



2024 CHEAC Annual Meeting Workshop Session Biographies Anthem

Tara Brickey

Tara Brickey, MPH is a health professional with a Master's degree in Public Health Education and Promotion. She's dedicated her career to advancing public health policies with a focus on managed care. Over the years, she's gained respect for her ability to design, operationalize, and manage complex, multi-year projects that impact plan performance and cost of care. Tara has a strong reputation for developing strategies and implementing programs that improve health outcomes. Most recently her focus includes building Provider capacity to support the implementation of California Medicaid covered benefits and services such as Enhanced Care Management, Community Supports, Community Health Worker and Doula services.

Noni Plasichuk, Regional Housing Program Manager

Noni Plasichuk is a Regional Housing Program Manager at Anthem Blue Cross. In her role, Noni supports specific counties in the Northern California region, by providing subject matter expertise in strategies related to supporting Anthem Medi-Cal members facing housing insecurity and homelessness. Noni has over 17 years' experience in the housing industry, with five of those years working in the public sector at Sacramento Housing Redevelopment Agency and ten years in Property Management. Noni holds a Master of Arts degree in Human Services, is licensed by the State of California Department of Real Estate and is dedicated to promoting fair and equitable housing practices, with a focus on supporting underserved communities.

Dieumi Nguyen, Program Director

Dieumi Nguyen is the Program Director of the Children and Youth Behavioral Health Initiative (CYBHI), Dieumi Nguyen oversees the Student Behavioral Health Incentive Program (SBHIP) and the Statewide Multi-Payer Fee Schedule implementation. In her work, she partners closely with county offices of education and school districts across California to increase access for students to behavioral health services in and around schools with the goal of addressing health equity gaps, inequalities, and disparities that students face accessing behavioral health services. Dieumi has an MBA from Pepperdine University and is most passionate about improving students' educational experience, mental health, and overall wellbeing.

Timi Leslie, Executive Director, Connecting for Better Health

Timi Leslie has over 30 years of experience in the health care industry advising organizations on business strategy, technology innovation, partner relations, product management and system implementation. She works with a wide variety of clients to improve clinical information sharing and apply new insights. Timi regularly leads government and board-level initiatives focused on health IT strategy, financing, population and community health, electronic health record (EHR), and health information exchange (HIE).