



MONTEREY COUNTY CHILDREN'S COUNCIL

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GENERAL MEETING

Monterey County Office of Education
901 Blanco Circle, Salinas, CA 93901

Monday, January 13, 2020
12:00-1:30pm

AGENDA

- 1. Welcome** – Elsa Jimenez, Chair
- 2. Public Comment** for items not on the agenda (limited to 3 minutes per person)
- 3. Action Items:**
 - Approve the minutes of the December 9, 2019 Monterey County Children's Council meeting – *Attached*
- 4. Presentation/Discussion:**
 - Bright Beginnings Update – Sonja Koehler
 - Champions for Children Award Update
 - Prescribe Safe Efforts Presentation – Dr. Casey Grover, Montage Health Center/CHOMP
 - Youth Outpatient Treatment Program Presentation - Amy Bravo, John Bokanovich, Michael Salinas and Rose Scott of Valley Health Associates
- 5. Updates/Announcements**
- 6. Adjourn**

Next meeting: February 10, 2020

Mission

The Children's Council provides leadership and policy direction to encourage the development of a comprehensive and collaborative delivery system of services to children and youth in Monterey County.