ZSFG CHIEF OF STAFF REPORT (ACTION ITEMS) Presented to the JCC-ZSFG on August 23, 2016

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<u>Psychiatry Clinical Service Rules and Regulations, Policies and Procedures</u> (copy emailed to Commissioners)

MEC approved changes to the Psychiatry Rules and Regulations, which were largely editorial. One significant change is on the Psychiatry Privilege List: The age of patients covered by the Service's Adult Core privileges, from 18 to 16. See below:

ADULT (CORE) PRIVILEGES-PSYCHIATRISTS (MD/DO)

Diagnostic assessment and treatment of psychiatric and substance abuse disorders; including mental status exam; treatment planning; individual psychotherapy; group psychotherapy; family psychotherapy; emergency psychiatry assessment and treatment; crisis management; evaluation of medical status; use of psychotropic drugs approved by the FDA; detoxification following substance abuse; and behavior modification of patients 16 years and older.

This change was made primarily to bring the Service into alignment with core adult privileges at Langley Porter. This change was discussed with the Psychiatry medical staff who were in agreement.