

## SAN GABRIEL/POMONA REGIONAL CENTER

# Client Services/Advisory Committee Wednesday, March 28, 2018 at 6:00 p.m. Assembly Room – Section A

#### **Committee Members:**

Staff:

Victor Guzman, Chair
Preeti Subramaniam
Mary Soldato
Shannon Hines
Daniel Clancy

Herminio Escalante David Grisey Jenny Needham Sheila James Julie Lopez

Lucina Galarza Laura Palma Elisa Herzog

#### **AGENDA**

- Call to Order Director Victor Guzman (6:00 6:05)
  - Approve Minutes of February 28, 2018 Meeting
- Public Comment (6:05 6:10)
- Client Advocate Elisa Herzog (6:10 6:15)
- Action Item: None

### **Committee Follow-up – Future Training Topics** (6:15 – 6:30)

- + Victor Guzman, Chairperson and Lucina Galarza, Associate Executive Director
  - Review of Training Topics for 2018 as follows:
    - April 2018- Conservatorships / Alternatives
    - May 2018 Access Services

**Respite Policy** – Has been Board approved, and conditionally approved by DDS for 90 Days (beginning January 1, 2018). We have not heard back from DDS, as to approval.

SPECIAL PRESENTATION – Supportive Living Services – by SG/PRC Adult Services Manager

## **Self Determination Advisory Committee Meetings & Updates**

SDP Waiver application was submitted to CMS. The application is back "on the clock" and CMS has 90 days to take action to either approve the application, deny the application or request additional clarification.

• The last Local Advisory meeting was held March 20, 2018- -this is a public meeting. Committee members discussed continuing our efforts of

- informing our individuals/ families about the program via pre-enrollment trainings. For more details /updates, please attend our local meetings.
- Upcoming Pre-enrollment Trainings at SGPRC as follows: English; Saturday, March 31, 2018 (9:30 am)- English

### **Community Resource Developent Funds:**

- On July 1,2017, W & I Code 4679 went into effect creating funds that can be used to address the needs for services and supports of Clients of the regional center living in the community.
- We ae asking for input from stakeholders.
- Please go to our website after April 2 to complete a survey or sign up with our Elink to receive further details on how to complete a survey.

**Fairview DC:** We have made excellent progress and only have two individuals left to place.

**Person Centered Thinking** – Our Consultant continues to provide training to all SG/PRC staff. We have completed five of six training sessions, training over 200 staff (thus far). Additional trainings to take place in May 2018. We are also training staff to do coaching.