

REGIONAL CENTER OF ORANGE COUNTY BOARD OF DIRECTORS' MEETING AGENDA

Date: Thursday, March 7, 2024

Time: 6:00 p.m.

Place: RCOC Board Room, 1525 Tustin Avenue, Santa Ana, California 92705

I.		Closed Session (Board Members Only)	
	A.	W&I Code §4663 and §4664	Greg Simonian, Esq.
		1. Pending Litigation, WIC 4663(a)(5) and WIC 4664(a)	
II.		Recess	
III.		General Session	
	A.	Pledge of Allegiance/Reading of RCOC's Mission and Vision Statement	John "Chip" Wright
	B.	Community Forum for Agenda Items Only***	John "Chip" Wright
	C.	Budget and Finance Committee	Sandy Martin
	D.	Consent Calendar*	John "Chip" Wright
		 Approval of Board of Directors' Minutes for January 11, 2024** Budget and Finance Committee** Approval of Monthly Sufficiency of Allocation Report, December 2023** Approval of Monthly Sufficiency of Allocation Report, January 2024** Approval of Budget Amendment 	
	E.	Executive Director's Report	Larry Landauer
		 Recognition of Persons' Served Employment Longevity Operations Report – December 2023** Operations Report – January 2024** Performance Contract Report – December 2023** Performance Contract Report – January 2024** Employment Update Housing Update Health and Wellness Update 	Arturo Cazares Jack Stanton Bonnie Ivers
	F.	Executive Committee	John "Chip" Wright
		 Approval of Renewal of Board Membership for Bruce Hall for a Three-Year Term Commencing April 1, 2024 and Ending March 31, 2027** Approval of Board Membership for Jacqueline Nguyen for a Three-Year Term Commencing April 1, 2024 and Ending March 31, 2027** Approval of Sandy Martin as Chairperson for a Term Commencing May 1, 2024 and Ending June 30, 2024** 	
	G.	Board Recruitment and Training Committee**	John "Chip" Wright
	H.	Policies and Outcomes Committee**	Cliff Amsden
		 Contract Policy** Document Retention and Destruction Policy** Policy on Notification to Persons Served and Families of Significant Service Deficits** Approval of the Policy on Insurance Requirements for Providers** 	
	I.	Vendor Advisory Committee**	Rick Perez

		1. Approval of Vendor Advisory Committee Member**	
	J.	Peer Advisory Committee**	Yvonne Kluttz
	K.	Legislative and Community Awareness Committee**	Bruce Hall
	L.	ARCA Report	Sandy Martin
	M.	Community Forum***	John "Chip" Wright
	N.	Chairperson's Report	John "Chip" Wright
IV.		Adjournment	John "Chip" Wright

*All items on the Consent Calendar will be approved by one motion, and there will be no discussion on individual items unless a Board member or a member of the public requests that a specific item be pulled from the Consent Calendar for separate discussion and possible action. **Attachments for Board members in Board packet.

***This is an opportunity for public comments. Each person is limited to a maximum of three minutes.

Regional Center of Orange County Board of Directors' Meeting Minutes January 11, 2024

Board Members Present: (Members in-person, unless otherwise noted)	John "Chip" Wright, Chairperson Cliff Amsden Marcell Bassett Meena Chockalingam Bruce Hall Yvonne Kluttz Sandy Martin Chinh Nguyen Jacqueline Nguyen Fernando Peña Rick Perez
Board Members Absent:	Frances Hernandez Hilda Mendez
Corporate Counsel Present:	Greg Simonian, Esq.

Mr. Chip Wright called the meeting to order at 6:01 p.m.

I. General Session

A. Pledge of Allegiance/Reading of RCOC's Mission and Vision Statement

Mr. Fernando Peña led attendees in a recitation of the Pledge of Allegiance. Mr. Marcell Bassett read RCOC's Mission and Vision Statement.

B. Community Forum for Agenda Items Only

There were no speakers for community forum.

C. Budget and Finance Committee

Ms. Sandy Martin reported that the Committee approved and recommended for approval all of its items on the consent calendar.

D. Consent Calendar

- 1. Approval of Board of Directors' Minutes for November 2, 2023
- 2. Budget and Finance Committee
 - a. Approval of Monthly Sufficiency of Allocation Report, October 2023
 - b. Approval of Monthly Sufficiency of Allocation Report, November 2023
 - c. Approval of CalPERS Requirement for a Publicly Available Pay Schedule Effective January 22, 2024

M/S/C to approve the consent calendar, as presented

E. Executive Director's Report

1. <u>Recognition of Persons' Served Employment Longevity</u>

The Board of Directors honored five persons served who have worked for the same employer for 22 or more years with a Certificate of Recognition.

2. Annual Sufficiency of Allocation Report (SOAR) for Fiscal Year 2023-2024

Ms. Marta Vasquez, RCOC's Chief Financial Officer, presented the Annual Sufficiency of Allocation Report (SOAR) for fiscal year 2023-24.

3. <u>Approval of Amendment to Property Renovation Agreement with Non-Profit</u> <u>Housing Corporation, Brilliant Corners, for Development of an Adult Residential</u> <u>Facility for Persons with Special Health Care Needs (CPP No. 1617-3/2223-9)</u>

Mr. Jack Stanton, RCOC's Associate Director of Housing, reported that RCOC previously entered into an agreement with non-profit housing corporation, Brilliant Corners, for development of the Adult Residential Facility for Persons with Special Health Care Needs (ARFPSHN). Brilliant Corners completed the facility and leased it to a residential service provider. Last year, the residential service provider gave notice to terminate services and no longer operates the home. The residents of the home relocated to other facilities while a new service provider was identified to operate the home. The facility needed additional repair work that included new flooring and repair of an exterior wood structure and the new service provider's lease is pending completion of the renovation and funding has been provided to cover the months the facility has been vacant without a rental agreement.

The Department of Developmental Services (DDS) allocated an additional \$141,889 in renovation funding for replacement of the flooring in the ARFPSHN and to assist with holding costs until the new residential service provider begins leasing the home.

M/S/C to approve the Amendment to Property Renovation Agreement with Non-Profit Housing Corporation, Brilliant Corners, for Development of an Adult Residential Facility for Persons with Special Health Care Needs (CPP No. 1617-3/2223-9) as presented

Mr. Larry Landauer gave his Executive Director's Report, which included the following highlights:

- *California Budget.* Mr. Landauer reported that the Governor's Budget for fiscal year 2024-25 includes \$15.3 billion for the regional center system, an increase of \$1.6 billion over the prior year.
- *DDS' Implicit Bias Training*. Mr. Landauer reported that DDS has contracted with Equitify for \$6.2 million to provide Implicit Bias training for all 21 regional center staff.

- *Cultural, Ethnic and Linguistic Diversity Training.* Mr. Landauer stated that DDS is requiring regional centers to provide training on Cultural, Ethnic and Linguistic Diversity. CircleUp Education is providing RCOC's training at a cost, approved by DDS, of \$118,793. The training was mandated for Service Coordinators, Area Supervisors, Area Managers, the Health Resource Group (HRG) and Community Services staff.
- *Intermediate Care Facilities (ICF)*. Mr. Landauer reported that ICF's have transitioned to Managed Care as of January 1, 2024.
- *Purchase of Service (POS) Expenditures for Fiscal Year 2023-24*. Mr. Landauer reported that there is a projected surplus statewide.
- *Person Centered Thinking (PCT)*. Mr. Landauer reported that approximately 98% of Individual Program Plans (IPPs) for Lanterman cases are in the PCT format and that RCOC is providing PCT trainings for new staff and refresher courses for previously trained staff.
- *Employment*. Mr. Cazares reviewed the Purchase of Service (POS) data by regional center for the Paid Internship Program Service Provider Placement Incentive Payments and the Competitive Integrated Employment Incentive Payments.
- *Housing.* Mr. Stanton reported that he presented on RCOC's data on IPP questions as an enhancement to the National Core Indicators (NCI) survey information to DDS' Quality Assessment Advisory Group (QAAG). QAAG appreciated the detailed information collected by RCOC and how the data was then used to address any concerns related to individual satisfaction and to provide additional follow up for individuals if requested.

Mr. Stanton also reported that the data collected during IPP meetings regarding living options continues to show high levels of individual satisfaction, while information on independent living options continues to be highly requested from individuals. RCOC continues to work on the development of programs on a regular basis, including group homes, supported and independent living programs, respite programs, and other in-home support options. DDS has responded to a statewide Request For Proposal (RFP) for the possible Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) 811 program vouchers, which would be used in conjunction with new affordable housing units. If DDS is awarded the RFP, these resources will be statewide and would not necessarily be awarded within Orange County.

• Legislative and Community Awareness (LCA). Mr. Landauer reported that he, RCOC's Board Member Ms. Chinh Nguyen and Ms. Kaitlynn Truong, FRC's Cultural Specialist, will be participating in the City of Westminster's annual Lunar New Year Tet Parade celebration on February 10, 2024. Mr. Landauer reported that Ms. Meena Chocklingam, RCOC's Board Member, invited him to be a guest at the Jeena Yahaan SoCal 2024 Talent Show held on January 7, 2024 at the Lake Forest Performing Arts Center.

- *Health and Wellness*. Dr. Bonnie Ivers, RCOC's Clinical Director, reported that persons served by RCOC who are interested in joining the *Healthy Life, Happy Life* Program, should contact their service coordinators for more information. The curriculum focuses on the management and prevention of chronic health conditions.
 - *Self-Determination Program (SDP)*. Mr. Landauer reported that the SDP Local Advisory Committee met on December 4, 2023; the next Committee meeting is scheduled for February 1, 2024.
 - *RCOC News*. Mr. Landauer reported that vendor staffing shortages have improved but low vendor rates continue to affect hiring.

Mr. Landauer stated that he and his staff continue to work with the Hispanic families group to address their concerns. There have been six meetings thus far with the last two meetings held on September 29, 2023, and October 25, 2023. The next meeting is being scheduled for the end of January 2024.

Mr. Landauer reported that RCOC will host some evening workshops for families to discuss various service policies and answer questions regarding their individual cases. RCOC is also developing strategic priority questions related to service satisfaction for a survey for families to complete after each Individual Program Plan (IPP) meeting.

Mr. Landauer also reported that RCOC's Deaf and Hard of Hearing Resource Fair will be held on Sunday, January 21, 2024 from 2:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. at the Anaheim Community Center.

F. Executive Committee

Mr. Wright reported that the Committee met on November 20, 2023; the next Committee meeting is scheduled for February 20, 2024.

G. Board Recruitment and Training Committee

Mr. Wright reported that the Committee met on November 13, 2023. The Committee reviewed the Board composition, training topics and discussed recruitment efforts. Mr. Wright also reported that the next Board training scheduled for February 1, 2024, will be on the Self-Determination Program and Person-Centered Thinking.

The next Committee meeting is scheduled for January 16, 2024.

H. Policies and Outcomes Committee

Mr. Cliff Amsden reported that the next Committee meeting is scheduled for February 20, 2024.

I. Vendor Advisory Committee

Mr. Rick Perez reported that the Committee met on January 9, 2024; the next Committee meeting is scheduled for February 13, 2024.

J. Peer Advisory Committee

Ms. Yvonne Kluttz reported that the Committee will host a presentation on the *Healthy Life, Happy Life Program* with Dr. Sam Ho, RCOC's Clinical Pharmacist at its next meeting on January 17, 2024.

K. Legislative and Community Awareness Report

Mr. Bruce Hall reported that the Committee met on January 9, 2024 and discussed holiday events and media releases. The next Committee meeting is scheduled for April 9, 2024.

L. ARCA Report

Ms. Martin reported that ARCA's Board of Directors' meeting is scheduled for January 19, 2024 in Sacramento.

M. Community Forum

Mr. Robert Olea asked if RCOC's vendors were still having difficulties hiring staff.

N. Chairperson's Report

Mr. Wright thanked everyone for joining today's Board of Directors' meeting.

O. 2022 Performance Contract Objectives Outcomes Review

Mr. Stanton and Mr. Cazares reported on the Performance Contract Objectives Outcomes Review for 2022.

II. Adjournment

Mr. Wright adjourned the meeting at 7:22 p.m.

Yvonne Kluttz, Secretary

Recorder: Sandra Lomelí

Regional Center of Orange County Budget & Finance Committee Meeting Minutes January 11, 2024

Committee Members Present:	Sandy Martin Cliff Amsden Marcell Bassett <i>(arrived at 4:13 p.m.)</i> Bruce Hall Fernando Peña John "Chip" Wright
Committee Members Absent:	Jacqueline Nguyen (joined virtually)
Other Board Members Present:	Yvonne Kluttz Rick Perez
Board Counsel Present:	Greg E. Simonian
RCOC Staff Present:	Larry Landauer, Executive Director Liliana Castillo, Accounting Manager – Vendorization Arturo Cazares, Director of Community Services Nancy Franco, Accounting Manager – OPS Dr. Bonnie Ivers, Clinical Director Karina Martinez, Accounting Manager – POS Jennifer Montanez, Director of Case Management Raudel Perez, Administrator Linda Pham, Accountant Marta Vasquez, Chief Financial Officer Stacy Wong, Human Resources Director

The meeting was called to order at 4:02 p.m.

Ms. Marta Vasquez, RCOC's Chief Financial Officer, presented the Annual Sufficiency of Allocation Report for fiscal year 2023-24, which was submitted to the Department of Developmental Services (DDS) in December 2023.

1. Approval of Monthly Sufficiency of Allocation Reports (SOARs), October and November 2023

The monthly reports for October and November 2023 were reviewed. RCOC is projecting a deficit of \$37.8 million. RCOC's projected deficit will be \$30.4 million if all \$7.4 million of the State Plan Amendment receivables are paid.

2. Approval of CalPERS Requirement for a Publicly Available Pay Schedule Effective January 22, 2024

Ms. Vasquez reported that RCOC added a title to RCOC's salary schedule.

M/S/C to approve the monthly SOARs and salary schedule.

The meeting adjourned at 4:50 p.m.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

AGENDA ITEM DETAIL SHEET

ACTION	Х
ACTION/CONSENT	
DISCUSSION	
INFO ONLY	

DATE: March 7, 2024

- TO: Board of Directors
- FROM: Budget and Finance Committee

SUBJECT: Approval of Monthly Sufficiency of Allocation Report, December 2023

BACKGROUND:

Staff presents the monthly sufficiency of allocation report to the Budget and Finance Committee for review and approval. This committee then presents the statement to the Board.

REASON FOR CURRENT ITEM:

The Board has a responsibility to monitor the Center's financial status.

FISCAL IMPACT:

None.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Board approve the monthly sufficiency of allocation report as presented.

Agenda Item III.D.2.a.

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Date:	March 7, 2024
To:	Board of Directors
From:	Budget and Finance Committee
Subject:	Highlights – December 2023 Sufficiency of Allocation Report (SOAR)

Purchase of Services (POS)

RCOC is projecting a deficit of \$37.1 million. RCOC's deficit will be \$29.7 million if all \$7.4 million of the State Plan Amendment receivables are paid.

As reported previously, RCOC's allocation is less than prior year and is one of many regional centers projecting a deficit. The projection includes the fiscal impact of prior years' and current year's rate increases:

- the continuation of prior year minimum wage increases,
- the new minimum wage increase effective January 1, 2024,
- the continuation of the Rate Models increases effective April 1, 2022 and January 1, 2023, (a total of 50% of the difference between the rate calculated by Burns & Associates and the rate as of March 31, 2022),
- the rate increases for occupational, physical and speech therapy effective October 1, 2023,
- application of the Personal Assistance Rate Model rate to Personal Assistance Worker administration services (also known as Employer of Record services), and
- an adjustment to the Rate Model rate for Independent Living Services vendors effective January 1, 2024.

The projection also includes the impact of the end of Alternative Non-Residential Services and the projected cost of 554 persons served who will graduate from school to regional center-funded adult day programs.

Year to date, RCOC's caseload increased by 637 persons for an annualized caseload growth of 4.4%%; the regional center system increased by 14,768 persons for an annualized caseload growth of 6.2%.

Operations

RCOC will be within budget for both Operating Expense and Personal Services.

Monthly Sufficiency of Allocation Report As of December 31, 2023

		А	В	С	D	Е	F	G	Н
					SOAR		VARIANCE		
			ACTUAL	PROJECTED	PROJECTED	(column A-D)/A)	(column A-D)	CHANGE	
		E-1	SPENT	EXPENDITURES	EXPENDITURES	%	AMOUNT	FROM PRIOR	SPENT
	PURCHASE OF SERVICE	ALLOCATION	YEAR TO DATE	AT "RUN RATE"	2/10/2024	YEAR TO	D DATE	MO. REPORTED	PRIOR YEAR
(1)	Licensed Residential Care	\$188,040,827	\$99,205,352	\$198,410,704	\$206,499,777	-10%	-\$18,458,950	\$754,910	\$182,539,369
(2)	Day Care	1,955,218	614,054	1,744,327	1,955,218	0%	\$(. ,	1,489,577
(3)	Day Training	63,634,597	34,329,694	68,659,388	69,998,669	-10%	-\$6,364,072	2 0	60,953,470
(4)	Habilitation	9,530,560	4,058,783	9,518,320	9,530,560	0%	\$(8,424,282
(5)	Transportation	13,582,892	6,377,167	14,584,860	17,836,125	-31%	-\$4,253,233	3 0	11,589,320
(6)	Respite	53,665,692	21,528,522	51,668,453	53,665,692	0%	\$() 0	45,959,594
(7)	Personal Assistance	53,922,907	25,363,437	55,948,758	56,022,320	-4%	-\$2,099,413	3 0	48,336,047
(8)	Supported Living	59,505,546	29,375,796	58,751,592	59,505,546	0%	\$0) 0	53,477,301
(9)	Non-medical	35,415,097	14,461,389	29,422,778	35,415,097	0%	\$0) 0	24,103,486
(10)	Medical	12,684,138	5,051,504	10,103,008	12,684,138	0%	\$0) 0	7,918,271
(11)	Other	66,955,872	28,274,949	58,549,898	69,732,092	-4%	-\$2,776,220) 0	53,566,136
(12)	Early Start (Age 0-3)	39,789,953	19,688,807	41,381,283	42,996,240	-8%	-\$3,206,287	7 0	35,739,618
(13)	Community Placement Plan	100,000	0		0	0%	n/a		0
(14)	Purchase of Service Total	598,783,299	288,329,454	598,743,369	635,841,474	-6%	-37,158,175	5 754,910	534,096,471
					635,841,474				
	OPERATIONS				0		-\$29,747,496	5 * If all SPA receiv	ables are paid.
(15)	Operating Expense (Gross)	11,820,534	4,198,600	8,397,201	11,820,534	0%	() 0	7,784,961
(16)	Less Interest Income and SPA Fees	-600,000	-1,131,013	-2,262,027	-600,000	0%	() 0	-1,198,997
(17)	Operating Expense (Net)	11,220,534	3,067,587	6,135,174	11,220,534	0%	() 0	6,585,964
(18)	Personal Services	63,481,765	23,967,297	47,934,593	63,481,765	0%	() 0	44,049,322
(19)	Family Resource Center/Services	269,299	118,681	237,362	269,299	0%	() 0	269,299
(20)	Operations Total	74,971,598	27,153,565	54,307,129	74,971,598	0%	() 0	50,904,585
(21)	Total	\$673,754,897	\$315,483,019	\$653,050,498	\$710,813,072	0%	-\$37,158,175	\$754,910	\$585,001,056

* State Plan Amendment (SPA). Regional centers pay the Day Program and Transportation expenditures for persons who live in Intermediate Care Facilities (ICFs); DDS pays ICFs; ICFs pay regional centers.

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STATEMENT OF ASSETS, LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2023

ASSETS	GENERAL FUND	CUSTODIAL FUND
CURRENT ASSETS		
Petty cash Checking Savings Money market Payroll Donations Unemployment Certificate of deposit	\$300.00 43,114,599.47 157,814.01 0.00 381,706.52 209,297.00 839,262.39 0.00	\$103,921.16
Total current assets	44,702,979.39	
RECEIVABLES		
State claim Client support revenue Due from State - prior years Due from ICF - ICF Supplemental Services	107,385,368.82 40,935.43 9,792,369.98 5,320,591.28	291.00
Total receivables	122,539,265.51	291.00
PREPAID ITEMS		
Deposits Prepaid expense	293,582.86 0.00	
Total prepaid items	293,582.86	0.00
OTHER ASSETS		
Tenant improvements Building acquisition	303,163.76 63,613.98	
Total other assets	366,777.74	0.00
TOTAL ASSETS		\$104,212.16
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES		
LIABILITIES		
Accounts payable Due to State - ICF Supplemental Services Loans payable Cash advance Unemployment insurance	\$29,465,747.87 0.00 0.00 137,389,886.47 837,674.16	\$40,935.43
Total liabilities	167,693,308.50	
FUND BALANCES		
General Donations Custodial	209,297.00	63,276.73
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES	\$167,902,605.50	\$104,212.16

REGIONAL CENTER OF ORANGE COUNTY **BRIAN'S FUND** DECEMBER 31, 2023

Beginning Balance			\$206,996.10
Donations:			
Andrews, Richard & Margaret Aveanna Healthcare Hall, Bruce P Heidari, Mansour & Arefeh	\$20.00 1,500.00 500.00 1,000.00		
Subtotal Donations		\$3,020.00	
Loan Payments		672.00	
Interest		8.90	
Disbursements:			
Refrigerator Rent	-800.00 -600.00		
Subtotal Disbursements		-1,400.00	
Net Increase (Decrease)			2,300.90
Ending Balance			\$209,297.00

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FISCAL IMPACT:

None.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Board approve the monthly sufficiency of allocation report as presented.

Agenda Item III.D.2.b.

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Date:	March 7, 2024
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From:	Budget and Finance Committee
Subject:	Highlights – January 2024 Sufficiency of Allocation Report (SOAR)

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			ACTUAL	PROJECTED	SOAR PROJECTED	(column A-D)/A)	VARIANCE (column A-D)	CHANGE	
	PURCHASE OF SERVICE	E-1 ALLOCATION	SPENT YEAR TO DATE	EXPENDITURES AT "RUN RATE"	EXPENDITURES 2/10/2024	% YEAR TO	AMOUNT	FROM PRIOR MO. REPORTED	SPENT PRIOR VEAR
	TORCHASE OF SERVICE	ALLOCATION	ILAK IO DAIL	AI KONKAIL	2/10/2024	TEART	DAIL	MO. KEI OKTEE	TRIOR TEAK
(1)	Licensed Residential Care	\$188,040,827	\$113,198,303	\$198,172,793	\$206,499,777	-10%	-\$18,458,950	\$754,910	\$182,539,369
(2)	Day Care	1,955,218	669,545	1,741,684	1,955,218	0%	\$0	0	1,489,577
(3)	Day Training	63,634,597	38,883,603	68,272,424	69,998,669	-10%	-\$6,364,072	0	60,953,470
(4)	Habilitation	9,530,560	4,229,181	9,522,304	9,530,560	0%	\$0	0	8,424,282
(5)	Transportation	13,582,892	6,491,640	14,846,665	17,836,125	-31%	-\$4,253,233	0	11,589,320
(6)	Respite	53,665,692	21,539,824	51,695,578	53,665,692	0%	\$0	0	45,959,594
(7)	Personal Assistance	53,922,907	25,363,437	56,363,193	56,022,320	-4%	-\$2,099,413	0	48,336,047
(8)	Supported Living	59,505,546	33,905,738	58,590,817	59,505,546	0%	\$0	0	53,477,301
(9)	Non-medical	35,415,097	15,585,460	29,340,762	35,415,097	0%	\$0	0	24,103,486
(10)	Medical	12,684,138	5,856,840	10,040,297	12,684,138	0%	\$0	0	7,918,271
(11)	Other	66,955,872	28,530,803	58,578,187	69,732,092	-4%	-\$2,776,220	0	53,566,136
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(13)	Community Placement Plan	100,000	0		0	0%	n/a	0	0
(14)	Purchase of Service Total	598,783,299	316,281,624	597,946,072	635,841,474	-6%	-37,158,175	754,910	534,096,471
	OPERATIONS				635,841,474 0		-\$29,747,496	* If all SPA receiv	ables are paid.
(15)	Operating Expense (Gross)	11,820,534	4,721,186	8,093,461	11,820,534	0%	0	0	7,784,961
(16)	Less Interest Income and SPA Fees	-600,000	-1,310,565	-2,246,683	-600,000	0%	0		-1,198,997
(17)	Operating Expense (Net)	11,220,534	3,410,621	5,846,778	11,220,534	0%	0	0	6,585,964
(18)	Personal Services	63,481,765	27,984,010	47,972,589	63,481,765	0%	0	0	44,049,322
(19)	Family Resource Center/Services	269,299	138,701	237,772	269,299	0%	0	0	269,299
(20)	Operations Total	74,971,598	31,533,332	54,057,140	74,971,598	0%	0	0	50,904,585
(21)	Total	\$673,754,897	\$347,814,956	\$652,003,212	\$710,813,072	0%	-\$37,158,175	\$754,910	\$585,001,056

* State Plan Amendment (SPA). Regional centers pay the Day Program and Transportation expenditures for persons who live in Intermediate Care Facilities (ICFs); DDS pays ICFs; ICFs pay regional centers.

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STATEMENT OF ASSETS, LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES AS OF JANUARY 31, 2024

ASSETS	GENERAL FUND	CUSTODIAL FUND
CURRENT ASSETS		
Petty cash Checking Savings Money market Payroll Donations Unemployment Certificate of deposit	\$300.00 39,128,095.44 70,555.59 0.00 381,904.23 208,270.89 839,412.03 0.00	\$88,782.58
Total current assets	40,628,538.18	88,782.58
RECEIVABLES		
State claim Client support revenue Due from State - prior years Due from ICF - ICF Supplemental Services	113,199,878.53 22,547.83 14,792,123.22 6,018,710.81	291.00
Total receivables	134,033,260.39	
PREPAID ITEMS		
Deposits Prepaid expense	293,582.86 0.00	
Total prepaid items	293,582.86	0.00
OTHER ASSETS		
Tenant improvements Building acquisition	303,163.76 63,613.98	
Total other assets	366,777.74	0.00
TOTAL ASSETS		\$89,073.58
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES LIABILITIES		
Accounts payable Due to State - ICF Supplemental Services Loans payable Cash advance Unemployment insurance	\$37,128,535.51 0.00 0.00 137,147,500.89 837,851.88	\$22,547.83
Total liabilities	175,113,888.28	
FUND BALANCES		
General Donations Custodial	208,270.89	66,525.75
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES	\$175,322,159.17	\$89,073.58

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REGIONAL CENTER OF ORANGE COUNTY BRIAN'S FUND JANUARY 31, 2024

Beginning Balance		\$209,297.00
Donations:		
Subtotal Donations	\$0.00	
Loan Payments	-193.00	
Interest	8.89	
Disbursements:		
Moving expenses	-842.00	
Net Increase (Decrease)		 -1,026.11
Ending Balance		\$ 208,270.89



Summary of Information About Persons Served - December 2023

NUMBER OF PERSONS SERVED	25,822	100%
Children - Birth to Age Three Receiving Early Start Services	3,527	14%
Children - Ages Three to Five Receiving Provisional Services	460	2%
Children - Ages Three to 17 Receiving Lanterman Services	8,363	32%
Adults - Ages 18 and Older Receiving Lanterman Services	13,472	52%

Children - Birth to Age Three Receiving Prevention Resource and Referral Services

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Children and Adults - Ages Three and Older Receiving Lanterman Services with the Following Diagnoses:

Intellectual Disability	11,533	60%
Epilepsy	2,870	14%
Cerebral Palsy	2,539	13%
Autism	10,110	44%
Fifth Category*	1,963	9%

* condition closely related to intellectual disability and requiring similar treatment

Note: Many persons served have more than one diagnosis so the percentage equals more than 100%.

NUMBER OF PERSONS REQUESTING ELIGIBILITY DETERMINATION					
Early Start / Under Age Three / 45 days to complete determination	223	43%			
Lanterman / Over Age Three / 120 days to complete determination	51	10%			
Provisional / Up to Age Five / 90 days to complete determination	0	0%			

NUMBER OF PERSONS DETERMINED ELIGIBLE				
Children - Birth to Age Three Eligible for Early Start Services				
Children and Adults - Ages Three and Older Eligible for Lanterman Services				
Number of children who received Early Start services	37			
 Number of children who received Early Start services and had a diagnosis of autism 	25			
Children - Birth to Age Three Eligible for Prevention Resource and Referral Services				
NUMBER OF CHILDREN NO LONGER ELIGIBLE FOR EARLY START OR PREVENTION RESOURCE AND REFERRAL SERVICES				
Children - Age Three No Longer Eligible for Early Start Services				
Children - Age Three No Longer Eligible for Prevention Resource and Refer	ral Services	0		



OPERATIONS REPORT

DECEMBER 2023 ACTIVITY

Mission Statement

The Regional Center of Orange County (RCOC) is a private non-profit organization that, as mandated by the Lanterman Developmental Disabilities Services Act, collaborates with persons with developmental disabilities, their families and the community to secure individualized services and supports that enhance the quality of life for the people we serve and assist them in realizing their full potential.

COMMUNITY LIFE

Related Guiding Principles

• Persons served are in safe and supportive settings that promote a life of independence, acknowledge diverse cultural perspectives and that respect the inherent risks and valuable learning experiences that come from living in the community.

Provider Monitoring, Technical Support and Special Incident Investigation Activities *Fiscal Year 2023-24*

Type and Number of Reviews	Jul.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
Annual Review	43	34	33	40	40	38
Unannounced	92	70	53	74	55	61
Total Number of Reviews	135	104	86	114	95	99
Provider Trainings	0	0	0	0	0	0
Technical Support	325	211	133	326	283	274
Corrective Action Plans	0	7	0	5	14	2
Special Incident Investigations*	9	3	4	38	41	56
COVID-19 Checklist	0	0	0	0	0	0
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Type and Number of Reviews	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	Total
Annual Review							228
Unannounced							405
Total Number of Reviews							633
Provider Trainings							0
Technical Support							1,552
Corrective Action Plans							28
Special Incident Investigations*							151

* California Code of Regulations, Title 17, Division 2, Chapter 3 - Community Services SubChapter 2 - Vendorization Article 2 - Vendorization Process, Section 54327 requires all vendors, excluding parents and consumers, to report the following special incidents.

Type of Special Incidents (from California Code of Regulations, Title 17)

(A) The consumer is missing and the vendor or long-term health care facility has filed a missing persons report with a law enforcement agency;

- (B) Reasonably suspected abuse/exploitation including:
 - 1. Physical;
 - 2. Sexual;
 - 3. Fiduciary;
 - 4. Emotional/mental; or
 - 5. Physical and/or chemical restraint.
- (C) Reasonably suspected neglect including failure to:
 - 1. Provide medical care for physical and mental health needs;
 - 2. Prevent malnutrition or dehydration;
 - 3. Protect from health and safety hazards;
 - 4. Assist in personal hygiene or the provision of food, clothing or shelter or
 - 5. Exercise the degree of care that a reasonable person would exercise in the position of having the care and
 - custody of an elder or a dependent adult.
- (D) A serious injury/accident including:
 - 1. Lacerations requiring sutures or staples;
 - 2. Puncture wounds requiring medical treatment beyond first aid;
 - 3. Fractures;
 - 4. Dislocations;
 - 5. Bites that break the skin and require medical treatment beyond first aid;
 - 6. Internal bleeding requiring medical treatment beyond first aid;
 - 7. Any medication errors;
 - 8. Medication reactions that require medical treatment beyond first aid; or
 - 9. Burns that require medical treatment beyond first aid.

(E) Any unplanned or unscheduled hospitalization due to the following conditions:

- 1. Respiratory illness, including but not limited, to asthma; tuberculosis; and chronic obstructive pulmonary disease; 2. Seizure-related;
- 2. Seizure-related;
- 3. Cardiac-related, including but not limited to, congestive heart failure; hypertension; and angina;

4. Internal infections, including but not limited to, ear, nose and throat; gastrointestinal; kidney; dental; pelvic; or urinary tract;

- 5. Diabetes, including diabetes-related complications;
- 6. Wound/skin care, including but not limited to, cellulitis and decubutus;
- 7. Nutritional deficiencies, including but not limited to, anemia and dehydration; or
- 8. Involuntary psychiatric admission;
- (2) The following special incidents regardless of when or where they occurred:
- (A) The death of any consumer, regardless of cause;
- (B) The consumer is the victim of a crime including the following:

1. Robbery, including theft using a firearm, knife, or cutting instrument or other dangerous weapons or methods which force or threaten a victim;

2. Aggravated assault, including a physical attack on a victim using hands, fist, feet or a firearm, knife or cutting instrument or other dangerous weapon;

3. Larceny, including the unlawful taking, carrying, leading, or riding away of property, except for motor vehicles, from the possession or constructive possession of another person;

4. Burglary, including forcible entry; unlawful non-forcible entry; and, attempted forcible entry of a structure to commit a felony or theft therein;

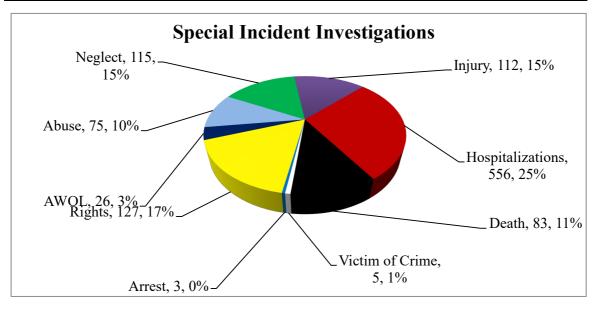
5. Rape, including rape and attempts to commit rape.

Title 17 does not require reporting on arrest or consumer rights violations; however, RCOC includes arrest and rights violations as reportable incidents.

Type and Number of Special Incident Investigations *Fiscal Year 2023-24*

Type of Incident	Jul.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
AWOL	4	9	2	4	3	4
Abuse	9	16	11	15	12	12
Neglect	44	16	17	17	15	6
Injury	16	25	15	21	15	20
Hospitalizations - Total	28	29	27	44	46	42
Psychiatric	7	3	2	8	6	9
Medical	21	26	25	36	35	33
Death	17	11	16	12	14	13
Victim of crime	1	1	0	0	0	3
Arrest	1	0	0	0	0	2
Rights	69	7	31	8	6	6
Total	189	114	119	121	111	108

Type of Incident	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	Total
AWOL							26
Abuse							75
Neglect							115
Injury							112
Hospitalizations - Total							216
Psychiatric							35
Medical							176
Death							83
Victim of Crime							5
Arrest							3
Rights							127
Total	0	0	0	0	0	0	762



COMMUNITY LIFE continued

Provider Audits Fiscal Year 2023-24

Number of Audits / Appeals / Recoveries

Type of Audit	Jul.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
Service Billing	0	1	0	0	0	0
Staffing	0	3	0	0	0	0
Level 4I Consultant	0	1	0	0	2	0
P&I (consumer funds)	0	2	0	0	0	0
Total Number of Audits	0	7	0	0	2	0

Number of Appeals / Recoveries (Vendors may appeal after monthly data is reported)

State Appeal	0		0	
Recovery	4		2	

Audit Findings (Dollar Amount)

Amount of Recovery \$0.00 \$02,004.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00	Amount of Recovery	\$0.00	\$62,604.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$8,013.81	\$0.00
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Type of Audit	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	Total
Service Billing							1
Staffing							3
Level 4I Consultant							1
P&I (consumer funds)							2
Total Number of Audits							7

Number of Appeals / Recoveries

State Appeal				0
Recovery				4

Audit Findings (Dollar Amount)

Amount of Recovery \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 \$70.617.81	0 (,						
	Amount of Recovery	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$70,617.81

Related Guiding Principles

- Families are informed advocates for their loved ones with developmental disabilities.
- Families are the decision makers for their minor children.

• Family support services are flexible and innovative in meeting the family's needs as they evolve over time, are tailored to the preferences of the individual family, and are consistent with their cultural norms and customs.

• Services and supports for families recognize, facilitate and build on family strengths, natural supports and existing community resources.

Fiscal Year 2023-24

Number of Authorizations for Voucher Services

Type of Service	Jul.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
Day Care - Family Member	81	84	78	81	78	77
Diapers - Family Member	7	3	3	4	2	2
Nursing Service - Family Member	47	51	52	51	49	48
Respite Service - Family Member	665	656	661	666	675	676
Transportation - Family Member	202	208	210	224	234	236
Total Number of Voucher Authorizations	1,002	1,002	1,004	1,026	1,038	1,039

Number of Authorizations for Voucher Services

Type of Service	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June
Day Care - Family Member						
Diapers - Family Member						
Nursing Service - Family Member						
Respite Service - Family Member						
Transportation - Family Member						
Total Number of Voucher Authorizations	0	0	0	0	0	0

Related Guiding Principles

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Notifications of Community Events and Activities

Fiscal Year 2023-24

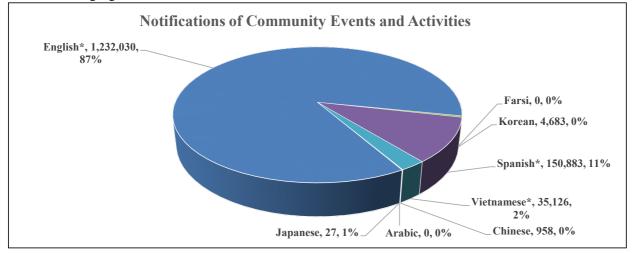
Number of Notifications

Language	Jul.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
English*	153,968	221,278	263,897	307,942	166,093	118,852
Farsi						0
Korean	555	200	1,839	82	932	1,075
Spanish*	8,000	39,791	36,187	31,942	23,200	11,763
Vietnamese*	9,234	2,792	12,351	3,666	2,551	4,532
Chinese			376	582		0
Japanese			27			
Arabic						
Total Number of Notifications	171,757	264,061	314,677	344,214	192,776	136,222

Number of Notifications

Language	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	Total
English*							1,232,030
Farsi							0
Korean							4,683
Spanish*							150,883
Vietnamese*							35,126
Chinese							958
Japanese							27
Arabic							0
Total Number of Notifications	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,423,707

* Threshold languages for RCOC



Related Guiding Principles

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Community Outreach

Fiscal Year 2023-24

Number of Outreach Events

Type of Outreach / Language	Jul.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
In Person/Zoom		-	-	-		
English	13	7	7	12	12	10
Spanish	1	3	3	3	1	
Vietnamese		3	2			
Other Languages			1	1 (Korean)		
In Print						
English		2		1	1	1
Spanish		1				
Vietnamese		1				
Other Languages						
TV / Radio						
English	2					
Spanish						
Vietnamese	5	4	4	5	5	5
Other Languages						
Total Number of Outreach Events	21	21	17	22	19	16

Number of Outreach Events

Language	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.*	May*	June*	Total
In Person							
English							61
Spanish							11
Vietnamese							5
Other Languages							2
In Print							
English							5
Spanish							1
Vietnamese							1
Other Languages							0
TV / Radio							
English							2
Spanish							0
Vietnamese							28
Other Languages							0
Total Number of Outreach Events	0	0	0	0	0	0	116

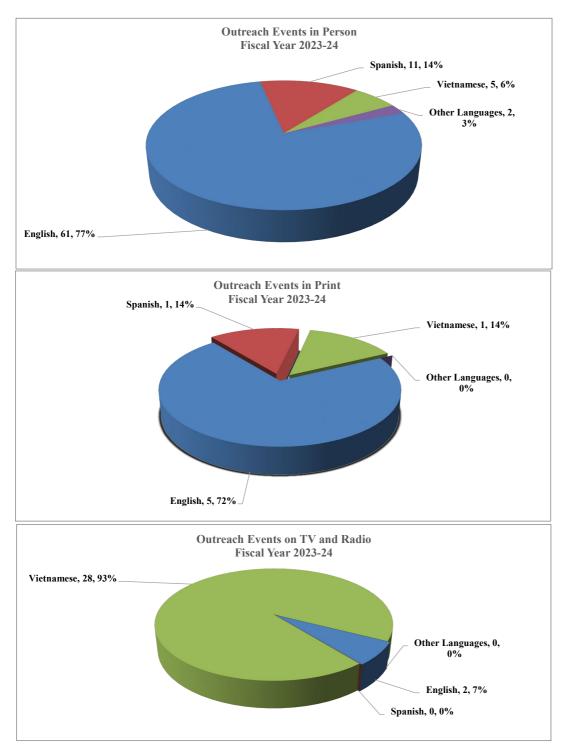
* Virtual Meetings

Related Guiding Principles

• Family support services are flexible and innovative in meeting the family's needs as they evolve over time, are tailored to the preferences of the individual family, and are consistent with their cultural norms and customs.

• Services and supports for families recognize, facilitate and build on family strengths, natural supports and existing community resources.

Community Outreach Events in Person, in Print, on TV and Radio *Fiscal Year 2023-24*



EARLY INTERVENTION / PREVENTION

Related Guiding Principles

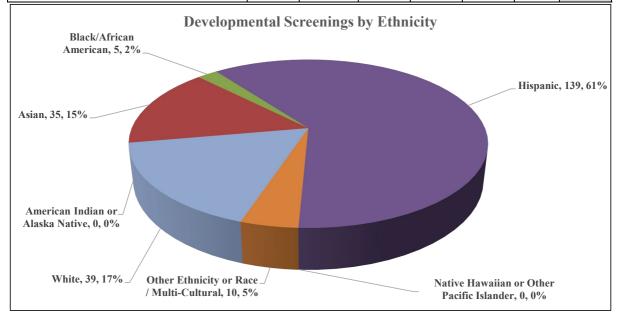
• Prevention and early intervention services, supports and public awareness activities are designed and implemented to prevent the onset of a disability and/or to improve developmental outcomes.

• Persons served are provided with needed services and supports in a family-focused and collaborative fashion.

Fiscal Year 2023-24

Developmental Screenings by Ethnicity	Jul.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
American Indian or Alaska Native	0	0	0	0	0	0
Asian	1	0	7	16	11	0
Black/African American	0	0	3	0	1	1
Hispanic	13	17	54	7	36	12
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other Ethnicity or Race / Multi-Cultural	2	2	3	0	2	1
White	3	3	14	0	14	5
Total Number Screened	19	22	81	23	64	19
Total Number Referred to RCOC	7	9	24	7	25	6

Developmental Screenings by Ethnicity	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	Total
American Indian or Alaska Native							0
Asian							35
Black/African American							5
Hispanic							139
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander							0
Other Ethnicity or Race / Multi-Cultural							10
White							39
Total Number Screened	0	0	0	0	0	0	228
Total Number Referred to RCOC							78

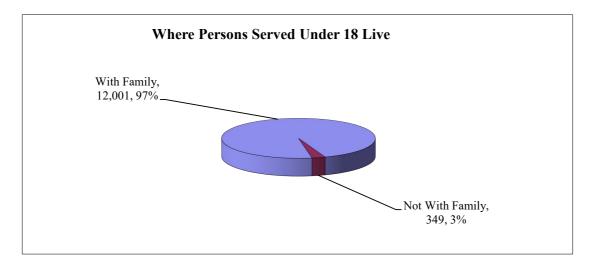


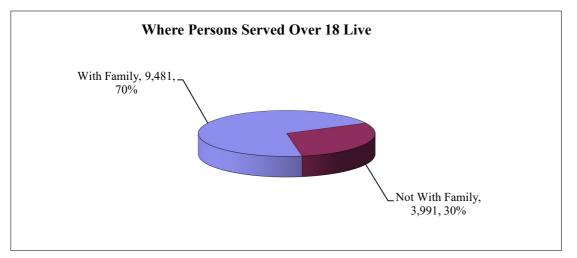
LIVING OPTIONS

Related Guiding Principles

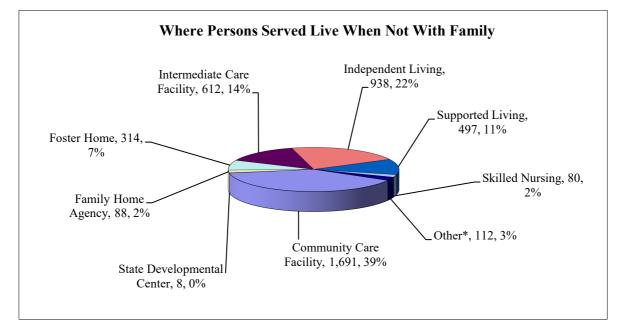
- Culturally-sensitive services and supports are provided so that persons served can make informed choices on where and with whom they live, including owning or renting their own homes.
- Families whose minor or adult children choose to remain in the family home are supported through available resources.
- Persons served live in homes where they receive quality care and can form relationships.

Where Persons Served Live	Persons Served Persons Served		Persons Served	
	All	Under 18	Over 18	
With Family	21,482	12,001	9,481	
Not With Family	4,340	349	3,991	
Totals	25,822	12,350	13,472	





Where Persons Served Live	All	Persons Served	Persons Served	
where rersons berved live	Persons Served	Under 18	Over 18	
Family Home	21,482	12,001	9,481	
Community Care Facility	1,691	18	1,673	
State Developmental Center	8	0	8	
Family Home Agency	88	1	87	
Foster Home	314	307	7	
Intermediate Care Facility	612	2	610	
Independent Living	938	0	938	
Supported Living	497	0	497	
Skilled Nursing	80	0	80	
Other*	112	21	91	
Total	25,822	12,350	13,472	
Other*				
	4	0	4	
Acute General Hospital	4	0	4	
California Youth Authority		1 0		
Community Treatment	3	2	1	
Correctional Institution	1	0	1	
County Jail	5	1	4	
Other	0	0	0	
Out of State	2	1	1	
Psychiatric Treatment	18	2	16	
Rehabilitation Center	9	2	7	
SDC / State Hospital	8	0	8	
Sub-Acute	40	11	29	
Transient / Homeless	13	2	11	
Total, Other*	104	21	83	



Other Living Options

Family Home Agency

A Family Home Agency (FHA) is a private, not-for-profit agency that is vendored to recruit, approve, train, and monitor family home providers, provide services and supports to family home providers, and assist persons served with moving into or relocating from family homes.

Foster Family Agency

Under the California Department of Social Services, county placement agencies use licensed, private Foster Family Agencies (FFAs) for the placement of children. By statute, FFAs are organized and operated on a non-profit basis and are engaged in the following activities: recruiting, certifying, and training foster parents, providing professional support to foster parents, and finding homes or other temporary or permanent placements for children who require more intensive care.

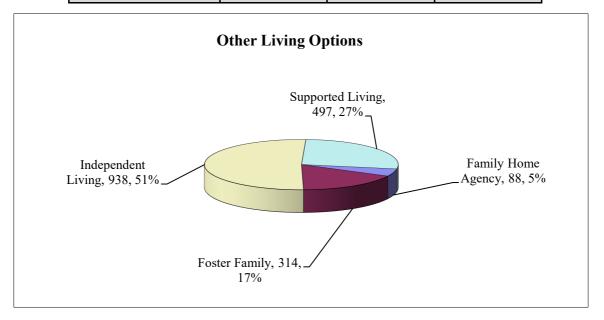
Independent Living

Independent Living services help persons served over 18 with the functional skills necessary to secure a selfsustaining, independent living situation in the community and/or may provide the support necessary to maintain those skills.

Supported Living

Supported Living Services (SLS) support efforts for persons served to live in their own home.

Other Living Options	Total	Under 18	Over 18
Family Home Agency	88	1	87
Foster Family	314	307	7
Independent Living	938	0	938
Supported Living	497	0	497
Total	1,837	308	1,529



Living Options, facilities licensed by the State of California, Departments of Community Care Licensing, or Department of Health Care Services

Health Licensed Facilities

Health facilities are licensed by the State of California, Department of Health Services to provide 24hour medical residential care. Health facilities are funded by Medi-Cal. Health licensed facilities

General Acute Care Hospitals, Acute Psychiatric Hospitals, Skilled Nursing Facilities, Intermediate Care Facilities, Intermediate Care Facility – Developmentally Disabled, Intermediate Care Facility – Developmentally Disabled, – Habilitative, Intermediate Care Facility – Developmentally Disabled, – Nursing, Home Health Agencies and Congregate Living Health Facilities.

Community Care Licensed Facilities

Community Care Facilities (CCFs) are licensed by the State of California, Department of Social Services, Community Care Licensing Division to provide 24-hour non-medical residential care to children and adults with developmental disabilities who are in need of personal services, supervision, and/or assistance essential for self-protection or sustaining the activities of daily living. CCFs are funded by regional centers. Based upon the types of services provided and the persons served, each CCF vendored by a regional center is designated one of the following service levels:

SERVICE LEVEL 1: Limited care and supervision for persons with self-care skills and no behavior problems.

SERVICE LEVEL 2: Care, supervision, and incidental training for persons with some self-care skills and no major behavior problems.

SERVICE LEVEL 3: Care, supervision, and ongoing training for persons with significant deficits in self-help skills, and/or some limitations in physical coordination and mobility, and/or disruptive or self-injurious behavior.

SERVICE LEVEL 4: Care, supervision, and professionally supervised training for persons with deficits in self-help skills, and/or severe impairment in physical coordination and mobility, and/or severely disruptive or self-injurious behavior. Service Level 4 is subdivided into Levels 4A through 4I, in which staffing levels are increased to correspond to the escalating severity of disability levels.

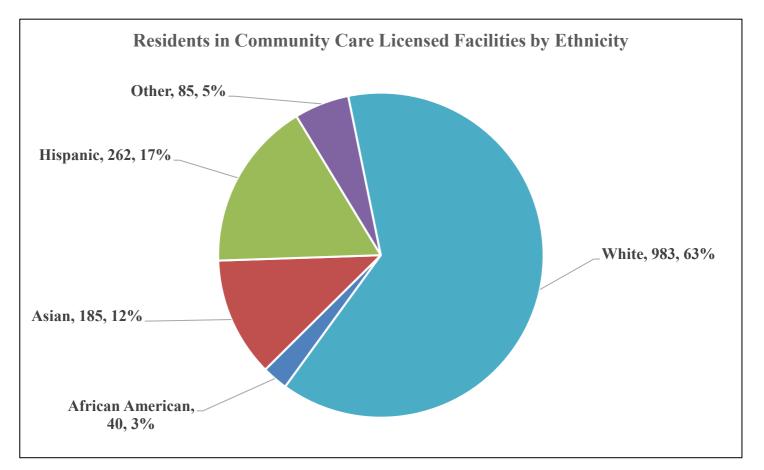
Licensed Facilities	Total Over 18		Under 18
Level 2	169	169	0
Level 3	255	255	0
Level 4A	33	33	0
Level 4B	4	4	0
Level 4C	48	48	0
Level 4D	34	34	0
Level 4E	17	17	0
Level 4F	56	56	0
Level 4G	32	32	0
Level 4H	1	1	0
Level 4I	333	333	0
Elderly	4	4	0
ICF/DD-H	4	4	0
ICF/DD-N	7	7	0
ICF/DD	0	0	0
Skilled Nursing	0	0	0
Total	99 7	99 7	0

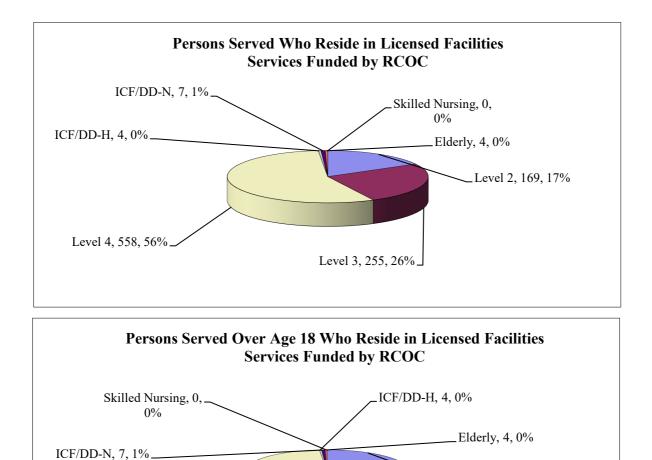
Persons Served Who Reside in Licensed Facilities Funded by RCOC Fiscal Year 2023-24

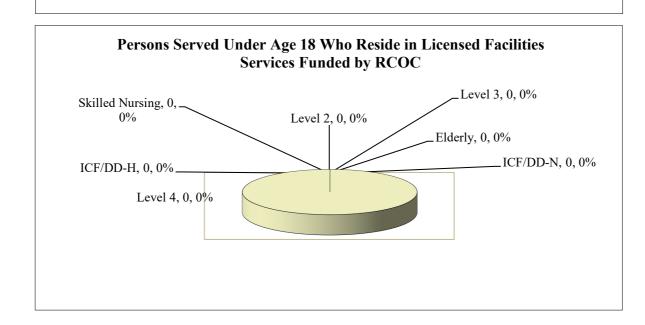
Licensed Facilities Summary	Total	Over 18	Under 18
Level 2	169	169	0
Level 3	255	255	0
Level 4	558	558	0
ICF/DD-H	4	4	0
ICF/DD-N	7	7	0
Elderly	4	4	0
Skilled Nursing	0	0	0
Total	99 7	99 7	0

Licensed Facilities	African American	Asian	Hispanic	Other	White	Total
Level 2	7	23	55	12	207	304
Level 3	12	35	66	23	223	359
Level 4A	0	5	7	2	22	36
Level 4B	0	1	0	0	6	7
Level 4C	4	13	10	2	58	87
Level 4D	0	10	5	2	27	44
Level 4E	0	5	9	2	17	33
Level 4F	3	12	8	2	39	64
Level 4G	0	8	3	2	43	56
Level 4H	0	0	2	0	1	3
Level 4I	14	73	97	38	340	562
Total	40	185	262	85	983	1,555

Persons Served Who Reside in Licensed Facilities Funded by RCOC by Ethnicity Fiscal Year 2023-24







Level 3, 255, 26%

Level 4, 558, 56%

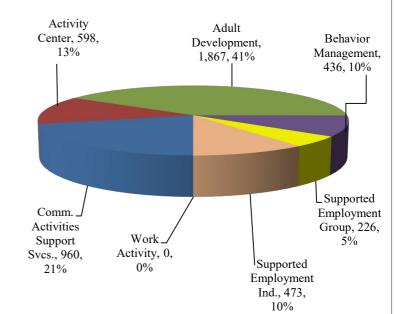
Level 2, 169, 17%

WORK

Related Guiding Principle

• Persons served have the opportunity and support to work in integrated employment settings that are meaningful, valued by the community, and in which they are appropriately compensated and respected.





Definitions:

Community Activities Support Services similar to a Behavior Management Program, this is a behavior management program with an enhanced ration of 1:1 or 1:2 due to severe behavioral challenges.

Activity Center means a day program that serves adults who generally have acquired most basic self-care skills, have some ability to interact with others, are able to make their needs known, and respond to instructions. Activity center programs focus on the development and maintenance of the functional skills required for self-advocacy, community integration and employment. Staff ratio ranges from 1:6 to 1:8.

Adult Development Center means a day program that serves adults who are in the process of acquiring selfhelp skills. Individuals who attend adult development centers generally need sustained support and direction in developing the ability to interact with others, to make their needs known, and to respond to instructions. Adult development center programs focus on the development and maintenance of the functional skills required for self-advocacy, community integration, employment, and self-care. Staff ratio ranges from 1:3 to 1:4.

Behavior Management Program means a day program that serves adults with severe behavior disorders and/or dual diagnosis who, because of their behavior problems, are not eligible for or acceptable in any other community-based day program. Staff ratio is 1:3.

Supported Employment Program means a program that meets the requirements of the term supported employment, i.e. services that are provided by a job coach in order to support and maintain an individual with developmental disabilities in employment, and of the terms, integrated work, supported employment placement, allowable supported employment services, group and individualized services. Staff ratio ranges from 1:1 to 1:4.

Work Activity Program includes, but is not limited to, Work Activity centers or settings that provide support to persons served engaged in paid work and have demonstrated that the program is in compliance with Department of Rehabilitation certification standards or are accredited by CARF. Staff ratio ranges from 1:12 to 1:20.

SERVICE PLANNING AND COORDINATION

Related Guiding Principles

• Service coordinators are caring, knowledgeable and competent in service planning, coordination and resources.

• Service coordinators inform families of their rights and the services and supports available to them.

• Service planning and coordination is a collaborative effort between RCOC, persons served and their families to identify needed services and supports.

• Person-centered planning is based upon the choices and preferences of the persons served and their families, and the identification of generic services and natural supports.

• Services and supports assist person served and their families to develop support networks leading to reduced dependence on paid supports.

• Services and supports are sensitive to the diverse religious, cultural, language, socioeconomic and ethnic characteristics of persons' served and their families' communities.

Service Coordination

Fiscal Year 2023-24

Service Coordination:	Jul.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
Number of Service Coordinators (SC)	322.0	359.4	355.8	364.5	370.8	368.8
Number of Case-Carrying SCs	296.4	328.8	325.3	335.0	342.3	339.6
Number of Intake SCs	25.7	30.7	30.7	29.7	28.7	29.3
Number of Active Persons Served	23,980	25,484	25,600	25,688	25,734	25,798
Caseload Ratio, # of Active Persons Served/SCs	80.9	77.5	78.7	76.7	75.2	76.0

Service Coordination:	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June
Number of Service Coordinators (SC)						
Number of Case-Carrying SCs						
Number of Intake SCs						
Number of Active Persons Served						
Caseload Ratio, # of Active Persons Served/SCs						

SERVICE PLANNING AND COORDINATION continued

Fair Hearings Fiscal Year 2023-24

	Jul.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June
umber of Unsettled Hearing Requests*	26	22	20	17	15	15						
Eligibility - Lanterman	10	6	6	6	7	8						
Behavioral services	1					1						
Respite	1		1	1	2							
Day Care												
Self Determination Budget	2	3	4	4	2	1						
Personal Assistance						1						
Other**	6	3	3	3	2	1						

* Hearing Requests may list more than one issue; so, the number of issues may equal more than the number of hearing requests.

** Other issues include but are not limited to living options.

Number of New Hearing Requests Filed*	13	7	4	5	6	7			
Eligibility - Lanterman	6	4	2	4	3	3			
Eligibility - Early Start									
Behavioral services	1								
Respite					2				
Day Care									
Social/Recreational									
Social Skills Training									
SDP	2	1	1						
Personal Assistance						1			
Other**	4	2	1	1	1	1			

* Hearing Requests may list more than one issue; so, the number of issues may equal more than the number of hearing requests.

** Other issues include but are not limited to living options.

Number of All Meetings Held	4	9	8	8	6	4			
Number of Informal Meetings Held	4	6	5	4	5	2			
Number of Mediations Held		3	3	4	1	2			
Number of SLFHs Held									
Number of Requests in Scheduling*	13	6	4	0	5	4			

* Meetings in process of being scheduled; meetings on schedule but not yet held; meetings scheduled but not held due to continuances.

Number of Requests Pending*	0	0	0	0	0	0			
* State Level Fair Hearing (SLFH) held but awaiting	decision								

State Level Fair Hearing (SLFH) held but awaiting decision.

Number of Requests Settled	9	7	8	9	4	7			
Withdrawn by Person Served/Family	1		1	2	1	2			
Settled in Informal	6	5	4	3	3	3			
Settled after further follow-up by RCOC						0			
Settled in Mediation	1	2	3	3		2			
SLFH Decision	1			1					

State Level Fair Hearing Decisions

Pr	evailing Party				0				
	Person Served/Family								
	RCOC	1		1					
	Split								

ADMINISTRATION AND GOVERNANCE

Guiding Principle

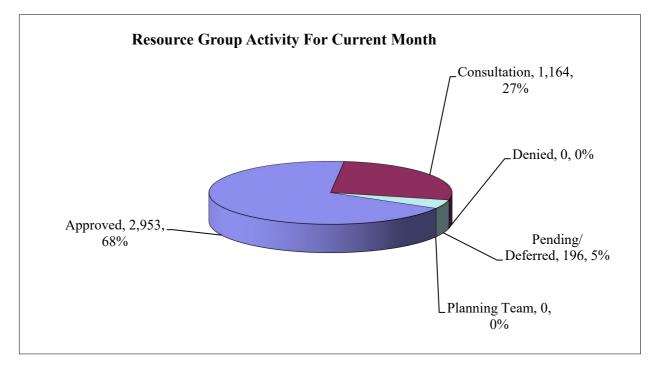
• *RCOC* will maximize all alternative sources of funding for necessary services and supports including federal and generic funding.

• The public funds that support the service system are expended in a fashion that is cost-effective, consumer-directed, consistent with good business practices, and that reflect RCOC's Guiding Principles and diligent stewardship.

Disposition	Approved	Consultation	Denied	Pending/ Deferred	Planning Team	Total
Adult Day	690	374	0	65	0	1,129
Behavioral	96	68	0	18	0	182
Education	0	0	0	0	0	0
Eligibility/Health	74	6	0	6	0	86
Early Start	555	151	0	30	0	736
Living Options	254	180	0	4	0	438
Supported/Ind.	258	163	0	29	0	450
All Others	1026	222	0	44	0	1,292
Monthly Total	2,953	1,164	0	196	0	4,313

Resource Group	Activity for	· December	2023 and	Fiscal	Year to Date
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FY 2022-23 Total to Date	31,845	13,985	0	2,063	0	47,893
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Operations Report Summary - December 2023

About Persons Served	Early Start	Medicaid Waiver	All Other	SDC	Total	Under 18	Over 18
Number of Persons Served	3,527	8,760	11,693	8	23,988	12,350	13,472
Percentage of Total	15%	37%	49%	0%	100%	51%	56%

Children served in Prevention Resource and Referral Services

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Persons Served by Residence Status	All	Under 18	Over 18
Family Home	21,482	12,001	9,481
Community Care Facility	1,691	18	1,673
State Developmental Center	8	0	8
Family Home Agency	88	1	87
Foster Home	314	307	7
Intermediate Care Facility	612	2	610
Independent Living	938	0	938
Supported Living	497	0	497
Skilled Nursing	80	0	80
Other	112	21	91
Total	25,822	12,350	13,472

Special Incident Investigations	Year to Date
AWOL	26
Abuse	75
Neglect	115
Injury	112
Hospitalizations - Total	216
Death	83
Victim of crime	5
Arrest	3
Rights	127
Total	762

Number of Licensed Facilities								
Community Care Facilities Total Under 18 Over 18								
Level 2	71	0	71					
Level 3	81	0	81					
Level 4	212	12	200					
Total Community Care Facilities	364	12	352					

Intermediate Care Facilities (ICF)			
ICF-DD	0		
ICF-DD/Habilitation	71		
ICF-DD/Nursing	40		
Total ICF Facilities	111		

Total Licensed Facilities	475
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Licensed Facility Monitoring	Year to Date
Annual Review	228
Unannounced	405
Total Number of Reviews	633
Provider Trainings	0
Technical Support	1,552
Corrective Action Plans	28

Number of Audits	7
Amount of Recovery from Audits	\$70,618



Summary of Information About Persons Served - January 2024

NUMBER OF PERSONS SERVED	25,863	100%
Children - Birth to Age Three Receiving Early Start Services	3,473	13%
Children - Ages Three to Five Receiving Provisional Services		2%
Children - Ages Three to 17 Receiving Lanterman Services		33%
Adults - Ages 18 and Older Receiving Lanterman Services		52%

Children - Birth to Age Three Receiving Prevention Resource and Referral Services

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Children and Adults - Ages Three and Older Receiving Lanterman Services with the Following Diagnoses:

Intellectual Disability	11,516	60%
Epilepsy	2,868	14%
Cerebral Palsy	2,535	13%
Autism	10,219	44%
Fifth Category*	1,971	9%

* condition closely related to intellectual disability and requiring similar treatment

Note: Many persons served have more than one diagnosis so the percentage equals more than 100%.

NUMBER OF PERSONS REQUESTING ELIGIBILITY DETERMINATION			
Early Start / Under Age Three / 45 days to complete determination	306	59%	
Lanterman / Over Age Three / 120 days to complete determination		17%	
Provisional / Up to Age Five / 90 days to complete determination	2	0%	

NUMBER OF PERSONS DETERMINED ELIGIBLE		153
Children - Birth to Age Three Eligible for Early Start Services		6
Children and Adults - Ages Three and Older Eligible for Lanterman Services		87
Number of children who received Early Start services	33	
• Number of children who received Early Start services and had a diagnosis of autism	27	
Children - Birth to Age Three Eligible for Prevention Resource and Referral Services		0
NUMBER OF CHILDREN NO LONGER ELIGIBLE FOR EARLY ST PREVENTION RESOURCE AND REFERRAL SERVICES	ART OR	153
Children - Age Three No Longer Eligible for Early Start Services		153
Children - Age Three No Longer Eligible for Prevention Resource and Referral Services		0

REGIONAL CENTER OF ORANGE COUNTY



OPERATIONS REPORT

JANUARY 2024 ACTIVITY

Mission Statement

The Regional Center of Orange County (RCOC) is a private non-profit organization that, as mandated by the Lanterman Developmental Disabilities Services Act, collaborates with persons with developmental disabilities, their families and the community to secure individualized services and supports that enhance the quality of life for the people we serve and assist them in realizing their full potential.

COMMUNITY LIFE

Related Guiding Principles

• Persons served are in safe and supportive settings that promote a life of independence, acknowledge diverse cultural perspectives and that respect the inherent risks and valuable learning experiences that come from living in the community.

Provider Monitoring, Technical Support and Special Incident Investigation Activities *Fiscal Year 2023-24*

Type and Number of Reviews	Jul.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	
Annual Review	43	34	33	40	40	38	
Unannounced	92	70	53	74	55	61	
Total Number of Reviews	135	104	86	114	95	99	
Provider Trainings	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Technical Support	325	211	133	326	283	274	
Corrective Action Plans	0	7	0	5	14	2	
Special Incident Investigations*	9	3	4	38	41	56	
COVID-19 Checklist	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Type and Number of Reviews	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	Total
Annual Review	38						266
Unannounced	57						462
Total Number of Reviews	95						728
Provider Trainings	0						0
Technical Support	242						1,794
Corrective Action Plans	0						28
Special Incident Investigations*	37						188

* California Code of Regulations, Title 17, Division 2, Chapter 3 - Community Services SubChapter 2 - Vendorization Article 2 - Vendorization Process, Section 54327 requires all vendors, excluding parents and consumers, to report the following special incidents.

Type of Special Incidents (from California Code of Regulations, Title 17)

(A) The consumer is missing and the vendor or long-term health care facility has filed a missing persons report with a law enforcement agency;

- (B) Reasonably suspected abuse/exploitation including:
 - 1. Physical;
 - 2. Sexual;
 - 3. Fiduciary;
 - 4. Emotional/mental; or
 - 5. Physical and/or chemical restraint.
- (C) Reasonably suspected neglect including failure to:
 - 1. Provide medical care for physical and mental health needs;
 - 2. Prevent malnutrition or dehydration;
 - 3. Protect from health and safety hazards;
 - 4. Assist in personal hygiene or the provision of food, clothing or shelter or
 - 5. Exercise the degree of care that a reasonable person would exercise in the position of having the care and
 - custody of an elder or a dependent adult.
- (D) A serious injury/accident including:
 - 1. Lacerations requiring sutures or staples;
 - 2. Puncture wounds requiring medical treatment beyond first aid;
 - 3. Fractures;
 - 4. Dislocations;
 - 5. Bites that break the skin and require medical treatment beyond first aid;
 - 6. Internal bleeding requiring medical treatment beyond first aid;
 - 7. Any medication errors;
 - 8. Medication reactions that require medical treatment beyond first aid; or
 - 9. Burns that require medical treatment beyond first aid.

(E) Any unplanned or unscheduled hospitalization due to the following conditions:

- 1. Respiratory illness, including but not limited, to asthma; tuberculosis; and chronic obstructive pulmonary disease;
- 2. Seizure-related;
- 3. Cardiac-related, including but not limited to, congestive heart failure; hypertension; and angina;

4. Internal infections, including but not limited to, ear, nose and throat; gastrointestinal; kidney; dental; pelvic; or urinary tract;

- 5. Diabetes, including diabetes-related complications;
- 6. Wound/skin care, including but not limited to, cellulitis and decubutus;
- 7. Nutritional deficiencies, including but not limited to, anemia and dehydration; or
- 8. Involuntary psychiatric admission;
- (2) The following special incidents regardless of when or where they occurred:
- (A) The death of any consumer, regardless of cause;
- (B) The consumer is the victim of a crime including the following:

1. Robbery, including theft using a firearm, knife, or cutting instrument or other dangerous weapons or methods which force or threaten a victim;

2. Aggravated assault, including a physical attack on a victim using hands, fist, feet or a firearm, knife or cutting instrument or other dangerous weapon;

3. Larceny, including the unlawful taking, carrying, leading, or riding away of property, except for motor vehicles, from the possession or constructive possession of another person;

4. Burglary, including forcible entry; unlawful non-forcible entry; and, attempted forcible entry of a structure to commit a felony or theft therein;

5. Rape, including rape and attempts to commit rape.

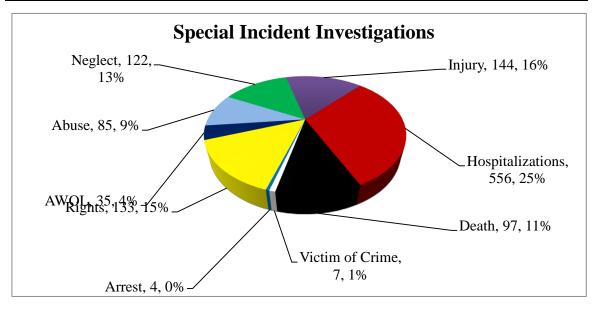
Title 17 does not require reporting on arrest or consumer rights violations; however, RCOC includes arrest and rights violations as reportable incidents.

Type and Number of Special Incident Investigations

Fiscal Year 2023-24

Type of Incident	Jul.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
AWOL	4	9	2	4	3	4
Abuse	9	16	11	15	12	12
Neglect	44	16	17	17	15	6
Injury	16	25	15	21	15	20
Hospitalizations - Total	28	29	27	44	46	42
Psychiatric	7	3	2	8	6	9
Medical	21	26	25	36	35	33
Death	17	11	16	12	14	13
Victim of crime	1	1	0	0	0	3
Arrest	1	0	0	0	0	2
Rights	69	7	31	8	6	6
Total	189	114	119	121	111	108

Type of Incident	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	Total
AWOL	9						35
Abuse	10						85
Neglect	7						122
Injury	32						144
Hospitalizations - Total	68						284
Psychiatric	19						54
Medical	49						225
Death	14						97
Victim of Crime	2						7
Arrest	1						4
Rights	6						133
Total	149	0	0	0	0	0	<i>911</i>



COMMUNITY LIFE continued

Provider Audits *Fiscal Year 2023-24*

Number of Audits / Appeals / Recoveries

Type of Audit	Jul.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
Service Billing	0	1	0	0	0	0
Staffing	0	3	0	0	0	0
Level 4I Consultant	0	1	0	0	2	0
P&I (consumer funds)	0	2	0	0	0	0
Total Number of Audits	0	7	0	0	2	0

Number of Appeals / Recoveries (Vendors may appeal after monthly data is reported)

State Appeal	0		0	
Recovery	4		2	

Audit Findings (Dollar Amount)

Amount of Recovery $\$0.00$ $\$0.2,604.00$ $\$0.00$ $\$0.00$ $\$8,013.81$ $\$0.00$	Amount of Recovery	\$0.00	\$62,604.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$8,013.81	\$0.00
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Type of Audit	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	Total
Service Billing	0						1
Staffing	0						3
Level 4I Consultant	0						1
P&I (consumer funds)	0						2
Total Number of Audits	0						7

Number of Appeals / Recoveries

State Appeal				0
Recovery				4

Audit Findings (Dollar Amount)

Amount of Recovery \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 \$70,6	17.81

Related Guiding Principles

- Families are informed advocates for their loved ones with developmental disabilities.
- Families are the decision makers for their minor children.

• Family support services are flexible and innovative in meeting the family's needs as they evolve over time, are tailored to the preferences of the individual family, and are consistent with their cultural norms and customs.

• Services and supports for families recognize, facilitate and build on family strengths, natural supports and existing community resources.

Fiscal Year 2023-24

Number of Authorizations for Voucher Services

Type of Service	Jul.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
Day Care - Family Member	81	84	78	81	78	77
Diapers - Family Member	7	3	3	4	2	2
Nursing Service - Family Member	47	51	52	51	49	48
Respite Service - Family Member	665	656	661	666	675	676
Transportation - Family Member	202	208	210	224	234	236
Total Number of Voucher Authorizations	1,002	1,002	1,004	1,026	1,038	1,039

Number of Authorizations for Voucher Services

Type of Service	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June
Day Care - Family Member	76					
Diapers - Family Member	3					
Nursing Service - Family Member	46					
Respite Service - Family Member	674					
Transportation - Family Member	240					
Total Number of Voucher Authorizations	1,039	0	0	0	0	0

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Notifications of Community Events and Activities

Fiscal Year 2023-24

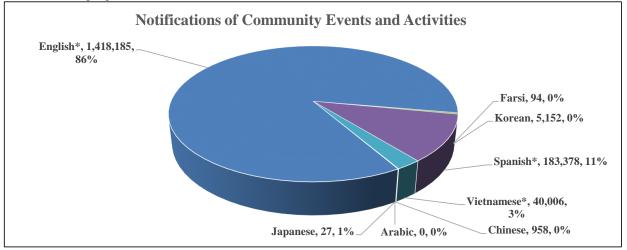
Number of Notifications

Language	Jul.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
English*	153,968	221,278	263,897	307,942	166,093	118,852
Farsi						0
Korean	555	200	1,839	82	932	1,075
Spanish*	8,000	39,791	36,187	31,942	23,200	11,763
Vietnamese*	9,234	2,792	12,351	3,666	2,551	4,532
Chinese			376	582		0
Japanese			27			
Arabic						
Total Number of Notifications	171,757	264,061	314,677	344,214	192,776	136,222

Number of Notifications

Language	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	Total
English*	186,155						1,418,185
Farsi	94						94
Korean	469						5,152
Spanish*	32,495						183,378
Vietnamese*	4,880						40,006
Chinese	0						958
Japanese	0						27
Arabic							0
Total Number of Notifications	224,093	0	0	0	0	0	1,647,800

* Threshold languages for RCOC



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Community Outreach

Fiscal Year 2023-24

Number of Outreach Events

Type of Outreach / Language	Jul.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
In Person/Zoom						
English	13	7	7	12	12	10
Spanish	1	3	3	3	1	
Vietnamese		3	2			
Other Languages			1	1 (Korean)		
In Print						
English		2		1	1	1
Spanish		1				
Vietnamese		1				
Other Languages						
TV / Radio						
English	2					
Spanish						
Vietnamese	5	4	4	5	5	5
Other Languages						
Total Number of Outreach Events	21	21	17	22	19	16

Number of Outreach Events

Language	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.*	May*	June*	Total
In Person							
English	6						67
Spanish	2						13
Vietnamese							5
Other Languages							2
In Print							
English	1						6
Spanish							1
Vietnamese							1
Other Languages							0
TV / Radio							
English							2
Spanish							0
Vietnamese	4						32
Other Languages							0
Total Number of Outreach Events	13	0	0	0	0	0	129

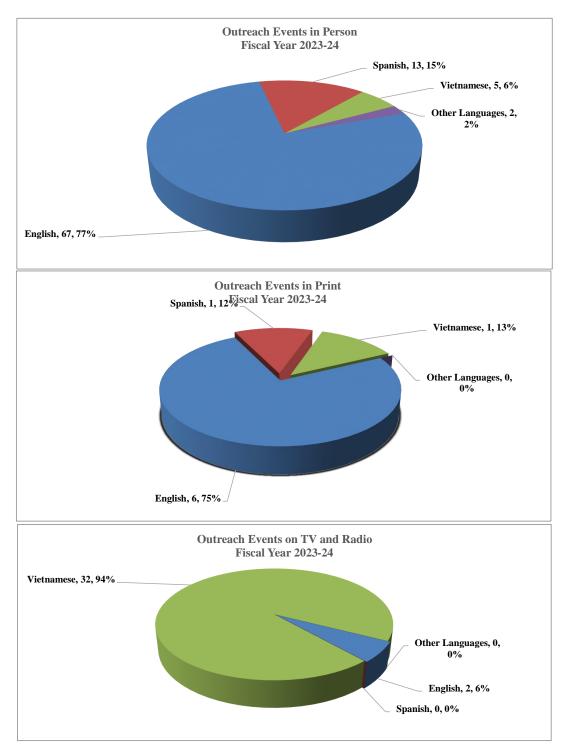
* Virtual Meetings

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Community Outreach Events in Person, in Print, on TV and Radio *Fiscal Year 2023-24*



EARLY INTERVENTION / PREVENTION

Related Guiding Principles

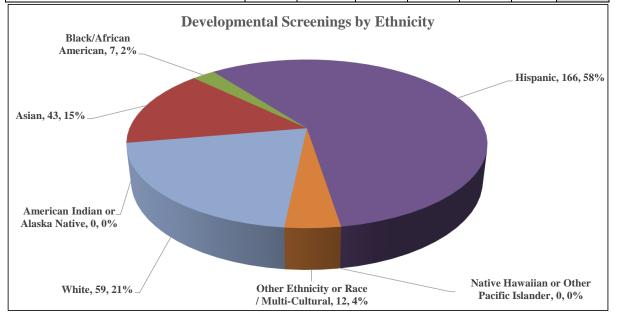
• Prevention and early intervention services, supports and public awareness activities are designed and implemented to prevent the onset of a disability and/or to improve developmental outcomes.

• Persons served are provided with needed services and supports in a family-focused and collaborative fashion.

Fiscal Year 2023-24

Developmental Screenings by Ethnicity	Jul.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
American Indian or Alaska Native	0	0	0	0	0	0
Asian	1	0	7	16	11	0
Black/African American	0	0	3	0	1	1
Hispanic	13	17	54	7	36	12
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other Ethnicity or Race / Multi-Cultural	2	2	3	0	2	1
White	3	3	14	0	14	5
Total Number Screened	19	22	81	23	64	19
Total Number Referred to RCOC	7	9	24	7	25	6

Developmental Screenings by Ethnicity	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	Total
American Indian or Alaska Native	0						0
Asian	8						43
Black/African American	2						7
Hispanic	27						166
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	0						0
Other Ethnicity or Race / Multi-Cultural	2						12
White	20						59
Total Number Screened	59	0	0	0	0	0	287
Total Number Referred to RCOC	11						89

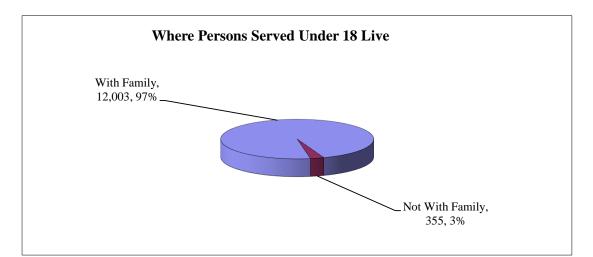


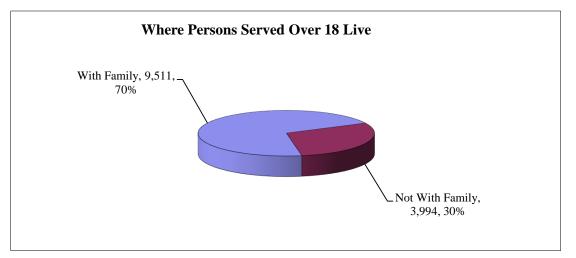
LIVING OPTIONS

Related Guiding Principles

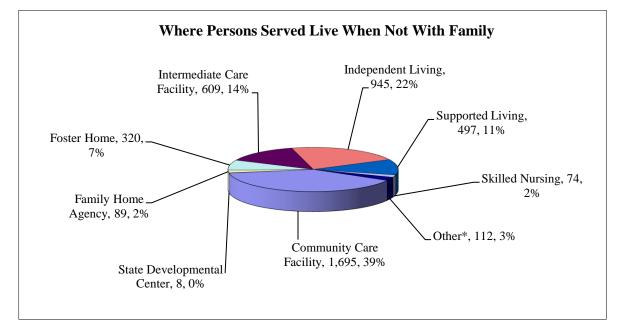
- Culturally-sensitive services and supports are provided so that persons served can make informed choices on where and with whom they live, including owning or renting their own homes.
- Families whose minor or adult children choose to remain in the family home are supported through available resources.
- Persons served live in homes where they receive quality care and can form relationships.

Where Persons Served Live	Persons Served	Persons Served	Persons Served
	All	Under 18	Over 18
With Family	21,514	12,003	9,511
Not With Family	4,349	355	3,994
Totals	25,863	12,358	13,505





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Family Home	21,514	12,003	9,511
Community Care Facility	1,695	18	1,677
State Developmental Center	8	0	8
Family Home Agency	89	1	88
Foster Home	320	313	7
Intermediate Care Facility	609	2	607
Independent Living	945	0	945
Supported Living	497	0	497
Skilled Nursing	74	0	74
Other*	112	21	91
Total	25,863	12,358	13,505
Other*			
		0	
Acute General Hospital	6	0	6
California Youth Authority	1	0	1
Community Treatment	3	1	2
Correctional Institution	1	0	1
County Jail	4	1	3
Other	0	0	0
Out of State	2	2	0
Psychiatric Treatment	18	2	16
Rehabilitation Center	9	2	7
SDC / State Hospital	8	0	8
Sub-Acute	39	10	29
Transient / Homeless	12	2	10
Total, Other*	103	20	83



Other Living Options

Family Home Agency

A Family Home Agency (FHA) is a private, not-for-profit agency that is vendored to recruit, approve, train, and monitor family home providers, provide services and supports to family home providers, and assist persons served with moving into or relocating from family homes.

Foster Family Agency

Under the California Department of Social Services, county placement agencies use licensed, private Foster Family Agencies (FFAs) for the placement of children. By statute, FFAs are organized and operated on a non-profit basis and are engaged in the following activities: recruiting, certifying, and training foster parents, providing professional support to foster parents, and finding homes or other temporary or permanent placements for children who require more intensive care.

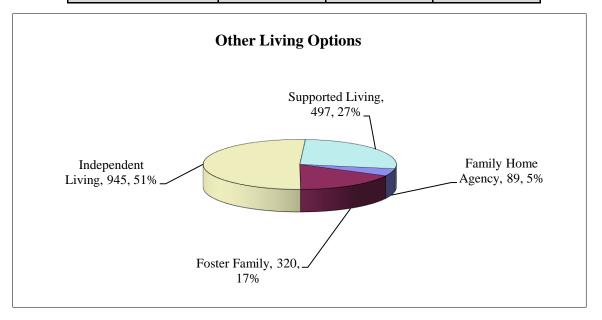
Independent Living

Independent Living services help persons served over 18 with the functional skills necessary to secure a selfsustaining, independent living situation in the community and/or may provide the support necessary to maintain those skills.

Supported Living

Supported Living Services (SLS) support efforts for persons served to live in their own home.

Other Living Options	Total	Under 18	Over 18
Family Home Agency	89	1	88
Foster Family	320	313	7
Independent Living	945	0	945
Supported Living	497	0	497
Total	1,851	314	1,537



<u>Living Options, facilities licensed by the State of California, Departments of Community Care</u> <u>Licensing, or Department of Health Care Services</u>

Health Licensed Facilities

Health facilities are licensed by the State of California, Department of Health Services to provide 24hour medical residential care. Health facilities are funded by Medi-Cal. Health licensed facilities

General Acute Care Hospitals, Acute Psychiatric Hospitals, Skilled Nursing Facilities, Intermediate Care Facilities, Intermediate Care Facility – Developmentally Disabled, Intermediate Care Facility – Developmentally Disabled, – Habilitative, Intermediate Care Facility – Developmentally Disabled, – Nursing, Home Health Agencies and Congregate Living Health Facilities.

Community Care Licensed Facilities

Community Care Facilities (CCFs) are licensed by the State of California, Department of Social Services, Community Care Licensing Division to provide 24-hour non-medical residential care to children and adults with developmental disabilities who are in need of personal services, supervision, and/or assistance essential for self-protection or sustaining the activities of daily living. CCFs are funded by regional centers. Based upon the types of services provided and the persons served, each CCF vendored by a regional center is designated one of the following service levels:

SERVICE LEVEL 1: Limited care and supervision for persons with self-care skills and no behavior problems.

SERVICE LEVEL 2: Care, supervision, and incidental training for persons with some self-care skills and no major behavior problems.

SERVICE LEVEL 3: Care, supervision, and ongoing training for persons with significant deficits in self-help skills, and/or some limitations in physical coordination and mobility, and/or disruptive or self-injurious behavior.

SERVICE LEVEL 4: Care, supervision, and professionally supervised training for persons with deficits in self-help skills, and/or severe impairment in physical coordination and mobility, and/or severely disruptive or self-injurious behavior. Service Level 4 is subdivided into Levels 4A through 4I, in which staffing levels are increased to correspond to the escalating severity of disability levels.

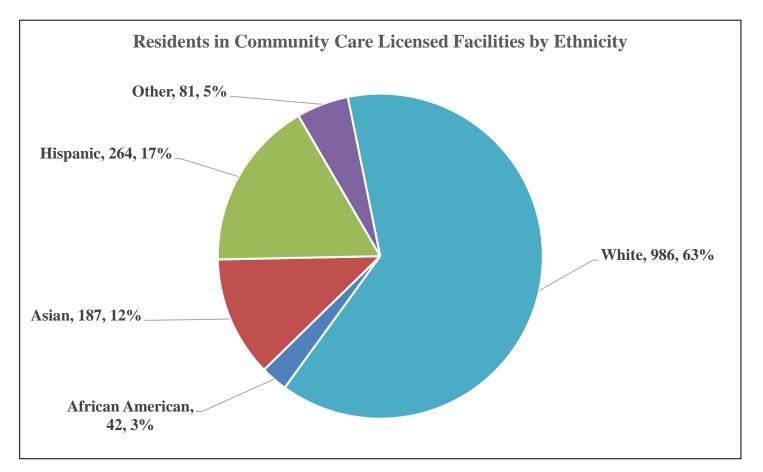
Licensed Facilities	Total	Over 18	Under 18
Level 2	168	168	0
Level 3	256	256	0
Level 4A	33	33	0
Level 4B	4	4	0
Level 4C	46	46	0
Level 4D	34	34	0
Level 4E	14	14	0
Level 4F	56	56	0
Level 4G	32	32	0
Level 4H	1	1	0
Level 4I	335	335	0
Elderly	5	5	0
ICF/DD-H	5	5	0
ICF/DD-N	9	9	0
ICF/DD	0	0	0
Skilled Nursing	0	0	0
Total	998	<i>998</i>	0

Persons Served Who Reside in Licensed Facilities Funded by RCOC *Fiscal Year 2023-24*

Licensed Facilities Summary	Total	Over 18	Under 18
Level 2	168	168	0
Level 3	256	256	0
Level 4	555	555	0
ICF/DD-H	5	5	0
ICF/DD-N	9	9	0
Elderly	5	5	0
Skilled Nursing	0	0	0
Total	<i>998</i>	<i>998</i>	0

Licensed Facilities	African American	Asian	Hispanic	Other	White	Total
Level 2	7	24	55	13	206	305
Level 3	13	35	68	20	222	358
Level 4A	0	5	7	1	23	36
Level 4B	0	1	0	0	6	7
Level 4C	5	14	10	2	57	88
Level 4D	0	10	5	1	27	43
Level 4E	0	5	8	2	15	30
Level 4F	3	12	8	2	39	64
Level 4G	0	8	3	3	44	58
Level 4H	0	0	2	0	1	3
Level 4I	14	73	98	37	346	568
Total	42	187	264	81	986	1,560

Persons Served Who Reside in Licensed Facilities Funded by RCOC by Ethnicity Fiscal Year 2023-24

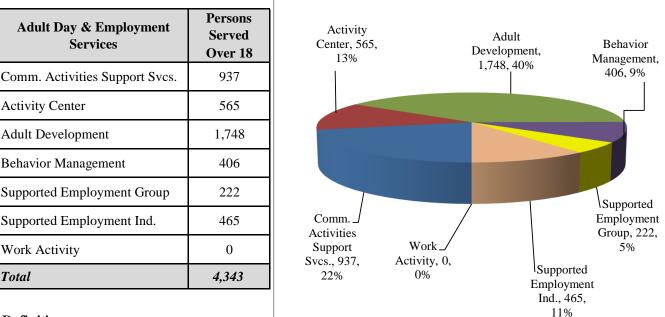




WORK

Related Guiding Principle

• Persons served have the opportunity and support to work in integrated employment settings that are meaningful, valued by the community, and in which they are appropriately compensated and respected.



Definitions:

Community Activities Support Services similar to a Behavior Management Program, this is a behavior management program with an enhanced ration of 1:1 or 1:2 due to severe behavioral challenges.

Activity Center means a day program that serves adults who generally have acquired most basic self-care skills, have some ability to interact with others, are able to make their needs known, and respond to instructions. Activity center programs focus on the development and maintenance of the functional skills required for self-advocacy, community integration and employment. Staff ratio ranges from 1:6 to 1:8.

Adult Development Center means a day program that serves adults who are in the process of acquiring selfhelp skills. Individuals who attend adult development centers generally need sustained support and direction in developing the ability to interact with others, to make their needs known, and to respond to instructions. Adult development center programs focus on the development and maintenance of the functional skills required for self-advocacy, community integration, employment, and self-care. Staff ratio ranges from 1:3 to 1:4.

Behavior Management Program means a day program that serves adults with severe behavior disorders and/or dual diagnosis who, because of their behavior problems, are not eligible for or acceptable in any other community-based day program. Staff ratio is 1:3.

Supported Employment Program means a program that meets the requirements of the term supported employment, i.e. services that are provided by a job coach in order to support and maintain an individual with developmental disabilities in employment, and of the terms, integrated work, supported employment placement, allowable supported employment services, group and individualized services. Staff ratio ranges from 1:1 to 1:4.

Work Activity Program includes, but is not limited to, Work Activity centers or settings that provide support to persons served engaged in paid work and have demonstrated that the program is in compliance with Department of Rehabilitation certification standards or are accredited by CARF. Staff ratio ranges from 1:12 to 1:20.

SERVICE PLANNING AND COORDINATION

Related Guiding Principles

• Service coordinators are caring, knowledgeable and competent in service planning, coordination and resources.

• Service coordinators inform families of their rights and the services and supports available to them.

• Service planning and coordination is a collaborative effort between RCOC, persons served and their families to identify needed services and supports.

• Person-centered planning is based upon the choices and preferences of the persons served and their families, and the identification of generic services and natural supports.

• Services and supports assist person served and their families to develop support networks leading to reduced dependence on paid supports.

• Services and supports are sensitive to the diverse religious, cultural, language, socioeconomic and ethnic characteristics of persons' served and their families' communities.

Service Coordination

Fiscal Year 2023-24

Service Coordination:	Jul.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
Number of Service Coordinators (SC)	322.0	359.4	355.8	364.5	370.8	368.8
Number of Case-Carrying SCs	296.4	328.8	325.3	335.0	342.3	339.6
Number of Intake SCs	25.7	30.7	30.7	29.7	28.7	29.3
Number of Active Persons Served	23,980	25,484	25,600	25,688	25,734	25,798
Caseload Ratio, # of Active Persons Served/SCs	80.9	77.5	78.7	76.7	75.2	76.0

Service Coordination:	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June
Number of Service Coordinators (SC)	381.4					
Number of Case-Carrying SCs	349.2					
Number of Intake SCs	32.3					
Number of Active Persons Served	25,826					
Caseload Ratio, # of Active Persons Served/SCs	74.0					

SERVICE PLANNING AND COORDINATION continued

Fair Hearings Fiscal Year 2023-24

	Jul.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June
Number of Unsettled Hearing Requests*	26	22	20	17	15	15	17					
Eligibility - Lanterman	10	6	6	6	7	8	11					
Behavioral services	1					1	1					
Respite	1		1	1	2							
Day Care												
Self Determination Budget	2	3	4	4	2	1						
Personal Assistance						1	3					
Other**	6	3	3	3	2	1	1					

* Hearing Requests may list more than one issue; so, the number of issues may equal more than the number of hearing requests.

** Other issues include but are not limited to living options.

umber of New Hearing Requests Filed*	13	7	4	5	6	7	11			
Eligibility - Lanterman	6	4	2	4	3	3	6			
Eligibility - Early Start										
Behavioral services	1						1			
Respite					2					
Day Care										
Social/Recreational							1			
Social Skills Training										
SDP	2	1	1							
Personal Assistance						1	2			
Other**	4	2	1	1	1	1				

* Hearing Requests may list more than one issue; so, the number of issues may equal more than the number of hearing requests.

** Other issues include but are not limited to living options.

Number of All Meetings Held	4	9	8	8	6	4	7			
Number of Informal Meetings Held	4	6	5	4	5	2	6			
Number of Mediations Held		3	3	4	1	2	1			
Number of SLFHs Held										
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Number of Requests in Scheduling*	13	6	4	0	5	4	3			

* Meetings in process of being scheduled; meetings on schedule but not yet held; meetings scheduled but not held due to continuances.

Number of Requests Pending*	0	0	0	0	0	0	0					
* State Level Fair Hearing (SLFH) held but awaiting decision.												

Number of Requests Settled	9	7	8	9	4	7	7			
Withdrawn by Person Served/Family	1		1	2	1	2	4			
Settled in Informal	6	5	4	3	3	3	3			
Settled after further follow-up by RCOC										
Settled in Mediation	1	2	3	3		2				
SLFH Decision	1			1						

State Level Fair Hearing Decisions

Pr	evailing Party							
	Person Served/Family							
	RCOC	1		1				
	Split							

ADMINISTRATION AND GOVERNANCE

Guiding Principle

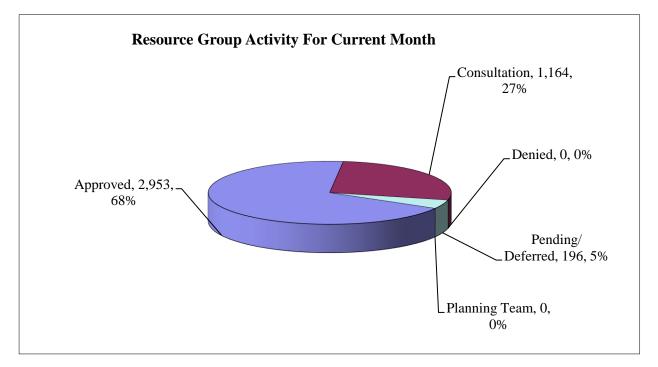
• *RCOC* will maximize all alternative sources of funding for necessary services and supports including federal and generic funding.

• The public funds that support the service system are expended in a fashion that is cost-effective, consumer-directed, consistent with good business practices, and that reflect RCOC's Guiding Principles and diligent stewardship.

Disposition	Approved	Consultation	Denied	Pending/ Deferred	Planning Team	Total
Adult Day	690	374	0	65	0	1,129
Behavioral	96	68	0	18	0	182
Education	0	0	0	0	0	0
Eligibility/Health	74	6	0	6	0	86
Early Start	555	151	0	30	0	736
Living Options	254	180	0	4	0	438
Supported/Ind.	258	163	0	29	0	450
All Others	1026	222	0	44	0	1,292
Monthly Total	2,953	1,164	0	196	0	4,313

Resource Group Activity for Januar	ry 2024 and Fiscal Year to Date
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FY 2022-23 Total to Date31,84513,98502,063047,



Operations Report Summary - January 2024

About Persons Served	Early Start	Medicaid Waiver	All Other	SDC	Total	Under 18	Over 18
Number of Persons Served	3,473	8,772	11,735	8	23,988	12,358	13,505
Percentage of Total	14%	37%	49%	0%	100%	52%	56%

Children served in Prevention Resource and Referral Services 458

Persons Served by Residence Status	All	Under 18	Over 18
Family Home	21,514	12,003	9,511
Community Care Facility	1,695	18	1,677
State Developmental Center	8	0	8
Family Home Agency	89	1	88
Foster Home	320	313	7
Intermediate Care Facility	609	2	607
Independent Living	945	0	945
Supported Living	497	0	497
Skilled Nursing	74	0	74
Other	112	21	91
Total	25,863	12,358	13,505

Special Incident Investigations	Year to Date
AWOL	35
Abuse	85
Neglect	122
Injury	144
Hospitalizations - Total	284
Death	97
Victim of crime	7
Arrest	4
Rights	133
Total	911

Number of Licensed Facilities Total Under 18 Over 18 **Community Care Facilities** Level 2 71 0 71 Level 3 81 0 81 214 12 202 Level 4

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Intermediate Care Facilities (ICF)			
ICF-DD	0		
ICF-DD/Habilitation	71		
ICF-DD/Nursing	41		
Total ICF Facilities	112		

Total Community Care Facilities

Total Licensed Facilities	478
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Licensed Facility Monitoring	Year to Date
Annual Review	266
Unannounced	462
Total Number of Reviews	728
Provider Trainings	0
Technical Support	1,794
Corrective Action Plans	28

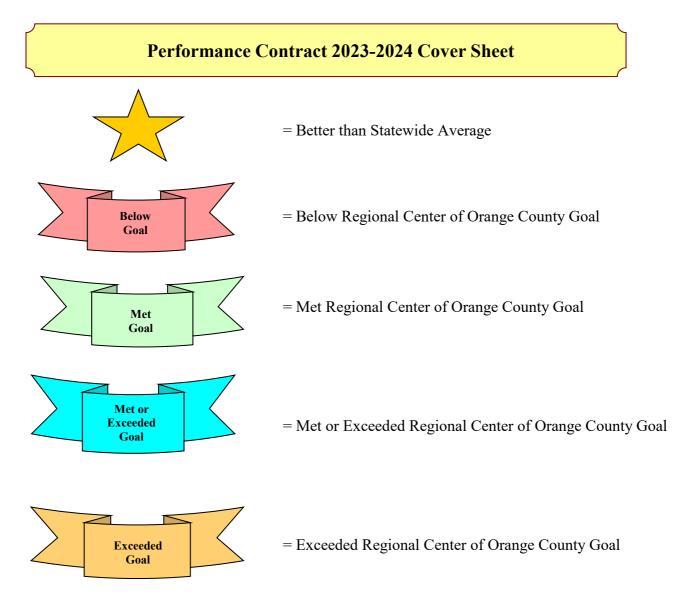
Number of Audits	7
Amount of Recovery from Audits	\$70,618



Performance Contract Summary

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RCOC as of 1/02/2024	All	RCOC #	Goal	Percentage	# Attained
Developmental Center (DC)	25,754	8	0	0.04%	-8
Children in Foster Homes (FH)	12,325	305	315	2.47%	-10
Children Own Home Parent/Guardian	12,325	11,980	11,300	97.20%	680
Total # Children (FH,Parent/Guardian)	12,325	12,285	11,615	99.68%	670
Adult FHA	13,421	86	110	0.64%	-24
Independent Living (IL)	13,421	928	924	6.91%	4
Adults Residing Own Home - Parent	13,421	9,475	9,150	70.60%	325
Supported Living (SL)	13,421	491	512	3.66%	-21
Total # Adults (FHA, IL,Parent/Guardian, SL)	13,421	10,980	10,696	81.81%	284
Children Residing in a CCF (7+ beds)	12,325	0	0	0.00%	0
Children Residing in a ICF (7+ beds)	12,325	0	0	0.00%	0
Children Residing in a Nursing Facility (7+ beds)	12,325	0	0	0%	0
Total Children Residing in 7+ bed facilities	12,325	0	0	0.00%	0
Adults Residing in a CCF (7+ beds)	13,421	114	114	0.85%	0
Adults Residing in a ICF (7+ beds)	13,421	15	6	0.11%	-9
Adults Residing in a Nursing Facility (7+ beds)	13,421	79	74	0.59%	-5
Total Adults Residing in 7+ bed facilities	13,421	208	194	1.55%	-14
Total Individuals Over Age 3 with <=120 days	270	270	100%	100.00%	100.00%
Total Individuals Over Age 3 with 121-240 days	270	0	0%	0.00%	0.00%
Total Individuals Over Age 3 Over 240 days	270	0	0%	0.00%	0.00%
Adults with Integrated Employment Goal	13,421	48%	65%		
Total Number of Incentive Payments Made	13,421	207			
Avg. Wage per Hour After Incentive Payment	13,421	\$14.40			
Number of Persons Served with Earned Income	13,421	1,726			
Percentage of 16-64 Earned Income	13,421	22%			
Annual Earnings of 16-64	13,421	\$7,656			
Number of Adults in CIE After Paid Intern	13,421	0			
Percentage Adults Transitioned Internship to CIE	13,421	0%			
Total Annual Expenditures Race/Ethnicity	25,754				





There will be a variance between consumer data in the Operations Report and the Performance Contract. Consumer data for the Operations Report and the Performance Contract are produced on different dates and from different databases. The Operations Report numbers are based on RCOC's local database as of the end of the month. The Performance Contract numbers are based on RCOC's information as submitted to DDS on a different date.



Performance Contract 2023-2024

A. Regional Center of Orange County will maintain compliance in the following areas based upon criteria set forth in RCOC's contract with the Department of Developmental Services.

Compliance Measure	Outcome
Unqualifed audit with no material findings	Yes
Substantial compliance with DDS fiscal audit	Yes
Operates within OPS budget	Yes
Certified to participate in Waiver	Yes
Compliance with vendor audit requirements per contract, Article III, sec. 10	Met
CDER/ESR current	96.46
Intake/Assessment and IFSP (0-2)	99.52
IPP development biennial	Annual, 99.46
IFSP development	69.28



Performance Contract 2023-2024

I. Developmental Center

Planned Activities

Statement: The Regional Center of Orange County (RCOC) is committed to providing assistance to individuals and their families who choose to move from a State Developmental Center (SDC) into a less restrictive environment within their home communities.

Objective: RCOC will continue to seek new and innovative methods of utilizing available resources, developing non-existing resources, and creating and implementing transition plans that will allow individuals to establish themselves and participate successfully in their home community living arrangements.

• Implementation of Community Placement Plan/Resource Development Plan for FYs 2021-2022 and 2022-2023.

Progress: In FY 2019-2020, RCOC moved the last persons served from Fairview Developmental Center into the community. The remaining individuals are served at Porterville Developmental Center where they remain for competency issues. During Public Meetings in August 2022, RCOC had 8 persons served, or 0.03%, in Developmental Centers.

A. Total number and % of regional center caseload in developmental centers.

	Percentage	All Consumers	Consumers in DC			
Statewide Average	0.06%	384,188	233			
RCOC Public Hearing 8/17/22	0.03%	23,394	8	Goal	%	# Attained
RCOC 1/02/24	0.03%	25,754	8	0	0.03%	-8
Analysis as of Public Hearing	RCOC %	of DD pop	6.09%	RCOC 9	% of DC pop	3.43%



Number of Persons Served R	Below Goal	$\overline{\mathbf{X}}$				
	Total Active Caseload	Goal	DC	%	Number Attained	
Jan-23	24,544	0	10	0.04%	-10	
Feb-23	24,616	0	10	0.04%	-10	
Mar-23	24,769	0	10	0.04%	-10	
Apr-23	24,906	0	9	0.04%	-9	
May-23	25,035	0	10	0.04%	-10	
Jun-23	25,232	0	10	0.04%	-10	
Jul-23	25,350	0	10	0.04%	-10	
Aug-23	25,477	0	10	0.04%	-10	
Sep-23	25,600	0	10	0.04%	-10	
Oct-23	25,677	0	10	0.04%	-10	
Nov-23	25,722	0	9	0.03%	-9	
Dec-23	25,754	0	8	0.03%	-8	
Jan-24		0				
Feb-24		0				
Mar-24		0				
Apr-24		0				
May-24		0				
Jun-24		0				



Performance Contract 2023-2024

II. Children Residing with Families (Child is defined as under 18 years of age)

Planned Activities

Statement: The Regional Center of Orange County (RCOC) ensures that children will reside with their families by providing the needed supports and services regardless of the severity of the child's disability.

• Continue to assess current supports and services.

• RCOC will work with the Orange County community in an effort to support programs, trainings, and services designed to provide equal access to child care for families of children with special needs (autism).

- Continue to develop innovative resources for children 0-3 years old (i.e. respite placements).
- RCOC will insure that persons served are provided opportunities for safety awareness training through schools and other similar programs available.
- Review and revise services, e.g. respite and family support.
- RCOC will insure that families receive full information about the developmental needs of the persons served and what types of services are available.

• RCOC will assure that persons served and their caregivers receive complete assessments and have the opportunity to ask questions, advocate, and access to services. To be evaluated and monitored by a National Core Indicators (NCI) survey of persons served and thier caregivers.



Progress: A. During public meetings, RCOC had 284, or 2.64%, of children in foster homes.

A. Number and % of regional center children in foster homes.

	Percentage	All Children	Children in FH			
Statewide Average	2.66%	197,711	5,256	Goal	%	# Attained
RCOC Public Hearing 8/17/22	2.64%	10,752	284	Goal	% 0	# Attained
RCOC 1/02/24	2.47%	12,325	305	315	2.47%	-10
Analysis as of Public Hearing	RCOC %	of DD pop.	5.44%	RCOC %	of FH_pop.	5.40%
	Total Children Status 1&2	Goal	Children in Foster Homes	%	Number Attained	Below Goal
Jan-23	11,574	315	316	2.73%	1	
Feb-23	11,616	315	313	2.69%	-2	
Mar-23	11,706	315	308	2.63%	-7	
Apr-23	11,832	315	315	2.66%	0	
May-23	11,915	315	312	2.62%	-3	
Jun-23	12,053	315	323	2.68%	8	
Jul-23	12,129	315	321	2.65%	6	
Aug-23	12,217	315	322	2.64%	7	
Sep-23	12,295	315	323	2.63%	8	
Oct-23	12,323	315	313	2.54%	-2	
Nov-23	12,332	315	315	2.55%	0	
Dec-23	12,325	315	305	2.47%	-10	
Jan-24		315				
Feb-24		315				
Mar-24		315				
Apr-24		315]
May-24		315				
Jun-24		315]



Progress: B. During public meetings, RCOC had 10,425, or 96.96%, of children in own-homeparent/guadian.

B. Number and % of regional center children in own home-parent/guardian.

		All	Children in own home Parent/			
Statewide Average	<mark>%</mark> 96.94%	Children 197,711	Guardian 191,657			
RCOC Public Hearing 8/17/22	96.96%		,	G 1	%	# Attained
RCOC 1/02/24	97.20%	12,325	11,980	11,300	97.20%	680
Analysis as of Public Hearing	RCOC %	of DD pop.	5.44%	RCOC %	of Home	96.96%

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-		Children in own home	Children in Own Home			ceeded Goal	<
	Total	Parent/	Parent/		Number		
	Children	Guardian	Gaurdian	%	Attained		
Jan-23	11,574	11,300	11,220	96.94%	-80		
Feb-23	11,616	11,300	11,264	96.97%	-36		
Mar-23	11,706	11,300	11,359	97.04%	59		
Apr-23	11,832	11,300	11,475	96.89%	175		
May-23	11,915	11,300	11,561	97.03%	261		
Jun-23	12,053	11,300	11,688	96.97%	388		
Jul-23	12,129	11,300	11,765	97.00%	465		
Aug-23	12,217	11,300	11,850	97.00%	550		
Sep-23	12,295	11,300	11,926	97.00%	626		
Oct-23	12,323	11,300	11,963	97.08%	663		
Nov-23	12,332	11,300	11,972	97.08%	672		
Dec-23	12,325	11,300	11,980	97%	680		
Jan-24		11,300					
Feb-24		11,300					
Mar-24		11,300					
Apr-24		11,300					
May-24		11,300					
Jun-24		11,300					



Progress: C. During public meetings, RCOC had 10,079, or 99.46%, of children in homes.

C. Total number and % of regional center children in homes (this is a total of sections A and B above).

Statewide Average RCOC Public Hearing 8/17/22	<mark>%</mark> 99.65% 99.60%	All Children 197,611 10,752	Total Number Children in Homes 196,913 10,709	Goal	%	# Attained
RCOC 1/02/24	99.68%	12,325	12,285	11,615	99.68%	670
Analysis of Public Hearing	RCOC %	of DD pop	5.44%	RCOC	% Homes	87.17%
	Total Children Status 1&2	Goal	Total Number Children in Homes	%		eeded oal
Jan-23	11,574	11,615	11,536	99.67%	-79	
Feb-23	11,616	11,615	11,577	99.66%	-38	
Mar-23	11,706	11,615	11,667	99.67%	52	
Apr-23	11,832	11,615	11,790	99.65%	175	
May-23	11,915	11,615	11,873	99.65%	258	
Jun-23	12,053	11,615	12,011	99.65%	396	
Jul-23	12,129	11,615	12,086	99.65%	471	
Aug-23	12,217	11,615	12,172	99.63%	557	
Sep-23		11,615	12,249	99.63%	634	
Oct-23	12,323	11,615	12,276	99.62%	661	
Nov-23	12,332	11,615	12,287	99.64%	672	
Dec-23	12,325	11,615	12,285	99.68%	670	
Jan-24		11,615				
Feb-24		11,615				
Mar-24		11,615				
Apr-24		11,615				
May-24		11,615				
Jun-24		11,615				



III. Adults Residing in Home Settings

Planned Activities

Statement: RCOC works with persons served and their caregivers and advocates to empower and enable them to assert the rights of persons served to determine and control the living arrangements of their choice. This may include owning, renting, or leasing the home where the persons served reside.

Objective: Using the Person Centered Thinking (PCT) Individual Program Planning process, Service Coordinators will continue to identify regional center adult persons served who have the hopes and desires to live in a new living arrangement. Cases are reviwed at least annually for the least restrictive environment.

• RCOC will provide service coordinator training to assist families in establishing maintenance plans in the event of temporary caregiver illness/incapacity and for eventual transition plans.

- RCOC will request vendors to include successionary maintenance and transitional plans in the event of temporary illness/incapacity and transfer of ownership in their program designs.
- RCOC will ensure that persons served are provided opportunities for safety awareness training on a regular and as needed basis.
- RCOC will review and revise services, e.g. respite and family support.
- RCOC will assure that persons served and their caregivers receive complete assessments and have opportunities to ask questions, advocate, and access services. To be evaluated and monitored by an NCI survey of persons served and their caregivers.



Progress: A. During public meetings, RCOC had 99, or 0.78%, of adults residing in Adult FHA.

A. Total number and % of regional center adult caseload residing in an Adult Family Home Agency (FHA).

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Progress: B. During public meetings, RCOC had 903, or 7.15%, of adults residing in independent living.

B. Total number and % of regioanl center adults in independent living.

		Total	Adults in			
		Adults	Independent			
	Percentage	Status 2	Living			
Statewide Average	9.48%	186,242	17,651			
RCOC Public Hearing 8/17/22	7.15%	12,634	903	Goal	%	# Attained
RCOC 1/02/24	6.91%	13,421	928	924	6.91%	4
Analysis of Public Hearing	RCOC % o	f DD pop	6.78%	RGOC %	of IL pop	5120
	Total		Adults in		Exceeded Goal	
	Adults		Independent			
	Status 2	Goal	Living	%	Attained	
Jan-23	12,970	924	907	6.99%	-17	
Feb-23	12,990	924	912	7.02%	-12	
Mar-23	13,053	924	917	7.03%	-7	
Apr-23	13,065	924	924	7.07%	0	
May-23	13,110	924	930	7.09%	6	
Jun-23	13,179	924	935	7.09%	11	
Jul-23	13,211	924	937	7.09%	13	
Aug-23	13,250	924	934	7.05%	10	
Sep-23	13,295	924	935	7.03%	11	
Oct-23	13,344	924	937	7.02%	13	
Nov-23	13,381	924	935	6.99%	11	
Dec-23	13,421	924	928	6.91%	4	
Jan-24		924				
Feb-24		924				
Mar-24		924				
Apr-24		924				
May-24		924				
Jun-24		924				



Progress: C. During public meetings, RCOC had 8,719, or 69.01%, of adults residing in own home-parent.

C. Total number and % of regional center adults residing in own home-parent.

Feb-24

Mar-24 Apr-24

May-24

Jun-24

			Adults			
		Total	Residing			
		Adults	Own Home -			
	Percentage	Status 2	Parent			
Statewide Average	67.43%	186,242	125,589			
RCOC Public Hearing 8/17/22	69.01%	12,634	8,719	Goal	%	# Attained
RCOC 1/02/24	70.60%	13,421	9,475	9,150	70.60%	325
Analysis of Public Hearing	RCOC % o	of DD pop	6.78%	RCOC % o	f own home	6.94%
\wedge			Adults		Exceeded	
	Total		Residing		Goal	
7~5	Adults		Own Home -		Number	
	Status 2	Goal	Parent	%	Attained	
Jan-23	12,970	9,150	9,052	69.79%	-98	
Feb-23	12,990	9,150	9,072	69.84%	-78	
Mar-23	13,053	9,150	9,120	69.87%	-30	
Apr-23	13,065	9,150	9,132	69.90%	-18	
May-23	13,110	9,150	9,181	70.03%	31	
Jun-23	13,179	9,150	9,241	70.12%	91	
Jul-23	13,211	9,150	9,263	70.12%	113	
Aug-23	13,250	9,150	9,305	70.23%	155	
Sep-23	13,295	9,150	9,346	70.30%	196	
Oct-23	13,344	9,150	9,401	70.45%	251	
Nov-23	13,381	9,150	9,440	70.55%	290	
Dec-23	13,421	9,150	9,475	70.60%	325	
Jan-24		9,150				
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Progress: D. During public meetings, RCOC had 496, or 3.93%, of adults residing in supported living.

D. Total number and % of regional center adults residing in supported living.

			Adults			
		Total	Residing in			
		Adults	Supported			
	Percentage	Status 2	Living			
Statewide Average	5.02%	186,242	9,359			
RCOC Public Hearing 8/17/22	3.93%	12,634	496	Goal	%	# Attained
RCOC 1/02/24	3.66%	13,421	491	512	3.66%	-21
Analysis of Public Hearing	RCOC % o	f DD pop	6.78%	RCOC %	of SL pop	5.30%

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			Adults		Belov	
	Total		Residing		Goa	
	Adults		Supported		Number	
	Status 2	Goal	Living	%	Attained	
Jan-23	12,970	512	492	3.79%	-20	
Feb-23	12,990	512	493	3.80%	-19	
Mar-23	13,053	512	499	3.82%	-13	
Apr-23	13,065	512	498	3.81%	-14	
May-23	13,110	512	498	3.80%	-14	
Jun-23	13,179	512	500	3.79%	-12	
Jul-23	13,211	512	499	3.78%	-13	
Aug-23	13,250	512	495	3.74%	-17	
Sep-23	13,295	512	495	3.72%	-17	
Oct-23	13,344	512	491	3.68%	-21	
Nov-23	13,381	512	492	3.68%	-20	
Dec-23	13,421	512	491	3.66%	-21	
Jan-24		512				
Feb-24		512				
Mar-24		512				
Apr-24		512				
May-24		512				
Jun-24		512				



Progress: E. During public meetings, RCOC had 10,217, or 80.97%, of adults residing in home settings.

E. Total number and % of regional center adults in home settings (this is a total of sections A, B, C, and D above).

			Total			
			Number			
		Total	Adults in			
		Adults	Home			
	Percentage	Status 2	Settings			
Statewide Average	82.75%	186,242	154,119			
RCOC Public Heaing 8/17/22	80.97%	12,634	10,217	Goal	%	# Attained
RCOC 1/02/24	81.81%	13,421	10,980	10,696	81.81%	284
Analysis of Public Hearing	RCOC % o	of DD pop	6.78%	RCOC %	o of Home	6.63%

			Total		Exceeded	
			Number		Goal	
	Total		Adults in			
	Adults		Home		Number	
	Status 2	Goal	Settings	%	Attained	
Jan-23	12,970	10,696	10,542	81.28%	-154	
Feb-23	12,990	10,696	10,567	81.35%	-129	
Mar-23	13,053	10,696	10,626	81.41%	-70	
Apr-23	13,065	10,696	10,644	81.47%	-52	
May-23	13,110	10,696	10,699	81.61%	3	
Jun-23	13,179	10,696	10,765	81.68%	69	
Jul-23	13,211	10,696	10,789	81.67%	93	
Aug-23	13,250	10,696	10,823	81.68%	127	
Sep-23	13,295	10,696	10,863	81.71%	167	
Oct-23	13,344	10,696	10,915	81.80%	219	
Nov-23	13,421	10,696	10,980	81.81%	284	
Dec-23		10,696				
Jan-24		10,696				
Feb-24		10,696				
Mar-24		10,696				
Apr-24		10,696				
May-24		10,696				
Jun-24		10,696				



IV. Children Residing in Facilities with Seven or More Beds (Excluding Developmental Centers)

Planned Activities

Statement: RCOC provides for the needs of children with medical issues or challenign behaviors in seven or greater bed facilities for limited time periods when smaller facilities cannot meet needs.

Objective: RCOC will place only those children with medical issues or challenging behaviors in seven or greater facilities.

• RCOC will continue seeking appropriate placement in smaller facilities for these children and to support creative services and supports which would allow placement in existing small facilities, as well as development of new small facilities as needed, utilizing appropriate services and supports to ensure success for these persons served.

• RCOC will adhere to Trailer Bill Language relating to the use of larger facilities to ensure the least restrictive environment is supported.



Progress: A. During public meetings, RCOC had 0, or 0.00%, of children residing in a Community Care Facility (CCF) 7+ beds. Placements to 7+ bed CCF facilities are at family request and/or due to specialized services.

A. Total number and % of regional center children residing in a CCF 7+ beds.

		Total	Children			
		Children	Residing in			
	-	Status	CCF 7+			
	Percentage	1&2	Beds			
Statewide Average	0.01%	197,711	13	~ 1	0 (
RCOC Public Hearing 8/17/22	0.00%	10,752	0	Goal	%	# Attained
RCOC 1/02/24	0.00%	12,325	0	0	0.00%	0
Analysis of Public Hearing	RCOC % of	f DD pop	5.44%	RCOC %	of CCF 7+	0.00%
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\wedge			Children		Met	
	Total		Residing		Goal	
\sim	Children		CCF 7+		Number	
	Status 1&2	Goal	Beds	%	Attained	
Jan-23	11,574	0	1	0.01%	-1	
Feb-23	11,616	0	1	0.01%	-1	
Mar-23	11,706	0	1	0.01%	-1	
Apr-23	11,832	0	1	0.01%	-1	
May-23	11,915	0	1	0.01%	-1	
Jun-23	12,053	0	1	0.01%	-1	
Jul-23	12,129	0	1	0.01%	-1	
Aug-23	12,217	0	1	0.01%	-1	
Sep-23	12,295	0	0	0.00%	0	
Oct-23	12,323	0	0	0.00%	0	
Nov-23	12,332	0	0	0.00%	0	
Dec-23	12,325	0	0	0.00%	0	
Jan-24		0				
Feb-24		0				
Mar-24		0				
Apr-24		0				
May-24		0				
Jun-24		0				



Progress: B. During public meetings, RCOC had 0, or 0.00%, of children residing in an Intermediate Care Facility (ICF) 7+ beds.

B. Total number and % of regional center children residing in an ICF 7+ beds.

Statewide Average RCOC Public Hearing 8/17/22 RCOC 1/02/24 Analysis of Public Hearing	Percentage 0.02% 0.00% 0.00% RCOC % of	Total Children Status 1&2 197,711 10,752 12,325 FDD pop	Children Residing in an ICF 7+ beds 34 0 0 5.44%	Goal 0 RCOC %	% 0.00% of ICF 7+	# Attained 0 0.00%
	Total Children Status 1&2	Goal	Children Residing ICF 7+ Beds	%	Met Goal Number Attained	K
Jan-23	12,574	0	0	0.00%	0	
Feb-23	11,616	0	0	0.00%	0	
Mar-23	11,706	0	0	0.00%	0	
Apr-23	11,832	0	0	0.00%	0	
May-23	11,915	0	0	0.00%	0	
Jun-23	12,053	0	0	0.00%	0	
Jul-23	12,129	0	0	0.00%	0	
Aug-23	12,217	0	0	0.00%	0	
Sep-23	12,295	0	0	0.00%	0	
Oct-23	12,323	0	0	0.00%	0	
Nov-23	12,332	0	0	0.00%	0	
Dec-23	12,325	0	0	0.00%	0	
Jan-24		0				
Feb-24		0				
Mar-24		0				
Apr-24		0				
May-24		0				
Jun-24		0				



Progress: C. During public meetings, RCOC had no children residing in a nursing facility. Placements to nursing facilities are at family request and/or due to specialized services.

C. Total number and % of regional center children residing in a nursing facility.

		Total	Children			
		Children	Residing in			
		Status	a Nursing			
_	Percentage	1&2	Facility			
Statewide Average	0.00%	197,711	7			
RCOC Public Hearing 8/17/22	0.00%	10,752	0	Goal	%	# Attained
RCOC 1/02/24	0.00%	12,325	0	0	0.00%	0
Analysis of Public Hearing	RCOC % of	f DD pop	5.44%	RCOC	% of NF	0.00%



			Children Residing in	\sum	Met Goal]
	Total		a Nursing			
	Children		Facility		Number	
	Status 1&2	Goal	(NF)	%	Attained	
Jan-23	12,574	0	0	0.00%	0	
Feb-23	11,616	0	0	0.00%	0	
Mar-23	11,706	0	0	0.00%	0	
Apr-23	11,832	0	0	0.00%	0	
May-23	11,915	0	0	0.00%	0	
Jun-23	12,053	0	0	0.00%	0	
Jul-23	12,129	0	0	0.00%	0	
Aug-23	12,217	0	0	0.00%	0	
Sep-23	12,295	0	0	0.00%	0	
Oct-23	12,323	0	0	0.00%	0	
Nov-23	12,332	0	0	0.00%	0	
Dec-23	12325	0	0	0.00%	0	
Jan-24		0				
Feb-24		0				
Mar-24		0				
Apr-24		0				
May-24		0				
Jun-24		0				



Progress: D. During public meetings, RCOC had 0, or 0.00%, of children residing in a facility with 7+ beds. Placements to 7+ bed facilities are at family request and/or due to specialized services.

D.Total number and % of regional center children residing in a facility with 7+ beds (*this is a total of sections A, B, and C above*).

			Total			
		Total	Children			
		Children	Residing in			
		Status	a 7+ Bed			
	Percentage	1&2	Facility			
Statewide Average	0.03%	197,711	54			
RCOC Public Hearing 8/17/22	0.00%	10,752	0	Goal	%	# Attained
RCOC 1/02/24	0.00%	12,325	0	0	0.00%	0
Analysis of Public Hearing	RCOC % of	f DD pop	5.44%	RCOC 9	% 7+ Bed	0.00%
\wedge			Total		Met	
	Total		Children		Goal	
$\sum_{i=1}^{n}$	Children		Residing in		Number	
	Status 1&2	Goal	7+ Bed	%	Attained	
Jan-23	11,574	0	1	0.01%	-1	
Feb-23	11,616	0	1	0.01%	-1	
Mar-23	11,706	0	1	0.01%	-1	
Apr-23	11,832	0	1	0.01%	-1	
May-23	11,915	0	1	0.01%	-1	
Jun-23	12,053	0	1	0.01%	-1	
Jul-23	12,129	0	1	0.01%	-1	
Aug-23	12,217	0	1	0.01%	-1	
Sep-23	12,295	0	0	0.00%	0	
Oct-23	12,323	0	0	0.00%	0	
Nov-23	12,332	0	0	0.00%	0	
Dec-23	12,325	0	0	0.00%	0	
Jan-24		0				
Feb-24		0				
Mar-24		0				
Apr-24		0				
May-24		0				
Jun-24		0				



V. Adults Residing in Facilities with Seven or More Beds (Excluding Developmental Centers)

Planned Activities

Statement: RCOC continues to ensure that individuals with developmental disabilities have more choices in living options regardless of the severity of their disabilities.

Objective: RCOC will place ony those adults with medical issues or challenging behaviors in seven bed or greater facilities.

• RCOC will continue seeking appropriate placement in smaller facilities for these persons served and to support creative services and supports which would allow placement in existing small facilities, as well development of new small facilities as needed, utilizing appropriate services and supports to ensure success for these persons served.

• RCOC will adhere to Trailer Bill Language relating to the use of larger residential facilities to ensure the least restrictive environment is supported.



Progress: A. During public meetings, RCOC had 122, or 0.97%, of adults residing in a CCF 7+ bed. Placements to 7+ CCF are at family request and/or due to specialized services. RCOC has several long term vendors with 7+ bed homes, and will continue to work together to implement Trailer Bill Language regarding the use of these homes.

A. Total number and % of regional center adults residing in a Community Care Facility (CCF) 7+ beds.

Deve ente co	Total Adults	Adults in CCF 7+ Dede			
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0.97%	12,634	1,100	Goal	%	# Attained
0.85%	13,421	114	114	0.85%	0
RCOC % of	f DD pop	6.78%	RCOC % A	dult 7+ CCF	8.32%
	0.85%	Adults Percentage Status 2 0.79% 186,242 0.97% 12,634	AdultsCCF 7+PercentageStatus 2Beds0.79%186,2421,4660.97%12,6341220.85%13,421114	AdultsCCF 7+ Beds0.79%186,2421,4660.97%12,634122Goal0.85%13,421114114	AdultsCCF 7+ Beds0.79%186,2421,4660.97%12,634122Goal0.85%13,421114114

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	Total		Adults Residing			Met Goal	
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	Adults		in CCF		Number		
	Status 2	Goal	7+ Beds	%	Attained		
Jan-23	12,970	114	120	0.93%	-6		
Feb-23	12,990	114	121	0.93%	-7		
Mar-23	13,053	114	119	0.91%	-5		
Apr-23	13,065	114	118	0.90%	-4		
May-23	13,110	114	118	0.90%	-4		
Jun-23	13,179	114	117	0.89%	-3		
Jul-23	13,211	114	115	0.87%	-1		
Aug-23	13,250	114	115	0.87%	-1		
Sep-23	13,295	114	113	0.85%	1		
Oct-23	13,344	114	113	0.85%	1		
Nov-23	13,381	114	112	0.84%	2		
Dec-23	13,421	114	114	0.85%	0		
Jan-24		114					
Feb-24		114					
Mar-24		114					
Apr-24		114					
May-24		114					
Jun-24		114					



Progress: B. During public meetings, RCOC had 12, or 0.09%, of adults residing in an Intermediate Care Facility (ICF) 7+ beds. Placements to 7+ bed facilities are at family request and/or due to specialized services.

B. Total number and % of regional center adults residing in an ICF 7+ beds.

			Adults				
		Total	Residing				
		Adults	ICF 7+				
	Percentage	Status 2	Beds				
Statewide Average	0.41%	186,242	755				
RCOC Public Hearing 8/17/22	0.09%	12,634	12	Goal	%	# Attained	
RCOC 1/02/24	0.11%	13,421	15	6	0.11%	-9	
Analysis of Public Hearing	RCOC % of	f DD pop	6.78%	RCOC %	% ICF 7+	1.59%	
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\wedge			Adults			Below	
	Total		Residing			Goal	
	Adults		ICF 7+		Number		
	Status 2	Goal	Beds	%	Attained		
Jan-23	12,970	6	14	0.11%	-8		
Feb-23	12,990	6	13	0.10%	-7		
Mar-23	13,053	6	13	0.10%	-7		
Apr-23	13,065	6	14	0.11%	-8		
May-23	13,110	6	14	0.11%	-8		
Jun-23	13,179	6	15	0.11%	-9		
Jul-23	13,211	6	15	0.11%	-9		
Aug-23	13,250	6	15	0.11%	-9		
Sep-23	13,295	6	16	0.12%	-10		
Oct-23	13,344	6	16	0.12%	-10		
Nov-23	13,381	6	16	0.12%	-10		
Dec-23	13,421	6	15	0.11%	-9		
Jan-24		6					
Feb-24		6					
Mar-24		6					
Apr-24		6					
May-24		6					
Jun-24		6				J	



Progress: C. During public meetings, RCOC had 78, or 0.62%, of adults residing in a nursing facility (NF). Placements to nursing facilities are at family reqest and/or due to medical or specialized services.

C. Total number and % of regional center adults residing in a nursing facility.

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		Total	Adults			
		Adults	Residing			
	Percentage	Status 2	in NF			
Statewide Average	0.52%	186,242	967			
RCOC Public Hearing 8/17/22	0.62%	12,634	78	Goal	%	# Attained
RCOC 1/02/24	0.59%	13,421	79	74	0.59%	-5
Analysis of Public Hearing	RCOC % DD po	р	6.78%	RCOC % NF		8.07%
						Below
	Total		Adults			Goal
	Adults		Residing		Number	
	Status 2	Goal	in NF	%	Attained	
Jan-23	12,970	74	79	0.61%	-5	
Feb-23	12,990	74	80	0.62%	-6	
Mar-23	13,053	74	91	0.70%	-17	
Apr-23	13,065	74	91	0.70%	-17	
May-23	13,110	74	81	0.62%	-7	
Jun-23	13,179	74	79	0.60%	-5	
Jul-23	13,211	74	75	0.57%	-1	
Aug-23	13,250	74	75	0.57%	-1	
Sep-23	13,295	74	74	0.56%	0	
Oct-23	13,344	74	74	0.55%	0	
Nov-23	13,381	74	75	0.56%	-1	
Dec-23	13,421	74	79	0.59%	-5	
Jan-24		74				
Feb-24		74				
Mar-24		74				
Apr-24		74				
May-24		74				
Jun-24		74				



Progress: D. During public meetings, RCOC had 212, or 1.68%, of adults residing in a facility with 7+ beds. Placements to 7+ bed facilities are at family request and/or due to specialized services.

D. Total number and % of adults residing in a facility with 7+ beds (*this is a total of sections A, B, and C above*).

		Total Adults	Total Adults Residing in 7+			
	Percentage	Status 2	Bed			
Statewide Average	1.71%	186,242	3,188			
RCOC Public Hearing 8/17/22	1.68%	12,634	212	Goal	%	# Attained
RCOC 1/02/24	1.55%	13,421	208	194	1.55%	-14
Analysis of Public Meeting	RCOC % of DD	рор	6.78%	RCOC % 7+	Bed	6.65%

			Total			Balan	<u>ן</u>
			Adults			Below Goal	
	Total		Residing				
	Adults		in 7+		Number		
	Status 2	Goal	Beds	%	Attained		
Jan-23	12,970	194	194	1.64%	-19		
Feb-23	12,990	194	214	1.65%	-20		
Mar-23	13,053	194	223	1.71%	-29		
Apr-23	13,065	194	223	1.71%	-29		
May-23	13,110	194	213	1.62%	-19		
Jun-23	13,179	194	211	1.60%	-17		
Jul-23	13,211	194	205	1.55%	-11		
Aug-23	13,250	194	205	1.55%	-11		
Sep-23	13,295	194	203	1.53%	-9		
Oct-23	13,344	194	203	1.52%	-9		
Nov-23	13,381	194	203	1.52%	-9		
Dec-23	13,421	194	208	1.55%	-14		
Jan-24		194					
Feb-24		194					
Mar-24		194					
Apr-24		194					
May-24		194					
Jun-24		194					

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VI. Intake Duration

Planned Activities

Statement: Management and Service Coordinator staff receive a monthly report on the duration of individuals age 3 and over who are in the intake process.

Objective: RCOC will continue to ensure that the duration of individuals ages 3 and over in the Intake process is within mandated timeline.

• RCOC will provide persons served and their caregivers/advocates with initial information about developmental needs, and about the services and supports available, inside and outside of RCOC.



Progress: A. During public meetings, RCOC had 222, or 98.23%, of regional center individuals over age 3 with <=120 days.

A. Total number and % of regional center individuals over age 3 with <=120 days.

			Total #		
		Total #	Over Age 3		
		Age 3 or	with <=120		
_	Percentage	Over	Days		
Statewide Average	95.05%	9,095	8,645		
RCOC Public Hearing 8/17/22	98.00%	226	222	Goal	% Attained
RCOC 1/02/24	100.00%	270	270	100.00%	100.00%

\land	Total		Total Number		Met
	Number		Individuals		Goal
	Individuals		Over Age 3	L	
	Age 3 or		with <=120	%	
	Over	Goal	Days	Attained	
Jan-23	242	100%	240	99.17%	
Feb-23	262	100%	260	99.24%	
Mar-23	237	100%	237	100%	
Apr-23	285	100%	285	100%	
May-23	317	100%	317	100%	
Jun-23	290	100%	290	100%	
Jul-23	297	100%	295	99.33%	
Aug-23	283	100%	283	100%	
Sep-23	273	100%	269	98.53%	
Oct-23	247	100%	247	100%	
Nov-23	274	100%	274	100%	
Dec-23	270	100%	270	100%	
Jan-24		100%			
Feb-24		100%			
Mar-24		100%			
Apr-24		100%			
May-24		100%			
Jun-24		100%			



Progress: B. During public meetings, RCOC had 4, or 1.77%, of regional center individuals over age 3 with 121-240 days.

B. Total number and % of regional center individuals over age 3 with 121-240 days.

			Total		
		Total	Number of		
		Number	Individuals		
		Individual	Over Age 3		
		s Age 3	With 121-		
	Percentage	and Over	240 Days		
Statewide Average	3.83%	9,095	348		
RCOC Public Hearing 8/17/22	2.00%	226	4	Goal	% Attained
RCOC 1/02/24	0.00%	270	0	0.00%	0.00%



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-	Total Number of Individuals Age 3 or Over	Goal	Total Number Individuals Over Age 3 With 121- 240 Days	%	Met Goal
Jan-23	242	0.00%	1	0.41%	
Feb-23	262	0.00%	1	0.38%	
Mar-23	237	0.00%	0	0.00%	
Apr-23	285	0.00%	0	0.00%	
May-23	317	0.00%	0	0.00%	
Jun-23	290	0.00%	0	0.00%	
Jul-23	297	0.00%	2	0.67%	
Aug-23	283	0.00%	0	0.00%	
Sep-23	273	0.00%	4	1.47%	
Oct-23	247	0.00%	0	0.00%	
Nov-23	274	0.00%	0	0.00%	
Dec-23	270	0.00%	0	0.00%	
Jan-24		0.00%			
Feb-24		0.00%			
Mar-24		0.00%			
Apr-24		0.00%			
May-24		0.00%			
Jun-24		0.00%			



Progress: C. During public meetings, RCOC had 0, or 0.00%, of regional center individuals over age 3 with over 240 days.

C. Total number and % of regional center individuals over age 3 with over 240 days.

			Total		
		Total	Number		
		Number	Individuals		
		Individual	Over Age 3		
		s Age 3 or	Over 240		
	Percentage	Over	Days		
Statewide Average	1.12%	9,095	102		
RCOC Public Meeting 8/17/22	0.00%	226	0	Goal	% Attained
RCOC 1/02/24	0.00%	270	0	0.00%	0.00%



			Total		
	Total		Number		Met
	Number		Individuals		Goal
	Individuals		Over Age 3		
	Age 3 or		Over 240	%	
	Over	Goal	Days	Attained	
Jan-23	242	0%	1	0.41%	
Feb-23	262	0%	1	0.38%	
Mar-23	237	0%	0	0.00%	
Apr-23	285	0%	0	0.00%	
May-23	317	0%	0	0.00%	
Jun-23	290	0%	0	0.00%	
Jul-23	297	0%	0	0.00%	
Aug-23	283	0%	0	0.00%	
Sep-23	273	0%	0	0.00%	
Oct-23	247	0%	0	0.00%	
Nov-23	274	0%	0	0.00%	
Dec-23	270	0%	0	0.00%	
Jan-24		0%			
Feb-24		0%			
Mar-24		0%			
Apr-24		0%			
May-24		0%			
Jun-24		0%			

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VII. National Core Indicators (NCI) Employment

Planned Activities

Statement: RCOC has adopted an Employment First Policy making competitive integrated employment (CIE) the first option considered by planning teams for every working adult served by RCOC.

Objective: RCOC will implement its Employment First Policy by providing persons served and family members with information regarding the opportunity and support to work in employment settings that are meaningful to them and by annually reviewing those opportunities with individuals to ensure they are engaged in activities of thier choosing. RCOC will make incentive payments to vendors who assist individuals obtain CIE and maintain those positions over time.

Progress: A. Results from the National Core Indicator surveys conducted in FY 2014-15, 47% of those interviewed indicated a desire for work in the community. For FY 2021-22, 48% of those interviewed also expressed a desire for employment in their community.

A. Percentage of adults who reported having integrated employment as a goal in their IPP.

	Percentage	
RCOC FY 2011-12	46%	Goal
RCOC FY 2014-15	47%	50%
RCOC FY 2018-19	57%	65%
RCOC FY 2020-21	48%	70%



Progress: B. RCOC will authorize incentive payments to service providers who assist individuals obtaining competitive integrated employment. RCOC will make initial payments based upon hire date, and additional payments will be made upon subsequent milestonse related to length of employment.

B. Total number of 30 day, 6 month, and 12 month incentive payments made within the fiscal year.

Fiscal Year	30 Day	6 Month	12 Month
2017-18	155	97	78
2018-19	151	128	83
2019-20	131	115	90
2020-21	84	63	60
Goal	110	85	75

Progress: C. RCOC will work with local employment agencies and businesses to assist individuals obtain desired hours of employment on a weekly/monthly basis. Individuals will review this during the initial hiring phase when incentive payments are being sought.

C. Average wages and hours worked for adults engaged in CIE when incentive payments have been made on their behalf.

Fiscal Year	Hours Week	Wage
2017-18	23.5	\$11.31
2018-19	21	\$12.06
2019-20	22	\$13.06
2020-21	20	\$14.40
Goal	24	\$15.50



VIII. Employment Development Department (EDD) Employment

Planned Activities

Statement: RCOC service coordinators and vendors are implementing RCOC's Employment First Policy of competitive integrated employment (CIE) as the first option for persons served.

Objective: RCOC service coordinators will implement Employment First Policy by providing persons served and families information on job preparation and procurement at annual Individual Transition Meetings (ITP) through the school and Individual Program Planning (IPP) meetings through RCOC. RCOC will continue to work on development of new programs that will emphasize a focus on CIE as a primary outcome. RCOC will work with service providers and employers to move individuals participating in Paid Internship Program (PIP) into CIE.

Progress: A. Results from the Employment Development Department (EDD) conducted in 2019 indicate that 2,335 persons served ages 16-64 had earned income. In 2020, 1,726 persons served ages 16-64 had earned income.

A. Number of persons served ages 16-64 with earned income.



	RCOC	Statewide Avg.
2016	2,085	1,201
2017	2,341	1,294
2018	3,336	1,311
2019	2,335	1,341
2020	1,726	1,082



Progress: B. Results from the EDD in 2019 indicate that 20% of persons served ages 16-64 reported having earned income. In 2020, the percentage of persons served ages 16-64 reporting earned income was 22.22%.

B. Percentage of persons served ages 16-64 reporting earned income.

		RCOC	Statewide Avg.
\mathbf{A}	2017	21%	17%
	2018	21%	16%
	2019	20%	16%
	2020	22%	19%

Progress: C. Results from the EDD in 2018 indicate that average annual wages for persons served ages 16-64 was \$8,806. In 2019, the average annual wage for persons served ages 16-64 was \$9,578. This measure will also compare average annual wages of all people with disabilities

C. Annual earnings of age group 16-64 of people with intellectual disabilities, compared with all persons with disabilities in California.

	RCOC	Statewide Avg.
2017	\$7,580	\$9,033
2018	\$8,806	\$10,317
2019	\$9,578	\$11,327
2020	\$7,656	\$9,733



Progress: D. In FY 2016-17, RCOC began working with service providers to place individuals into Paid Internship Program (PIP) opportunities to help develop employment interests and lead into CIE opportunites. In 2020 RCOC had 11 individuals within a PIP that resulted in employment, and for 2021 that number decreased to 0 individuals.

D. Number of adults placed in CIE following participation in a PIP.

	Total
2017-18	1
2018-19	7
2019-20	11
2020-21	0

Progress: E. RCOC will obtain data related to the overall percentage of adults participating in a paid internship who transition into a competitive employment setting. This program began ni FY 2016-17. In FY 2020-21, 0% of adults transitioned from an Internship to Competitive Employment.

E. Percentage of adults who transitioned from internship to competitive employment.

	% Adults
2018-19	21%
2019-20	14%
2020-21	0%

Progress: F. RCOC will monitor the hourly/salaried wages and hours worked per week for persons served who participate in a paid internship. Hours and wages will be competitively based on the job type and market rate for each setting.

F. Average hourly wage and weekly hours worked in PIP during the previous fiscal year.

	Hours Week	Wage
2018-19	18	\$12.34
2019-20	13	\$13.43
2020-21	13	\$13.98



IX. Reducing Disparities and Improving Equity in Purchase of Service Expenditures.

Statement: RCOC works to ensure that the support services are flexible and innovative in meeting the family's needs as they evolve over time, are tailoered to the preferences of the individual family, and are consistent with their cultural norms and customs.

Objective: RCOC service coordinators will work with persons served and families to develop IPP goals and objectives to address their choices of living situations. RCOC will work to develop services in the community that meet the cultural and background preferences of persons served and family members to ensure the availability of resources. RCOC will continue outreach efforts within our community to overcome potential cultural barriers when identifying appropriate services. RCOC is working to expand family outreach and support options by developing new resources within our community. RCOC will continue to develop community programs that allow for a range of options for persons served when selecting those services. RCOC service coordinators will receive initial and ongoing training related to IPP development that ensures meaningful participation of persons served and their families and will focus on Person Centered Thinking skills and outcomes. RCOC will be working to simplify and translate important documents. RCOC continues to outreach with outside agencies such as parent support groups leaders, family support groups, social services agencies, faithbased organizations and educational agencies, as well as providing information via e-mail in the primary language of the family.



Progress: A. Review of fiscal year 2017-18 purchase of service data and client master file (CMF) for initial data source. Fiscal year 2020-21 data reflects either an increase or decrease in services and expenditures related to disparity criteria.

A. Percent of total annual purchase of service (POS) expenditures by individuals ethnicity and age: Birth to age 2; Age 3-21; 22 and older.

Birth to Age 2				
Ethnicity	Total Persons	Percentage of Expenditures	Total Authorized	Utilized
American Indian or Alaska Native	7 ↑	0.08% ↑	\$27,709 ↑	46.8% ↓
Asian	888 ↑	19% ↑	\$6,974,303↓	62.3% ↓
Black/African American	78 ↑	1.42% ↑	\$521,436 ↑	57.1%↑
Hispanic	1,808↓	32.71% ↓	\$11,986,479↓	58.1%↓
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	12↑	0.24% ↑	\$89,096↑	64.6% ↑
Other Ethnicity or Race / Multi- Cultural	1,314↓	27.2% ↑	\$9,968,093 ↓	60.8% ↑
White	1,067 ↑	19.31% ↑	\$7,075,012 ↓	57% ↓
Totals	5,174 ↓	100.0%	\$36,642,130↓	

Age 3 to 21 Years				
Ethnicity	Total Persons	Percentage of Expenditures	Total Authorized	Utilized
American Indian or Alaska Native	15 ↑	0.9% ↑	\$94,851 ↓	49.9% ↓
Asian	1,913 ↑	16.68% ↓	\$17,881,688 ↑	51.6% ↓
Black/African American	199 ↑	2% ↑	\$2,162,089 ↑	55.1% ↓
Hispanic	3,974 ↑	28.43% ↓	\$30,489,363 ↑	56.7% ↓
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	18 ↓	0.2% ↑	\$217,214 ↑	57% ↓
Other Ethnicity or Race / Multi- Cultural	1,933 ↑	19.97% ↑	\$21,410,236↑	53.5% ↓
White	2,213↓	32.62% ↓	\$34,978,597 ↑	63.8% ↓
Totals	10,265 ↑	100.0%	\$107,234,038 ↑	



Age 22 and Over				
Ethnicity	Total Persons	Percentage of Expenditures	Total Authorized	Utilized
American Indian or Alaska Native	22 ↓	$0.3\% \leftrightarrow$	\$1,474,983 ↑	82.8% ↓
Asian	1,442 ↑	11.3% ↓	\$53,498,601 ↑	74.6% ↓
Black/African American	261 ↑	2.7% ↓	\$12,799,478 ↑	80.7% ↓
Hispanic	2,793 ↑	18.76% ↓	\$88,798,778 ↑	76.7% ↓
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	12 ↑	1%	\$349,818 ↑	71.6% ↓
Other Ethnicity or Race / Multi- Cultural	848 ↑	7.5% ↑	\$35,244,572 ↑	78% ↓
White	4,757 ↑	59.39% ↑	\$281,084,614 ↑	79.3% ↓
Totals	10,135 ↑	100.0%	\$473,250,844 ↑	



Progress: B. Review of fiscal year 2020-21 POS date and regional center caseload data. Initial data generation will be compared to subsequent FY information.

B. Number of individuals receiving only case management services by age and ethnicity: Birth to age 2; Age 3-21; Age 22 and older.

Birth to 2 Years			
	Total	Case	Percent No
Ethnicity	Eligible	Management	Services
American Indian or Alaska Native	7 ↑	0 ↓	0.0% ↓
Asian	888 ↑	77 ↑	8.7% ↑
Black/African American	78 ↑	4 ↑	5.1% ↑
Hispanic	1,808 ↓	181 ↑	10% ↑
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific	12 ↑	0	0.0%
Islander	12	0	0.070
Other Ethnicity or Race / Multi-	1 214	70 ↑	Q 60/. ↑
Cultural	1,314↓	70	8.6% ↑
White	1,067 ↑	70 ↑	$6.6\%\uparrow$
Totals	5,174↓	445 ↑	8.6% ↑

Age 3 to 21 Years			
Ethnicity	Total Eligible	Case Management	Percent No Services
American Indian or Alaska Native	15	7 ↑	46.7% ↑
Asian	1,913 ↑	779 ↑	40.7% ↑
Black/African American	199 ↑	83 ↑	41.7% ↑
Hispanic	3,974 ↑	1,984 ↑	46.9% ↓
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	18↓	11	61.1% ↑
Other Ethnicity or Race / Multi- Cultural	1,933 ↑	742 ↑	38.4% ↑
White	2,213 ↑	789 ↑	35.7% ↑
Totals	10,265 ↑	4,395 ↑	42.8% ↑



Age 22 and Older			
	Total	Case	Percent No
Ethnicity	Eligible	Management	Services
American Indian or Alaska Native	22↓	3 ↓	13.6% ↓
Asian	1,442 ↑	337 ↑	23.4% ↑
Black/African American	261 ↑	58 ↑	22.2% ↑
Hispanic	2,793 ↑	712 ↑	25.5% ↑
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific	12 ↑	1 1	33.3% ↑
Islander	12	4 ↑	33.370
Other Ethnicity or Race / Multi-	010 1	102 *	22 60/ 1
Cultural	848 ↑	192 ↑	22.6% ↑
White	4,757 ↑	716 ↑	15.1% ↑
Totals	10,135 ↑	2,022 ↑	20% ↑



Progress: C. Review of fiscal year 2020-21 POS and CMF data. Initial data generation will be compared to subsequent FY information.

C. Per capita purchase of service (POS) expenditures by individual's primary language for all ages (30 or more people with identified language).

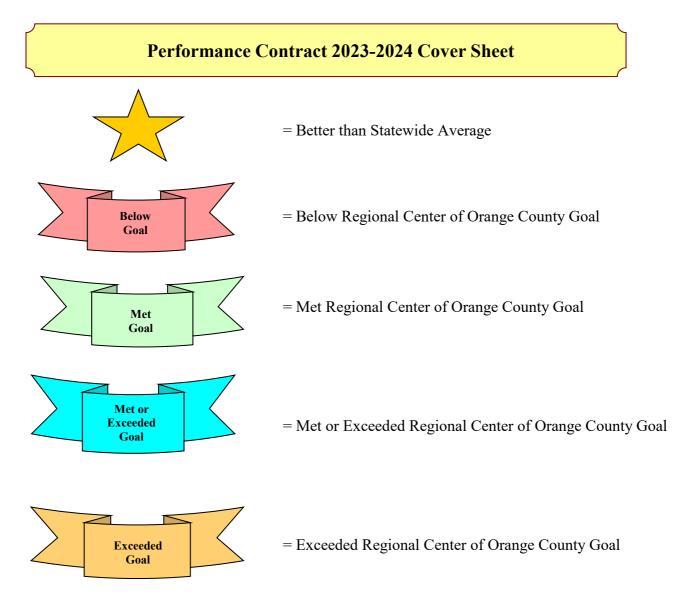
		POS	
	Total	Authorized	Percentage
Primary Language	People	Per Capita	Utilized
ASL (American Sign Langauge)	30 ↑	\$47,662 ↓	84.1% ↑
English	19,553 ↑	\$20,140↓	74.2% ↓
Spanish	4,499 ↓	\$9,146 ↑	68.3% ↓
Mandarin Chinese	67↓	\$7,105 ↓	58.7% ↓
Vietnamese	1,084 ↑	\$9,421 ↓	69.3% ↓
Korean	141 ↑	\$23,888 ↑	77.8% ↓
Tagalog	20 ↓	\$29,933 ↑	81.2% ↓
Arabic	47 ↑	\$7,363 ↑	61.4%↓
Farsi	51	\$9,545	64%



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RCOC as of 2/01/2024	All	RCOC #	Goal	Percentage	# Attained
Developmental Center (DC)	25,813	9	0	0.04%	-9
Children in Foster Homes (FH)	12,344	311	315	2.52%	-4
Children Own Home Parent/Guardian	12,344	11,994	11,300	97.16%	694
Total # Children (FH,Parent/Guardian)	12,344	12,305	11,615	99.68%	690
Adult FHA	13,460	87	110	0.65%	-23
Independent Living (IL)	13,460	932	924	6.92%	8
Adults Residing Own Home - Parent	13,460	9,510	9,150	70.65%	360
Supported Living (SL)	13,460	492	512	3.66%	-20
Total # Adults (FHA, IL,Parent/Guardian, SL)	13,460	11,021	10,696	81.88%	325
Children Residing in a CCF (7+ beds)	12,344	0	0	0.00%	0
Children Residing in a ICF (7+ beds)	12,344	0	0	0.00%	0
Children Residing in a Nursing Facility (7+ beds)	12,344	0	0	0%	0
Total Children Residing in 7+ bed facilities	12,344	0	0	0.00%	0
Adults Residing in a CCF (7+ beds)	113,460	119	114	0.10%	-5
Adults Residing in a ICF (7+ beds)	113,460	15	6	0.01%	-9
Adults Residing in a Nursing Facility (7+ beds)	113,460	74	74	0.07%	0
Total Adults Residing in 7+ bed facilities	113,460	208	194	0.18%	-14
Total Individuals Over Age 3 with <=120 days	260	259	100%	100.00%	99.62%
Total Individuals Over Age 3 with 121-240 days	260	1	0%	0.38%	0.38%
Total Individuals Over Age 3 Over 240 days	260	0	0%	0.00%	0.00%
Adults with Integrated Employment Goal	13,460	48%	65%		
Total Number of Incentive Payments Made	13,460	207			
Avg. Wage per Hour After Incentive Payment	13,460	\$14.40			
Number of Persons Served with Earned Income	13,460	1,726			
Percentage of 16-64 Earned Income	13,460	22%			
Annual Earnings of 16-64	13,460	\$7,656			
Number of Adults in CIE After Paid Intern	13,460	0			
Percentage Adults Transitioned Internship to CIE	13,460	0%			
Total Annual Expenditures Race/Ethnicity	25,813				





There will be a variance between consumer data in the Operations Report and the Performance Contract. Consumer data for the Operations Report and the Performance Contract are produced on different dates and from different databases. The Operations Report numbers are based on RCOC's local database as of the end of the month. The Performance Contract numbers are based on RCOC's information as submitted to DDS on a different date.



A. Regional Center of Orange County will maintain compliance in the following areas based upon criteria set forth in RCOC's contract with the Department of Developmental Services.

Compliance Measure	Outcome
Unqualifed audit with no material findings	Yes
Substantial compliance with DDS fiscal audit	Yes
Operates within OPS budget	Yes
Certified to participate in Waiver	Yes
Compliance with vendor audit requirements per contract, Article III, sec. 10	Met
CDER/ESR current	96.32
Intake/Assessment and IFSP (0-2)	99.52
IPP development biennial	Annual, 99.46
IFSP development	69.28



I. Developmental Center

Planned Activities

Statement: The Regional Center of Orange County (RCOC) is committed to providing assistance to individuals and their families who choose to move from a State Developmental Center (SDC) into a less restrictive environment within their home communities.

Objective: RCOC will continue to seek new and innovative methods of utilizing available resources, developing non-existing resources, and creating and implementing transition plans that will allow individuals to establish themselves and participate successfully in their home community living arrangements.

• Implementation of Community Placement Plan/Resource Development Plan for FYs 2021-2022 and 2022-2023.

Progress: In FY 2019-2020, RCOC moved the last persons served from Fairview Developmental Center into the community. The remaining individuals are served at Porterville Developmental Center where they remain for competency issues. During Public Meetings in August 2022, RCOC had 8 persons served, or 0.03%, in Developmental Centers.

A. Total number and % of regional center caseload in developmental centers.

	Percentage	All Consumers	Consumers in DC			
Statewide Average	0.06%	384,188	233			
RCOC Public Hearing 8/17/22	0.03%	23,394	8	Goal	%	# Attained
RCOC 2/01/24	0.03%	25,813	9	0	0.03%	-9
Analysis as of Public Hearing	RCOC %	of DD pop	6.09%	RCOC 9	% of DC pop	3.43%



Number of Persons Served R	esiding DC'	s			Below Goal	$\overline{\mathbf{X}}$
	Total Active Caseload	Goal	DC	%	Number Attained	
Jan-23	24,544	0	10	0.04%	-10	
Feb-23	24,616	0	10	0.04%	-10	
Mar-23	24,769	0	10	0.04%	-10	
Apr-23	24,906	0	9	0.04%	-9	
May-23	25,035	0	10	0.04%	-10	
Jun-23	25,232	0	10	0.04%	-10	
Jul-23	25,350	0	10	0.04%	-10	
Aug-23	25,477	0	10	0.04%	-10	
Sep-23	25,600	0	10	0.04%	-10	
Oct-23	25,677	0	10	0.04%	-10	
Nov-23	25,722	0	9	0.03%	-9	
Dec-23	25,754	0	8	0.03%	-8	
Jan-24	25,813	0	9	0.03%	-9	
Feb-24		0				
Mar-24		0				
Apr-24		0				
May-24		0				
Jun-24		0				



II. Children Residing with Families (Child is defined as under 18 years of age)

Planned Activities

Statement: The Regional Center of Orange County (RCOC) ensures that children will reside with their families by providing the needed supports and services regardless of the severity of the child's disability.

• Continue to assess current supports and services.

• RCOC will work with the Orange County community in an effort to support programs, trainings, and services designed to provide equal access to child care for families of children with special needs (autism).

- Continue to develop innovative resources for children 0-3 years old (i.e. respite placements).
- RCOC will insure that persons served are provided opportunities for safety awareness training through schools and other similar programs available.
- Review and revise services, e.g. respite and family support.
- RCOC will insure that families receive full information about the developmental needs of the persons served and what types of services are available.

• RCOC will assure that persons served and their caregivers receive complete assessments and have the opportunity to ask questions, advocate, and access to services. To be evaluated and monitored by a National Core Indicators (NCI) survey of persons served and thier caregivers.



Progress: A. During public meetings, RCOC had 284, or 2.64%, of children in foster homes.

A. Number and % of regional center children in foster homes.

	Percentage	All Children	Children in FH			
Statewide Average	2.66%	197,711	5,256	Goal	%	# Attained
RCOC Public Hearing 8/17/22	2.64%	10,752	284	Goal	70	# Attained
RCOC 2/01/24	2.52%	12,344	311	315	2.52%	-4
Analysis as of Public Hearing	RCOC %	of DD pop.	5.44%	RCOC %	of FH_pop.	5.40%
	Total Children Status 1&2	Goal	Children in Foster Homes	%	Number Attained	Below Goal
Jan-23	11,574	315	316	2.73%	1	
Feb-23	11,616	315	313	2.69%	-2	
Mar-23	11,706	315	308	2.63%	-7	
Apr-23	11,832	315	315	2.66%	0	
May-23	11,915	315	312	2.62%	-3	
Jun-23	12,053	315	323	2.68%	8	
Jul-23	12,129	315	321	2.65%	6	
Aug-23	12,217	315	322	2.64%	7	
Sep-23	12,295	315	323	2.63%	8	
Oct-23	12,323	315	313	2.54%	-2	
Nov-23	12,332	315	315	2.55%	0	
Dec-23	12,325	315	305	2.47%	-10	
Jan-24	12,344	315	311	2.52%	-4	
Feb-24		315				
Mar-24		315]
Apr-24		315				
May-24		315]
Jun-24		315]



Progress: B. During public meetings, RCOC had 10,425, or 96.96%, of children in own-home-parent/guadian.

B. Number and % of regional center children in own home-parent/guardian.

	%	All Children	Children in own home Parent/ Guardian			
Statewide Average	96.94%					
RCOC Public Hearing 8/17/22	96.96%	10,752	10,425	Goal	%	# Attained
RCOC 2/01/24	97.16%	12,344	11,994	11,300	97.16%	694
Analysis as of Public Hearing	RCOC %	of DD pop.	5.44%	RCOC %	o of Home	96.96%

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-	Total	Children in own home Parent/	Children in Own Home Parent/		Exa C Number
	Children	Guardian	Gaurdian	%	Attained
Jan-23	11,574	11,300	11,220	96.94%	-80
Feb-23	11,616	11,300	11,264	96.97%	-36
Mar-23	11,706	11,300	11,359	97.04%	59
Apr-23	11,832	11,300	11,475	96.89%	175
May-23	11,915	11,300	11,561	97.03%	261
Jun-23	12,053	11,300	11,688	96.97%	388
Jul-23	12,129	11,300	11,765	97.00%	465
Aug-23	12,217	11,300	11,850	97.00%	550
Sep-23	12,295	11,300	11,926	97.00%	626
Oct-23	,	11,300	11,963	97.08%	663
Nov-23	12,332	11,300	11,972	97.08%	672
Dec-23	12,325	11,300	11,980	97.20%	680
Jan-24	12,344	11,300	11,994	97.16%	694
Feb-24		11,300			
Mar-24		11,300			
Apr-24		11,300			
May-24		11,300			
Jun-24		11,300			



Progress: C. During public meetings, RCOC had 10,079, or 99.46%, of children in homes.

C. Total number and % of regional center children in homes (this is a total of sections A and B above).

Statewide Average	<mark>%</mark> 99.65%	All Children 197,611	Total Number Children in Homes 196,913			
RCOC Public Hearing 8/17/22	99.60%	10,752	10,709	Goal	%	# Attained
RCOC 2/01/24	99.68%	12,344	12,305	11,615	99.68%	690
Analysis of Public Hearing	RCOC %	of DD pop	5.44%	RCOC	% Homes	87.03%
	Total Children Status		Total Number Children in	0/	G Nuntoer	eeded
L	1&2	Goal	Homes	%	Attained	
Jan-23 Feb-23	11,574 11,616	11,615 11,615	11,536 11,577	99.67% 99.66%	-79 -38	
Mar-23	11,010	11,615	11,577	99.00% 99.67%	-38 52	
Apr-23	11,700	11,615	11,007	99.65%	175	
May-23	11,915	11,615	11,770	99.65%	258	
Jun-23	12,053	11,615	12,011	99.65%	396	
Jul-23	12,129	11,615	12,086	99.65%	471	
Aug-23	12,217	11,615	12,172	99.63%	557	
Sep-23	12,295	11,615	12,249	99.63%	634	
Oct-23	12,323	11,615	12,276	99.62%	661	
Nov-23	12,332	11,615	12,287	99.64%	672	
Dec-23	12,325	11,615	12,285	99.68%	670	
Jan-24	12,344	11,615	12,305	99.68%	690	
Feb-24		11,615				
Mar-24		11,615				
Apr-24		11,615				
May-24		11,615				
Jun-24		11,615				



III. Adults Residing in Home Settings

Planned Activities

Statement: RCOC works with persons served and their caregivers and advocates to empower and enable them to assert the rights of persons served to determine and control the living arrangements of their choice. This may include owning, renting, or leasing the home where the persons served reside.

Objective: Using the Person Centered Thinking (PCT) Individual Program Planning process, Service Coordinators will continue to identify regional center adult persons served who have the hopes and desires to live in a new living arrangement. Cases are reviwed at least annually for the least restrictive environment.

• RCOC will provide service coordinator training to assist families in establishing maintenance plans in the event of temporary caregiver illness/incapacity and for eventual transition plans.

- RCOC will request vendors to include successionary maintenance and transitional plans in the event of temporary illness/incapacity and transfer of ownership in their program designs.
- RCOC will ensure that persons served are provided opportunities for safety awareness training on a regular and as needed basis.
- RCOC will review and revise services, e.g. respite and family support.
- RCOC will assure that persons served and their caregivers receive complete assessments and have opportunities to ask questions, advocate, and access services. To be evaluated and monitored by an NCI survey of persons served and their caregivers.



Progress: A. During public meetings, RCOC had 99, or 0.78%, of adults residing in Adult FHA.

A. Total number and % of regional center adult caseload residing in an Adult Family Home Agency (FHA).

		Total		1		
		Adults	Adults in			
	Percentage	Status 2	FHA			
Statewide Average	0.82%	186,242	1,529			
RCOC Public Hearing 8/17/22	0.78%	12,634	99	Goal	%	# Attained
RCOC 2/01/24	0.65%	13,460	87	110		-23
Analysis as of Public Hearing	RCOC % of DE	,	6.78%		f EHA pop	6.47%
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	Total				Below Goal	
	Adults		Adults in		Number	
	Status 2	Goal	FHA	%	Attained	
Jan-23	12,970	110	91	0.70%	-19	
Feb-23	12,990	110	90	0.69%	-20	
Mar-23	13,053	110	90	0.69%	-20	
Apr-23	13,065	110	90	0.69%	-20	
May-23	13,110	110	90	0.69%	-20	
Jun-23	13,179	110	89	0.68%	-21	
Jul-23	13,211	110	90	0.68%	-20	
Aug-23	13,250	110	89	0.67%	-21	
Sep-23	13,295	110	87	0.65%	-23	
Oct-23	13,344	110	86	0.64%	-24	
Nov-23	13,381	110	86	0.64%	-24	
Dec-23	13,421	110	86	0.64%	-24	
Jan-24	13,460	110	87	0.65%	-23	
Feb-24		110				
Mar-24		110				
Apr-24		110				
May-24		110				
Jun-24		110				



Progress: B. During public meetings, RCOC had 903, or 7.15%, of adults residing in independent living.

B. Total number and % of regioanl center adults in independent living.

		Total	Adults in			
		Adults	Independent			
	Percentage	Status 2	Living			
Statewide Average	9.48%	186,242	17,651			
RCOC Public Hearing 8/17/22	7.15%	12,634	903	Goal	%	# Attained
RCOC 2/01/24	6.92%	13,460	932	924	6.92%	8
Analysis of Public Hearing	RCOC % o	of DD pop	6.78%	RGOC %	of IL pop	51207
	Total		Adults in		Exceeded Goal	
	Adults		Independent		UUai	
	Status 2	Goal	Living	%	Attained	
Jan-23	12,970	924	907	6.99%	-17	
Feb-23	12,990	924	912	7.02%	-12	
Mar-23	13,053	924	917	7.03%	-7	
Apr-23	13,065	924	924	7.07%	0	
May-23	13,110	924	930	7.09%	6	
Jun-23	13,179	924	935	7.09%	11	
Jul-23	13,211	924	937	7.09%	13	
Aug-23	13,250	924	934	7.05%	10	
Sep-23		924	935	7.03%	11	
Oct-23	13,344	924	937	7.02%	13	
Nov-23	13,381	924	935	6.99%	11	
Dec-23	13,421	924	928	6.91%	4	
Jan-24	13,460	924	932	6.92%	8	
Feb-24		924				
Mar-24		924				
Apr-24		924				
May-24		924				
Jun-24		924				



Progress: C. During public meetings, RCOC had 8,719, or 69.01%, of adults residing in own home-parent.

C. Total number and % of regional center adults residing in own home-parent.

			Adults			
		Total	Residing			
		Adults	Own Home -			
	Percentage	Status 2	Parent			
Statewide Average	67.43%	186,242	125,589			
RCOC Public Hearing 8/17/22	69.01%	12,634	8,719	Goal	%	# Attained
RCOC 2/01/24	70.65%	13,460	9,510	9,150	70.65%	360
Analysis of Public Hearing	RCOC % o	f DD pop	6.78%	RCOC % o	f own home	6.94%
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\wedge			Adults		Exceeded	
	Total		Residing		Goal	
7~5	Adults		Own Home -		Number	
	Status 2	Goal	Parent	%	Attained	
Jan-23	12,970	9,150	9,052	69.79%	-98	
Feb-23	12,990	9,150	9,072	69.84%	-78	
Mar-23	13,053	9,150	9,120	69.87%	-30	1
Apr-23	13,065	9,150	9,132	69.90%	-18	1
May-23	13 110	9 1 5 0	9 1 8 1	70.03%	31	1

	Status 2	Goal	Parent	%	Attained
Jan-23	12,970	9,150	9,052	69.79%	-98
Feb-23	12,990	9,150	9,072	69.84%	-78
Mar-23	13,053	9,150	9,120	69.87%	-30
Apr-23	13,065	9,150	9,132	69.90%	-18
May-23	13,110	9,150	9,181	70.03%	31
Jun-23	13,179	9,150	9,241	70.12%	91
Jul-23	13,211	9,150	9,263	70.12%	113
Aug-23	13,250	9,150	9,305	70.23%	155
Sep-23	13,295	9,150	9,346	70.30%	196
Oct-23	13,344	9,150	9,401	70.45%	251
Nov-23	13,381	9,150	9,440	70.55%	290
Dec-23	13,421	9,150	9,475	70.60%	325
Jan-24	13,460	9,150	9,510	70.65%	360
Feb-24		9,150			
Mar-24		9,150			
Apr-24		9,150			
May-24		9,150			
Jun-24		9,150			



Progress: D. During public meetings, RCOC had 496, or 3.93%, of adults residing in supported living.

D. Total number and % of regional center adults residing in supported living.

			Adults			
		Total	Residing in			
		Adults	Supported			
	Percentage	Status 2	Living			
Statewide Average	5.02%	186,242	9,359			
RCOC Public Hearing 8/17/22	3.93%	12,634	496	Goal	%	# Attained
RCOC 2/01/24	3.66%	13,460	492	512	3.66%	-20
Analysis of Public Hearing	RCOC % o	f DD pop	6.78%	RCOC %	of SL pop	5.30%

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			Adults		Belov	
	Total		Residing		Goa	
	Adults		Supported		Number	
	Status 2	Goal	Living	%	Attained	
Jan-23	12,970	512	492	3.79%	-20	
Feb-23	12,990	512	493	3.80%	-19	
Mar-23	13,053	512	499	3.82%	-13	
Apr-23	13,065	512	498	3.81%	-14	
May-23	13,110	512	498	3.80%	-14	
Jun-23	13,179	512	500	3.79%	-12	
Jul-23	13,211	512	499	3.78%	-13	
Aug-23	13,250	512	495	3.74%	-17	
Sep-23	13,295	512	495	3.72%	-17	
Oct-23	13,344	512	491	3.68%	-21	
Nov-23	13,381	512	492	3.68%	-20	
Dec-23	13,421	512	491	3.66%	-21	
Jan-24	13,460	512	492	3.66%	-20	
Feb-24		512				
Mar-24		512				
Apr-24		512				
May-24		512				
Jun-24		512				



Progress: E. During public meetings, RCOC had 10,217, or 80.97%, of adults residing in home settings.

E. Total number and % of regional center adults in home settings (this is a total of sections A, B, C, and D above).

			Total			
			Number			
		Total	Adults in			
		Adults	Home			
	Percentage	Status 2	Settings			
Statewide Average	82.75%	186,242	154,119			
RCOC Public Heaing 8/17/22	80.97%	12,634	10,217	Goal	%	# Attained
RCOC 2/01/24	81.88%	13,460	11,021	10,696	81.88%	325
Analysis of Public Hearing	RCOC % o	f DD pop	6.78%	RCOC % of Home 6.0		6.63%

			Total		Exceeded	
			Number		Goal	
	Total		Adults in			
	Adults		Home		Number	
	Status 2	Goal	Settings	%	Attained	
Jan-23	12,970	10,696	10,542	81.28%	-154	
Feb-23	12,990	10,696	10,567	81.35%	-129	
Mar-23	13,053	10,696	10,626	81.41%	-70	
Apr-23	13,065	10,696	10,644	81.47%	-52	
May-23	13,110	10,696	10,699	81.61%	3	
Jun-23	13,179	10,696	10,765	81.68%	69	
Jul-23	13,211	10,696	10,789	81.67%	93	
Aug-23	13,250	10,696	10,823	81.68%	127	
Sep-23	13,295	10,696	10,863	81.71%	167	
Oct-23	13,344	10,696	10,915	81.80%	219	
Nov-23	13,421	10,696	10,980	81.81%	284	
Dec-23	13,460	10,696	11,021	81.88%	325	
Jan-24		10,696				
Feb-24		10,696				
Mar-24		10,696				
Apr-24		10,696				
May-24		10,696				
Jun-24		10,696				



IV. Children Residing in Facilities with Seven or More Beds (Excluding Developmental Centers)

Planned Activities

Statement: RCOC provides for the needs of children with medical issues or challenign behaviors in seven or greater bed facilities for limited time periods when smaller facilities cannot meet needs.

Objective: RCOC will place only those children with medical issues or challenging behaviors in seven or greater facilities.

• RCOC will continue seeking appropriate placement in smaller facilities for these children and to support creative services and supports which would allow placement in existing small facilities, as well as development of new small facilities as needed, utilizing appropriate services and supports to ensure success for these persons served.

• RCOC will adhere to Trailer Bill Language relating to the use of larger facilities to ensure the least restrictive environment is supported.



Progress: A. During public meetings, RCOC had 0, or 0.00%, of children residing in a Community Care Facility (CCF) 7+ beds. Placements to 7+ bed CCF facilities are at family request and/or due to specialized services.

A. Total number and % of regional center children residing in a CCF 7+ beds.

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		Total	Children			
		Children	Residing in			
	D	Status	CCF 7+			
	Percentage	1&2	Beds			
Statewide Average	0.01%	197,711	13	~ 1	0.4	
RCOC Public Hearing 8/17/22	0.00%	10,752	0	Goal	%	# Attained
RCOC 2/01/24	0.00%	12,344	0	0	0.00%	0
Analysis of Public Hearing	RCOC % of	f DD pop	5.44%	RCOC %	of CCF 7+	0.00%
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\wedge			Children		Met	
	Total		Residing		Goal	
\sim	Children		CCF 7+		Number	
	Status 1&2	Goal	Beds	%	Attained	
Jan-23	11,574	0	1	0.01%	-1	
Feb-23	11,616	0	1	0.01%	-1	
Mar-23	11,706	0	1	0.01%	-1	
Apr-23	11,832	0	1	0.01%	-1	
May-23	11,915	0	1	0.01%	-1	
Jun-23	12,053	0	1	0.01%	-1	
Jul-23	12,129	0	1	0.01%	-1	
Aug-23	12,217	0	1	0.01%	-1	
Sep-23	12,295	0	0	0.00%	0	
Oct-23	12,323	0	0	0.00%	0	
Nov-23	12,332	0	0	0.00%	0	
Dec-23	12,325	0	0	0.00%	0	
Jan-24	12,344	0	0	0.00%	0	
Feb-24		0				
Mar-24		0				
Apr-24		0				
May-24		0				
Jun-24		0				



Progress: B. During public meetings, RCOC had 0, or 0.00%, of children residing in an Intermediate Care Facility (ICF) 7+ beds.

B. Total number and % of regional center children residing in an ICF 7+ beds.

Statewide Average RCOC Public Hearing 8/17/22 RCOC 2/01/24 Analysis of Public Hearing	Percentage 0.02% 0.00% 0.00% 0.00%	Total Children Status 1&2 197,711 10,752 12,344 FDD pop	Children Residing in an ICF 7+ beds 34 0 0 5.44%	Goal 0 RCOC %	% 0.00% of ICF 7+	# Attained 0 0.00%
	Total Children Status 1&2	Goal	Children Residing ICF 7+ Beds	%	Met Goal Number Attained	
Jan-23	12,574	0	0	0.00%	0	
Feb-23	11,616	0	0	0.00%	0	
Mar-23	11,706	0	0	0.00%	0	
Apr-23	11,832	0	0	0.00%	0	
May-23	11,915	0	0	0.00%	0	
Jun-23	12,053	0	0	0.00%	0	
Jul-23	12,129	0	0	0.00%	0	
Aug-23	12,217	0	0	0.00%	0	
Sep-23	12,295	0	0	0.00%	0	
Oct-23	12,323	0	0	0.00%	0	
Nov-23	12,332	0	0	0.00%	0	
Dec-23	12,325	0	0	0.00%	0	
Jan-24	12,344	0	0	0.00%	0	
Feb-24		0				
Mar-24		0				
Apr-24		0				
May-24		0				
Jun-24		0				



Progress: C. During public meetings, RCOC had no children residing in a nursing facility. Placements to nursing facilities are at family request and/or due to specialized services.

C. Total number and % of regional center children residing in a nursing facility.

		Total	Children			
		Children	Residing in			
		Status	a Nursing			
	Percentage	1&2	Facility			
Statewide Average	0.00%	197,711	7			
RCOC Public Hearing 8/17/22	0.00%	10,752	0	Goal	%	# Attained
RCOC 2/01/24	0.00%	12,344	0	0	0.00%	0
Analysis of Public Hearing	RCOC % of	f DD pop	5.44%	RCOC	% of NF	0.00%



			Children		Met Goal	
	T (1		Residing in			
	Total		a Nursing		NT 1	
	Children	C 1	Facility	0 (Number	
	Status 1&2	Goal	(NF)	%	Attained	
Jan-23	12,574	0	0	0.00%	0	
Feb-23	11,616	0	0	0.00%	0	
Mar-23	11,706	0	0	0.00%	0	
Apr-23	11,832	0	0	0.00%	0	
May-23	11,915	0	0	0.00%	0	
Jun-23	12,053	0	0	0.00%	0	
Jul-23	12,129	0	0	0.00%	0	
Aug-23	12,217	0	0	0.00%	0	
Sep-23	12,295	0	0	0.00%	0	
Oct-23	12,323	0	0	0.00%	0	
Nov-23	12,332	0	0	0.00%	0	
Dec-23	12,325	0	0	0.00%	0	
Jan-24	12,344	0	0	0.00%	0	
Feb-24		0				
Mar-24		0				
Apr-24		0				
May-24		0				
Jun-24		0				



Progress: D. During public meetings, RCOC had 0, or 0.00%, of children residing in a facility with 7+ beds. Placements to 7+ bed facilities are at family request and/or due to specialized services.

D.Total number and % of regional center children residing in a facility with 7+ beds (*this is a total of sections A, B, and C above*).

			Total			
		Total	Children			
		Children	Residing in			
		Status	a 7+ Bed			
	Percentage	1&2	Facility			
Statewide Average	0.03%	197,711	54			
RCOC Public Hearing 8/17/22	0.00%	10,752	0	Goal	%	# Attained
RCOC 2/01/24	0.00%	12,344	0	0	0.00%	0
Analysis of Public Hearing	RCOC % of	f DD pop	5.44%	RCOC 9	% 7+ Bed	0.00%
\wedge			Total		Met	
	Total		Children		Goal	
$2 \sim 1$	Children		Residing in		Number	
	Status 1&2	Goal	7+ Bed	%	Attained	
Jan-23	11,574	0	1	0.01%	-1	
Feb-23	11,616	0	1	0.01%	-1	
Mar-23	11,706	0	1	0.01%	-1	
Apr-23	11,832	0	1	0.01%	-1	
May-23	11,915	0	1	0.01%	-1	
Jun-23	12,053	0	1	0.01%	-1	
Jul-23	12,129	0	1	0.01%	-1	
Aug-23	12,217	0	1	0.01%	-1	
Sep-23	12,295	0	0	0.00%	0	
Oct-23	12,323	0	0	0.00%	0	
Nov-23	12,332	0	0	0.00%	0	
Dec-23	12,325	0	0	0.00%	0	
Jan-24	12,344	0	0	0.00%	0	
Feb-24		0				
Mar-24		0				
Apr-24		0				
May-24		0				
Jun-24		0				



V. Adults Residing in Facilities with Seven or More Beds (Excluding Developmental Centers)

Planned Activities

Statement: RCOC continues to ensure that individuals with developmental disabilities have more choices in living options regardless of the severity of their disabilities.

Objective: RCOC will place ony those adults with medical issues or challenging behaviors in seven bed or greater facilities.

• RCOC will continue seeking appropriate placement in smaller facilities for these persons served and to support creative services and supports which would allow placement in existing small facilities, as well development of new small facilities as needed, utilizing appropriate services and supports to ensure success for these persons served.

• RCOC will adhere to Trailer Bill Language relating to the use of larger residential facilities to ensure the least restrictive environment is supported.



Progress: A. During public meetings, RCOC had 122, or 0.97%, of adults residing in a CCF 7+ bed. Placements to 7+ CCF are at family request and/or due to specialized services. RCOC has several long term vendors with 7+ bed homes, and will continue to work together to implement Trailer Bill Language regarding the use of these homes.

A. Total number and % of regional center adults residing in a Community Care Facility (CCF) 7+ beds.

		Total	Adults in				
		Adults	CCF 7+				
	Percentage	Status 2	Beds				
Statewide Average	0.79%	186,242	1,466				
RCOC Public Hearing 8/17/22	0.97%	12,634	122	Goal	%	# Attained	
RCOC 2/01/24	0.88%	13,460	119	114	0.88%	-5	
Analysis of Public Hearing	RCOC % of	f DD pop	6.78%	RCOC % A	dult 7+ CCF	8.32%	
							7
			Adults			Below	$\langle \ $
	Total		Residing			Goal	
	Adults		in CCF		Number		
	Status 2	Goal	7+ Beds	%	Attained		
Jan-23	12,970	114	120	0.93%	-6		
Feb-23	12,990	114	121	0.93%	-7		
Mar-23	13,053	114	119	0.91%	-5		
Apr-23	13,065	114	118	0.90%	-4		
May-23	13,110	114	118	0.90%	-4		
Jun-23	13,179	114	117	0.89%	-3		
Jul-23	13,211	114	115	0.87%	-1		
Aug-23	13,250	114	115	0.87%	-1		
Sep-23	13,295	114	113	0.85%	1		
Oct-23	13,344	114	113	0.85%	1		
Nov-23	13,381	114	112	0.84%	2		
Dec-23	13,421	114	114	0.85%	0		
Jan-24	13,460	114	119	0.88%	-5		
Feb-24		114					
Mar-24		114					
Apr-24		114					
May-24		114					
Jun-24		114					



Progress: B. During public meetings, RCOC had 12, or 0.09%, of adults residing in an Intermediate Care Facility (ICF) 7+ beds. Placements to 7+ bed facilities are at family request and/or due to specialized services.

B. Total number and % of regional center adults residing in an ICF 7+ beds.

			Adults				
		Total	Residing				
		Adults	ICF 7+				
	Percentage	Status 2	Beds				
Statewide Average	0.41%	186,242	755				
RCOC Public Hearing 8/17/22	0.09%	12,634	12	Goal	%	# Attained	
RCOC 2/01/24	0.11%	13,460	15	6	0.11%	-9	
Analysis of Public Hearing	RCOC % of	f DD pop	6.78%	RCOC %	% ICF 7+	1.59%	
							1
<u> </u>			Adults			Below	
	Total		Residing			Goal	
	Adults		ICF 7+		Number		
	Status 2	Goal	Beds	%	Attained		
Jan-23	,	6	14	0.11%	-8		
Feb-23	,	6	13	0.10%	-7		
Mar-23	13,053	6	13	0.10%	-7		
Apr-23		6	14	0.11%	-8		
May-23	-	6	14	0.11%	-8		
Jun-23	13,179	6	15	0.11%	-9		
Jul-23	,	6	15	0.11%	-9		
Aug-23	-	6	15	0.11%	-9		
Sep-23	-	6	16	0.12%	-10		
Oct-23	,	6	16	0.12%	-10		
Nov-23	,	6	16	0.12%	-10	-	
Dec-23	13,421	6	15	0.11%	-9	-	
Jan-24	,	6	15	0.11%	-9	-	
Feb-24		6				-	
Mar-24		6				-	
Apr-24		6				-	
May-24		6					
Jun-24		6					



Progress: C. During public meetings, RCOC had 78, or 0.62%, of adults residing in a nursing facility (NF). Placements to nursing facilities are at family reqest and/or due to medical or specialized services.

C. Total number and % of regional center adults residing in a nursing facility.

		T 1					
		Total	Adults				
	-	Adults	Residing				
	Percentage	Status 2	in NF				
Statewide Average	0.52%	186,242	967				
RCOC Public Hearing 8/17/22	0.62%	12,634	78	Goal	%	# Attained	
RCOC 2/01/24	0.55%	13,460	74	74	0.55%	0	
Analysis of Public Hearing	RCOC % DD po	р	6.78%	RCOC % NF		8.07%	
	Total		Adults			Met Goal	
	Adults		Residing		Number	Goai	
	Status 2	Goal	in NF	%	Attained		
Jan-23	12,970	74	79	0.61%	-5		
Feb-23	12,990	74	80	0.62%	-6	1	
Mar-23	13,053	74	91	0.70%	-17		
Apr-23	13,065	74	91	0.70%	-17		
May-23	13,110	74	81	0.62%	-7	1	
Jun-23	13,179	74	79	0.60%	-5		
Jul-23	13,211	74	75	0.57%	-1		
Aug-23	13,250	74	75	0.57%	-1		
Sep-23	13,295	74	74	0.56%	0		
Oct-23	13,344	74	74	0.55%	0	1	
Nov-23	13,381	74	75	0.56%	-1	1	
Dec-23	13,421	74	79	0.59%	-5		
Jan-24	13,460	74	74	0.55%	0		
Feb-24		74					
Mar-24		74					
Apr-24		74					
May-24		74					
Jun-24		74				1	



Progress: D. During public meetings, RCOC had 212, or 1.68%, of adults residing in a facility with 7+ beds. Placements to 7+ bed facilities are at family request and/or due to specialized services.

D. Total number and % of adults residing in a facility with 7+ beds (*this is a total of sections A, B, and C above*).

		Total Adults	Total Adults Residing in 7+			
	Percentage	Status 2	Bed			
Statewide Average	1.71%	186,242	3,188			
RCOC Public Hearing 8/17/22	1.68%	12,634	212	Goal	%	# Attained
RCOC 2/01/24	1.55%	13,460	208	194	1.55%	-14
Analysis of Public Meeting	RCOC % of DD	рор	6.78%	RCOC % 7+	Bed	6.65%

			Total			Balan	
			Adults			Below Goal	
	Total		Residing				
	Adults		in 7+		Number		
	Status 2	Goal	Beds	%	Attained		
Jan-23	12,970	194	194	1.64%	-19		
Feb-23	12,990	194	214	1.65%	-20		
Mar-23	13,053	194	223	1.71%	-29		
Apr-23	13,065	194	223	1.71%	-29		
May-23	13,110	194	213	1.62%	-19		
Jun-23	13,179	194	211	1.60%	-17		
Jul-23	13,211	194	205	1.55%	-11		
Aug-23	13,250	194	205	1.55%	-11		
Sep-23	13,295	194	203	1.53%	-9		
Oct-23	13,344	194	203	1.52%	-9		
Nov-23	13,381	194	203	1.52%	-9		
Dec-23	13,421	194	208	1.55%	-14		
Jan-24	13,460	194	208	1.55%	-14		
Feb-24		194					
Mar-24		194					
Apr-24		194					
May-24		194					
Jun-24		194					



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VI. Intake Duration

Planned Activities

Statement: Management and Service Coordinator staff receive a monthly report on the duration of individuals age 3 and over who are in the intake process.

Objective: RCOC will continue to ensure that the duration of individuals ages 3 and over in the Intake process is within mandated timeline.

• RCOC will provide persons served and their caregivers/advocates with initial information about developmental needs, and about the services and supports available, inside and outside of RCOC.



Progress: A. During public meetings, RCOC had 222, or 98.23%, of regional center individuals over age 3 with <=120 days.

A. Total number and % of regional center individuals over age 3 with <=120 days.

		Total #		
	Total #	Over Age 3		
	Age 3 or	with <=120		
Percentage	Over	Days		
95.05%	9,095	8,645		
98.00%	226	222	Goal	% Attained
99.62%	260	259	100.00%	99.62%
	95.05% 98.00%	Age 3 or Percentage Over 95.05% 9,095 98.00% 226	Total # Over Age 3 Age 3 or with <=120	Total # Over Age 3 Age 3 or with <=120

	Total		Total		Below
			Number	4	Goal
	Number		Individuals		
	Individuals		Over Age 3		
	Age 3 or		with <=120	%	
	Over	Goal	Days	Attained	
Jan-23	242	100%	240	99.17%	
Feb-23	262	100%	260	99.24%	
Mar-23	237	100%	237	100%	
Apr-23	285	100%	285	100%	
May-23	317	100%	317	100%	
Jun-23	290	100%	290	100%	
Jul-23	297	100%	295	99.33%	
Aug-23	283	100%	283	100%	
Sep-23	273	100%	269	98.53%	
Oct-23	247	100%	247	100%	
Nov-23	274	100%	274	100%	
Dec-23	270	100%	270	100%	
Jan-24	260	100%	259	99.62%	
Feb-24		100%			
Mar-24		100%			
Apr-24		100%			
May-24		100%			
Jun-24		100%			



Progress: B. During public meetings, RCOC had 4, or 1.77%, of regional center individuals over age 3 with 121-240 days.

B. Total number and % of regional center individuals over age 3 with 121-240 days.

			Total		
		Total	Number of		
		Number	Individuals		
		Individual	Over Age 3		
		s Age 3	With 121-		
	Percentage	and Over	240 Days		
Statewide Average	3.83%	9,095	348		
RCOC Public Hearing 8/17/22	2.00%	226	4	Goal	% Attained
RCOC 2/01/24	0.38%	260	1	0.00%	0.38%



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	Total		Total Number	\geq	Below Goal	
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	Number of		Individuals			
	Individuals		Over Age 3			
	Age 3 or		With 121-			
	Over	Goal	240 Days	%		
Jan-23	242	0.00%	1	0.41%		
Feb-23	262	0.00%	1	0.38%		
Mar-23	237	0.00%	0	0.00%		
Apr-23	285	0.00%	0	0.00%		
May-23	317	0.00%	0	0.00%		
Jun-23	290	0.00%	0	0.00%		
Jul-23	297	0.00%	2	0.67%		
Aug-23	283	0.00%	0	0.00%		
Sep-23	273	0.00%	4	1.47%		
Oct-23	247	0.00%	0	0.00%		
Nov-23	274	0.00%	0	0.00%		
Dec-23	270	0.00%	0	0.00%		
Jan-24	260	0.00%	1	0.38%		
Feb-24		0.00%				
Mar-24		0.00%				
Apr-24		0.00%				
May-24		0.00%				
Jun-24		0.00%				



Progress: C. During public meetings, RCOC had 0, or 0.00%, of regional center individuals over age 3 with over 240 days.

C. Total number and % of regional center individuals over age 3 with over 240 days.

			Total		
		Total	Number		
		Number	Individuals		
		Individual	Over Age 3		
		s Age 3 or	Over 240		
	Percentage	Over	Days		
Statewide Average	1.12%	9,095	102		
RCOC Public Meeting 8/17/22	0.00%	226	0	Goal	% Attained
RCOC 2/01/24	0.00%	260	0	0.00%	0.00%



			Total		
	Total		Number		Met
	Number		Individuals		Goal
	Individuals		Over Age 3		
	Age 3 or		Over 240	%	
	Over	Goal	Days	Attained	
Jan-23	242	0%	1	0.41%	
Feb-23	262	0%	1	0.38%	
Mar-23	237	0%	0	0.00%	
Apr-23	285	0%	0	0.00%	
May-23	317	0%	0	0.00%	
Jun-23	290	0%	0	0.00%	
Jul-23	297	0%	0	0.00%	
Aug-23	283	0%	0	0.00%	
Sep-23	273	0%	0	0.00%	
Oct-23	247	0%	0	0.00%	
Nov-23	274	0%	0	0.00%	
Dec-23	270	0%	0	0.00%	
Jan-24	260	0%	0	0.00%	
Feb-24		0%			
Mar-24		0%			
Apr-24		0%			
May-24		0%			
Jun-24		0%			

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VII. National Core Indicators (NCI) Employment

Planned Activities

Statement: RCOC has adopted an Employment First Policy making competitive integrated employment (CIE) the first option considered by planning teams for every working adult served by RCOC.

Objective: RCOC will implement its Employment First Policy by providing persons served and family members with information regarding the opportunity and support to work in employment settings that are meaningful to them and by annually reviewing those opportunities with individuals to ensure they are engaged in activities of thier choosing. RCOC will make incentive payments to vendors who assist individuals obtain CIE and maintain those positions over time.

Progress: A. Results from the National Core Indicator surveys conducted in FY 2014-15, 47% of those interviewed indicated a desire for work in the community. For FY 2021-22, 48% of those interviewed also expressed a desire for employment in their community.

A. Percentage of adults who reported having integrated employment as a goal in their IPP.

	Percentage	
RCOC FY 2011-12	46%	Goal
RCOC FY 2014-15	47%	50%
RCOC FY 2018-19	57%	65%
RCOC FY 2020-21	48%	70%



Progress: B. RCOC will authorize incentive payments to service providers who assist individuals obtaining competitive integrated employment. RCOC will make initial payments based upon hire date, and additional payments will be made upon subsequent milestonse related to length of employment.

B. Total number of 30 day, 6 month, and 12 month incentive payments made within the fiscal year.

Fiscal Year	30 Day	6 Month	12 Month
2017-18	155	97	78
2018-19	151	128	83
2019-20	131	115	90
2020-21	84	63	60
Goal	110	85	75

Progress: C. RCOC will work with local employment agencies and businesses to assist individuals obtain desired hours of employment on a weekly/monthly basis. Individuals will review this during the initial hiring phase when incentive payments are being sought.

C. Average wages and hours worked for adults engaged in CIE when incentive payments have been made on their behalf.

Fiscal Year	Hours Week	Wage
2017-18	23.5	\$11.31
2018-19	21	\$12.06
2019-20	22	\$13.06
2020-21	20	\$14.40
Goal	24	\$15.50



VIII. Employment Development Department (EDD) Employment

Planned Activities

Statement: RCOC service coordinators and vendors are implementing RCOC's Employment First Policy of competitive integrated employment (CIE) as the first option for persons served.

Objective: RCOC service coordinators will implement Employment First Policy by providing persons served and families information on job preparation and procurement at annual Individual Transition Meetings (ITP) through the school and Individual Program Planning (IPP) meetings through RCOC. RCOC will continue to work on development of new programs that will emphasize a focus on CIE as a primary outcome. RCOC will work with service providers and employers to move individuals participating in Paid Internship Program (PIP) into CIE.

Progress: A. Results from the Employment Development Department (EDD) conducted in 2019 indicate that 2,335 persons served ages 16-64 had earned income. In 2020, 1,726 persons served ages 16-64 had earned income.

A. Number of persons served ages 16-64 with earned income.



	RCOC	Statewide Avg.
2016	2,085	1,201
2017	2,341	1,294
2018	3,336	1,311
2019	2,335	1,341
2020	1,726	1,082



Progress: B. Results from the EDD in 2019 indicate that 20% of persons served ages 16-64 reported having earned income. In 2020, the percentage of persons served ages 16-64 reporting earned income was 22.22%.

B. Percentage of persons served ages 16-64 reporting earned income.

		RCOC	Statewide Avg.
\mathbf{A}	2017	21%	17%
	2018	21%	16%
	2019	20%	16%
	2020	22%	19%

Progress: C. Results from the EDD in 2018 indicate that average annual wages for persons served ages 16-64 was \$8,806. In 2019, the average annual wage for persons served ages 16-64 was \$9,578. This measure will also compare average annual wages of all people with disabilities

C. Annual earnings of age group 16-64 of people with intellectual disabilities, compared with all persons with disabilities in California.

	RCOC	Statewide Avg.
2017	\$7,580	\$9,033
2018	\$8,806	\$10,317
2019	\$9,578	\$11,327
2020	\$7,656	\$9,733



Progress: D. In FY 2016-17, RCOC began working with service providers to place individuals into Paid Internship Program (PIP) opportunities to help develop employment interests and lead into CIE opportunites. In 2020 RCOC had 11 individuals within a PIP that resulted in employment, and for 2021 that number decreased to 0 individuals.

D. Number of adults placed in CIE following participation in a PIP.

	Total
2017-18	1
2018-19	7
2019-20	11
2020-21	0

Progress: E. RCOC will obtain data related to the overall percentage of adults participating in a paid internship who transition into a competitive employment setting. This program began ni FY 2016-17. In FY 2020-21, 0% of adults transitioned from an Internship to Competitive Employment.

E. Percentage of adults who transitioned from internship to competitive employment.

	% Adults
2018-19	21%
2019-20	14%
2020-21	0%

Progress: F. RCOC will monitor the hourly/salaried wages and hours worked per week for persons served who participate in a paid internship. Hours and wages will be competitively based on the job type and market rate for each setting.

F. Average hourly wage and weekly hours worked in PIP during the previous fiscal year.

	Hours Week	Wage
2018-19	18	\$12.34
2019-20	13	\$13.43
2020-21	13	\$13.98



IX. Reducing Disparities and Improving Equity in Purchase of Service Expenditures.

Statement: RCOC works to ensure that the support services are flexible and innovative in meeting the family's needs as they evolve over time, are tailoered to the preferences of the individual family, and are consistent with their cultural norms and customs.

Objective: RCOC service coordinators will work with persons served and families to develop IPP goals and objectives to address their choices of living situations. RCOC will work to develop services in the community that meet the cultural and background preferences of persons served and family members to ensure the availability of resources. RCOC will continue outreach efforts within our community to overcome potential cultural barriers when identifying appropriate services. RCOC is working to expand family outreach and support options by developing new resources within our community. RCOC will continue to develop community programs that allow for a range of options for persons served when selecting those services. RCOC service coordinators will receive initial and ongoing training related to IPP development that ensures meaningful participation of persons served and their families and will focus on Person Centered Thinking skills and outcomes. RCOC will be working to simplify and translate important documents. RCOC continues to outreach with outside agencies such as parent support groups leaders, family support groups, social services agencies, faithbased organizations and educational agencies, as well as providing information via e-mail in the primary language of the family.



Progress: A. Review of fiscal year 2017-18 purchase of service data and client master file (CMF) for initial data source. Fiscal year 2020-21 data reflects either an increase or decrease in services and expenditures related to disparity criteria.

A. Percent of total annual purchase of service (POS) expenditures by individuals ethnicity and age: Birth to age 2; Age 3-21; 22 and older.

Birth to Age 2				
Ethnicity	Total Persons	Percentage of Expenditures	Total Authorized	Utilized
American Indian or Alaska Native	7 ↑	0.08% ↑	\$27,709 ↑	46.8% ↓
Asian	888 ↑	19% ↑	\$6,974,303↓	62.3% ↓
Black/African American	78 ↑	1.42% ↑	\$521,436 ↑	57.1%↑
Hispanic	1,808↓	32.71% ↓	\$11,986,479↓	58.1%↓
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	12↑	0.24% ↑	\$89,096↑	64.6% ↑
Other Ethnicity or Race / Multi- Cultural	1,314↓	27.2% ↑	\$9,968,093 ↓	60.8% ↑
White	1,067 ↑	19.31% ↑	\$7,075,012 ↓	57% ↓
Totals	5,174 ↓	100.0%	\$36,642,130↓	

Age 3 to 21 Years				
Ethnicity	Total Persons	Percentage of Expenditures	Total Authorized	Utilized
American Indian or Alaska Native	15 ↑	0.9% ↑	\$94,851 ↓	49.9% ↓
Asian	1,913 ↑	16.68% ↓	\$17,881,688 ↑	51.6% ↓
Black/African American	199 ↑	2% ↑	\$2,162,089 ↑	55.1% ↓
Hispanic	3,974 ↑	28.43% ↓	\$30,489,363 ↑	56.7% ↓
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	18 ↓	0.2% ↑	\$217,214 ↑	57% ↓
Other Ethnicity or Race / Multi- Cultural	1,933 ↑	19.97% ↑	\$21,410,236↑	53.5% ↓
White	2,213↓	32.62% ↓	\$34,978,597 ↑	63.8% ↓
Totals	10,265 ↑	100.0%	\$107,234,038 ↑	



Age 22 and Over				
Ethnicity	Total Persons	Percentage of Expenditures	Total Authorized	Utilized
American Indian or Alaska Native	22 ↓	$0.3\% \leftrightarrow$	\$1,474,983 ↑	82.8% ↓
Asian	1,442 ↑	11.3% ↓	\$53,498,601 ↑	74.6% ↓
Black/African American	261 ↑	2.7% ↓	\$12,799,478 ↑	80.7% ↓
Hispanic	2,793 ↑	18.76% ↓	\$88,798,778 ↑	76.7% ↓
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	12 ↑	1%	\$349,818 ↑	71.6% ↓
Other Ethnicity or Race / Multi- Cultural	848 ↑	7.5% ↑	\$35,244,572 ↑	78% ↓
White	4,757 ↑	59.39% ↑	\$281,084,614 ↑	79.3% ↓
Totals	10,135 ↑	100.0%	\$473,250,844 ↑	



Progress: B. Review of fiscal year 2020-21 POS date and regional center caseload data. Initial data generation will be compared to subsequent FY information.

B. Number of individuals receiving only case management services by age and ethnicity: Birth to age 2; Age 3-21; Age 22 and older.

Birth to 2 Years			
	Total	Case	Percent No
Ethnicity	Eligible	Management	Services
American Indian or Alaska Native	7 ↑	0 ↓	0.0% ↓
Asian	888 ↑	77 ↑	8.7% ↑
Black/African American	78 ↑	4 ↑	5.1% ↑
Hispanic	1,808 ↓	181 ↑	10% ↑
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific	12 ↑	0	0.0%
Islander	12	0	0.070
Other Ethnicity or Race / Multi-	1 214	70 ↑	Q 60/. ↑
Cultural	1,314↓	70	8.6% ↑
White	1,067 ↑	70 ↑	$6.6\%\uparrow$
Totals	5,174↓	445 ↑	8.6% ↑

Age 3 to 21 Years			
Ethnicity	Total Eligible	Case Management	Percent No Services
American Indian or Alaska Native	15	7 ↑	46.7% ↑
Asian	1,913 ↑	779 ↑	40.7% ↑
Black/African American	199 ↑	83 ↑	41.7% ↑
Hispanic	3,974 ↑	1,984 ↑	46.9% ↓
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	18↓	11	61.1% ↑
Other Ethnicity or Race / Multi- Cultural	1,933 ↑	742 ↑	38.4% ↑
White	2,213 ↑	789 ↑	35.7% ↑
Totals	10,265 ↑	4,395 ↑	42.8% ↑



Age 22 and Older			
	Total	Case	Percent No
Ethnicity	Eligible	Management	Services
American Indian or Alaska Native	22↓	3 ↓	13.6% ↓
Asian	1,442 ↑	337 ↑	23.4% ↑
Black/African American	261 ↑	58 ↑	22.2% ↑
Hispanic	2,793 ↑	712 ↑	25.5% ↑
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific	12 ↑	1 1	33.3% ↑
Islander	12	4 ↑	33.370
Other Ethnicity or Race / Multi-	010 1	102 *	22 60/ 1
Cultural	848 ↑	192 ↑	22.6% ↑
White	4,757 ↑	716 ↑	15.1% ↑
Totals	10,135 ↑	2,022 ↑	20% ↑



Progress: C. Review of fiscal year 2020-21 POS and CMF data. Initial data generation will be compared to subsequent FY information.

C. Per capita purchase of service (POS) expenditures by individual's primary language for all ages (30 or more people with identified language).

		POS	
	Total	Authorized	Percentage
Primary Language	People	Per Capita	Utilized
ASL (American Sign Langauge)	30 ↑	\$47,662 ↓	84.1% ↑
English	19,553 ↑	\$20,140↓	74.2% ↓
Spanish	4,499 ↓	\$9,146 ↑	68.3% ↓
Mandarin Chinese	67↓	\$7,105 ↓	58.7% ↓
Vietnamese	1,084 ↑	\$9,421 ↓	69.3% ↓
Korean	141 ↑	\$23,888 ↑	77.8% ↓
Tagalog	20 ↓	\$29,933 ↑	81.2% ↓
Arabic	47 ↑	\$7,363 ↑	61.4%↓
Farsi	51	\$9,545	64%

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

AGENDA ITEM DETAIL SHEET

DATE:	March 7, 2024	ACTION	Х
TO:	Board of Directors	ACTION/CONSENT	
FROM:	John "Chip" Wright	DISCUSSION	
	Chair, Executive Committee	INFO ONLY	

SUBJECT: Approval of Renewal of Board Membership for Bruce Hall for a Three-Year Term Commencing April 1, 2024 and Ending March 31, 2027

BACKGROUND:

The Board's policy on Board Membership and Application Process states that the composition of the Board shall comply with the provisions of the Lanterman Developmental Disabilities Services Act (Welfare and Institutions Code, §4622). In addition to the provisions of the Lanterman Act, the Board may also consider for membership persons whose skills include, but are not limited to, education, community service and public health.

REASON FOR CURRENT ITEM:

Mr. Bruce Hall will complete his one-year term on March 31, 2024. The Executive Committee recommends that the Board renew Mr. Hall's membership for a three-year term, commencing April 1, 2024 and ending March 31, 2027.

FISCAL IMPACT:

None.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

That the Board approve Mr. Bruce Hall's membership for a three-year term, commencing April 1, 2024 and ending March 31, 2027.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

AGENDA ITEM DETAIL SHEET

DATE:	March 7, 2024	ACTION	Х
TO:	Board of Directors	ACTION/CONSENT	
FROM:	John "Chip" Wright	DISCUSSION	
	Chair, Executive Committee	INFO ONLY	

SUBJECT: Approval of Renewal of Board Membership for Jacqueline Nguyen for a Three-Year Term Commencing April 1, 2024 and Ending March 31, 2027

BACKGROUND:

The Board's policy on Board Membership and Application Process states that the composition of the Board shall comply with the provisions of the Lanterman Developmental Disabilities Services Act (Welfare and Institutions Code, §4622). In addition to the provisions of the Lanterman Act, the Board may also consider for membership persons whose skills include, but are not limited to, education, community service and public health.

REASON FOR CURRENT ITEM:

Ms. Jacqueline Nguyen will complete her one-year term on March 31, 2024. The Executive Committee recommends that the Board renew Ms. Nguyen's membership for a three-year term, commencing April 1, 2024 and ending March 31, 2027.

FISCAL IMPACT:

None.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

That the Board approve Ms. Jacqueline Nguyen's membership for a three-year term, commencing April 1, 2024 and ending March 31, 2027.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

AGENDA ITEM DETAIL SHEET

DATE:	March 7, 2024 A		Х
TO:	Board of Directors	ACTION/CONSENT	
FROM:	John "Chip" Wright	DISCUSSION	
	Chair, Executive Committee	INFO ONLY	

SUBJECT: Approval of Sandy Martin as Chairperson for a Term Commencing May 1, 2024 and Ending June 30, 2024

BACKGROUND:

RCOC's Bylaws describe the Term of Office and Vacancies in Section 3.03, "An officer's term shall be for eighteen months and shall commence January 1 or July 1, whichever date first follows the election of the officer. In the event an office becomes vacant then the Board shall elect a successor who shall serve the unexpired portion of the term."

REASON FOR CURRENT ITEM:

On November 2, 2022, the Board approved the slate of officers for terms commencing January 1, 2023 and ending June 30, 2024, which included John "Chip" Wright as Chairperson. Mr. Wright's first seven-year term ends on April 30, 2024. The Executive Committee has proposed that Sandy Martin fill the remaining two months of Mr. Wright's term. Ms. Martin's term would commence May 1, 2024 and end June 30, 2024.

FISCAL IMPACT:

None.

<u>RECOMMENDATIONS</u>:

That the Board approve Ms. Martin as Chairperson.

Regional Center of Orange County Board Recruitment and Training Committee January 16, 2024 Videoconference Minutes

Committee Members Present:	John "Chip" Wright, Chair Bruce Hall Sandy Martin Chinh Nguyen (joined at 5:02 p.m.) Fernando Peña
Committee Member Absent:	Frances Hernandez Hilda Mendez
RCOC Staff Present:	Larry Landauer, Executive Director Jerrod Bonner, Director of Information Technology Arturo Cazares, Director of Community Services Bonnie Ivers, Director of Clinical Services Jennifer Montanez, Director of Case Management Christy Petteruto, General Counsel Marta Vasquez, Chief Financial Officer Stacy Wong, Director of Human Resources

Mr. Chip Wright called the videoconference meeting to order at 5:01 p.m.

I. Board Recruitment

A. Review Board Members' Terms of Office and Upcoming Turnover

Mr. Wright reviewed the current Terms of Office and the Committee discussed upcoming term end dates.

B. Discuss Recruitment Needs

The Committee discussed recruitment efforts and the need to recruit new members to ensure compliance with the composition requirements of the Lanterman Act. Much discussion ensued about recruitment efforts and Committee members following up with potential Board applicants.

II. Board Development and Training

A. Discuss Board Training Schedule and Topics

The Committee reviewed the outline for the upcoming Board of Directors' training on the Self-Determination Program (SDP) and Person-Centered Thinking (PCT) scheduled for February 1, 2024.

III. Community Forum

No community members were present at the meeting.

Mr. Wright adjourned the meeting at 5:30 p.m.

Recorder: Sandra Lomelí

Regional Center of Orange County Policies and Outcomes Committee February 20, 2024 Videoconference Minutes

Committee Members Present:	Cliff Amsden, Chairperson Meena Chockalingam Jacqueline Nguyen Sandy Martin John "Chip" Wright
Board Member Present:	Yvonne Kluttz
RCOC Staff Members Present:	Larry Landauer, Executive Director Jerrod Bonner, Director of Information Technology Arturo Cazares, Director of Community Services Bonnie Ivers, Director of Clinical Services Jennifer Montanez, Director of Case Management Christy Petteruto, General Counsel Jack Stanton, Associate Director of Housing Marta Vasquez, Director of Finance Stacy Wong, Director of Human Resources
Corporate Counsel Present:	Greg Simonian, Esq.

Mr. Cliff Amsden called the videoconference meeting to order at 5:46 p.m.

I. Governance Policies

A. Review of the Contract Policy

The Committee reviewed and did not propose any revisions to the policy.

B. Review of the Document Retention and Destruction Policy

The Committee reviewed and did not propose any revisions to the policy.

C. Review of the Policy on Notification to Persons Served and Families of Significant Service Deficits

The Committee reviewed and did not propose any revisions to the policy.

D. Review of the Policy on Insurance Requirements for Providers

Ms. Christy Petteruto, RCOC's General Counsel reported that RCOC is proposing changes to the Policy on Insurance Requirements for Providers. The policy currently indicates that RCOC requires all service providers to maintain general, professional and sexual misconduct liability

coverage, include RCOC as an additional insured, and must provide RCOC the Certificates of Insurance necessary to demonstrate compliance with the insurance requirement. The proposed language allows for RCOC's Executive Director to exempt service providers who provide Financial Management Services (FMS) solely as fiscal agents pursuant to the Bill Payer Model under the Self-Determination Program from the obligation to provide sexual misconduct liability coverage.

The Committee reviewed and proposed revisions to the policy.

M/S/C to recommend that the Board approve the Policy on Insurance Requirements for Providers as proposed.

II. Outcomes

A. Person Centered Thinking (PCT) Update

Ms. Jennifer Montanez, RCOC's Director of Case Management, reported that RCOC continues to provide PCT trainings for new staff and refresher courses for those staff who received PCT training in the past.

Mr. Arturo Cazares, RCOC's Director of Community Services, reported that although vendor participation in PCT trainings has been lower than expected, there has recently been more interest by vendors to start the trainings as well as the vendor PCT certification program.

B. Health and Wellness Project Update

Dr. Bonnie Ivers, RCOC's Clinical Director reported that there were no updates. An update will be provided at the Board meeting on March 7, 2024.

C. Employment Update

Mr. Cazares reported that Children's Hospital of Orange County (CHOC) held it's Project Search graduation on May 17, 2023. He also reported that RCOC is working with Kaiser Permanente to establish a Project Search program in Irvine.

Mr. Cazares shared that the availability of FMS Agencies has been a barrier to the Paid Internship Program. RCOC is in the process of securing an FMS agency that will serve Orange County and will assist RCOC with the expansion of the Paid Internship Program.

D. Housing Update

Mr. Jack Stanton, RCOC's Associate Director of Housing, reported that his team is working to develop a behavioral respite program, a children's home and a behavior management program. In addition, RCOC will commence the Request for Proposal (RFP) process for the

acquisition of three single family homes and the development of two Enhanced Behavioral Support Home (EBSH) and one Adult Residential Facility for Person with Special Health Needs - Behavioral (ARFPSHN-B).

E. National Core Indicators (NCI) Update

Mr. Landauer reported that the NCI Family surveys will be sent to families of persons served by the State Council on Developmental Disabilities (SCDD).

III. Community Forum

No community members were present.

Mr. Amsden adjourned the meeting at 6:16 p.m.

Recorder: Sandra Lomelí

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

AGENDA ITEM DETAIL SHEET

DATE: March 7, 2024

TO: Board of Directors

FROM: Clifford Amsden, Chair Policies and Outcomes Committee

BACKGROUND:

The Policies and Outcomes Committee is charged with reviewing and/or drafting policies that are necessary to meet the organization's Mission. The Committee is also charged with annually or biennially reviewing policies for their continued usefulness and clarity. At its meeting on February 20, 2024, the Policies and Outcomes Committee reviewed the Contract Policy.

REASON FOR CURRENT ITEM:

The Policies and Outcomes Committee did not recommend any revisions to the Contract Policy.

FISCAL IMPACT:

None.

<u>RECOMMENDATIONS</u>:

This is an information item; no action is required.

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XVII. CONTRACT POLICY

BACKGROUND

The Regional Center of Orange County (RCOC) recognizes the importance of transparency and accountability to the community it serves. As established in the Lanterman Developmental Disabilities Services Act, RCOC is committed to reporting information with accuracy and transparency and maintaining full compliance with the laws, rules and regulations that govern RCOC's business.

POLICY

The Board shall comply with the provisions of the Lanterman Developmental Disabilities Services Act (and any revisions or amendments thereto).

All contracts requiring payment of two hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$250,000) or more shall be reviewed and approved by the RCOC Board of Directors prior to entering into the contract (WIC 4625.5 (a)).

No RCOC contract of \$250,000 or more will be valid unless approved by the RCOC Board of Directors in compliance with this written policy (WIC 4625.5(b)).

The RCOC Board of Directors shall be notified in writing of any proposed material change to a contract that has been previously approved by the RCOC Board of Directors. The RCOC Board may elect to call a special meeting to vote to approve or deny the proposed material change if it so desires, which meeting shall occur no more than ten (10) days from the date notice is given. If the RCOC Board does not give notice of a special meeting within three (3) days of receiving notice of the proposed material change, such material change shall be deemed approved. For the purposes of this policy, a material change is equivalent to ten percent (10%) or more of the original contract value.

For purposes of this policy, contracts shall not include vendor approval letters issued by RCOC pursuant to Section 54322 of Title 17 of the California Code of Regulations (WIC 4625.5(c)).

GUIDING PRINCIPLES

- The public funds that support the service system are expended in a fashion that is cost-effective, consumer-directed, consistent with good business practices, and that reflect RCOC's Guiding Principles and diligent stewardship.
- The RCOC Board of Directors is representative of, and accountable to its stakeholders and the community it serves.

- RCOC aspires to the highest standards of ethical conduct: doing what we say; reporting information with accuracy and transparency; and maintaining full compliance with the laws, rules and regulations that govern RCOC's business.
- The RCOC Board of Directors will possess the highest personal and professional ethics, integrity and values, and be committed to representing the long-term interests of the Orange County community it serves.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

AGENDA ITEM DETAIL SHEET

DATE:	March 7, 2024	ACTION
		ACTION/CONSENT
TO:	Board of Directors	DISCUSSION
		INFO ONLY
FROM:	Clifford Amsden, Chair	
	Policies and Outcomes Committee	

SUBJECT: Document Retention and Destruction Policy

BACKGROUND:

The Policies and Outcomes Committee is charged with reviewing and/or drafting policies that are necessary to meet the organization's Mission. The Committee is also charged with annually or biennially reviewing policies for their continued usefulness and clarity. At its meeting on February 20, 2024, the Policies and Outcomes Committee reviewed the Document Retention and Destruction Policy.

REASON FOR CURRENT ITEM:

The Policies and Outcomes Committee did not recommend any revisions to the Document Retention and Destruction Policy.

FISCAL IMPACT:

None.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

This is an information item; no action is required.

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XV. DOCUMENT RETENTION AND DESTRUCTION POLICY

BACKGROUND

The corporate records of the Regional Center of Orange County (RCOC) are important assets. The purpose of this policy is to establish retention and destruction policies and schedules for specific categories of records in order to ensure legal compliance, and also to accomplish other objectives, such as preserving intellectual property and cost management.

POLICY

A. Definition

Corporate records include essentially all records produced in the course of business as a member of the Board or an employee, whether paper or electronic, including but not limited to the specific categories of records identified in section B, subsections 1 through 10 below. A record may be as obvious as a memorandum, an e-mail, a contract or a case study, or something not as obvious, such as a computerized desk calendar, an appointment book or an expense record.

B. Maintenance of Records

Various laws require RCOC to maintain certain types of corporate records, usually for a specified period of time. Failure to retain these records for the prescribed periods could subject a Board member or an employee and RCOC to penalties and fines, cause the loss of rights, obstruct justice, spoil potential evidence in a lawsuit, place RCOC in contempt of court, or seriously disadvantage RCOC in litigation.

In compliance with RCOC's contract with the Department of Developmental Services (DDS), RCOC shall maintain books, records, documents, case files, and other evidence pertaining to the budget, revenues, expenditures, and persons served under this contract (herein collectively called "records") in accordance with mutually agreed to procedures and Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (GAAP).

Several categories of documents that bear special consideration are identified below. While minimum retention periods are identified and records should not be destroyed prior to the expiration of the retention period, the retention of the documents identified below and of documents not included in the identified categories should be determined primarily by the application of the general guidelines affecting document retention identified above, as well as any other pertinent factors.

- 1. <u>Financial Records</u>. The following financial records shall be retained for a minimum of seven (7) years from the end of the applicable fiscal year:
 - (i) Payroll records

- (ii) Documents concerning expenses and revenues
- (iii) Books of account
- (iv) Check registers
- (v) Canceled checks
- (vi) Internal reports
- (vii) Bank statements
- (viii) Operations purchase orders
- (ix) Invoices
- (x) Invoice documentation
- (xi) Accounting procedures

The following records shall be retained permanently:

- External audits of RCOC
- General ledgers and subsidiary ledgers
- Financial statements
- Tax filings
- Insurance policies
- 2. <u>Persons Served Records</u>. Persons served records include documents evidencing the provision of services to persons with developmental disabilities. Persons served records shall be maintained in accordance with RCOC's Services and Supports Records Retaining Guidelines, but at a minimum for a period of seven (7) years.
- 3. <u>Employment Records/Personnel Records</u>. State and federal statutes require RCOC to keep certain recruitment, employment and personnel information. All personnel records pertaining to an individual employee, including all final memoranda and correspondence reflecting performance reviews and actions taken by or against personnel, shall be maintained in the employee's personnel file. Employment and personnel records shall be retained for the duration of employment plus seven (7) years, except as follows:
 - (i) Employment Eligibility Verification Forms (I-9 Forms) shall be kept until the later of five (5) years from hire date, or one (1) year after termination.
 - (ii) Workers Compensation files shall be kept for ten (10) years.
 - (iii) Chemical safety and toxic exposure records shall be kept for the duration of employment plus thirty (30) years.
- 4. <u>Board and Board Committee Materials</u>. Meeting minutes shall be retained permanently. A copy of all Board and Board Committee materials, including Board membership applications, shall be kept for no less than five (5) years by RCOC.
- 5. <u>Corporate Documents</u>. Corporate Articles of Incorporation, IRS Determination Letter, Tax Exempt Application (Form 1023), Bylaws and the like, including

amendments, shall be retained permanently (and also readily available for public disclosure).

- 6. <u>Press Releases/Public Filings</u>. RCOC should retain permanent copies of all press releases and publicly filed documents.
- 7. <u>Litigation Files</u>. Legal counsel should be consulted to determine the retention period of particular documents, but litigation documents should generally be maintained for a period of ten (10) years. This excludes Fair Hearing and Due Process Hearing files, unless a hearing resulted in an appeal to the Superior Court. Fair Hearing and Due Process documents (excluding exhibits which are not specific to a person served) are maintained as part of persons served records during the normal course of business. Legal counsel shall be consulted prior to the destruction of any files related to legal proceedings to which RCOC is a party.
- 8. <u>Development/Intellectual Property and Trade Secrets</u>. Development documents are often subject to intellectual property protection in their final form (e.g., patents and copyrights). The documents detailing the development process are often also of value to RCOC and are protected as a trade secret where RCOC:
 - a. derives independent economic value from the secrecy of the information, and the information not being generally known to the public or to other persons who can obtain economic value from its disclosure or use; and
 - b. has taken affirmative steps to keep the information confidential.

RCOC should keep all documents designated as containing trade secret information for at least the life of the trade secret.

- 9. <u>Contracts</u>. RCOC shall retain copies of all final executed contracts not included in other categories of records within this policy for at least five (5) years beyond the life of the agreement. All contracts involving construction or property improvements shall be retained permanently.
- 10. <u>Electronic Mail</u>. Email shall be maintained in RCOC's email archive system for a minimum of seven (7) years. Emails that need to be kept longer than 7 years (for example, emails containing information necessary for the performance of job duties) should be either:
 - a. printed in hard copy and kept in the appropriate file; or
 - b. downloaded to a computer file and kept electronically.

C. Storage of Records

Files for persons served, provider, and administrative records are maintained at RCOC in a secure environment. At the discretion of the Custodian of Records, files may be sent to an off-site storage location operated by a provider under contract with RCOC. Files are sent to or retrieved from offsite storage by RCOC using a process developed by the provider.

In compliance with RCOC's contract with DDS, RCOC shall comply with the most current version of DDS' 'Requirements for Electronic Storage of Records' as developed by DDS and the Association of Regional Center Agencies (ARCA).

D. Destruction

All physical documents referred to in this policy which are to be destroyed shall be shredded. All electronic documents referred to in this policy which are to be destroyed shall be permanently deleted using methods which regularly in the course of business verify complete destruction. Employees shall obtain permission prior to the destruction of any records. Authority to destroy documents is as follows: for persons served records, the General Counsel; for service provider and financial records, the Chief Financial Officer; for employment records, the Human Resources Director; and for all other records either the Executive Director or his/her designee.

E. Litigation or Claims

In the event any RCOC Board member or employee becomes aware of litigation or potential litigation (i.e., a dispute that could result in litigation) involving RCOC, the Board member or employee shall immediately inform the Executive Director or his/her designee, and any further disposal of records, including records in electronic form, shall be suspended until such time as the Executive Director, with the advice of legal counsel, determines otherwise. This shall include a suspension of the transferring of original records to electronic retention. In addition, no alterations or markings shall be made on an original document. Upon receiving notice of litigation or potential litigation, the Executive Director or his/her designee shall immediately take such steps as necessary to promptly inform all staff of the suspension of disposal of records.

F. Compliance

RCOC expects all Board members and employees to fully comply with this Document Retention and Destruction Policy.

Failure to comply with this Document Retention and Destruction Policy may result in disciplinary action against the employee, including suspension or termination. Questions about this policy should be referred to the General Counsel, who is responsible for administering, enforcing and recommending updates to this policy.

GUIDING PRINCIPLES

- The public funds that support the service system are expended in a fashion that is person served-directed, cost-effective, consistent with good business practices, and that reflect RCOC's Guiding Principles and diligent stewardship.
- The RCOC Board of Directors is representative of, and accountable to, its stakeholders and the community it serves.
- RCOC Board of Directors will be actively involved in the organization (e.g., attendance and participation). The Board will provide appropriate support to maximize effective participation by all its members.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

AGENDA ITEM DETAIL SHEET

SUBJECT:	Policy on Notification to Persons Served and Families of Significant		
	Policies and Outcomes Committee		
FROM:	Clifford Amsden, Chair		
		INFO ONLY	Х
TO:	Board of Directors	DISCUSSION	
		ACTION/CONSENT	
DATE:	March 7, 2024	ACTION	

BACKGROUND:

The Policies and Outcomes Committee is charged with reviewing and/or drafting policies that are necessary to meet the organization's Mission. The Committee is also charged with annually or biennially reviewing policies for their continued usefulness and clarity. At its meeting on February 20, 2024, the Policies and Outcomes Committee reviewed the Policy on Notification to Persons Served and Families of Significant Service Deficits.

REASON FOR CURRENT ITEM:

Service Deficits

The Policies and Outcomes Committee did not recommend any revisions to the Policy on Notification to Persons Served and Families of Significant Service Deficits.

FISCAL IMPACT:

None.

<u>RECOMMENDATIONS</u>:

This is an information item; no action is required.

IX. POLICY ON NOTIFICATION TO PERSONS SERVED AND FAMILIES OF SIGNIFICANT SERVICE DEFICITS

BACKGROUND

The Regional Center of Orange County (RCOC) is responsible for coordinating services for people with developmental disabilities who reside in Orange County. As established in the Lanterman Developmental Disabilities Services Act, RCOC is committed to assuring the health, well-being and safety of the individuals it serves.

POLICY

For any vendored service for which there exists either a verified immediate danger to persons served or a verified substantial inadequacy that poses a threat to the health and safety of any person served, RCOC will promptly notify persons served who are directly affected by the verified immediate danger or verified substantial inadequacy. In addition, where appropriate, the individuals' parents, legal guardians, or conservators will be promptly notified.

GUIDING PRINCIPLES

- Persons served are in safe and supportive settings that promote a life of independence, acknowledge diverse cultural perspectives and that respect the inherent risks and valuable learning experiences that come from living in the community.
- Persons served and their families have knowledge of their healthcare needs, access to qualified medical communities, and support necessary to utilize recommended health services that prevent illness, promote wellness, and are sensitive to their unique needs.
- Persons served live in homes where they receive quality care and can form relationships.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

AGENDA ITEM DETAIL SHEET

DATE:	March 7, 2024	ACTION	Х
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TO:	Board of Directors	DISCUSSION	
		INFO ONLY	
FROM:	Clifford Amsden, Chair		
	Policies and Outcomes Committee		
SUBJECT:	Approval of Revisions to the Policy on Insurance Requirements for		

SUBJECT: Approval of Revisions to the Policy on Insurance Requirements for Providers

BACKGROUND:

The Policies and Outcomes Committee is charged with reviewing and/or drafting policies that are necessary to meet the organization's Mission. The Committee is also charged with annually or biennially reviewing policies for their continued usefulness and clarity. At its meeting on February 20, 2024, the Policies and Outcomes Committee reviewed the Policy on Insurance Requirements for Providers.

REASON FOR CURRENT ITEM:

After review, the Policies and Outcomes Committee recommends revisions to the Policy on Insurance Requirements for Providers, as indicated in the attachment. The policy currently requires that all providers who are serving RCOC persons served maintain general, professional and sexual misconduct liability coverage, and that RCOC be named as an additional insured on all policies of insurance. The proposed language allows for RCOC's Executive Director to exempt service providers who provide Financial Management Services (FMS) solely as fiscal agents pursuant to the Bill Payer Model under the Self Determination Program, and who are vendored under Service Code 315, from the obligation to provide sexual misconduct liability coverage.

FISCAL IMPACT:

None.

<u>RECOMMENDATIONS</u>:

That the Board approve the revisions to the Policy on Insurance Requirements for Providers, as presented.

XI. POLICY ON INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS FOR PROVIDERS

BACKGROUND

The Regional Center of Orange County (RCOC) has a fiduciary dutydesires to protect the interests of persons served, RCOC and the State of California. RCOC protects the interests of persons served the individuals it serves and their families by making sure that providers will have the financial resources to compensate for damages that persons served may be incurred by persons served as a result of negligence or other wrongful acts by service providers. RCOC also desires to protects the interests of RCOC and the State by making sure that their financial resources are not required to compensate third parties (including persons served) who may be damaged as a result of negligent or wrongful acts by service providers. RCOC is committed to assuring maximizing the health and safety of the individuals it serves.

POLICY

All <u>service</u> providers who are serving RCOC persons served shall maintain general, professional and sexual misconduct liability coverage, in amounts and scope of coverage as <u>determined by RCOC</u>, at all times while providing such services. RCOC shall be named as an additional insured on all policies of insurance. <u>Service Pp</u>roviders shall deposit with RCOC the Certificates of Insurance necessary to demonstrate compliance with this insurance requirement as a condition to the right to be paid for their services.

LIMITED EXEMPTION FOR FMS AS FISCAL AGENT

<u>RCOC's Executive Director may, in their sole discretion, exempt service providers who</u> provide Financial Management Services (FMS) solely as fiscal agents pursuant to the Bill Payer Model under the Self Determination Program (Welf. and Inst. Code Section 4685.8), and who are vendored under Service Code 315, from the obligation to provide sexual misconduct liability coverage.

GUIDING PRINCIPLES

• Persons served are in safe and supportive settings that promote a life of independence, acknowledge diverse cultural perspectives and that respect the inherent risks and valuable learning experiences that come from living in the community.

	Regional Center of Orange County Vendor Advisory Committee January 9, 2024 Videoconference Minutes
Members:	Adult Behavior Management Programs Chair, Atrem Behmanesh, present Co-Chair, Ryan Perez, present
	Adult Day Programs Chair, Rick Perez, present Co-Chair, Member Pending
	Adult Family Home/Foster Family Agency Chair, Member Pending Co-Chair, Member Pending
	Behavior Services Chair, Cindy Hebert, present Co-Chair, Junie Lazo-Pearson, present
	Community Care Facilities Chair, Member Pending Co-Chair, Member Pending
	Early Intervention Chair, Junie Lazo-Pearson, present Co-Chair, Pam Alexander, absent
	Habilitation Chair, Marina Margaryan, present Co-Chair, Jodean Hudson, present (joined at 2:06 p.m.)
	Independent/Supported Living Chair, Christine Molina, present Co-Chair, Ana Sandoval, absent
	Intermediate Care Facilities Chair, Rich Mraule, absent Co-Chair, Member Pending
	Support Services/Allied Health Chair, Andrew Velasco, present Co-Chair, Alex Saldana, present (joined at 2:04 p.m.)
Liaisons:	CalOptima Liaison Pending
	Orange County Transit Authority Melissa Mungia, absent Christina Blanco, absent
RCOC Staff Present:	Larry Landauer, Executive Director Jerrod Bonner, Director of Information Technology Liliana Castillo, Accounting Manager – Vendorization

Arturo Cazares, Director of Community Services Karina Crosby, Accounting Manager – Payables Bonnie Ivers, Director of Clinical Services Wayed Kabir, Peer Advocate Jennifer Montanez, Director of Case Management Jack Stanton, Associate Director of Housing Marta Vasquez, Chief Financial Officer Sean Watson, Associate Director of Risk Management

Call to Order

Mr. Rick Perez welcomed all attendees and called the videoconference meeting to order at 2:03 p.m.

I. RCOC Update

Mr. Larry Landauer reported that the he had no updates.

A. Vendor Update

Ms. Liliana Castillo, RCOC's Accounting Manager – Vendorization, reported that remote services were extended. Remote services provided to persons served may be billed from January 1, 2023 to June 30, 2025. Providers must complete and submit the Remote Services Monthly Attendance Sheet with their invoice. Remote services are for day programs and are not applicable to transportation and program support services.

Ms. Castillo also reported that the Department of Developmental Services adjusted the Rate Model benchmark rate for Independent Living Services (ILS). ILS vendors will receive 50% of the difference between the rate in effect March 31, 2022 and the adjusted benchmark rate effective January 1, 2024.

The minimum wage increased from \$15.50 to \$16.00 effective January 1, 2024. Vendors with DDS set rates must complete and submit the 2024 Minimum Wage Rate Adjustment Request Workbook directly to DDS via the DDS website at <u>www.dds.ca.gov</u>. Vendors with negotiated or median rates must submit their requests to RCOC. Missing information or documentation will delay the review and approval process.

Ms. Castillo also reported that vendors who completed the second Direct Service Provider (DSP) Workforce Survey are eligible for an \$8,000 Quality Incentive Program payment (QIP2). DDS released the first round of validated DSP surveys on November 22, 2023. The payment for this first round of validated survey was issued on December 28, 2023.

B. Direct Service Provider (DSP) Training Stipend Program Update

Mr. Arturo Cazares, RCOC's Director of Community Services, reported that direct service providers (DSPs) can complete trainings via the Association of Regional Center Agencies (ARCA) Learn website to be eligible for the DSP Training Stipend Program. Every Monday RCOC receives a report of DSPs that have completed trainings the prior week. Vendors are required to verify the DSP information before RCOC can issue payment. Vendors are responsible for issuing payments to DSPs.

C. Home and Community-Based Services Compliance Funding Plan

Mr. Cazares reported that RCOC's proposed plan for HCBS Compliance Funding was shared for vendor feedback and will be submitted to DDS for approval. The plan includes continuation of the Employment Pilot Program with Goodwill Industries of Orange County, translation of Tri-Counties Regional Center's HCBS Final Rule animated series of videos, a request for proposals to identify an agency to provide technical assistance to vendors requiring support to comply with the HCBS Final Rule, and developing a Community of Practice for PCT for RCOC vendors with support provided by Helen Sanderson Associates.

II. Board Report

Mr. Perez reported that a Board of Directors' meeting was held on January 11, 2024.

III. Peer Advisory Committee (PAC) Report

Mr. Wayed Kabir, RCOC's Peer Advocate, reported that the next Peer Advisory Committee (PAC) meeting will host a presentation on *Healthy Life, Happy Life* by Dr. Sam Ho, RCOC's Clinical Pharmacist.

IV. Liaison Reports

A. CalOptima – Liaison pending

No representative from CalOptima was present and no report was provided.

B. Orange County Transportation Authority (OCTA) – Melissa Mungia (absent)

In Ms. Melissa Mungia absence, Mr. Perez reported that at OCTA's last Accessible Transit Advisory Committee (ATAC) meeting it was determined that OCTA will no longer provide a secondary vehicle when a rider misses a scheduled ride or when a mobility device exceeds the specifications of the accessible vehicle sent to the rider. In December 2023, OCTA mailed notices to OC ACCESS participants with a history of Not Ready Return (NRR) rides informing them of the discontinuation of this service effective April 1, 2024. Notices will go out later this month to all OC ACCESS riders traveling with a mobility device, notifying them that the large wheelchair accommodation practice will be also be discontinued effective April 1, 2024. OCTA anticipates an improvement in service and ridership experience by discontinuing these two practices.

V. Member Reports

A. Adult Behavior Management – Atrem Behmanesh (present)

B. Adult Day Programs – Rick Perez (present)

Ms. Atrem Behmanesh reported that the two subcommittees met today and were informed that a new Financial Management Services (FMS) agency has been attained to provide support for the Paid Internship Program. The subcommittee also received an SIR training and an update on the HCBS Funding Plan.

C. Adult Family Home Agency/Foster Family Agency (AFHA/FFA) – Member Pending

Mr. Jack Stanton, RCOC's Associate Director of Housing, reported that the subcommittee is scheduled to meet later this month to elect a new subcommittee Chair.

D. Behavior Services – Cindy Hebert (present)

Ms. Cindy Hebert reported that the subcommittee met on December 7, 2023, and reviewed the referral process for services to ensure it is submitted to the appropriate personnel. The subcommittee also discussed Telehealth services and reviewed new DDS directives.

The next subcommittee meeting is scheduled for March 2024.

E. Community Care Facilities (CCF) – Member Pending

Mr. Stanton reported that the subcommittee did not meet.

F. Early Intervention – Junie Lazo-Pearson (present)

Ms. Junie Lazo-Pearson reported that the subcommittee is scheduled to meet later this month. Ms. Lazo-Pearson inquired if Early Start vendor rates will be adjusted similar to Independent Living Services (ILS). Ms. Marta Vasquez, RCOC' Chief Financial Officer, responded that DDS has not issued any other rate adjustment information.

G. Habilitation – Marina Margaryan (present)

Ms. Marina Margaryan reported that the subcommittee met today and discussed the DSP Training Stipend Program and continued challenges regarding hiring staff.

H. Independent Living/Supported Living (IL/SL) – Christine Molina (present)

Ms. Christine Molina reported that the subcommittee met today and discussed California's new 2024 laws, staffing concerns, the upcoming Special Incident Report (SIR) training and the new ILS rate increase effective January 2024.

I. Intermediate Care Facilities (ICF) – Rich Mraule (absent)

In Mr. Rich Mraule's absence, Mr. Stanton reported that the subcommittee did not meet.

J. Support Services/Allied Health – Andrew Velasco (present)

Mr. Andrew Velasco reported that the subcommittee met today and discussed the DSP Training Stipend Program, the state deficit, and reviewed RCOC's SIR process with Mr. Stanton.

VI. Community Forum

There were no speakers for community forum.

VII. Other

Mr. Perez shared vendor's concerns regarding the difficulty finding agencies to complete independent audits within the nine (9) month timeline due to tax season and staffing issues. Mr. Perez asked if it was a possible to extend the timeline; the group is discussing submitting a letter to DDS requesting an extension to the timeline.

Ms. Vasquez responded that vendors have nine months from the end of their fiscal year to submit their independent audit or review report and not all vendors have the same year-end. In addition, vendors who submit an audit or review report with no issues can request a two-year exemption to the independent audit or review report requirements.

VIII. Adjournment

Mr. Perez adjourned the meeting at 2:42 p.m.

The next VAC meeting is scheduled for February 13, 2024.

Recorder: Sandra Lomelí

V	onal Center of Orange County endor Advisory Committee February 13, 2024 Videoconference Minutes
Adul	It Behavior Management Programs Chair, Atrem Behmanesh, present Co-Chair, Ryan Perez, present <i>(joined at 2:11pm)</i>
Adul	It Day Programs Chair, Rick Perez, present Co-Chair, Member Pending
Adul	It Family Home/Foster Family Agency Chair, Member Pending Co-Chair, Member Pending
Beha	ivior Services Chair, Cindy Hebert, present Co-Chair, Junie Lazo-Pearson, present
Com	munity Care Facilities Chair, Member Pending Co-Chair, Member Pending
Early	y Intervention Chair, Junie Lazo-Pearson, present Co-Chair, Pam Alexander, absent
Habi	ilitation Chair, Marina Margaryan, present Co-Chair, Jodean Hudson, absent
Inde	pendent/Supported Living Chair, Christine Molina, present Co-Chair, Ana Sandoval, absent
Inter	mediate Care Facilities Chair, Rich Mraule, absent Co-Chair, Member Pending
Supp	bort Services/Allied Health Chair, Andrew Velasco, present Co-Chair, Alex Saldana, present <i>(joined at 2:08pm)</i>
CalC)ptima Liaison Pending
Oran	nge County Transit Authority Melissa Mungia, absent Christina Blanco, present (joined at 2:14pm)

RCOC Staff Present:

Liaisons:

Members:

Larry Landauer, Executive Director Liliana Castillo, Accounting Manager – Vendorization Karina Crosby, Accounting Manager - Payables Wayed Kabir, Peer Advocate Jennifer Montanez, Director of Case Management Jack Stanton, Associate Director of Housing Marta Vasquez, Chief Financial Officer Jerrod Bonner, IT Director Arturo Cazares, Director of Community Services Dr. Bonnie Ivers, Clinical Director Sean Watson, Associate Director of Risk Management (joined at 2:06pm)

Call to Order

Mr. Rick Perez welcomed all attendees and called the videoconference meeting to order at 2:03 p.m.

I. RCOC Update

Mr. Larry Landauer reported that the Board of Directors held a training on February 1, 2024. Mr. Landauer also reported that RCOC is growing at a rate of 4.4%, while statewide growth is at 6.2%.

A. Vendor Update

Ms. Liliana Castillo, RCOC's Accounting Manager, reported that RCOC received the second round of validated Direct Service Provider (DSP) surveys from the Department of Developmental Services (DDS). The Quality Incentive Payments were issued on January 30, 2024.

Ms. Castillo also reported that RCOC processed the Independent Living Service Rate Model increases effective January 1, 2024.

B. PCT Credential Trainer Program

Ms. Tammy Forcum, an Associate with Helen Sanderson Associates provided information for individual interested in becoming Person-Center Thinking (PCT) Trainers. Interested parties can reach out to Mr. Arturo Cazares, RCOC's Director of Community Services via email at <u>acazares@rcocdd.com</u> for an application. Applications will be accepted until February 29, 2024.

Ms. Forcum also stated that there are 10 spaces available that will be funded by RCOC. For those not selected but still interested in participating in the PCT Training, may reach Ms. Forcum at <u>tammy@helensandersonassociates.com</u>.

Board Report

Mr. Perez reported that the next Board Meeting is scheduled for March 7, 2023.

II. Peer Advisory Committee (PAC) Report

Mr. Wayed Kabir, RCOC's Peer Advocate, reported that Dr. Ho, RCOC's Clinical Pharmacist presented on *Health Life, Happy Life* at their January 2024 meeting. Mr. Kabir also reported that their next meeting is scheduled for February 21, 2024 and Dr. Peter Himber, RCOC's Physician will be presenting on *Heart Healthy*.

Liaison Reports

A. CalOptima – Liaison pending

No representative from CalOptima was present and no report was provided.

B. Orange County Transportation Authority (OCTA) – Melissa Mungia (absent)

In Ms. Melissa Mungia's absence, Ms. Cristina Blanco reported that OCTA made bus schedule adjustments for about seven routes that had not major impact on riders. She also shared that the OCTA website is available in all languages and same day service information was updated.

III. Member Reports

A. Adult Behavior Management – Atrem Behmanesh (present)

B. Adult Day Programs – Rick Perez (present)

Ms. Atrem Behmanesh reported that the two subcommittees met today and discussed several topics including, absence billing as a result of the State of emergency, vendor experiences with the Self-Determination Program and an email sent from the Lanterman Coalition opposing the delay in implementing the final phase of the service provider rate reform. The committee also discussed the Home and Community-Based Services (HCBS) audits that RCOC will be conducting.

C. Adult Family Home Agency/Foster Family Agency (AFHA/FFA) – Member Pending

Mr. Jack Stanton, RCOC's Associate Director of Housing, reported that the subcommittee met on February 1, 2024, and elected Ms. Shari Panganiban from California Mentor as their new subcommittee Chair.

D. Behavior Services – Cindy Hebert (present)

Ms. Cindy Hebert reported that the subcommittee is scheduled to meet on March 7, 2024. However, the subcommittee held a special meeting today to discuss services provided to CalOptima members. Many individuals are requesting to return to regional center funded services due to the discontent with delayed authorizations from CalOptima. Ms. Hebert shared that she has invited CalOptima representatives to attend the meeting, but has not received a response.

E. Community Care Facilities (CCF) – Member Pending

Mr. Stanton reported that the subcommittee did not meet.

F. Early Intervention – Junie Lazo-Pearson (present)

Ms. Junie Lazo-Pearson reported that the subcommittee met on January 9, 2024. The committee discussed the change from the Peabody Developmental Motor Scales (PDMS-2) to PDMS-3 and noted that the new test is cost prohibitive. The subcommittee is also working with Dr. Bonnie Ivers, RCOC's Clinical Director to identify alternative options.

The next subcommittee meeting is scheduled for April 18, 2024.

G. Habilitation – Marina Margaryan (present)

Ms. Marina Margaryan reported that the subcommittee did not meet.

H. Independent Living/Supported Living (IL/SL) – Christine Molina (present)

Ms. Christine Molina reported that the subcommittee met today and had an employment attorney share legal updates for 2024. She also reported that Dr. Ho presented on Health Life, Happy Life Program.

I. Intermediate Care Facilities (ICF) – Rich Mraule (absent)

In Mr. Rich Mraule's absence, Mr. Stanton reported that the subcommittee did not meet.

J. Support Services/Allied Health – Andrew Velasco (present)

Mr. Andrew Velasco reported that the subcommittee met today and discussed the final DDS Rate Model increase, Special Incident Reports and respite transportation. Mr. Velasco noted that families need to be made aware that respite workers cannot transport persons served.

IV. Community Forum

There were no speakers for community forum.

V. Adjournment

Mr. Perez adjourned the meeting at 2:51 p.m.

The next VAC meeting is scheduled for March 12, 2024.

Recorder: Marta Vasquez

REGIONAL CENTER OF ORANGE COUNTY BOARD OF DIRECTORS <u>AGENDA ITEM DETAIL SHEET</u>

DATE:	March 7, 2024

TO: Board of Directors

ACTION	Х
ACTION/CONSENT	
DISCUSSION	
INFO ONLY	

FROM: Rick Perez Chair, Vendor Advisory Committee

SUBJECT: Approval of Vendor Advisory Committee Member

BACKGROUND:

RCOC's Board of Directors appoints the members of the Vendor Advisory Committee, pursuant to Welfare and Institutions Code §4622(i), which states:

"The governing board shall appoint an advisory committee composed of a wide variety of persons representing the various categories of providers from which the regional center purchases client services. The advisory committee shall provide advice, guidance, recommendations, and technical assistance to the regional center board in order to assist the regional center in carrying out its mandated functions. The advisory committee shall designate one of its members to serve as a member of the regional center board."

REASON FOR CURRENT ITEM:

The following subcommittee of RCOC's Vendor Advisory Committee has met and submitted their nomination for committee membership (see attachment). Terms of membership are for two years as follows:

Membership Category	Term of Membership
Adult Family Home Agency/Foster Family Agency (AFHA/FFA) Shari Panganiban, Chair	March 7, 2024 to May 31, 2025

FISCAL IMPACT:

None.

<u>RECOMMENDATIONS</u>:

That the Board approve the Vendor Advisory Committee member as presented.

Attachment for Agenda Item III.I.1.

VENDOR ADVISORY COMMITTEE

NOMINATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

Adult Family Home Agency/Foster Family Agency (AFHA/FFA)		
Shari Panganiban, Chair California Mentor	Ms. Panganiban has been working in the field of developmental disabilities for the past 30 years. She has been with California MENTOR Family Home Agency program since 2022 and currently serves as the Program Director. Prior to joining MENTOR, Ms. Panganiban supported individuals residing in Intermediate Care Facilities here in Orange County and serves the developmentally disabled community by providing occupational, speech therapy, and physical therapy services. Ms. Panganiban believes that everyone deserves their voice to be heard and serves as a strong advocate by helping those without a voice to fight for their rights. She feels she was called to be with this population to help them achieve their best life.	

Regional Center of Orange County Peer Advisory Committee January 17, 2024 Videoconference Minutes

Committee Members Present:	Yvonne Kluttz, Chairperson Amy Jessee, Co-Chair Stephen Gersten Wayed Kabir Peter Kuo Fernando Peña
Committee Members Absent:	Kerri Adamic Marcell Bassett Cheryl Day Sylvia Delgado
Board Member Present:	Chinh Nguyen
RCOC Staff Members Present:	Arturo Cazares, Director of Community Services Sam Ho, Clinical Pharmacist Jennifer Montanez, Director of Case Management
Guests:	Erika Acensio Miguel Lugo, Disability Voices United (DVU) Mark Hemry Beba Saba Scott Williams

Ms. Amy Jessee called the meeting to order at 3:03 p.m.

I. Welcome and Introductions

Ms. Jessee welcomed everyone to the Peer Advisory Committee (PAC) meeting.

II. RCOC's Peer Advocate Report

Mr. Wayed Kabir, RCOC's Peer Advocate, reported that there were no updates.

III. Healthy Life, Happy Life!

Dr. Sam Ho, RCOC's Consulting Pharmacist, presented the results of the data collected from RCOC's *Healthy Life, Happy Life* program. Dr. Ho also provided healthy tips to live a more active and healthy life.

IV. Community Forum

Mr. Miguel Lugo shared that Disability Voices United (DVU) is recruiting for their new Self-Advocates Speakers Bureau. This is a group of people with disabilities sharing their stories to advocate for policy change. For more information or to apply, visit: <u>https://disabilityvoicesunited.org/self-advocates-speakers-bureau/</u>.

V. Next Scheduled Meeting

The next PAC meeting is scheduled for February 21, 2024.

Ms. Jessee adjourned the meeting at 3:36 p.m.

Recorder: Sandra Lomelí

Regional Center of Orange County Peer Advisory Committee February 21, 2024 Videoconference Minutes

Committee Members Present:	Yvonne Kluttz, Chairperson Amy Jessee, Co-Chair Sylvia Delgado Wayed Kabir Peter Kuo Fernando Peña
Committee Members Absent:	Kerri Adamic Marcell Bassett Cheryl Day Stephen Gersten
Board Member Present:	Chinh Nguyen
RCOC Staff Members Present:	Larry Landauer, Executive Director Arturo Cazares, Director of Community Services Peter Himber, Medical Director Jennifer Montanez, Director of Case Management
Guest(s):	Mark Hemry

Ms. Amy Jessee called the meeting to order at 3:08 p.m.

I. Welcome and Introductions

Ms. Jessee welcomed everyone to the Peer Advisory Committee (PAC) meeting.

II. RCOC's Peer Advocate Report

Mr. Wayed Kabir, RCOC's Peer Advocate, reported that there were no updates.

III. Heart Healthy

Dr. Peter Himber, RCOC's Medical Director, presented on *How to Have a Healthy Heart* and the importance of maintaining a healthy lifestyle.

IV. Community Forum

There were no speakers for community forum.

V. Next Scheduled Meeting

The next PAC meeting is scheduled for March 20, 2024.

Ms. Jessee adjourned the meeting at 3:57 p.m.

Recorder: Sandra Lomelí

Regional Center of Orange County Legislative and Community Awareness Committee January 9, 2024 Videoconference Minutes

Committee Members Present:	Bruce Hall, Chairperson Meena Chockalingam Sandy Martin John "Chip" Wright
Committee Member Absent:	Chinh Nguyen Hilda Mendez
RCOC Staff Members Present:	Larry Landauer, Executive Director Arturo Cazares, Director of Community Services Bonnie Ivers, Director of Clinical Services Jennifer Montanez, Director of Case Management Kathleen McFarlin, Family Support and Community Outreach Manager Kaitlynn Truong, Cultural Specialist Marta Vasquez, Chief Financial Officer Stacy Wong, Director of Human Resources
Guests:	Linda Blankenship, Consultant

Mr. Bruce Hall called the meeting to order at 5:01 p.m.

I. Public Relations

A. News Media Outreach

Ms. Linda Blankenship reported that media outreach included an article released in Exceptional Parent Magazine for December 2023, authored by Mr. Larry Landauer, on options for parents to obtain support in the community. In their January issue, Exceptional Parent Magazine ran a bylined article by Dr. Bonnie Ivers, RCOC's Clinical Director, on developmental screening of infants and early intervention.

B. Dialogue

Ms. Blankenship reported that the winter issue of the *Dialogue* will highlight Mr. Alberto Baston, a person served who used social media to connect with others and overcome isolation. It also includes the Executive Director's report on the importance of holding Individual Program Plan (IPP) meetings in-person. Ms. Blankenship also reported that in response to community surveys, in addition to English, Spanish and Vietnamese, RCOC will be translating and printing the newsletter in Korean.

C. Website Update

In Ms. Anh Nguyen's absence, Mr. Landauer reported that there were no updates.

D. Social Media

Mr. Landauer shared that RCOC's social media platforms continue to feature information on events, public meetings and trainings.

II. Legislative Outreach

A. ARCA Update

Mr. Landauer reported that Ms. Sandy Martin will be representing RCOC as its new Board delegate for ARCA's Board of Directors. The next scheduled Board of Directors' meeting is set for January18, 2024 in Sacramento.

B. Budget Update and Delegation Relationships

Mr. Landauer reported that Governor Gavin Newsom will be presenting his budget on January 10, 2024. RCOC will connect with its legislative delegation and staff after the Governor's budget presentation to share ARCA's response to the Governor's budget.

Mr. Landauer also reported that RCOC will participate in ARCA's Grassroots Day scheduled for April 2, 2024 in Sacramento.

III. Community Outreach

A. Spotlight Awards

Mr. Landauer reported that the Spotlight Awards are scheduled for April 18, 2024 at the Embassy Suites Hotel in Anaheim. Tickets prices will be \$75 for general admission.

B. Disparity-Focused Activities

Dr. Bonnie Ivers, RCOC's Clinical Director, reported that RCOC's internal Diversity and Inclusion Task Force continues to meet monthly. The Task Force is exploring options to improve communication with families of diverse backgrounds to ensure they have access to RCOC services and resources.

Ms. Kathleen McFarlin, RCOC's Family Support and Community Outreach Manager, reported that RCOC will be holding a resource fair for the deaf and hard of hearing community. The event is being coordinated with Mr. Brian Nesdale, RCOC's Deaf and Hard of Hearing Coordinator. One of the main goals of the event will be to encourage

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attendees to complete a survey on how RCOC is doing in providing services to this community.

Ms. McFarlin also reported that RCOC used funds allocated for Language Access and Cultural Competency (LACC) to survey Spanish, Vietnamese and Korean-speaking families. The Thompson Policy Institute on Disability at Chapman University conducted the survey. A preliminary report with the survey results will issued. Listening sessions are also being conducted with various communities and collaborating agencies. LACC funding will also be used to provide cultural competency training to RCOC's vendor community and to produce a brochure in several languages regarding services provided within the community.

Ms. McFarlin also shared that Ms. Chinh Nguyen, RCOC's Board Member, Mr. Landauer and, Ms. Kaitlynn Truong, FRC's Cultural Specialist, will be participating in the City of Westminster's annual Lunar New Year Tet Parade celebration on February 10, 2024.

C. Holiday Events

Ms. McFarlin reported that the Camino Real Playhouse in San Juan Capistrano hosted its first sensory friendly production of *A Charlie Brown Christmas* and filled 87 out of its 88 seats. Hyundai subsidized ticket prices for this event.

Ms. McFarlin also reported that the Irvine Barclay Theatre show *the Nutcracker* was held on December 8, 2023. The event sold close to 500 tickets, the largest ticket sales to date. This year's event added American Sign Language (ASL) interpreters and carolers who performed outside of the venue.

Ms. Truong reported that the Wish Tree Program fulfilled 611 persons served wishes. In addition, through ABC7's Spark of Love Toy Drive, RCOC was able to donate 200 unwrapped toys to siblings of persons served. Thank you letters and a collage of pictures of persons served receiving their gifts will be sent to program sponsors.

D. Developmental Services Careers/Vendor Support

Mr. Arturo Cazares, RCOC's Director of Community Services, report that he and Dr. Ivers are continuing their efforts to partner with community colleges to speak with students about RCOC services and potential career opportunities in the developmental disabilities field.

IV. Community Forum

No community members were present at the meeting.

Mr. Hall adjourned the meeting at 5:41 p.m.

Recorder: Sandra Lomelí