Self-Determination Advisory Committee
Meeting Minutes – October 22, 2020
10:00 am-12:00pm (Zoom)

Members In Attendance: Kim Rucker (SA), Joyce Clark (FA), Karen Maier (SA), Tania Schloss CRA, Horacio Correa, Jr (FA), Debra Jorgensen (A)

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

Members/Ex-Officio Members Absent: Chris Lubinski (FA), Tracie Flourie (FA), Bertha Taylor (FA)

1. Welcome and Introductions – completed

2. Public Input – None provided
   • Sonni Charness from Guidelight Group provided flyer regarding upcoming Independent Facilitator training. This information will be posted on SDRC SDP web page.


4. SCDD Statewide Advisory Board Report
   • Next statewide meeting not yet scheduled.

5. San Diego Regional Center Report
   • See attached report for general updates.
   • Planning for SDP full rollout is under way. Suzy presented SDRC rollout plan specific to LAC collaboration and involvement. SDRC is requesting LAC collaboration in several sub-teams including Diversity/Equity, Trainings/Presentations, Community Outreach, Business/Financial Management, and Person-Centered Practices. LAC members to let Suzy know which team(s) they can participate in. First rollout planning meeting will be held in November.
6. Implementation Funds Spending Plan Updates
   - Joyce initiated conversation about the following potential uses for implementation funds: website development, QR code, and facilitator for LAC plan.
     i. Website development – could go professional website route or closed Facebook page. Subcommitee will form a specific plan and discuss QR code including Debra Jorgensen, Joyce Clark, Kim Rucker, Mary Ellen Stives, and Horacio Correa.
     ii. Joyce will reach out to Westside RC to discuss the consultant/coach they have used for plan development/facilitation.

7. Developmental Disability Services (DDS) Work Group Update
   - No updates.

8. Community Training/Recommendations
   - GT Independence holding regular webinars regarding SDP, next one is 10/27 @ 3:30pm.
   - Need to finish developing “postcard” to market SDP and raise awareness/knowledge. This group will include Mary Ellen, Joyce, and Suzy.

9. Future Agenda Items
   - Plan for short presentations at each LAC meeting starting in January, 2021. (GT Independence and Sonni Charness from Guidelight Group mentioned as potential presenters.)
   - Schedule SDLAC meetings for 2021.

10. Next Meeting: 11/17/2020; 6pm-8pm. December meeting scheduled as well for 12/18/2020 10am-12pm.

Minutes respectfully submitted by Suzy Requarth
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