)
  - C. Objective: Increase culturally appropriate healthcare services (targeted)
  
4. Increase advocacy efforts to support policies that:
  - A. Objective: Ensure safe, fair and affordable housing across the continuum of need;
  - B. Objective: Promote economic development to adequately ensure self-sufficiency;
  - C. Objective: Provide educational opportunities leading to career pathways;
  - D. Objective: Address community environments and norms to foster health.

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