



South Central Los Angeles Regional Center
for persons with developmental disabilities, inc.

Vendor Information

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Support & Friends
Vendor Advisory Committee (VAC)

Insurance



**South Central Los Angeles Regional Center (SCLARC)
BOARD POLICY**

Policy Title: Service Provider Insurance Policy

Policy Number: INS2023

Date Approved: 11/14/2023

BOARD COMMITTEE RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS POLICY:

The Executive Committee

PURPOSE:

The purpose of the Service Provider Insurance Policy is to protect both the interests of the center's consumers and their families to ensure a safe and healthy environment to all individuals with a developmental disability that are provided services by a vendor or service provider. The Service Provider Insurance Policy establishes the minimum insurance requirements for all service providers utilized by the center to serve consumers.

RESPONSIBILITY:

The Community Services & Family Support Department shall have the overall responsibility to monitor compliance with the Service Provider Insurance Policy. All service providers shall ensure that they comply with the Service Provider Insurance Policy as outlined below.

POLICY:

This policy applies to all service providers that provide direct services and supports as defined by Welfare & Institutions Code (WIC), section 4512(b), have access to consumer assets, transport consumers, or have hired one (1) or more employees.

A. All service providers shall obtain and maintain insurance coverage at the level established by the regional center to which the services are provided.

B. At minimum, all service providers shall obtain and maintain General Liability insurance with at least a \$1 million limit of liability per occurrence, and name SCLARC as "additional insured."

C. All service providers who have hired one (1) or more employees shall maintain Worker's Compensation insurance for their employees.

D. At minimum, all service providers that provide direct care services and support shall maintain Professional Liability insurance with at least a \$1,000,000 limit of liability per claim and name SCLARC as "additional insured."

E. All service providers that provide direct care services and supports shall maintain Abuse & Molestation Liability insurance with at least a \$1,000,000 limit of liability, and name SCLARC as "additional insured."

F. All service providers that have access to consumer assets shall maintain Bond insurance that provides sufficient coverage for the amount of the consumer's assets that the service provider has control over.

G. All service providers that own or use vehicles in the course of their operations shall maintain Auto insurance that complies with the state of California's financial responsibility law(s).

**SCLARC Board
Approved Policy
Requires Service
Providers to carry
Insurance**

Submitting Insurance

COI

SCLARC will not accept providers' COI.

The COI must be sent to gsc.coir.sclarc@ajg.com or call (833)-862-8432

Compliance

As of 04/01/2026

Compliant: 325 (includes waived issues such as accepting a higher deductible)

Non-Compliant: 229

Expired/Missing: 165/32

***ADDITIONAL NOTIFICATION LETTERS ARE BEING SENT OUT TO PROVIDERS WITHOUT COI AND/OR EXPIRED COI

Unauthorized and Unlicensed Day Program





New Service Codes 531, 532 & 533 applies

DEPARTMENT OF DEVELOPMENTAL SERVICES

COMMUNITY SERVICES & SUPPORTS DIVISION PROGRAM ADVISORY

Please be advised that CCL is issuing citations for permitting individuals to spend any part of their day at any vendor's unlicensed "administrative" office for any reason (i.e., waiting for a ride, meeting friends, etc.)

PURPOSE

The purpose of this Program Advisory is to provide clarification regarding licensing requirements of community care facilities.

INTRODUCTION

Facility-based day programs are governed by Health and Safety Code, Section 1500 through 1567.8 (Community Care Facilities Act), and regulated by the California Code of Regulations, Title 22, Division 6 (licensing of community care facilities). These regulations provide the basis for the Department of Social Services' (DSS) licensing of community care facilities.

Title 22 defines a community care facility as "any facility, place, or building where non-medical care and supervision, as defined in Section 80001(c)(2), are provided." Additionally, license is defined as "...authorization to operate a community care facility and to provide care and supervision. The license is not transferable."

For purposes of this advisory, facilities where the delineated services are fully or partially provided **MUST** be licensed by DSS.

LIABILITY ISSUE

Vendors providing non-facility based services are not allowed to permit consumers to spend any part of their day at the vendor's unlicensed "administrative" office for any reason (i.e., waiting for a ride, meeting friends, etc.)

Allowing consumers to spend time at a program's non-licensed administrative office(s) is not permitted by regulations. DSS' licensing typically views this activity as providing "care and supervision," and in this instance, supervision is not present.

RECOMMENDATIONS

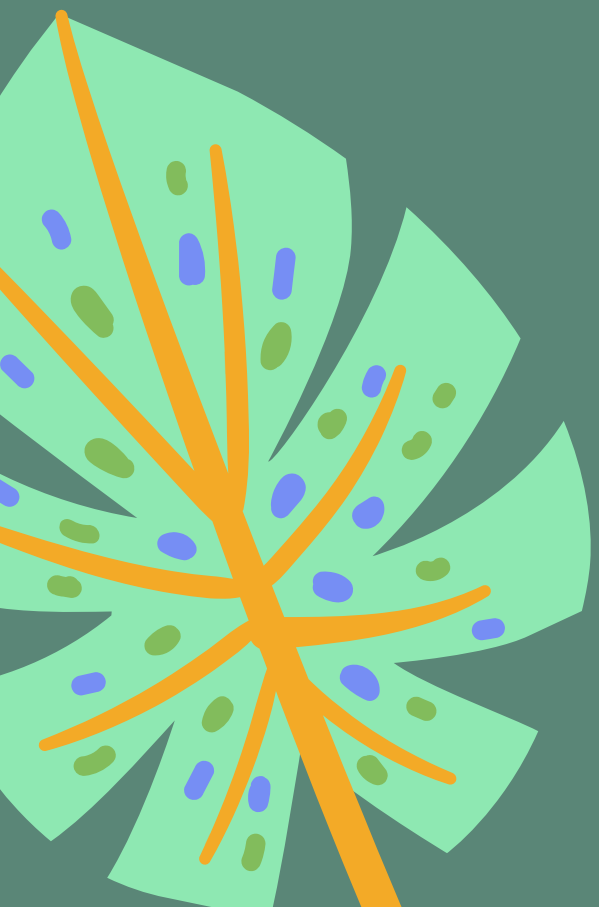
For clarification, the following are services that can be provided in a licensed community care facility or can be completely operated as non-licensed non-facility based programs, also known as "programs without walls."

- (028) Socialization Training Program;
- (048) Client/Parent Support Behavior Intervention;
- (055) Community Integration Training Program;
- (056) Interdisciplinary Assessment Service;
- (083) Public School Early Intervention Program;
- (091) In-Home Day Program;
- (094) Creative Art Program;
- (505) Activity Center;
- (510) Adult Development Center;
- (515) Behavior Management Program;
- (520) Independent Living Program;
- (525) Social Recreation Program;
- (605) Adaptive Skills Trainer;
- (855) Adult Day Care; and
- (850) Camping Services.

Regional centers should ensure that consumers participating in non-facility based programs are not spending time at the vendor's administrative location for any reason.

For additional information, please contact Charlene Locke of DDS' Services and Supports Section, at (916) 654-2975 or by email at clocke@dds.ca.gov.

Service Type Information (STI)



ST1: Change of Location, and/or Program/Service Design

Before Making a change...
Did you know??

Did you notify CLL & SCLARC of your change in Administrator? Including Death?

Section 54330 states that a vendor shall notify the vendoring regional center 30 days prior to any change in ownership, location, program design, and/or license. In such event, "A vendorization is valid during the effective period of any license [...] and that vendorization shall not continue if the required document is suspended or revoked." [Title 17, § 54322].

[CCR Title 17, Section 54330, 54340 (a)(1)(A), 54302, 54306, 54308, 54310, 54312, 54314, 54316, 54318, 54319, 54320, 54322, 54324, 54326, 54327, 54327.1]

Did you notify your insurance carrier of your change in location?

Vendorization will be terminated at the end of the first working day following receipt of written notification from the vendoring regional center [Title 17, Section 54370(b)] if vendorization has been transferred to another person or entity.

Service Providers may have modified the program/service design by relocating the service and/or individuals [Title 17, Sections 54330(a)(2) and (b)(2)].

Contact information: Vendorhelp@sclarc.org

DDS Provider Directory

Any changes to the current vendorization please complete at the DDS Provider Directory Standardized Vendorization Portal and upload all required documentation at <https://caddsprod.servicenow.services.com/spd>



REMINDER: As of 07/01/2025: Carson, CA is no longer part of SCLARC catchment area.



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Regional Center Lookup

California has 21 regional centers with more than 40 offices located throughout the state. Both geographic accessibility and population density were considered when selecting locations for the 21 regional centers. The catchment area boundaries for the regional centers conform to county boundaries or groups of counties, except in Los Angeles County, which is by health districts and not by county.

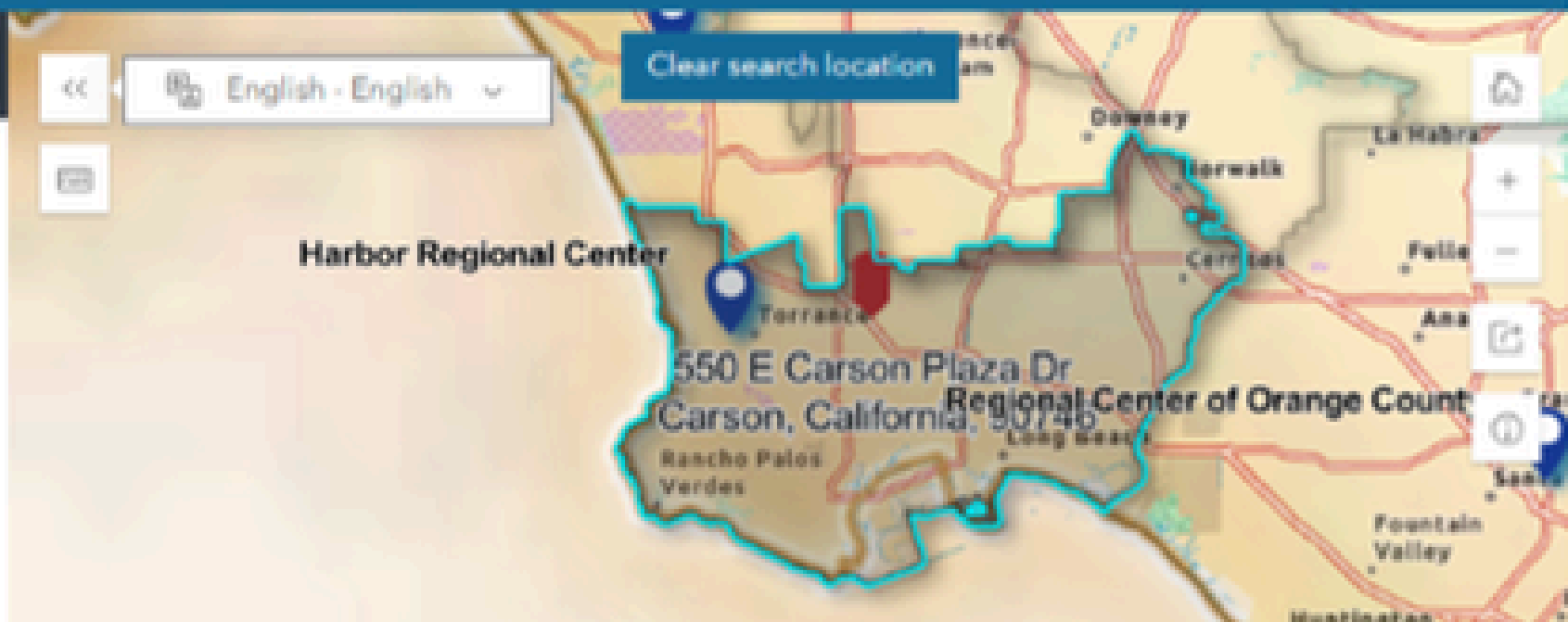
CALIFORNIA

LOS ANGELES COUNTY

550 E Carson Plaza Dr, Carson, CA, 90746, USA

Click the link for more information.

[Harbor Regional Center](#)



ST1: Franchise Tax Board (FTB) California Secretary of State (SOC)

WHAT HAPPENS WHEN A CALIFORNIA CORPORATION IS SUSPENDED AND/OR TERMINATED??

If your business is suspended – you cannot:

- 1. Legally do business**
- 2. Sell, transfer, or exchange real property**
- 3. File with an automatic extension**
- 4. Be issued a refund**
- 5. Start or continue a protest**
- 6. Legally close or dissolve your business**
- 7. Bring an action or defend your business in court**
- 8. File or maintain an appeal before the Office of Tax Appeals**



<https://www.ftb.ca.gov/help/business/my-business-is-suspended.html#Why-is-my-business-suspended>

ST1: Franchise Tax Board (FTB) California Secretary of State (SOC)...Cont.

WHAT HAPPENS WHEN A CALIFORNIA CORPORATION IS SUSPENDED AND/OR TERMINATED?? CONT.

If your business is suspended – you cannot:

9. Maintain the right to use your business name
10. Secretary of State (SOS) will deny your revival request if the entity name is no longer available.
11. SOS will require your business to choose a new name
12. Retain tax-exempt status.
13. We revoke an organization's tax-exempt status as of the suspension date.



<https://www.ftb.ca.gov/help/business/my-business-is-suspended.html#Why-is-my-business-suspended>

****YOUR BUSINESS MAY BE SUBJECT TO A \$2,000 PENALTY PER TAX YEAR FOR FAILURE TO FILE MISSING TAX RETURNS WITHIN 60 DAYS AFTER RECEIVING A WRITTEN DEMAND TO DO SO.**

*ST1: Franchise Tax Board (FTB)
California Secretary of State (SOC)...Cont.*

**WHAT HAPPENS WHEN A CALIFORNIA CORPORATION IS SUSPENDED
AND/OR TERMINATED??**

If your business is suspended

SCLARC cannot pay

**SCLARC will give you one (1) day notice to
terminate vendorization.**

ST1: Tailored Day Services (TDS) Service Code N/A subcode TDS

Created in 2011 during the California budget process.

Welfare and Institutions Code (WIC) Section 4688.21 (a)-(b).

- Tailored Day Services are designed to maximize an individual's choice and needs through the customization of day services. Tailored Day Services provide opportunities for increased integration and inclusion, as well as promote opportunities for participants to develop or maintain employment/volunteer activities and pursue postsecondary education.
- The goal is greater customization of services at a 1:1 ratio while saving the state money.
- TDS must be provided under and existing vendorization of an appropriate service code for day programs, look-alike day programs, supported employment programs, or work activity programs.

ST1: Tailored Day Services (TDS) Service Code N/A subcode TDS... CONTINUES

Created in 2011 during the California budget process.

Welfare and Institutions Code (WIC) Section 4688.21 (a)-(b).

- SB 188 approved by Governor Newsom on June 30, 2022
 - Allows TDS to be provided in conjunction with other programs (based on a daily rate of 6 hours per day), but not on the same days as other vendored day programs, look-alike day programs, supported employment programs, or work activity programs except under prescribed circumstances.
 - The total monthly hours of Tailored Day Services shall not exceed the number of days in the month tailored day services are authorized, multiplied by four.” (7)
 - $3 \text{ days/wk} \times 4 \text{ wks/mo} = 12 \text{ days/mo} \times 4 = 48 \text{ Hrs Total/Mo.}$
- WIC 4688.21

STM: Transportation Additional Component Service Code 880

- RATE REFORM DETAILS: [HTTPS://WWW.DDS.CA.GOV/WP-CONTENT/UPLOADS/2025/01/SOUTHCENTRALLOSANGELESREGIONALCENTER_COMPLETERATEMODELS_20250108.PDF](https://www.dds.ca.gov/wp-content/uploads/2025/01/SouthCentralLosAngelesRegionalCenter_CompleteRateModels_20250108.pdf)

○ LICENSED/CENTER BASED DAY SERVICES RATE MODEL DO NOT INCLUDE MILEAGE/TRANSPORTATION

DDS Vendor Rate Study - Rate Models - South Central Los Angeles Regional Center prepared for California Department of Developmental Services

Day Services, Center/Facility, 1:2

		Base Model	RC Model	
Unit of Service		Hour	Hour	
Direct Care Staff Wages and Benefits	- Percent of Direct Care Staff Working Full-Time	70%	70%	
	- Direct Care Staff Hourly Wage	\$18.01	\$18.01	
	- Employee Benefit Rate (as a percent of wages)	22.21%	22.21%	
	- Workers' Compensation Rate (as a percent of wages)	5.74%	5.74%	
	Hourly Staff Cost Before Productivity Adj. (wages + benefits)	\$23.04	\$23.04	
	<i>Productivity Adjustments</i>			
	Total Hours	34.60	34.60	
	- Program Set-Up/ Clean-Up	0.97	0.97	
	- Recordkeeping and Reporting	0.77	0.77	
	- Supervision and Other Employer Time	0.90	0.90	
	- Training	0.67	0.67	
	- Paid Time Off	3.04	3.04	
	"Billable" Hours	28.25	28.25	
	Productivity Factor	1.22	1.22	
Staffing Ratio	- Group Size (Participants per Direct Care Staff)	2.0	2.0	
	- Participant Attendance Rate	88%	88%	
	- Adjusted Weighted Avg. of No. of Participants per Staff	1.76	1.76	
	Staff Cost After Productivity Adj. per Billable Hour	\$15.97	\$15.97	
Attendance	- Annual Days of Program Operations	250.0	250.0	
	- Annual Days of Participant Attendance	220.0	220.0	
	- Hours per Day of Participant Attendance	6.00	6.00	
	Hours per Year of Participant Attendance	1,320	1,320	
Facility	- Square Feet of Service Space per Participant	75	75	
	- Annual Cost per Square Foot	\$15.00	\$17.25	
	Annual Facility Cost per Participant	\$1,125.00	\$1,293.75	
	Facility Cost per Participant per Billable Hour	\$0.85	\$0.98	
Supervision	- Supervisor Hourly Wage	\$25.24	\$25.24	
	- Supervisor Benefit Rate (as a percent of wages)	20.08%	20.08%	
	- Workers' Compensation Rate (as a percent of wages)	5.74%	5.74%	
	Hourly Supervisor Cost (wages + benefits)	\$31.76	\$31.76	
	Weekly Supervision Cost	\$1,270.40	\$1,270.40	
	- Number of Direct Care Staff Supervised	10	10	
Supervision Cost per Participant per Billable Hour	\$2.56	\$2.56		
Admin. and Prog. Operations	Cost per Hour, Before Program Operations and Administration	\$19.38	\$19.51	
	- Daily Program Operations Costs	\$20.00	\$20.00	
	Program Operations Cost per Billable Hour	\$2.15	\$2.15	
	- Administration Percent	12.0%	12.0%	
Administration Cost per Billable Hour	\$2.94	\$2.95		
Rate per Billable Hour	\$24.47	\$24.61		

Day Services, Center/Facility, 1:3

		Base Model	RC Model	
Unit of Service		Hour	Hour	
Direct Care Staff Wages and Benefits	- Percent of Direct Care Staff Working Full-Time	70%	70%	
	- Direct Care Staff Hourly Wage	\$18.01	\$18.01	
	- Employee Benefit Rate (as a percent of wages)	22.21%	22.21%	
	- Workers' Compensation Rate (as a percent of wages)	5.74%	5.74%	
	Hourly Staff Cost Before Productivity Adj. (wages + benefits)	\$23.04	\$23.04	
	<i>Productivity Adjustments</i>			
	Total Hours	34.60	34.60	
	- Program Set-Up/ Clean-Up	0.97	0.97	
	- Recordkeeping and Reporting	0.97	0.97	
	- Supervision and Other Employer Time	0.90	0.90	
	- Training	0.67	0.67	
	- Paid Time Off	3.04	3.04	
	"Billable" Hours	28.05	28.05	
	Productivity Factor	1.23	1.23	
Staffing Ratio	- Group Size (Participants per Direct Care Staff)	3.0	3.0	
	- Participant Attendance Rate	88%	88%	
	- Adjusted Weighted Avg. of No. of Participants per Staff	2.64	2.64	
	Staff Cost After Productivity Adj. per Billable Hour	\$10.73	\$10.73	
Attendance	- Annual Days of Program Operations	250.0	250.0	
	- Annual Days of Participant Attendance	220.0	220.0	
	- Hours per Day of Participant Attendance	6.00	6.00	
	Hours per Year of Participant Attendance	1,320	1,320	
Facility	- Square Feet of Service Space per Participant	75	75	
	- Annual Cost per Square Foot	\$15.00	\$17.25	
	Annual Facility Cost per Participant	\$1,125.00	\$1,293.75	
	Facility Cost per Participant per Billable Hour	\$0.85	\$0.98	
Supervision	- Supervisor Hourly Wage	\$25.24	\$25.24	
	- Supervisor Benefit Rate (as a percent of wages)	20.08%	20.08%	
	- Workers' Compensation Rate (as a percent of wages)	5.74%	5.74%	
	Hourly Supervisor Cost (wages + benefits)	\$31.76	\$31.76	
	Weekly Supervision Cost	\$1,270.40	\$1,270.40	
	- Number of Direct Care Staff Supervised	10	10	
Supervision Cost per Participant per Billable Hour	\$1.72	\$1.72		
Admin. and Prog. Operations	Cost per Hour, Before Program Operations and Administration	\$13.30	\$13.43	
	- Daily Program Operations Costs	\$20.00	\$20.00	
	Program Operations Cost per Billable Hour	\$1.43	\$1.43	
	- Administration Percent	12.0%	12.0%	
Administration Cost per Billable Hour	\$2.01	\$2.03		
Rate per Billable Hour	\$16.74	\$16.89		

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Day Services, Center/Facility, 1:4

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Unit of Service		Hour	Hour	
Direct Care Staff Wages and Benefits	- Percent of Direct Care Staff Working Full-Time	70%	70%	
	- Direct Care Staff Hourly Wage	\$18.01	\$18.01	
	- Employee Benefit Rate (as a percent of wages)	22.21%	22.21%	
	- Workers' Compensation Rate (as a percent of wages)	5.74%	5.74%	
	Hourly Staff Cost Before Productivity Adj. (wages + benefits)	\$23.04	\$23.04	
	<i>Productivity Adjustments</i>			
	Total Hours	34.60	34.60	
	- Program Set-Up/ Clean-Up	0.97	0.97	
	- Recordkeeping and Reporting	1.16	1.16	
	- Supervision and Other Employer Time	0.90	0.90	
	- Training	0.67	0.67	
	- Paid Time Off	3.04	3.04	
	"Billable" Hours	27.86	27.86	
	Productivity Factor	1.24	1.24	
Staffing Ratio	- Group Size (Participants per Direct Care Staff)	4.0	4.0	
	- Participant Attendance Rate	88%	88%	
	- Adjusted Weighted Avg. of No. of Participants per Staff	3.52	3.52	
	Staff Cost After Productivity Adj. per Billable Hour	\$8.12	\$8.12	
Attendance	- Annual Days of Program Operations	250.0	250.0	
	- Annual Days of Participant Attendance	220.0	220.0	
	- Hours per Day of Participant Attendance	6.00	6.00	
	Hours per Year of Participant Attendance	1,320	1,320	
Facility	- Square Feet of Service Space per Participant	75	75	
	- Annual Cost per Square Foot	\$15.00	\$17.25	
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	Facility Cost per Participant per Billable Hour	\$0.85	\$0.98	
Supervision	- Supervisor Hourly Wage	\$25.24	\$25.24	
	- Supervisor Benefit Rate (as a percent of wages)	20.08%	20.08%	
	- Workers' Compensation Rate (as a percent of wages)	5.74%	5.74%	
	Hourly Supervisor Cost (wages + benefits)	\$31.76	\$31.76	
	Weekly Supervision Cost	\$1,270.40	\$1,270.40	
	- Number of Direct Care Staff Supervised	10	10	
Supervision Cost per Participant per Billable Hour	\$1.30	\$1.30		
Admin. and Prog. Operations	Cost per Hour, Before Program Operations and Administration	\$10.27	\$10.40	
	- Daily Program Operations Costs	\$20.00	\$20.00	
	Program Operations Cost per Billable Hour	\$1.08	\$1.08	
	- Administration Percent	12.0%	12.0%	
Administration Cost per Billable Hour	\$1.55	\$1.57		
Rate per Billable Hour	\$12.90	\$13.05		

ST1: Transportation Additional Component Service Code 880... CONTINUES

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o 100% COMMUNITY BASED DAY SERVICES RATE MODEL INCLUDES MILEAGE/TRANSPORTATION

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- Employee Benefit Rate (as a percent of wages)	22.21%	22.21%		
- Workers' Compensation Rate (as a percent of wages)	5.74%	5.74%		
Hourly Staff Cost Before Productivity Adj. (wages + benefits)	\$23.04	\$23.04		
Productivity Adjustments				
Total Hours	34.60	34.60		
- Program Set-Up/ Clean-Up	0.97	0.97		
- Recordkeeping and Reporting	0.97	0.97		
- Supervision and Other Employer Time	0.90	0.90		
- Training	0.67	0.67		
- Paid Time Off	3.04	3.04		
"Billable" Hours	28.05	28.05		
Productivity Factor	1.23	1.23		
Staffing Ratio				
- Group Size (Participants per Direct Care Staff)	4.0	4.0		
- Participant Attendance Rate	88%	88%		
- Adjusted Weighted Avg. of No. of Participants per Staff	3.52	3.52		
Staff Cost After Productivity Adj. per Billable Hour	\$8.85	\$8.85		
Attendance				
- Annual Days of Program Operations	250.0	250.0		
- Annual Days of Participant Attendance	220.0	220.0		
- Hours per Day of Participant Attendance	6.00	6.00		
Hours per Year of Participant Attendance	1,320	1,320		
Mileage				
Amount per Mile	\$0.700	\$0.700		
- Number of Miles Traveled per Vehicle per Week	250	225		
- Number of Participants per Vehicle	3.52	3.52		
Allocated Miles per Participant per Week	71.0	63.9		
Annual Mileage Cost/ Participant (at 250 days of operation)	\$2,485.70	\$2,237.20		
Mileage Cost per Participant per Billable Hour	\$1.88	\$1.69		
Facility				
- Square Feet of Service Space per Participant	75	75		
- Annual Cost per Square Foot	\$15.00	\$17.25		
Annual Facility Cost per Participant	\$1,125.00	\$1,293.75		
Facility Cost per Participant per Billable Hour	\$8.85	\$8.90		
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Hourly Supervisor Cost (wages + benefits)	\$31.76	\$31.76		
Weekly Supervisor Cost	\$1,270.40	\$1,270.40		
- Number of Direct Care Staff Supervised	10	10		
Supervision Cost per Participant per Billable Hour	\$1.29	\$1.29		

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		Hours per Year of Participant Attendance	
		1,320	1,320
Mileage	Amount per Mile	\$0.700	\$0.700
	- Number of Miles Traveled per Vehicle per Week	250	225
	- Number of Participants per Vehicle	1.76	1.76
	Allocated Miles per Participant per Week	142.1	127.8
	Annual Mileage Cost/ Participant (at 250 days of operation)	\$4,971.75	\$4,474.40
	Mileage Cost per Participant per Billable Hour	\$3.77	\$3.39

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		Hours per Year of Participant Attendance	
		1,320	1,320
Mileage	Amount per Mile	\$0.700	\$0.700
	- Number of Miles Traveled per Vehicle per Week	250	225
	- Number of Participants per Vehicle	2.64	2.64
	Allocated Miles per Participant per Week	94.7	85.2
	Annual Mileage Cost/ Participant (at 250 days of operation)	\$3,314.50	\$2,983.05
	Mileage Cost per Participant per Billable Hour	\$2.51	\$2.26

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		Hours per Year of Participant Attendance	
		1,320	1,320
Mileage	Amount per Mile	\$0.700	\$0.700
	- Number of Miles Traveled per Vehicle per Week	250	225
	- Number of Participants per Vehicle	3.52	3.52
	Allocated Miles per Participant per Week	71.0	63.9
	Annual Mileage Cost/ Participant (at 250 days of operation)	\$2,485.70	\$2,237.20
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Day Services, Community, 1:4

Unit of Service	Base Model		RC Model	
	Hour	Hour	Hour	Hour
Admin. and Prog. Operations				
Cost per Hour, Before Program Operations and Administration	\$12.07	\$12.01		
- Daily Program Operations Costs	\$20.00	\$20.00		
Program Operations Cost per Billable Hour	\$1.88	\$1.88		
- Administration Percent	12.0%	12.0%		
Administration Cost per Billable Hour	\$1.79	\$1.79		
Rate per Billable Hour	\$14.94	\$14.88		

ST1: Transportation Additional Component Service Code 880...CONTINUES

- Day Services that are currently 100% community-based and are requesting SC 880 will need to provide a justification for adding SC 880 as an additional service component.
- Current active authorizations will continue until a determination is made by case management based on each individual's needs.

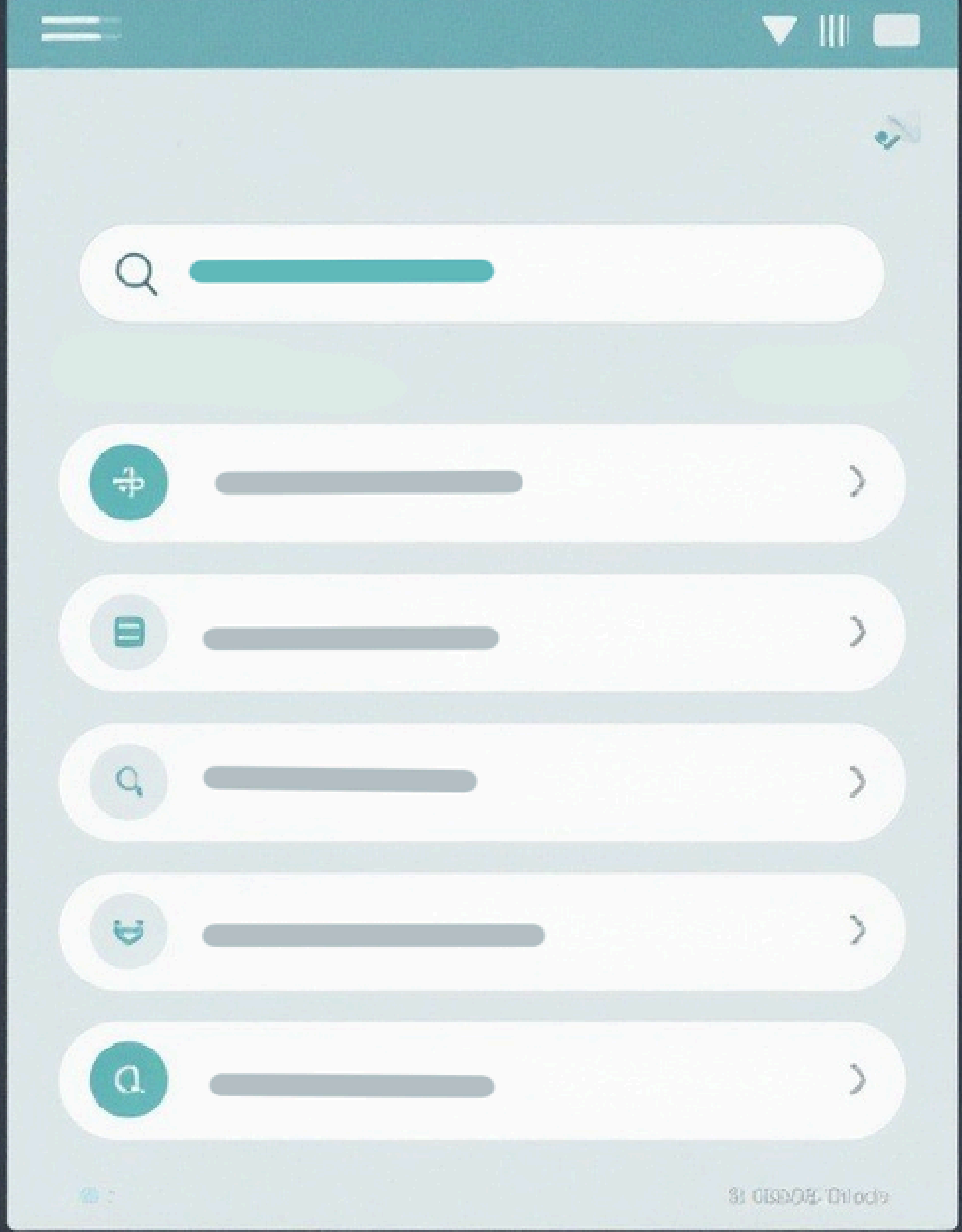
STM: CPP, CRDP & HDO

DDS designed the Community Placement Plan (CPP) and Community Resource Development Plan (CRDP) for regional centers to enhance the capacity of the community service delivery system and to reduce the reliance on the use of developmental center and other restrictive living environments. The CPP and CRDP provide funding to the regional centers for the development of a variety of resources, including, but not limited, to residential development, transportation, day services, and mental health and crisis services, within individuals' communities consistent with resource development as described in Welfare and Institutions Code sections 4418.25 and 4679(a).

ST1: CPP, CRDP & HDO...continues

The regional centers can also use CPP and CRDP funds to develop safe, affordable, and sustainable homes as a residential option. CPP and CRDP funds create permanent housing through the “Buy It Once” model where a housing developer organization (HDO) owns the property for the **restricted use** by regional center consumers. For this residential option, the regional centers **must** submit a housing proposal to DDS using the guidelines (developed by DDS), requesting approval of CPP and CRDP funds for the acquisition and development of HDO-owned housing for the benefit of consumers [<https://www.dds.ca.gov/services/cpp/>].

Medicaid Waiver (MW) Audit Results



MW Audit By The Numbers

A. On Site Review & Findings:

1. Community Care Facility Record Review - 92%:

a. Documentation of Eviction & Appeal Rights [0%]

b. Quarterly Report of Progress [75%]

2. Day Program Record Review - 100%

B. Vendor Walk Through - 93%

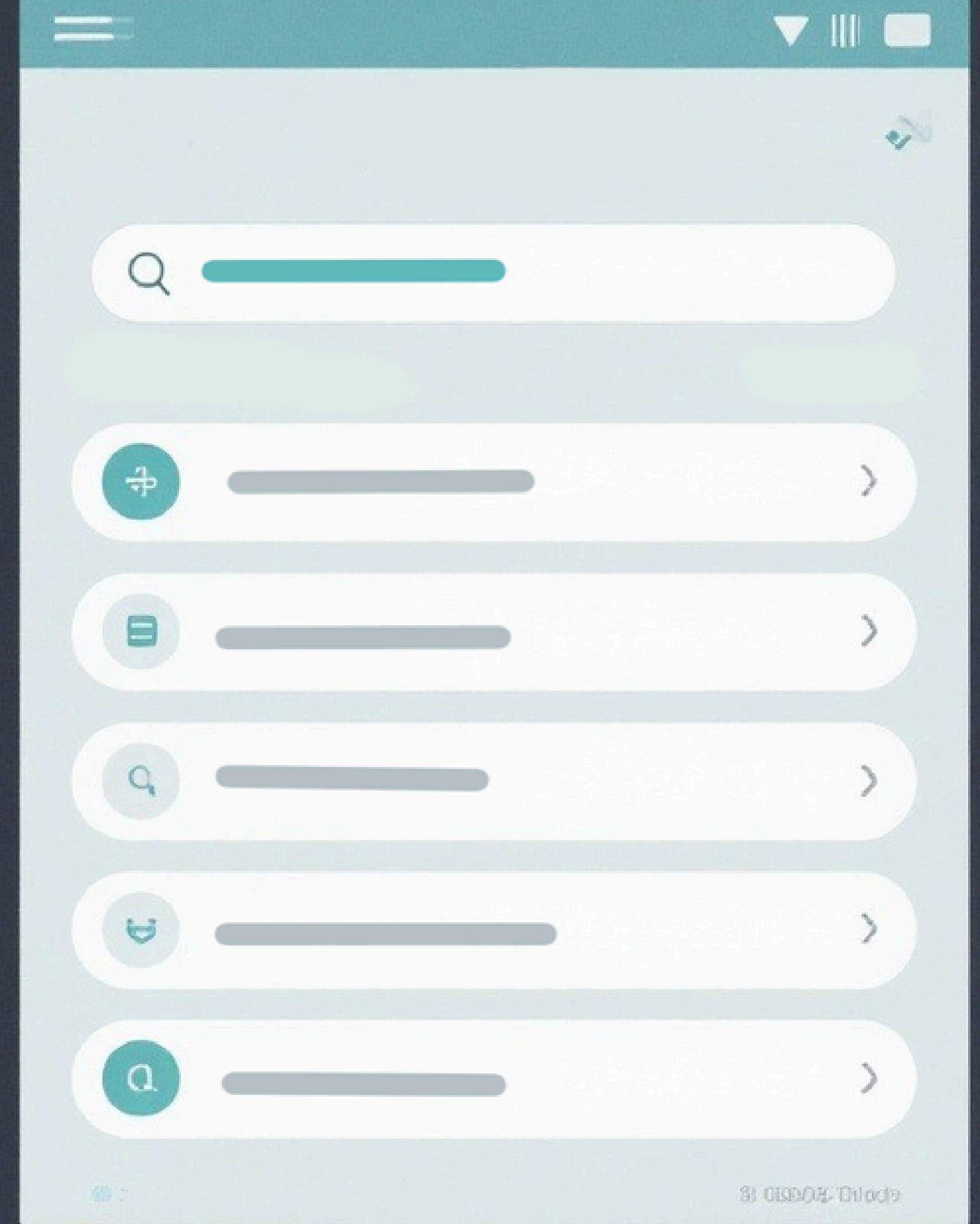
C. Vendor Settings & HCBS Waiver Requirements - 96%

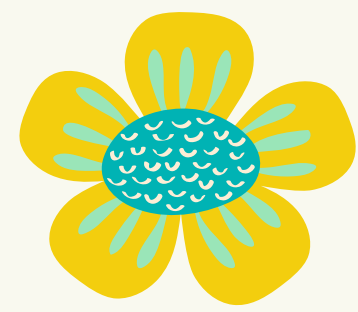
D. Vendor (Biennial) Monitoring Record Review - 100%

E. Vendor Timely Submission of SIR - 80%

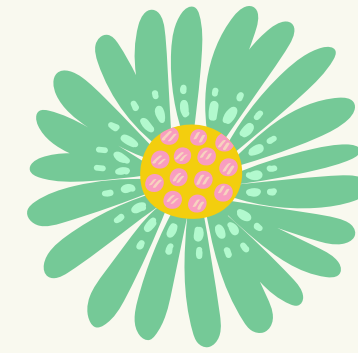


DDS QIP UPDATE

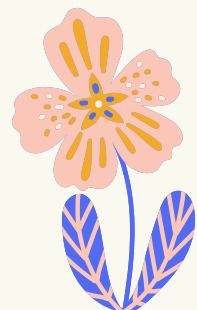
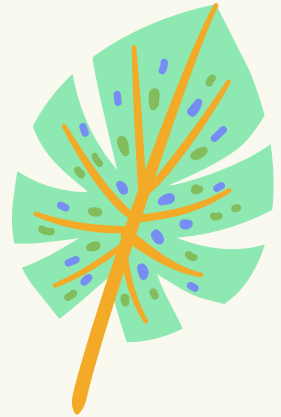




Message from DDS



The Department is working with every provider **who reached out prior to the survey deadline** to give them another opportunity to complete their survey. If they wrote to DDS or submitted a help ticket, and were not able to complete their survey because of technical or related concerns, they are being emailed a new link to complete all required surveys and will also receive a phone call from the DDS QIP team explaining the situation. **Surveys must be complete by April 10, 2026.** New links are provided to the email of **the person who reached out to the Department**, along with the Parent Admin email, as registered in the Provider Directory (PD) if different. **Phone calls are made to the Parent Admin phone number.**





South Central Los Angeles
Regional Center



Monthly Independent Facilitator Round Table

What: Open & friendly discussion on SDP

When: 1st Monday of every Month 5:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Where: Zoom

Who: Independent Facilitators and SCLARC Staff

Let's Chat!

SCLARC invites Independent Facilitators to join us in an open dialogue to build bridges of communication and collaborate on the implementation of SDP at SCLARC.

[CLICK TO REGISTER](#)



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SOUTH CENTRAL LOS ANGELES REGIONAL CENTER

INDEPENDENT FACILITATOR DROP IN OFFICE HOURS



SCLARC Presents: Drop-In Office Hours for Independent Facilitators.
Need support with Spending Plan development, Budget questions, FMS guidance, or case-specific follow-up? Join us for our weekly drop-in office hours— no appointment needed! Get the answers and help you need to better support our communities.



Beginning Oct 20th
Every Monday
11:00am - 12:00pm



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Self-Determination Local Advisory Committee



The Self-Determination Local Advisory Committee is a volunteer advisory group that provides guidance and recommendations regarding the implementation of the Self-Determination Program at SCLARC. Meetings of the Self-Determination Local Advisory Committee are open to the public and offer an opportunity to learn more about the Self-Determination program.

Next Meetings:

January 14, 2026

March 11, 2026

May 13, 2026

July 8, 2026

September 9, 2026

November 11, 2026



When: Bi-Monthly



Where: Zoom



Time: 6:00pm - 8:00pm



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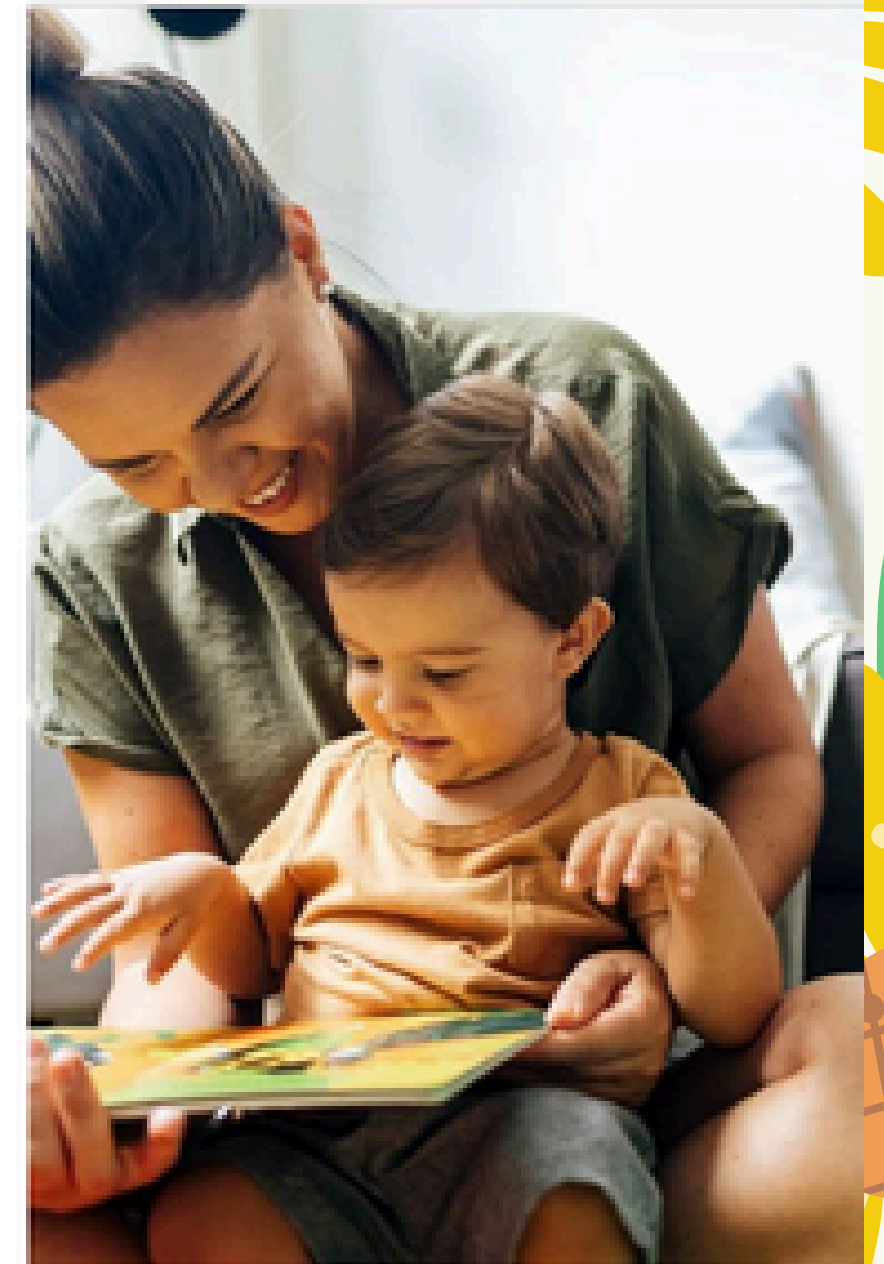
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CSULB Early Intervention Project

Information for Agency Leaders

Community Autism Research for Equity (CARE) Lab

Department of Psychology, CSU Long Beach (Go Beach!)



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CSULB
Early
Intervention
Study

Barbara Caplan, PhD

Assistant Professor, Department of Psychology
Director, Community Autism Research for Equity Lab

CSULB Early Intervention Study is looking to partner with organizations that provide Part C early intervention services for social communication or autism.

Who is eligible to participate?



Agency (or Private Practice)

1. Provides California Part C early intervention services (e.g. **CA Early Start**).

Therapists

1. Provides EI services for **social communication or autism** (e.g., speech therapy, behavior therapy, etc.)
2. Expects to be with current agency or private practice for the next month.

Family

1. Caregivers speak **Spanish or English** as preferred language
2. Child ages **12-35 months** whose early intervention services focus on **social communication or autism**.

What are the aims of the study?

- This study aims to **improve community care** by identify factors that lead to optimal caregiver engagement in early intervention services for social communication delays/autism.
- We hope to **promote service equity** by understanding the unique preferences and needs of Latino and Spanish Speaking families.

This work is funded by the
National Institutes of Health (NIH)
(1R16GM154679)



What does the study involve?

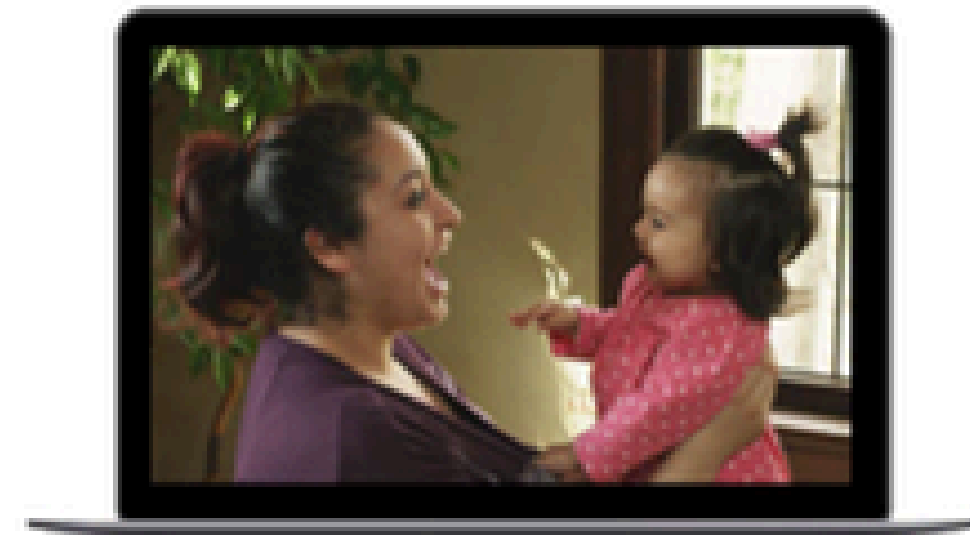
Phase 1: Online Survey

- Therapists complete a 15-min online survey.
- Therapists receive a **\$15 gift card**.



Phase 2: Enrollment with Families

- ✓ Share study opportunity with families.
- ✓ Therapists and caregivers jointly share their experiences by:
 - ✓ Completing an online survey
 - ✓ Sharing video recordings of three sessions
- Therapists receive **\$70/family (\$350 max)**
- Caregivers receive a **\$40 gift card**
 - ✓ Complete an online survey
 - ✓ Give permission for video recording



Confidentiality

- All participant information collected by research staff will be kept confidential.
 - Staff trained in HIPAA procedures.
 - Videos shared/stored via HIPAA-compliant procedures.
- Participant data is securely stored in de-identified and password protected databases.
- Confidentiality Certificate from the DHHS.
- No individual level data shared with agencies, therapists or families.
- **New!**
 - (1) Families may “opt out” of providing full names (child first name only)
 - (2) Face blurring (in process)

Agency Benefits

- Contribute to understanding of best practices in community early intervention:
 - Optimal caregiver engagement
 - Equitable and culturally responsive practices
- Receive **newsletters** with research findings/briefs from the study.
- If there are other opportunities for our research team **to support your agency**, please let us know.
 - Examples: share job postings, advertise your agency's research involvement, share resources and professional development opportunities.

Questions?



- Contact us anytime:
 - CARE Lab: carelab@csulb.edu
 - Dr. Barbara Caplan: Barbara.caplan@csulb.edu
 - Phone: 562-985-5022

Q & A



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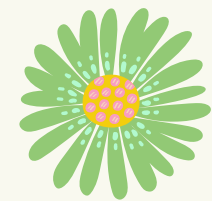


SCLARC Vendor Portal Update

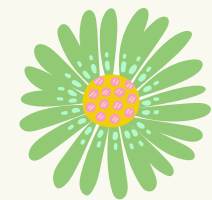


SCLARC Vendor Portal Mandatory Enrollment

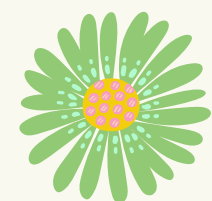
Vendor Portal



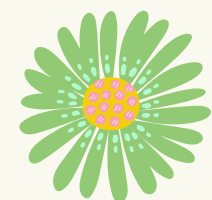
Vendor Registration Launch Date: 03/12/2025



As of 04/01/2026, there are 1,394 registered service providers.



The Vendor Registration Page has been developed and uploaded. This link has been added to SCLARC's website to allow vendors to access and log in.



The URL is: <https://vendorportal.sclarc.org/registration.aspx>

SCLARC Vendor Portal Added Feature

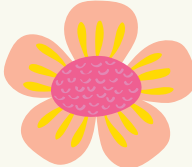
App updates on iOS and Android are required to see the changes.

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09/09/2024	Individual Program Plan	View
08/21/2025	CDER	View
01/23/2025	Addendum	View

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Service Coordinator and
Program Manager
contact information

Rate Reform



What is Rate Reform?

In 2019, the California Legislature received a study of the rates for services provided for people with intellectual and developmental disabilities. This study looked at the amount paid for most services and in different areas of California, as well as the quality of those services. The study led to what is known as “Rate Reform”. Rate Reform has been implemented in phases, until its full implementation that will be effective January 1, 2025.

Rate Reform includes the Quality Incentive Program (QIP). Through QIP, providers can earn up to 10 percent of their rate based on the quality of the service(s) they provide. The QIP has several different measures, each related to different types of services. The following areas for QIP measures were determined through the QIP’s public workgroup process: Prevention and Wellness; Employment; Informed Choice and Satisfaction; Workforce Capacity; Early Intervention; and Service Access.

Rate Reform Progress

January 1-15

- ✓ Posted 2026 rates
- ✓ Posted AB2423 rates
- ✓ Updated TDS rates

January 16-31

- ✓ Finalized changes in methodology & billing for Transportation Company
- ✓ Finalized changes in methodology & billing for Transportation Brokers
- ✓ Adjusted non-ambulatory Transportation Additional Component rates
- ✓ Finalized Behavioral Day Program requirements
- ✓ Finalized additional Respite ratios
- ✓ Sent QIP rate schedule to regional centers
- ✓ Sent 2026 Level 7 and ARFPSHN worksheets to regional centers
- ✓ Requested data collection on CDRP/CPP homes from regional centers

February

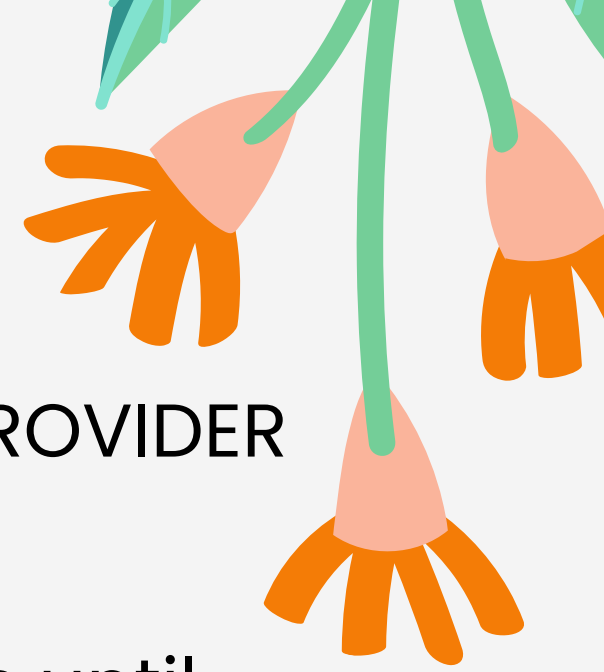
- ✓ Updated rates for Transportation Brokers in effect
 - ✓ Updated rates for Transportation Additional Component, Non-Ambulatory in effect
 - ✓ Updated ratios for Respite in effect
 - ✓ Transportation Services webinar
- In progress**
- Release of 875 directive with updated billing methodology
 - Review of CDRP/CPP data & potential adjustments
 - End of hold harmless (2/28/26)
 - Updated rates for Transportation Companies go into effect 3/1/26
 - Early Intervention 810 rate model finalization & implementation
 - Direction on Behavioral Respite billing

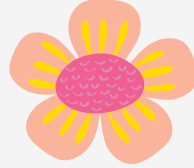
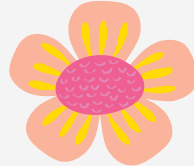
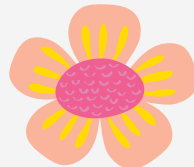
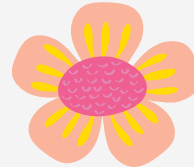
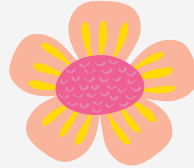
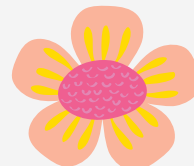
Mid-End 2026

- 📅 March – December: Continue to monitor implemented changes
- 📅 June: Post QIP rate schedule to the DDS website
- 📅 2026: Continue to track the development of Family Home Agencies (FHAs)

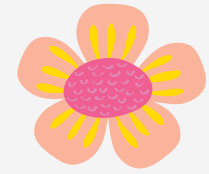
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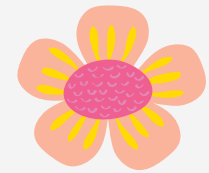


-  1. 90% OF THE BENCH MARK RATE: VENDORS WHO DID NOT COMPLETE THEIR DDS PROVIDER DIRECTORY AND/OR SERVICE ACKNOWLEDGEMENT FORMS IN A TIMELY MANNER.
-  2. Service Providers with rates higher than the benchmark rate is held harmless until 02/28/2026. This means their rate will drop down to the bench mark rate for March 2026 billing.
-  3. LEVEL 7 RATES INCLUDES ALL DSP HOURS (SC 109, SC 111), AND/OR CONSULTING HOURS (SC 117). **AS OF 02/24/2026 DDS HAS UPDATED THE WORKBOOKS. SCLARC SUBMITTED ALL L7 AND THE ARFPSHN TO DDS TO REVIEW AND UPDATE THE RATE FOR 2026.**
-  4. RATE INCREASE OF 01/01/2026 ARE CURRENTLY BEING UPDATED BY SCLARC.
-  5. DDS is working with HMA to update the rate model packets and the website will be updated some time this month.
-  6. New rates for Transportation Company SC 875 in effect 03/01/2026. DDS is working on new directives for RCs.

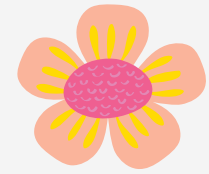
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7. Out of area or shared (courtesy) vendors: SCLARC has been reaching out to the vendoring regional centers to obtain updated vendor information (i.e., SAF, VSN, Rates if applicable).



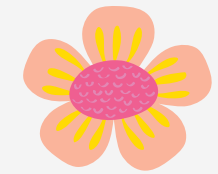
8. SCLARC created a SharePoint for RCs to access SCLARC Service Providers related to the rate reform.



9. Use of Generative Artificial Intelligence (GenAI)

Service Providers are required to submit any proposed GenAI solutions to the South Central Los Angeles Regional Center (SCLARC) for review prior to implementation, and existing systems leveraging GenAI, as outlined from DDS. Service Providers need to establish policies and procedures to address use of GenAI solutions so that any solution used meets all applicable federal and state privacy protections and otherwise complies with DDS Directive dated 12/24/2025. Service Providers are required to protect the privacy and security of individuals and families served. The use of GenAI by vendored service providers creates a risk because the AI models might use confidential or sensitive information for training purposes, potentially exposing proprietary or personally identifiable data to unauthorized parties.

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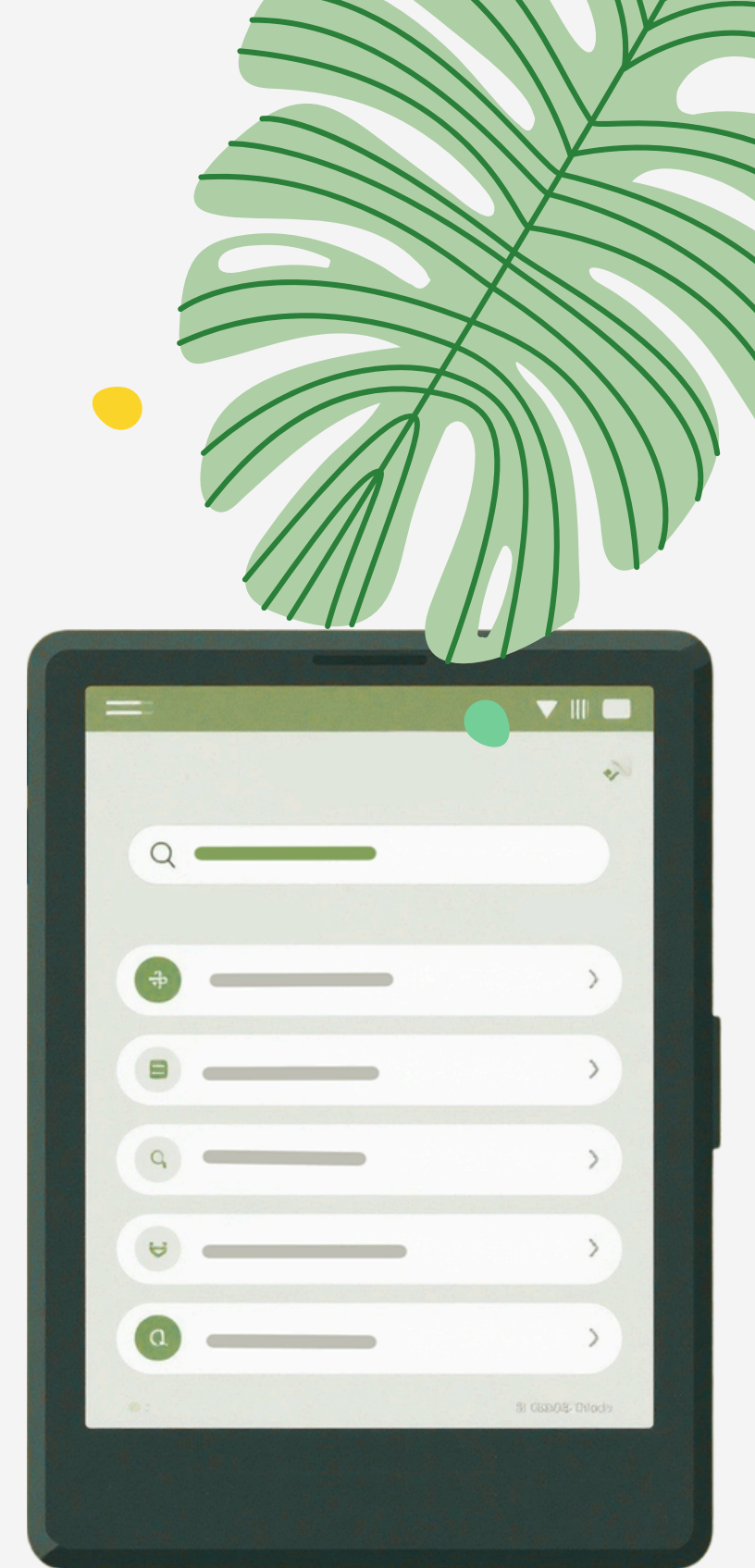


10. Retro Billing Residential

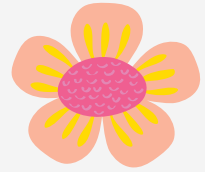
- 95% of residential retro payments have been completed, totaling approximately \$1.6M.
- The Fiscal Department is currently working on SC 113. A similar payment schedule has been developed.
- Respite retros under SC 868 are projected to be paid by March 30.
- We anticipate finalizing SC 113 retros by the end of March 30.

Non- Residential

- Approximately 60% of non-residential retro payments have been completed.
- The Fiscal Department will continue processing the remaining non-residential retros through March 2026.



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11. SC 875 Revised Rate Structure and Methodology

- Effective 03/01/26, transportation services consist of two rate components:
 - Vehicle Rate: Covers program operations, administrative expenses, and supervision wages and benefits.
 - Providers may bill per vehicle up to 2x daily (AM/PM).
 - Mileage Rate: Covers vehicle-related expenses (lease costs, fuel, maintenance, and insurance).
 - Documentation: Daily odometer readings and attendance required.



Vehicle Rate/ Flat Fee

Mileage Rate

Unit Calendar Data Entry Previous New

Consumer Name: Doe, John UCI #: 1235678 Invoice #/Line #: 1867565 / 24
 Authorization #: 26225586 Service Code: 875 - TRANS COMPANIES Service Subcode: SSDAT
 Auth Dates: 08/22/25 - 10/05/25 Units Type: HRS-DIR F/F ONLY/MO Invoice Date: 2025-09-26

September 2025 Populate All

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2	3	4	5	6
	2	2	2	2	1	
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
	2	2	2	2	2	
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
	1	2	2	2	2	
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
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28	29	30				
	2	2				

Invoice Details
 No Service Defer (Regenerate)
 Last Month of Service? Exit Date:

Invoice Line Summary

Total Units: 41
 Unit Rate: \$174.00
 Gross Amount: \$7,134.00

Received Revenue Details

--: 0.00
 --: 0.00
 --: 0.00

Total Received Revenue: \$7,134.00
 Net Amount: \$7,134.00

1 unit = One Way
 2 units = Round Trip

Unit Calendar Data Entry Previous New

Consumer Name: CONTRACT, SERVICES UCI #: CONTRACT Invoice #/Line #: 1868981 / 1
 Authorization #: 26113368 Service Code: 875 - TRANS COMPANIES Service Subcode: SS0
 Auth Dates: 07/01/25 - 06/30/26 Units Type: HRS-DIR F/F ONLY/MO Invoice Date: 2025-09-26

September 2025 Populate All

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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28	29	30				
	105	105				

Invoice Details
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 Last Month of Service? Exit Date:

Invoice Line Summary

Total Units: 2,310
 Unit Rate: \$1.93
 Gross Amount: \$4,458.30

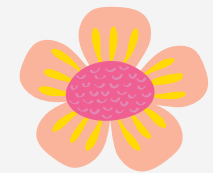
Received Revenue Details

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Total Received Revenue: 0.00
 Net Amount: \$4,458.30

Total based on a 22 Day month

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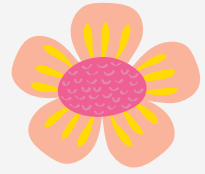


12. SC 880 – Additional Component

- We still have a few SC 880 providers that have not submitted vehicle and consumer list.
- Please email list to vendorhelp@sclarc.org as soon as possible.



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13. Credit Memos & E-Billing (continued)

- CREDIT MEMO NOTICES ARE SENT TO THE ADMIN USER EMAIL ASSOCIATED WITH E-BILLING.
 - PLEASE ENSURE THAT THIS EMAIL ADDRESS IS KEPT UP TO DATE.
- IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS REGARDING CANCELLATIONS PLEASE CONTACT THE SERVICE COORDINATOR.



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Credit Memo Deduction Notice

3/10/26

To Whom It May Concern:

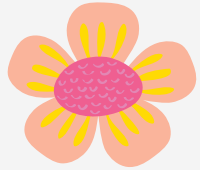
Vendor # HX1234 Vendor Name: ABC Inc.

Email: HX1234@abc.com

This notice serves to inform you that a credit memo will be deducted from your upcoming invoice payment. For your reference, the credit memo and corresponding cancellation documentation are attached.

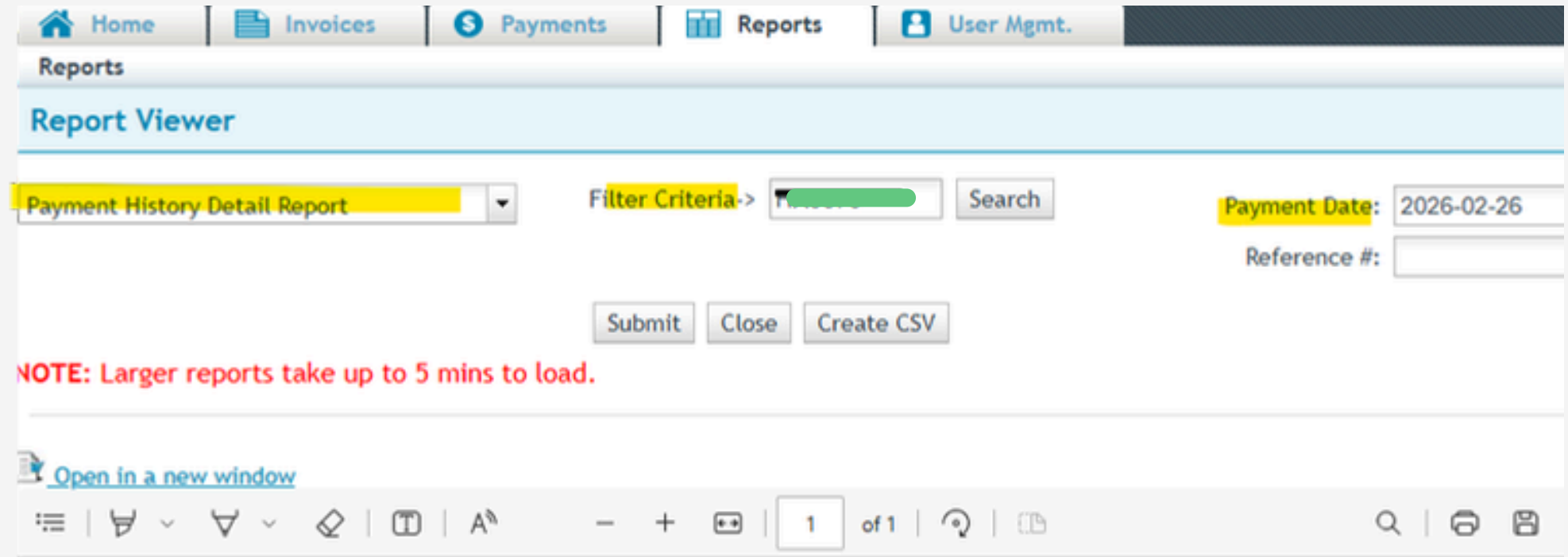
Should you have any questions or require clarification, please refer to the attached documents and/or contact your Service Coordinator.

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14. Credit Memos & E-Billing

- Payment history detail report:
 - A report that lists individual payments including any deductions such as credit memos.
- Overpayments due to cancellation of services



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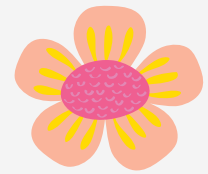
Payment History Detail Report

Provider #:	[REDACTED]	Date:	2026-03-09
Name:	[REDACTED]	Units:	559.00
Address:	[REDACTED]	Amount:	65,130.27
	[REDACTED]	Reference #:	261346256

SCLARC VENDOR

UCI#	Consumer Name	Auth#	Svc Code	Sub-Code	Service M/Y	Units	Amount	Invoice#	Adj Code	Inv Amt
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	510		02/2026	10.00	1,167.00	[REDACTED]	00	1,167.00
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	510		02/2026	11.00	1,283.70	[REDACTED]	00	1,283.70
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15. QUALITY INCENTIVE PROGRAM (QIP) FY2627: EFFECTIVE 07/01/2026

- See DDS [website](#) about QIP. The website contains important information that would impact service provider rates.
- 10/09/2025 Directives Attachment B – shows some service type will need to complete 2 survey's to get 100% of the rate. If the provider only completes one they only get 95% of the rate. For example, all residential facilities have 2 surveys.
- Surveys are due 02/27/2026. SCLARC received notice that 150 service providers have not completed their survey. SCLARC emailed the providers using the email they used for the DDS Provider Directory and provided them with their Parent ID. Not completing the survey will drop their rate up to 10% less.

QUALITY INCENTIVE PROGRAM: RATE STRUCTURE

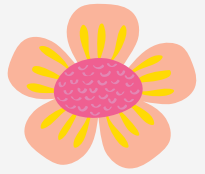
Residential Service Providers: To earn their full (10%) quality incentive rate component for FY 2026-27, residential service providers operating in the services codes specific to the Prevention and Wellness column in the table below must participate in the Prevention and Wellness measure to earn half of their quality incentive rate component and the Provider Capacity measure to earn the other half of their quality incentive rate component.

Employment Providers: To earn their full (10%) quality incentive rate component for FY 2026-27, employment providers operating in the service codes specific to the Employment column in the table below must participate in the Employment reporting measure to earn half of their quality incentive rate component, and the Provider Capacity measure to earn the other half of their quality incentive rate component.

All Other Providers: To earn their full (10%) quality incentive rate component for FY 2026-27, all providers operating in the services codes listed in the table below that do not also operate in the Employment and Prevention and Wellness service codes must participate in the Provider Capacity measure to earn their full quality incentive rate component.

ALL SERVICE CODES ELIGIBLE TO PARTICIPATE IN THE QIP MEASURES FOR FY 2026-27				
Service Code	Type of Service	Provider Capacity	Prevention and Wellness	Employment
025	Tutor Services – Group	X		
048	Client/Parent Support Behavior Intervention Training	X		
055	Community Integration Training Program	X		
062	Personal Assistance	X		
063	Community Activities Support Services	X		

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15. Quality Incentive Program (QIP) FY2627: Effective 07/01/2026.... continues

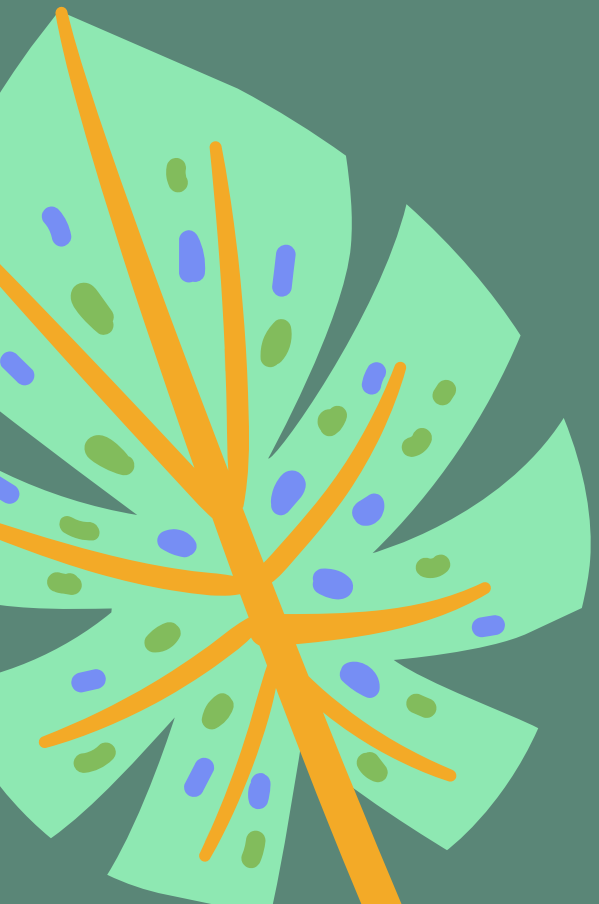
The 5 things DDS are looking for vendors to complete are (if applicable):

1. Electronic Verification Visit (EVV) Enrollment
2. HCBS Compliance
3. Vendor Financial Audit/Report submitted to the regional center within nine (9) months after the end of the provider's most recent fiscal year.
4. QIP Survey issued by DDS, there are 2 for some vendors.
5. DDS Provider Directory Enrollment

Code	Service Description	Category	Sub-Category	Other
862	Respite	X		
864	In-home Respite Worker	X		
875	Transportation Company	X		
880	Transportation – Additional Component	X		
882	Transportation Assistant	X		
883	Transportation Broker	X		
894	Supported Living Services – Administrative	X		
896	Supported Living Services	X		
900 & 901	Enhanced Behavioral Supports Home – Facility and Individual Services	X*	X*	
904	Family Home Agency	X	X	
905	Residential Facility Serving Adults – Owner Operated	X	X	
910	Residential Facility Serving Children – Owner Operated	X	X	
915	Residential Facility Serving Adults – Staff Operated	X	X	
920	Residential Facility Serving Children – Staff Operated	X	X	
950	Supported Employment – Group	X		X
952	Supported Employment – Individual	X		X
954	Work Activity Program	X		

**All service codes including an asterisk in the table above indicate that these service types may be vendored under different service codes.*

Service Type Information (STI)



SM: Supported Living Services (SLS) Service Code 896

California Code Regulation, Title 17, Section 58616

Additional General Provisions

(b) No relative or conservator of a consumer shall serve as the SLS vendor for that consumer except when a determination has been made through the IPP process that:

- (1) Unpaid family-based, or other natural supports for the consumer will not be supplanted;
- (2) Such service is consistent with the consumer's IPP goals and objectives;
- (3) The relative or conservator proposing to serve as the SLS vendor has no legal obligation to support the consumer;
- (4) The consumer's preference is for that relative or conservator to serve as the SLS vendor; and
- (5) The service will be at least as cost effective as any available alternative.



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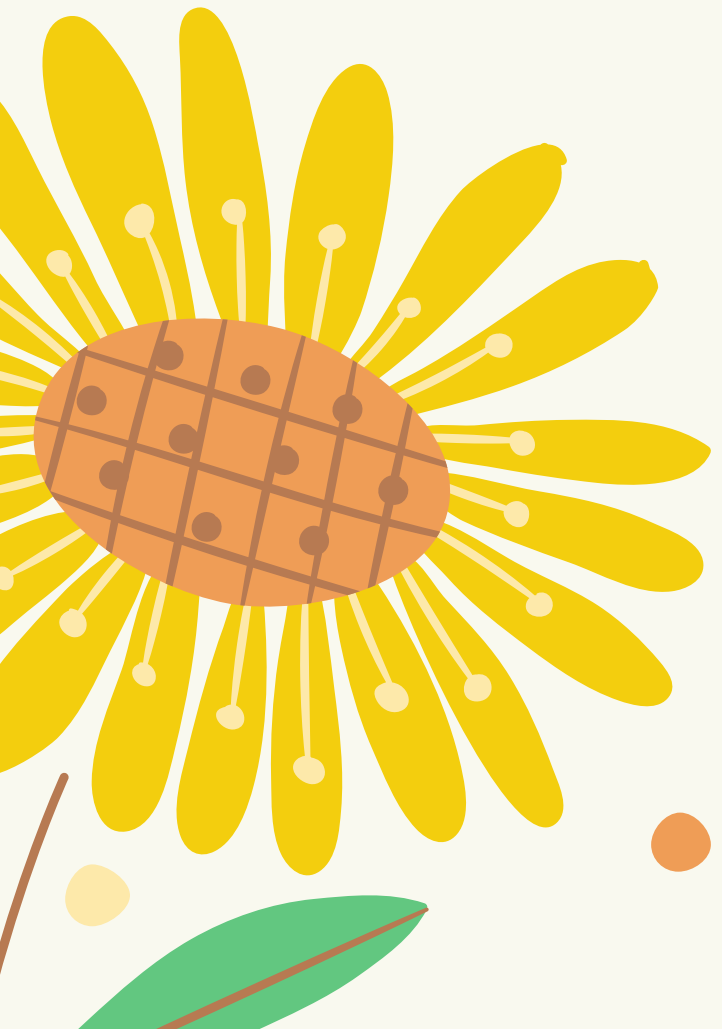


OR



CEU'S PROVIDED TO THE PARTICIPANTS

*Participants must attend from their own device for at least 60 minutes to receive CEU certificate *



Trailer Bill Language (TBL)



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Rate Reform/Quality Incentive Program Contract Exemption (updated: 02/02/2026)

- Through 12/31/30, DDS could contract with consultants to carry out rate model implementation and updates without going through the regular state contracting process.

Life Outcomes Improvement System (updated: 02/02/2026)

- Captures in statute the intent to move to LOIS.
- Requires regional centers to notify DDS of plans to permit systems to access various records or to change functionality.
- Prohibits planning for or changing case management systems without prior approval from DDS.
- Requires regional centers to prioritize data cleanup and other readiness tasks.
- Upon completion of LOIS, regional centers will discontinue use of other systems and minimize disruptions for individuals and families.

TBL... CONTINUES

Remote Services (updated: 02/02/2026).

- Remote services for certain services (day programs, look-alike day programs, ILS, behavioral therapy, clinical assessments for Lanterman eligibility, and other services as determined by DDS) can be provided if they would effectively meet the identified needs and are chosen by individuals and families.
- Providers must track monthly remote service usage for all individuals.
- DDS may issue directives to implement this until adopting regulations no later than 10/31/29.

Regional Center Oversight /Fiscal Allocation Letter (updated: 02/02/2026).

- DDS may use fiscal letters for funding allocations or adjustments to regional center contracts.
- Courtesy vendorization will end by 3/1/28 and vendors shall prioritize serving their vendoring regional center's area.
- Beginning 1/1/27, vendors do not have to maintain a physical location in a regional center's area in order to be vendorized with them unless a physical location is needed for services, such as licensed residential facilities.

Service Providers Trainings or Workshops



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- 9/28 1-4pm

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- 5/27 1-4pm
- 6/24 1-4pm
- 8/5 1-4pm

Alta

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- 6/23 1-4pm
- 8/4 1-4pm
- 9/29 1-4pm

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- MARCH 10TH, 2026 4615 N. MARTY AVE, FRESNO, CA 93722

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About Wages and Ratios by Regional Center By Service Code/Rate Model Type

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