

Redwood Coast Regional Center Self-Determination Update

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SELF DETERMINATION PROGRAM ORIENTATIONS:

The 1st Self Determination Program Orientation happened on May 6th & May 8th 2019. It was attended by 2 current pilot project participants and 4 people who have been selected to participate in Self Determination. It was translated into Spanish for one of the newly selected participants. There were also 13 community members there, including family members, support workers and RCRC and SCDD staff.

Upcoming Orientations:

LAKEPORT May 24, 2019 12:00 pm – 5:00 pm RCRC Office 180 3rd St. Lakeport, CA EUREKA June 6, 2019 TIME: to be determined RCRC Office 525 Second St. Eureka, CA

CRESCENT CITY

June 7, 2019 TIME: to be determined RCRC Office 1301-A Northcrest Dr. Crescent City, CA

Please RSVP to Sedona Bowser at 707-445-0893, ext. 363

People selected to participate in Self Determination MUST attend an orientation. More Self Determination Program Orientations will be scheduled in Lake, Del Norte, Humboldt and Mendocino counties so that everyone selected to participate in SDP has an opportunity to attend.

FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT SERVICES/FMS

RCRC added the first Financial Management Service provider to our system, Tracy Stein Management. Tracy Stein Management has been providing this service for many of our pilot participants for over 15 years.

RCRC is working to add more FMS providers as quickly as possible.

INDEPENDENT FACILITATORS:

The State Council on Developmental Disabilities & Redwood Coast Regional Center will offer Independent Facilitator training in the Ukiah area this summer. The date, time and location of the Independent Facilitator Training will be posted on the SCDD and RCRC websites, RCRC's Facebook page, waiting rooms and future SDP newsletters.

Next Self Determination Advisory Committee Meeting: June 14, 2019 10:00 am Redwood Coast Regional Center Offices

PERSON CENTERED THINKING TRAINING CRESCENT CITY

New Dawn Support Services June 18-19, 2019 August 13-14, 2019 Contact Jackie Ross 707-465-1460 ext. 204 for details or to sign up

For information about the implementation of the Self Determination Program visit: <u>https://www.dds.ca.gov/SDP/</u> or <u>http://www.redwoodcoastrc.org/redwoodcoastrc.org/transparency/self-determination-local-advisory-committee</u>

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