

San Diego Regional Center 4355 Ruffin Road, San Diego, CA 92123 858-576-2996 / www.sdrc.org

Serving individuals with developmental disabilities in San Diego and Imperial Counties

# **Request for Proposals**

Licensed Psychologists for Whole Person Assessments Proposal Deadline- June 30, 2023

Contact: Rosalie Goulding Phone: 858-576-2991

Email: rosalie.goulding@sdrc.org

#### Introduction

San Diego Regional Center has the immediate need for qualified Psychologists to provide Whole Person Assessments and expert testimony in order to meet the crisis needs of individuals with intellectual and/or developmental disabilities.

Potential Psychologists are invited to apply through SDRC, who will be reviewing and approving the applications received. Upon approval, SDRC and service providers may enter into contract agreements.

### **Description of Services to be Provided**

Whole Person Assessments are comprehensive and are conducted in order to provide an appropriate recommendation for a client's transition from their current placement to the community. During the assessment, the history and current needs of each individual are taken into consideration; including medical, psychiatric, behavioral, and adaptive functioning, while respecting the individual's wishes in a culturally sensitive manner. The assessment team will then be able to make the most appropriate recommendation in order to ensure quality of life in the least restrictive environment for our clients.

## **Eligibility of Applicants**

A regional center shall classify a vendor (service code 785) as a clinical psychologist if the vendor:

- A. Is validly licensed as a clinical psychologist by the Psychology Examining Committee of the Medical Board of California; and
- B. Provides: 1. Diagnosis and psychotherapy of mental and emotional disorders; or 2) Individual and group testing and counseling in order to assist individuals achieve more effective personal, social, educational, and vocational development and adjustment.

All applications submitted that meet the minimum eligibility requirements shall be considered

for vendorization.

## **Reservation of Rights**

SDRC reserves the right to select a provider for the services described in this Request for Proposal without further negotiations. SDRC may, at its' sole discretion, select no applicant for these services if, in its' determination, no applicant is sufficiently responsive to the need.

#### **Costs for Proposal Submission**

Applicants responding to this Request for Proposal shall bear all costs associated with the development and submission of their RFP Application Packet. No costs shall be charged to SDRC, the Department of Developmental Services, or the State of California.

#### **Interested Parties**

Interested parties should send a letter of intent with resume and evidence of meeting eligibility criteria to <a href="mailto:rosalie.goulding@sdrc.org">rosalie.goulding@sdrc.org</a>