

**Mental Health Advisory Committee**  
Meeting is held virtually on the teams platform.  
**October 1, 2024, 7:00 pm to 9:00 pm**

The Montgomery County Mental Health Advisory Committee, mandated by the State of Maryland, is committed to evaluate and monitor the development of mental health services and to work collaboratively with our community partners to monitor, advise and advocate for a comprehensive mental health system of care for all persons in Montgomery County.

	<b>Time</b>	<b>Topic</b>	<b>Lead / Speaker</b>
1	7:00	▶ Welcome MHAC Members and Guests	Libby
2	7:05	<b>Speaker: Gail M. Cormier, NFSTAC Project Director</b> National Family Support Technical Assistance Center – to speak on Peers and the challenges they face in the workplace.	Libby
	7:40	▶ <b>Old Business</b> - Minutes from September 2024	
3	7:42	▶ <b>CERB Discussion</b>	Libby
3	8:15	▶ <b>New Business</b> A. Update on Bill 43-23 Crisis Intervention – Michelle Grigsby-Hackett B. Update on the Crisis System - Monica Martin, Acting Chief of Behavioral Health and Crisis services C. Silver Spring Justice Coalition letter - Libby D. Subcommittees based on the priorities - Libby E. AODAAC – Laura Mitchell F. Montgomery County Goes Purple – Laura Mitchell G. Suicide Prevention Coalition – Celia Serkin H. CAYAS update – Michelle Grigsby-Hackett/Celia Serkin I. Libby to meet with HHS committee of the County Council in October to present priorities. J. November meeting – suggestions for speaker	
4	8:50	<b>A. Announcements from Commissioners/ and or the Public</b>	Libby
10	8:55	<b>B. Adjournment</b>	Libby

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