Inland Regional Center

New Residential Service Provider Orientation (NRSPO) Frequently Asked Questions

- Q: How often are orientations held? A: A minimum of two times per year.
- Q: Are there fees to attend NRSPO?

A: Yes, current fee is \$100.00 for a new provider, and \$50.00 for administrator's only.

Q: Is work history verified?

A: Yes, all work history that pertains to providing support to individuals with developmental disabilities will be verified. Please see qualifications page.

Q: How long is the NRSPO certificate valid?

A: The facility must be opened within two (2) years of successfully completing the orientation; otherwise, the orientation must be repeated.

Q: How long does the orientation last?

A: NRSPO lasts one day, beginning at 9 a.m. and dismissal will vary, but approximately 4:00 p.m.

Q: What experience do I need to open my own home?

A: Please refer to the **NRSPO Qualifications** to review required experience.

Q: What are the current needs?

A: The needs of individuals we support are constantly changing. You can refer to IRC website <u>www.inlandrc.org</u> and look under the service provider tab for "Request for Need" or "Notice of Need" section.