



ALTERNATIVE SERVICE DELIVERY (ASD) & TAILORED DAY SERVICES (TDS)

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ALTERNATIVE SERVICE DELIVERY (ASD)

- California Senate Bill 188 (budget trailer bill) added section 4690.7 to the Welfare and Institution Code, which allows billing for Alternative Nonresidential Services (ASD) **UNTIL DECEMBER 31, 2022.**

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- An additional budget change is standardization of tailored day services rates and the opportunity for regional center clients to use Tailored Day Services (TDS) in conjunction with traditional day program.

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WHAT IS 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 individual choices and needs through the customization of day services to provide opportunities for increased integration and inclusion, as well as promote opportunities for the participants to develop or maintain employment/volunteer activities and pursue post-secondary education.
- The goal is greater customization of services at a 1:1 ratio while saving the state money.
- TDS must be provided under an existing vendorization of an appropriate service code for day program, look-alike day program, supported employment program, or work activity program.

SERVICE CUSTOMIZATION:

- Flexibility in the duration and intensity of services to meet individualized needs.
 - Fewer days or hours than traditional day services.
- Further the development or maintenance of employment.
 - Allows for the utilization of the Paid Internship Program (PIP) and Competitive Integrated Employment (CIE) incentive programs.
- Pursue post-secondary education.
- Increase community integration and inclusion.
 - Through development and participation in volunteer activities.
 - Through community access/awareness.

THINGS TO CONSIDER:

Individualized
Service Goal

Current Status

Service
Design/Activities

Health/Safety
Concerns

Proposed
Support Hours

Outcomes
Desired

LEGISLATIVE UPDATES TO TDS:

- [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.
 - Amended [WIC 4688.21](#) - highlights
 - “Flexibility in the duration, location, including by remote electronic communications, and intensity of services to meet the consumer’s individualized needs.” (1)(a)
 - “The duration of the delivery of tailored day services on the same day or days as a work activity program or supported employment services is no longer than six months.” (6)(c)

RATE SETTING AS OF JULY 1, 2022

- SB-188

- “The bill would delete existing regional center requirements for negotiating vendor rates ...for both currently vendored and new programs, and instead would require the regional center to vendor those services..., at an hourly rate calculated pursuant to specified provisions.”

- WIC 4688.21

- “...The hourly rate for the tailored day service option shall be calculated using a base rate, defined as twice the amount of the rate model or models for “Community-Based Day, Community Only, 1:2.” (4) and “...the hourly rate shall equal 80 percent of the base rate.” (4)(a)

$$\text{\$25.70 (SCLARC BASE RATE)} \times 2 = [\text{\$51.40}] \times 80\% = \text{\$41.12/HR (NEW RATE)}$$

- “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)

$$3 \text{ DAYS/WK} \times 4 \text{ WKS/MO} = 12 \text{ DAYS/MO} \times 4 = \text{\underline{48 HRS TOTAL/MO.}}$$



Questions?



Comments?



Concerns?