



COMMUNITY LIVING & EMPLOYMENT OPTIONS

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Community Living Options

The level of support an individual needs to be safe, healthy, and happy in their living situation is one of the most important issues Interdisciplinary Teams must review and discuss at a person's annual Individual Program Plan meeting.



Community Care Facilities

CCFs are licensed by the State Department of Social Services to provide 24-hour non-medical residential care.



Alternative Residential Model (ARM)

- **Level 1:** Care and supervision for persons with self-care skills.
- **Level 2:** Care, supervision and incidental training for persons with some self-care skills and no major behavior challenges.
- **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.
- **Level 4 A-I:** Care, supervision and training for persons with deficits in self-help skills, and/or severe impairments 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 individual needs.

Specialized Residential Facilities

Specialized Residential Facilities: Provide care, supervision and training for persons whose needs cannot be appropriately met within the array of other community living options available as determined by the planning team.



ARFPSHN Homes

Adult residential facility that provides 24-hour health care and intensive support services in a homelike setting, licensed by Community Care Licensing, certified by DDS, and vendedored by Regional Centers associated with the closure of any developmental center statewide. (Also known as 962/853 homes.)



Delayed Egress/Secured Perimeter Homes

- Limited authority now exists for residential facilities to be equipped with both delayed egress devices and secured perimeter fences.
- These safety features are carefully designed for individuals who, due to difficult-to-manage behaviors or a lack of hazard awareness and impulse control, would pose a risk of harm to themselves or others. The addition of a secured perimeter ensures that individuals are supervised when they wish to go outside the property limits.

Enhanced Behavioral Support Homes

- These homes provide non-medical care for individuals who require enhanced behavioral supports, staffing and supervision in a homelike setting.
- They also have enhanced monitoring by regional center case managers, regional center behavior professionals, and DDS.
- Additional enhancements include more staffing and staff training.

Community Crisis Homes (CCH)

- A facility certified as an adult residential facility, providing 24-hour non-medical care to individuals in need of crisis intervention services, who would otherwise be at risk of admission to the acute crisis center at Fairview Developmental Center, Sonoma Developmental Center, or other acute care facility.



Health Facilities and Intermediate Care Facility (ICF-DD)

- Health Facilities: These facilities are licensed by the Licensing and Certification Division of the California Department of Public Health to provide 24 hours per day services
- Intermediate Care Facility – Developmentally Disabled (ICF-DD): An ICF-DD is a 24-hour health care facility that serves 15 or more people and provides personal care, habilitation, developmental and supportive health services to consumers.

Intermediate Care Facility – Developmentally Disabled/Habilitative (ICF-DD/H)

- Intermediate Care Facility – Developmentally Disabled/Habilitative (ICF-DD/H): An ICF-DD/H provides 24-hour personal care, developmental services, and nursing supervision.



Intermediate Care Facility – Developmental Disabled/Nursing (ICF-DD/N)

- An ICF-DD/N provides 24-hour personal care, developmental services, and nursing supervision for consumers who have intermittent recurring needs for skilled nursing care
- These consumers may have chronic, non-acute medical conditions that require more regular nursing and monitoring.

Intermediate Care Facility – Developmentally Disable/Continuous Nursing (ICF-DD/CN)

- The ICF-DD/CN program provides continuous nursing care to medically fragile beneficiaries in a small community-based residential setting
- Nursing Facility (NF): A NF provides continuous skilled nursing and supportive care to consumers whose primary need is for skilled nursing care on an extended basis.




Other Community Living Options

- **Parent/Family Member's Home:** Some consumers may live with parents or relatives. Regional centers generally provide additional supports for the family which include, but are not limited to: Day Services; In-Home or Out-of-Home Respite Services; Consultant Services; Behavior Intervention; Transportation; and/or, Independent Living Training.
- **Independent Living Skills (ILS):** Regional centers provide ILS services to an adult consumer consistent with his or her IPP, that provide the consumer with functional skills training that enables him or her to acquire or maintain skills to live independently in his or her own home, or to achieve greater independence while living in the home of a parent, family member, or other person
- **Supported Living Services (SLS):** SLS consist of a range of services to adults with developmental disabilities who, through the IPP process, choose to live in homes they themselves own, rent or lease in the community.

Other Community Living Options . . .

- **Family Home Agency (FHA):** An agency that approves Adult Family Homes and Family Teaching Homes for individuals with developmental disabilities. An Adult Family Home may serve two individuals in the same home; a Family Teaching Home may serve up to three individuals. These individuals reside with a family and share in the interaction and responsibilities of being part of a family.
- **Self-Determination Program:** The Department of Developmental Services is developing a new program that will let participants have more control over selecting their services and supports.

Individualized Planning, Programs and Services



Intellectual Developmental Disability (IDD)

Individualized planning for people with IDD is a lifetime process to succeed with:

- Community integration
- Meaningful employment
- Living arrangements
- Friends
- Activities



Planning Process Steps



Individualized Education Program (IEP)

Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA)

- Federal law requiring public schools to create an IEP with:
 - ✓ Child's present level of performance
 - ✓ Annual education goals
 - ✓ What supports and services the school will provide
 - ✓ Accommodations allowed when taking standardized tests
 - ✓ Measuring the child's progress towards annual goals
 - ✓ Transition planning (beginning at age 16)



Individualized Plan for Employment (IPE)

California Code of Regulations, Title 9, Sec. 7130

- State law requiring Department of Rehabilitation (DOR) to develop an IPE consistent with Sec. 361.52
 - ✓ Employment outcome and setting
 - ✓ Specific services and settings needed to achieve the employment outcome
 - ✓ Entity or entities providing vocational rehabilitation services and procuring the services
 - ✓ Agreed to and signed by the individual or representative
 - ✓ Approved and signed by vocational rehabilitation counselor



Individual Program Planning (IPP)

Lanterman Act 1992 amendment

- Requiring Regional Centers funded by Department of Development Services (DDS) to assist persons with developmental disabilities and their family build a person-centered IPP with:
 - ✓ Planning team consisting of the consumer, family of the consumers, service coordinator, and others
 - ✓ Focusing on consumer's dreams for a preferred future
 - ✓ Deciding "who - does what - by when"
 - ✓ Measurement of progress towards the consumer's preferred future



Choices




CA Department of Developmental Services Programs

IPP's that include employment as a goal have these options to choose from:


- Supported Employment Individual (SEP Individual)
- Supported Employment Group (SEP Group)
- Work Activity Program
- Day Programs
- Look Alikes

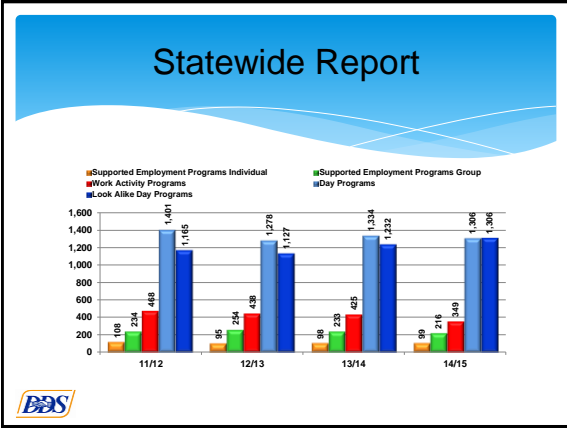


Statewide Report

Number of regional center consumers (16 to 21) receiving services: Statewide

Fiscal Year	Supported Employment Programs Individual	Supported Employment Programs Group	Work Activity Programs	Day Programs	Look Alike Day Programs
11/12	108	234	468	1,401	1,165
12/13	95	254	438	1,278	1,127
13/14	98	233	425	1,334	1,232
14/15	99	216	349	1,306	1,306

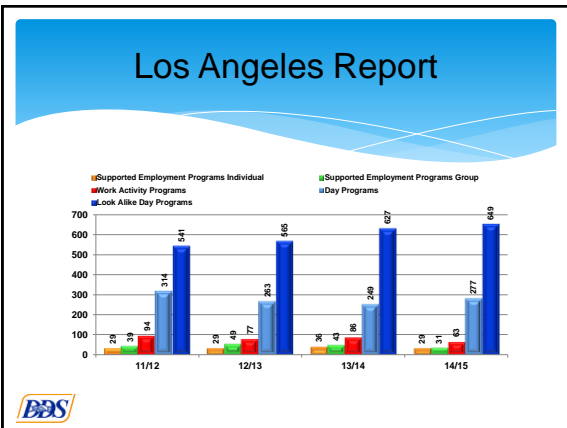




Los Angeles Report

Los Angeles area regional center consumers (16 to 21) receiving services:


Fiscal Year	Supported Employment Programs Individual	Supported Employment Programs Group	Work Activity Programs	Day Programs	Look Alike Day Programs
11/12	29	39	94	314	541
12/13	29	49	77	263	565
13/14	36	43	86	249	627
14/15	29	31	63	277	649



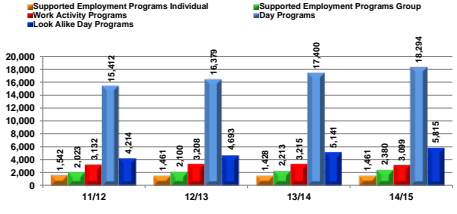
Statewide Report

Number of regional center consumers (22 to 31) receiving services: Statewide


Fiscal Year	Supported Employment Programs Individual	Supported Employment Programs Group	Work Activity Programs	Day Programs	Look Alike Day Programs
11/12	1,542	2,023	3,132	15,412	4,214
12/13	1,461	2,100	3,208	16,379	4,693
13/14	1,428	2,213	3,215	17,400	5,141
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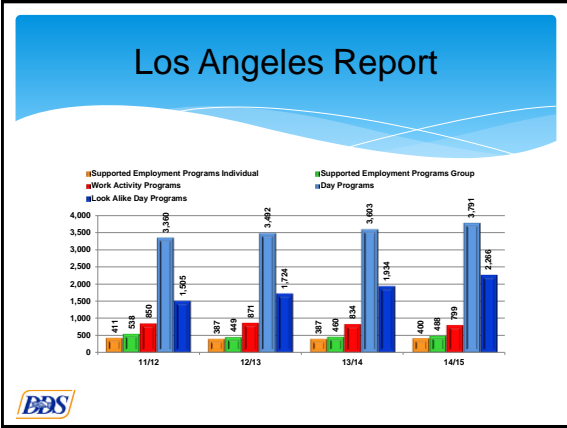


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12/13	387	449	871	3,492	1,724
13/14	387	460	834	3,603	1,934
14/15	400	488	799	3,791	2,266







The Workforce Development and Vocational Rehabilitation Systems

Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA)
Federal law signed July 22, 2014

- Youth transitioning from school to adult life
- Support job seekers with a career pathway to in-demand industries and occupations
- Improve services to individuals with disabilities to access high-quality workforce services
- Help employers find qualified workers with the necessary skills
- Establish State, Regional and Local Workforce Investment priorities

Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA)

Workforce Investment Act (WIA) of 1998

- Supported Employment 18 months
- Competitive Employment and Integrated Settings
- No provision of subminimum wage

WIOA effective July 1, 2016

- Supported Employment 24 months
- Competitive Integrated Employment
- Section 511 prohibit subminimum wage for individuals 24 or younger



The Developmental Disabilities System (DDS)

Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services Settings Guidance

- Settings must be integrated and support full access to the community
- Moves away from locations or geography to define settings by their nature and quality of the individuals experiences
- Became effective March 17, 2014, with allowance up to 5 years for states to implement the new requirements





Latest DDS Program Option



Tailored Day Service


Tailored Day a stairway to Competitive Integrated Employment



Tailored Day Service

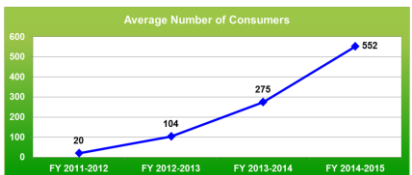
California Welfare and Institutions Code Section 4688.21 effective July 1, 2011

- IPP process to customized day services to meet individualized needs
- Pursue postsecondary education
- Further development or maintenance of employment/volunteer activities
- Lead integrated and inclusive lives




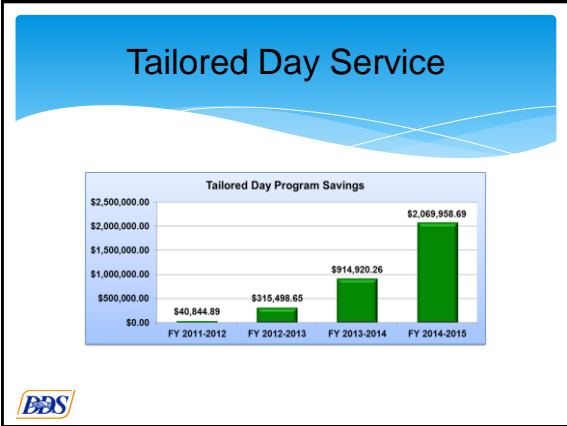
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Average Number of Consumers



Fiscal Year	Average Number of Consumers
FY 2011-2012	20
FY 2012-2013	104
FY 2013-2014	275
FY 2014-2015	552







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