

APPENDIX E



SUPPORTED LIVING SERVICES

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS



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FORMAT FOR SESSION FOUR DISCUSSION**

NOVEMBER 6, 2017

DISCUSSION QUESTION #1:

In review session one, we shared **the HRC service policy on supported living** in addition to the supported living service policies for all 6 other regional centers in Los Angeles County. Please discuss the HRC service policy:

- Do you think there is anything important that is not addressed in the HRC policy?
- Do you think there are parts of the policy that need clarification?
- Do you think there are any important concepts in the Lanterman Act provisions related to supported living services that are not referenced in the HRC service policy that should be added?
- What other suggestions do you have for changes to the policy?

DISCUSSION QUESTION #2:

In review session two, we discussed **three ILS/SLS assessment tools**. They are:

1. Harbor Regional Center Independent Living Skills Assessment
2. DDS Supported Living Services Standardized Assessment Questionnaire
3. Harbor Regional Center Supported Living Services (SLS) Assessment

Although we cannot make changes to the DDS questionnaire and we will not have time to fully revise these assessment instruments this evening, we are interested in receiving general guidance concerning the two HRC assessment tools.

- As we update these assessment tools, what are some major areas that should be added?
- Is there anything that you think should be deleted?
- Do you have some general guidance to provide concerning the assessment tools?

DISCUSSION QUESTION #3:

In review session two, we reviewed **two documents that HRC uses to provide guidance to all parties involved in providing or receiving supported living services**. These are:

1. Harbor Regional Center Expectations for Supported Living Services
2. Supported Living Client/Staff/Agency Roles to Achieve the Most Effective Results in Supported Living

Although we will not have time tonight to fully revise these guidelines, please discuss in general:

- As we update these guidelines, what are some major areas that should be added?
- Is there anything that you think should be deleted?
- Do you have some general guidance to provide concerning the use of these guidelines?

DISCUSSION QUESTION #4:

In review session two, we reviewed **two documents that HRC uses to provide guidance for service providers and service coordinators when they prepare their semi-annual and quarterly progress reports**. These are:

1. Supported Living: Progress Report Guidelines (for service providers)
2. Service Coordinator Guide: Quarterly ID Note for Supported Living

Although we will not have time tonight to fully revise these guidelines, please discuss in general:

- As we update these guidelines, what are some major areas that should be added?

- Is there anything that you think should be deleted?
- Do you have some general guidance to provide concerning the use of these guidelines?

DISCUSSION QUESTION #5

In review session three, we shared extensive information about service providers and heard directly from two SLS service providers concerning how they provide their services.

- Do you have some comments, recommendations, general guidance related to SLS service provider issues?

DISCUSSION QUESTION #6:

Please use this time to make any observations, raise any questions, or make any suggestions concerning HRC Supported Living Services.