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## **NOTICE OF PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD AND SPECIAL MEETING on Mental Health Services Act (MHSA) funding**

SHASTA COUNTY – Shasta County Health and Human Services Agency seeks public comment on a request for funding for its Mental Health Services Act (MHSA) Innovation Project, titled Reducing Shasta County Youth Self-Harm & Suicide Rates.

The project is aimed at individuals ages 5 to 25, with a goal to reduce self-harm and suicide rates while increasing mental health literacy and resilience. It includes targeted prevention and early intervention services and support throughout the community.

The public has an opportunity to provide input regarding this proposal during a 30-day public comment period.

Public comments must be received no later than 5 p.m. on May 15, 2025. Comments must be sent to the attention of MHSA Administration, 2640 Breslauer Way, Redding, CA 96001; or emailed to [mhsa@shastacounty.gov](mailto:mhsa@shastacounty.gov).

### **MHSA Innovation Project Proposal Meeting**

**Thursday, April 24, 2025**

10:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

Mae Helene Bacon Boggs Building

2420 Breslauer Way, Redding, CA 96001

This public meeting will review the innovation project, Reducing Shasta County Youth Self-Harm & Suicide Rates, presented by Lotus Educational Services, Inc.

To review an electronic copy of the proposal, visit [shastamhsa.com](http://shastamhsa.com). Copies are available upon request by contacting [mhsa@shastacounty.gov](mailto:mhsa@shastacounty.gov).

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