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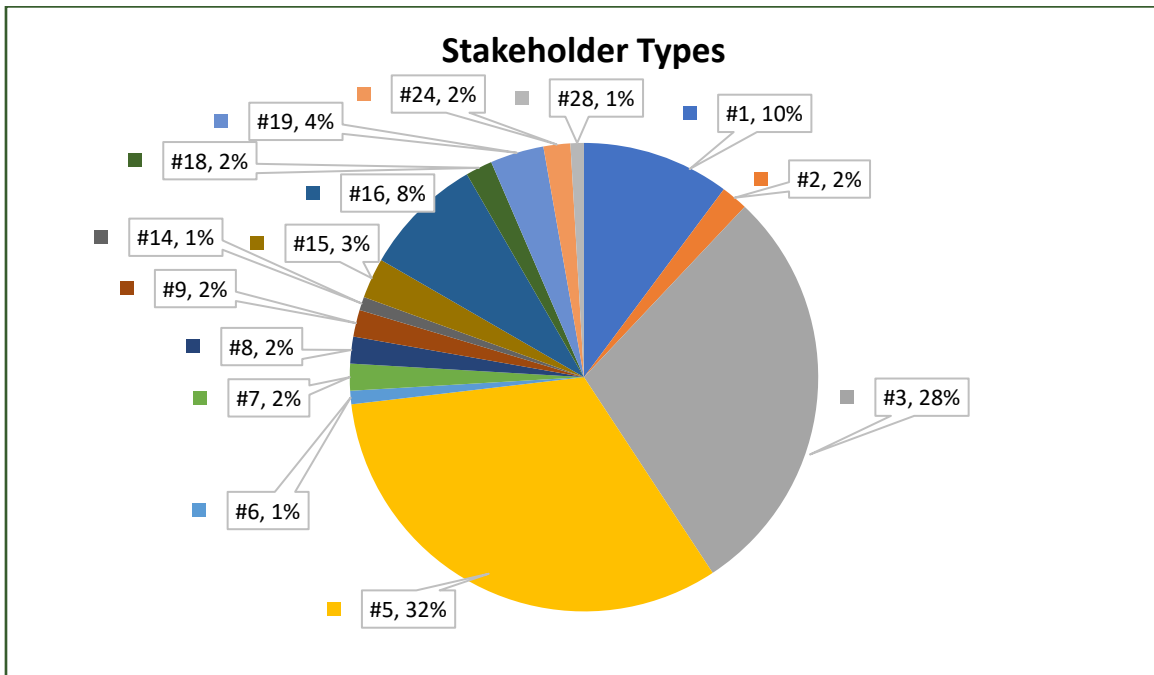
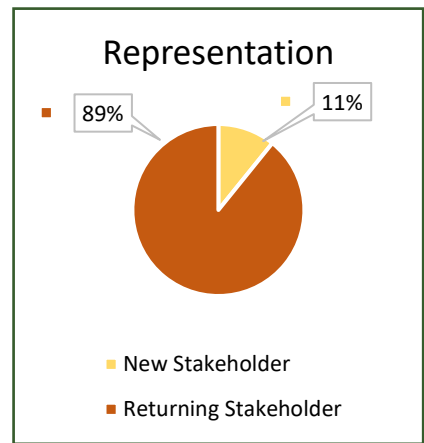
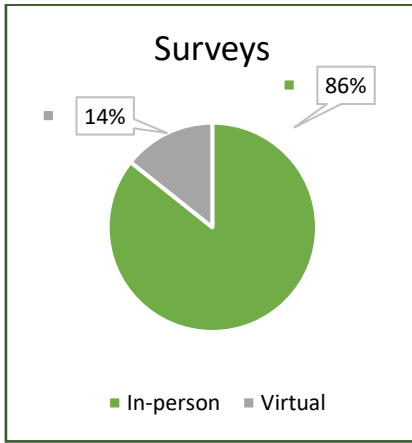
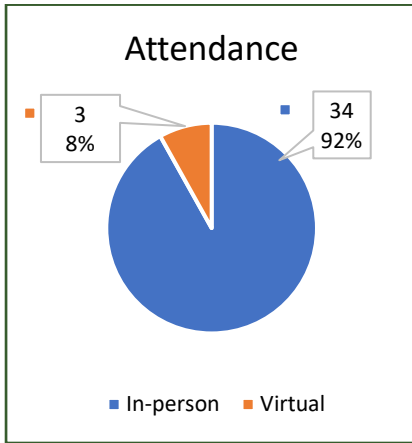
Monthly Meaningful Engagement Report



Focus: MHSR Reform, Behavioral Health Transformation Updates, Integrated Plan and Innovation Projects



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- Stakeholder Types reached as of the End of July 2025:**
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| 1. Client (Adult/Older Adult) | 6. Provider of SUD | 16. Health Care Org/ MCP |
| 2. Family of a client | 7. Public Safety | 18. Tribal |
| 3. Individuals (peers & family) | 8. Local education agencies | 19. Area agencies on aging |
| 5. Mental Health providers | 9. Higher Education | 24. Community-based organizations |
| | 14. Veterans and organizations | 28. Victims of domestic violence |
| | 15. Health Care & Hospitals | 30. Other Types |

MHSA is looking for opportunities to reach the following Stakeholder Types:

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| 4. Youth Clients or their Family & Organizations who serve them | 22. Regional Centers |
| 10. Early Childhood | 23. Emergency medical services |
| 11. Local public health | 25. Youth from marginalized communities |
| 12. County welfare | 26. Organizations providing services to the underserved |
| 13. Labor Reps | 27. LGBTQ+ |
| 17. Disability insurers | 29. Individuals with lived experience of homelessness |
| 20. Independent Living Centers | |
| 21. Continuums of care agencies | |

Meaningful Engagement Activities (July 2025)



■ Community Forum ■ Community Forum (Spanish) ■ Listening Session

Potential Engagement Activities:

- Client advisory meetings
- Conference calls
- Consumer and family group meetings
- [Community Forum \(In-person & virtual\) & in Spanish for Spanish-speaking stakeholder](#)
- Focus groups
- [Listening sessions](#)
- Media announcements
- Interviews or Meetings with subject matter experts
- Partnerships
- Public comment
- Public hearings
- Stakeholder workgroups and committees
- Surveys
- Targeted Outreach
- Town hall meetings
- Training, education, and outreach related to community planning
- Video conferences

Next Steps

At Kern Behavioral Health and Recovery Services, our commitment to meaningful community engagement is unwavering. We will continue to inform, engage, get feedback, and reach out to our communities. This will be achieved through the collaborative efforts of offering MHSa-funded programs and services in partnership with community organizations and contract service providers throughout Kern County. Meaningful engagement with our stakeholders is crucial to our success.

For more information or to schedule a meeting to discuss ways you can participate, please contact our MHSa Team at MHSATeam@KernBHRS.org

Or visit our website at www.KernBHRS.org



To learn more about MHSa (soon to be BHSA) Funding and Reporting, please visit us at our website at <https://www.kernbhers.org/about-us/mental-health-services-act>

