

Alameda County Control Behavioral Health Care Services

MENTAL HEALTH & SUBSTANCE USE SERVICES

Welcome, Rashawnda Lee-Hackett, Program Specialist

We are pleased to announce the appointment of the new Peer Support Workforce Program Specialist to the ACBH Office of Peer Support Services (OPSS).

Ms. Rashawnda Lee-Hackett will join the Office of Peer Support Services on Wednesday, December 28, 2022 and will report directly to Khatera Aslami Tamplen, OPSS Manager.

In this position, **Ms. Lee-Hackett** will provide systemwide leadership to the new workforce of Certified Medi-Cal Peer Support Specialists and responsible for program planning, development, evaluation, and training and technical assistance for the OPSS Peer Support Workforce Program.

Ms. Lee-Hackett joins ACBH with over two decades of professional and personal experience in behavioral health. She comes to us from Public Health Department where she served on the frontlines of the COVID response. Before being named the QA Specialist to the COVID Investigation and Community Support Unit, Ms. Lee Hackett served the Alameda county community as a Family Support Care Coordinator in Alameda County's Community Health Services Division and through her work as a home visiting Family Partner at Benioff Children's hospital Oakland in the Early Intervention Services Unit.

Ms. Lee-Hackett is a mental health advocate who uses her lived/living experience to inform her work in service to the community of Alameda County. She is a writer who has co-authored articles in Zero to Three national journal and has presented both locally and nationally on the topics of social justice, equality, equity, and the mental health impact of these issues on young children, individuals and their families.

Please join me in sending a warm welcome to Ms. Rashawnda Lee-Hackett!





