LEAD SF Policy Committee Meeting #1
May 22, 2017
Opening Remarks

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Agenda

1. Welcome & Opening Remarks
2. Agenda Review & Introductions
3. LEAD SF Structure and Workplan
4. LEAD SF Program Design
5. Closing Comments & Next Steps
6. Adjourn
Introductions

What is your name?

What organization or group do you represent?
LEAD SF
Structure and Workplan
Grant Overview

• 26-month pre-booking diversion program
• $5.9 million award
• Aims to reduce criminal behavior and improve public safety by connecting low-level drug offenders with the City’s robust network of health and social services
• Will reach at least 250 individuals (and divert at least 100) in the Tenderloin and Mission neighborhoods by June 2019
# LEAD SF Agencies

### City Departments
- Adult Probation Department
- Bay Area Rapid Transit (BART) Police
- Office of the District Attorney
- Office of the Public Defender
- San Francisco Police Department
- San Francisco Sheriff’s Department

### Technical Support
- Department of Public Health
- Harder+Company Community Research
- Hatchuel Tabernik and Associates

### Community Based Organizations
- Drug Police Alliance
- Felton Institute
- Glide Harm Reduction
- San Francisco Public Health Foundation

### Community Representatives
- Reentry Council
- Roadmap to Peace
- Sentencing Commission
- Tenderloin Health Improvement Partnership
- Workgroup to Re-Envision the Jail - Replacement Project
Goals of BSCC LEAD Grant

1. **Reduce the recidivism rate** for low-level drug and alcohol offenders in the Tenderloin and Mission districts

2. **Strengthen collaboration** across city departments and with community-based organizations to better meet the needs of individuals with a history of substance abuse

3. **Improve health and housing status** of LEAD participants
Core Principles

• Principles for successful LEAD implementation

• Principles for the following roles:
  • Case management
  • Policing
  • Prosecutor
  • Community public safety groups
Policy Committee Charter

- Establish LEAD SF eligibility criteria
- Develop referral/case management protocol
- Oversee service provision, data systems, and evaluation
- Fiscal monitoring
Decision Making

Modified consensus process:

• Discuss the issue
• Make recommendation
• Poll the group
• Discuss and modify recommendation as needed
LEAD SF Roadmap

Program Design
May – August 2017

Policy Committee – Monthly meetings through August 2017, then quarterly meetings
Oversees LEAD design, implementation, and evaluation

Law Enforcement Workgroup – Monthly meetings through August 2017
Provides technical expertise and recommendations to the policy committee

Operational Workgroup – Monthly meetings starting in July 2017
Leads project implementation and service delivery and operates as a multidisciplinary team

Communications Workgroup
Coordinates information flow among project stakeholders and the community
TBD

Program Implementation
September 2017 - June 2019

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# Overview of Upcoming Meetings

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| May 22       | • Review Crime data  
               • Review Law Enforcement Workgroup eligibility and catchment area criteria considerations  
               • Discuss authority to transport |
| June 12      | • Review Behavioral health data  
               • Present overview of existing service system |
| July 24      | • Discuss operational workgroup recommendations  
               • Present overview CASC LEAD intake center  
               • Review draft diversion and referral protocol outline |
| August 28 TBD| • Approve diversion and referral protocol  
               • Confirm information sharing protocol |
Information Sharing & Engagement

Dedicated page on DPH website and email:

- leadsf@sfdph.org

- Public postings of agenda & minutes
- Posting of relevant LEAD materials
LEAD SF Program Design
LEAD SF Baseline Crime Analysis
Law Enforcement Workgroup Considerations

Issue 1: Focused Catchment Areas for Pilot
Recommendation: Start at UN Plaza/Civic Center BART Station & Mission Hot Spot/16th Street BART Station

Issue 2: Team Approach to Lead Referrals among pilot hotspots
Recommendation: Coordinated Team on the street SFPD, BART PD, Glide and Felton
Law Enforcement Workgroup Considerations

**Issue 3: Eligible Crime types**
Recommendation: Use preliminary list prepared by DA as baseline guidelines

**Issue 4: Officer justification for LEAD referral**
Recommendation: Use a behavioral checklist that could accompany reporting to reinforce decision in the field

**Questions and areas for further exploration**
Closing & Next Steps

Policy Committee Meeting #2
Monday, June 12, 4:00 – 5:30p.m.

Policy Committee Meeting #3
Monday, July 24, 1:00 – 2:30p.m.

Policy Committee Meeting #4
Monday, August 28, TBD if needed
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