

MEMORANDUM

DATE	February 26, 2017
TO	Policy and Advocacy Committee
FROM	 Jason Glasspiegel Central Services Coordinator
SUBJECT	Agenda Item #7(iii)(D) – AB 477 (Ridley-Thomas) Community Mental Health Service

Background:

This bill states the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation to enable the provision of prompt evaluation and treatment of persons with a mental health disorder, a substance use disorder, or both, to protect public safety, and to encourage the full use of all existing agencies, professional personnel, and public funds.

Location: Assembly

Status: 02/13/2017 Introduced.

Action Requested:

No action is required at this time. Staff will be watching AB 477 to determine its potential impact on the Board and its licensees.