

AGENCY/VENDOR INFO SHEET

EARLY INTERVENTION 0-3 YEARS

Inspira Behavior: Empower clients and families to achieve developmental goals. Specialists focus on, communication and language, social skills, self-care (such as showering and toileting), play and leisure, motor skills and learning and academic skills.

Pediatric Minds: An inter-disciplinary clinic that specializes in evaluations and treatments of the highest quality to children with Autism, neurodevelopmental disorders, behavioral and emotional challenges, ADHD, developmental delays including speech delay, sensory processing issues, learning disabilities (dyslexia), cerebral palsy and genetic disorders.

Little Ears: Early intervention, Aural habilitation (listening therapy) for deaf or hard of hearing, language assessments, individualized therapy sessions, audiological analysis of amplification, speech therapy, etc.

Carolyn Kordich Family Resource Center & Long Beach Family Resource Center: Work collaboratively with families to connect them to community resources, school-based services and parent education workshops. Offer emotional, informational and educational support to expectant parents and families of children who have disabilities, or who are at risk of a disability.

SUPPORT AGENCIES

DPSS: Department of Public Social Services enhances the quality of lives by providing qualifying individuals with access to food nutrition, job services, housing, healthcare and more.

SSI: Supplemental Security Income is a federal program that helps people with disabilities and older adults who have low income and few resources.

D.O.R.: Department of Rehabilitation (DOR) works in partnership with consumers and other stakeholders to provide services and advocacy resulting in employment, independent living, and equality for individuals with disabilities.

REGIONAL CENTERS

Harbor Regional (HRC)
Eastern Los Angeles Regional Center (ELARC)
South Central Regional Center (SCRC)

Regional centers provide assessments, determine eligibility for services, and offer case management services. Regional centers develop, purchase, and coordinate the services in each person's Individual Program Plan. Regional Center location of services is based on catchment area (i.e., home address)

NLMUSD PROGRAMS

Adult Transition Program (ATP): Student ages 18-22 who have completed the high school course of study attend the ATP to continue learning functional academics, independent living, employment preparation and community-based instruction.

Workability: The WAI program offers students with an Individualized Education Program (IEP) the opportunity to complete their secondary education while also obtaining marketable job skills. WAI provides secondary students with an understanding of job-seeking and job-keeping skills.

La Mirada Garden to Table: LMHS student ran business in partnership with Seedwyz to provide fresh, organic "Garden to Table" herbs to the community. Produce is grown using aeroponic systems and used in classroom cooking lessons and local pop-up markets.

RECREATION/TRANSPORTATION

City of Norwalk Adaptive Recreation
City of La Mirada Recreation

Provides city services including employment, education, adaptive recreation and transportation.

Special Olympics & Challenger Sports

Various sports opportunities for individuals with physical and intellectual challenges.

LA Metro & ACCESS

Transportation services & opportunities.

EMPLOYMENT

SEAACA: Is committed to providing programs for the caring of abandoned and unwanted pets, reuniting lost pets with their families and matching new homes for adoptable pets. Will be presenting on volunteer opportunities.

SELACO: Specializes in career solutions for job seekers as they gain the skills necessary to secure long term employment.

VOCATIONAL PROGRAMS

Slawson: Slawson Southeast Occupational Center is committed to empowering students to succeed by providing pathways for educational and career opportunities through Adult Education, Career Technical Education and English as a Second Language.

ABC Unified Adult School
Norwalk-La Mirada Adult School
Montebello Adult School

Offers affordable, high-quality academic, career and technical education programs that include courses in a variety of subjects from technology, to business, health, high school, diploma, ESL and more!

COMMUNITY SERVICES/RESOURCES

Lindamood Bell: Believe, passionately, that all children and adults can be taught to read, comprehend, spell, and do math to their potential by identifying strengths and weaknesses that may be affecting school performance. Instruction is based on an individual's learning needs. Some students come with previous diagnoses such as dyslexia, autism spectrum disorders, or general learning challenges.

DHH

OC Deaf: The mission of the Orange County Deaf Equal Access Foundation (OC DEAF) is to ensure equal access of the deaf, hard of hearing, deafblind and deaf disabled community to the same opportunities afforded their hearing counterparts. The organization's general purposes and powers are directed around the promotion of the social, recreational, cultural, educational, and vocational welfare of its deaf, hard of hearing, deafblind and deaf disabled constituents.

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Braille Institute: Offer a range of programs, classes, and services to thousands of children and adults of all ages and all stages of vision loss. Through tailored services and programs, they're committed to helping people with vision loss embrace a world of possibilities.

Ability First: Ability First provides a variety of programs designed to help people with disabilities achieve their personal best throughout their lives. We do this by: creating targeted programming to help an individual successfully transition from childhood to adult life.

SEP United: Provides services to help individuals with intellectual and developmental disabilities achieve successful employment in the community.

Mental Health Helpline Youth: Serves clients and community members with trauma-informed, strength-based, person-centered prevention, early intervention, education, and treatment services.

Fiesta Educativa: Provides workshop and trainings regarding Special Education resources and supports including regional center services and applying for conservatorship

Understanding Needed Integration: Community-based support service that supports adults with intellectual and/or developmental disabilities, judicially involved, and those who display enhanced behavior through 1:1 supportive employment services, mental and behavioral support and linkage to other supports.

Self-Determined Future: Primary focus is on enhancing service access to disparity populations and the ability to have equitable essential resources, such as education, healthcare, housing, employment, transportation, and legal assistance.

TASK: Primary focus is on enhancing service access to disparity populations and the ability to have equitable essential resources, such as education, healthcare, housing, employment, transportation, and legal assistance.

Kyo: A child-centric ABA therapy provider with a mission to provide high quality, effective, and convenient ABA therapy services to families of children with autism.

COMMUNITY COLLEGES

College Connect: Provides information on all Cerritos College vocational training programs.

Cerritos College SAS & Fullerton College DSS

Students with limitations due to a disability may receive support services and instruction from Student Accessibility Services (SAS)/ Disabled Student Services (DSS). Those students with physical, visual, hearing, speech, mental health, learning and intellectual disabilities as well as other health conditions, acquired brain injuries, autism, and ADHD are served.

NOCE: Offer options for every stage of life and almost every goal-from building job skills to living independently to developing a new interest. Along with non-credit, DSS courses available, mobility training, and the WISE Day Program.

DAY PROGRAMS/VOCATIONAL RESOURCES

ARC Downey: The Arc Los Angeles and Orange Counties advocates and provides services for individuals with intellectual and developmental disabilities and actively supports their full inclusion and participation in all aspects of the community through programs and services.

Easterseals: Offers a variety of programs and services focusing on employment, health, education, community, recreation and transportation support.

UCLA Pathway: Pathway at UCLA Extension is a two-year college program for students who identify as neurodiverse, offering a blend of educational, social, and vocational experiences. On campus, Pathway students attend classes and participate in the many social, recreational and cultural activities of a major university.

REACH: A behavior management Adult Day Program serving individuals with intellectual and developmental disabilities aged 22 and beyond who are eligible for services through Regional Center.

CAPC: Empowers individuals with disabilities to gain employment, assisted living arrangements, and connects them to the community by providing access to transportation, improve their communication and help them pursue higher education and strong relationships.

CIP: The College Internship Program (CIP) is a full-year private young adult transition program for individuals 18-26 with high functioning autism, ADHD, and other learning differences offering comprehensive and specialized services at their center in Long Beach.

LiNK: Community Adult Day Program/Tailored Day Services is an agency that provides services to adults who qualify for under Regional Center. Services include opportunities to increase independence, employment, education, vocational training, and daily life skills.

SVS: Service offerings include a variety of Community Inclusion, Career Exploration, Employment, Independent/Supported Living Services, and more.