



Self-Determination Advisory Committee

Meeting Minutes – April 15, 2021

6:00 pm - 8:00pm (Zoom)

Members In Attendance: Joyce Clark (FA), Bertha Taylor (FA), Tania Schloss CRA, Tracey Flourie (FA), Horacio Correa, Jr (FA)

Ex-Officio Members present: Mary Ellen Stives SCDD, Suzy Requarth SDRC

Members/Ex-Officio Members Absent: Kim Rucker (SA), Debra Jorgensen (A), Chris Lubinski (FA)

1. Welcome/Introductions
2. Public Input
 - Service providers aren't educated enough about Self-Determination and need access to more resources to prepare to support Self-Determination participants.
 - Information about Self-Determination needs to be accessible/understandable and be delivered directly to potential participants, not just family and/or other planning team members.
 - More communication from SDRC to individuals and families about Self-Determination is needed.
 - It's hard to find providers and other supports through SDP, would be helpful to have these advertised or listed somewhere.
 - Would like to see video testimonials available on SDRC website.

3. Approve outstanding minutes

March minutes approved. First motion by Horacio, second by Tracey.

4. San Diego Regional Center Report
 - Total enrollment is 47.
 - Info Sessions continue to be held once per month in the evenings.
 - Orientation scheduling in process, hoping to have one by late May that is open to all.
 - Updated training on Self-Determination for SDRC Service Coordinators has been provided to almost all, in collaboration with LAC members.
 - Suzy Requarth provided an update to the SDRC Board of Directors.

5. SCDD Statewide Advisory Board Report

- No updates, hasn't been a meeting since February.

6. Implementation Funds Spending Plan Updates

- Discussed mailer content, will remove info session requirement and pursue translation.
- Identified need to move forward with offering PCP-related trainings to community and self-advocates.

7. Future Meeting Schedule

- May 20th, 10am
- June 17th, 6pm

8. Future Agenda Items

- Revisit implementation funds and spending plan.
- Schedule future meetings.

Minutes respectfully submitted by Suzy Requarth