

Welcome to Inland Regional Center

Purchase of Service (POS)

Public Input Meeting

"We Want to Hear From You"

March 11, 2020

1425 S. Waterman Ave San Bernardino, CA. 92408

- Welcome to IRC
- In case of an emergency
- Bathrooms
- Importance of this report
- Hard work and dedication
- Rules of the session
 - 3 minutes per person input not testimony
 - Public input cards
 - Survey



The Purchase of Service (POS) disparity report will be posted on inlandrc.org after its reviewed by the Board of Trustees and sent to DDS. The report will include uncensored public input from today's meeting.



Disclaimer

Purchase of Service Presentation

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Expenditures

Growth

Outreach/ Trainings/ Partnerships

Completed and current projects for underserved clients

Impact resulting from equality driven efforts

Barriers

Goals

POS Expenditures

2017/2018

\$406,450,801



2018/2019

\$458,176,624

- How to access the POS report
 - Inlandrc.org
 - Accountability
 - Transparency
 - Purchase of Service Data (POS)
 - POS Disparity Data

Growth

Clients

- January 2020
 - 39,700
- January 2019
 - 37,821
- 1,879 new cases in a year
- Average per month = 157 cases

*As of 2/29 = 39,909 cases

Staff

- As of 2/25/2020
 - 779

• February 2019



Community Engagement

- Outreach and Trainings
 - 300
 - Riverside and San Bernardino County
- Partnerships
 - ASIE
 - SCDD
 - Angel View
 - OCRA
 - DRC
 - EPU
 - TASK
 - UCR/SEARCH
 - Exceptional Families Conference
 - Parent Support Groups
 - Rialto USD
 - VVHS
 - SB County Sherriff's Department
 - Prep it Forward

Transportation Grant

- \$20K: 2017 2020
- Autism Parent Education Program (APEP):
 - 35 families x2 gas cards each (\$1,750)
- UCR/SEARCH Conference: May 2018
 - Palm Desert
 - 152 families (\$3,800)
- Exceptional Families Conference September 2019
 - San Bernardino
 - 13 families (\$325)
- Intake: May January 2020
 - 123 gas cards (\$3,075)
- IRC Orientation: May Nov 2019
 - 74 families (\$1,850)

Transportation Grant (cont)

GAS CARDS	Autism Parent Education (APEP)	UCR/SEARCH Conference	Exceptional Families Conference	Intake/Eligibility	IRC Orientation
# of families	35	45	13	91	74
POS Increase	20 (57%)	16 (36%)	1 (<1%)	35 (39%)	35 (47%)

Community Based Organization (CBO) Completed Projects

TASK

- 215 referrals
 - Riverside County only
 - Clients with no POS
 - In-home
 - 1 to 1 program

UCR/SEARCH

- May 2019 Conference Palm Desert
 - Autism & Intellectual Disabilities:
 From Identification to Transition
- Referrals 161
 - 152 families received \$25 gas card
 - 45/161 attended 28%
 - 116 families no show 72%
 - 9 gas cards returned
 - 98 unreturned

Community Based Organization (CBO) Completed Projects

Autism Society Inland Empire (ASIE)

- Grant from DDS
- Community of Practice
- Colaboración, Liderazgo, Abogacía, Servicio y Educación (CLASE)
 - collaboration, leadership, advocacy, service, and education
- Community leaders
 - Example: support groups and community agencies
- Monthly trainings March to November 2019
 - Graduation in December 2019

CLASE Glossary

- Medical/Health Insurance Terms for Children and Adults with Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities
- Common Regional Center Terms
- Common Special Education Terms

Current CBOs

UCR/SEARCH – second phase

- Conference May 16, 2020
- Navigating the Road from Adolescence to Adulthood
- 9 am to 1 pm
- Palm Desert
- More information?
 - Visit the IRC website
 - Take a flyer

Exceptional Parents Unlimited (EPU)

- San Bernardino County only
- No POS clients
- 168 referrals as of 2/20/2020
 - 30 no contact/declined program
 - Cap is 225
- How to register
 - Contact your CSC for a referral
 - Contact Cultural Specialist
 - Contact EPU

Exceptional Parents Unlimited (EPU)

- Grant cap 225
- 168 referrals as of 02/20/2020
- No contact or declined program 30 clients
- 138 active referrals
- 102 families started/completed program
- POS increase 37 clients (36%)

Fiscal Year 2018/2019 Disparity Data

Autism Diagnosis:

- 11,331
- 29.5% no POS = 3,345
- 2.5% decrease in disparity

Primary language Spanish:

- 7,604
- 22.4% no POS = 1,700
- 1.8% decrease in disparity

Hispanic ethnicity:

- 15,791
- 25.3% no POS = 4,003
- 1.1% decrease in disparity

Barriers

Community

- Lack of understanding IRC services
- Lack of understanding the RC system, eligibility criteria, and appeal process
- Transportation
- Childcare
- Communication with CSC

Inland Regional Center

- Caseload ratio
- Growth in new and transfer cases
- Large geographic area
- Lack of vendors
 - border town populations
 - rural regions
- Staffing
- Median rates

Median Rates

Service Code	Type of Service	2016 Statewide Median Rate- Hourly	2016 IRC Rate- Hourly
062	Personal Assistant	\$16.16	\$12.61
110	Supplemental Day Services Program Support	\$13.08	\$10.28
605	Adaptive Skills Trainer	\$45.26	\$17.29
642	Interpreter	\$40.86	\$28.62
880	Transportation – Additional Component	\$22.22	\$9.97

Projected & Accomplished Goals Related to Disparity - 2018/2019

- ✓IRC Conference September 2019
- ✓ Increase partnerships
 - Rialto USD
 - Prep it Forward
 - SB County Sherriff's Department
- ✓ CBOs TASK and Fiesta Educativa
 - Completed
- ✓ Technology
 - Bilingual website, social media, livestream

- ✓ New CBOs UCR, EPU, ASIE, Learning Rights Law Center, and ASLA
 - Learning Rights Law no collaboration
 - ASLA Cultural Specialist attended Independent Facilitator training
- ✓ Outreach, parent trainings and educational trainings for community partners
 - **300**

Projected but <u>Non-accomplished</u> Goals Related to Disparity – 2018/2019

- Cultural Competency staff training
 - Will attempt in 2020
 - 250+ vendors received CC training July 2019

- Support Group in Chino
 - Rialto
 - Cathedral City group sustained

2020/2021 Disparity Related Goals

- Continue growing support groups
 - Cathedral City & Rialto
- New support group in Chino or Ontario
- Support group in collaboration with SB USD
- Outreach and trainings
- Build new partnerships in the community
- Bilingual communication
 - Website
 - Social media platforms
 - Electronic newsletter quarterly

- CBO Collaborative
- Disparity Link
- Take an IRC parent to Grassroots Day 2021
- Voters registration class for clients and parents
- Census overview focused on concerns of undocumented individuals
- Census 2020 podcast

Save the Date!

Performance Contract Public Input Meeting

July 13, 2020

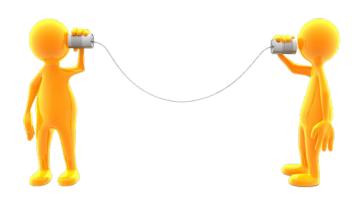
6pm to 7pm

IRC Conference Center – Auditorium A

Bilingual – English & Spanish

Livestream

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Comments & Suggestions

(3 minutes per person)

