Self-Determination Advisory Committee
Meeting Minutes – March 18, 2021

10:00 am - 12:00pm (Zoom)

Members In Attendance: Joyce Clark (FA), Kim Rucker (SA), Tania Schloss CRA, Debra Jorgensen (A), Chris Lubinski (FA), Tracie Flourie (FA), Horacio Correa, Jr (FA)

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

Members/Ex-Officio Members Absent: Bertha Taylor (FA)

1. Welcome/Introductions

2. Public Input
   - Feedback from a participant about the difficulty of moving forward with SDP. Encouraged more education for Service Coordinators about SDP and implored RCs to take more responsibility. Advocated for self-advocates to receive more information and support with SDP and how to make it work for them. Stressed need for collaborative processes.
   - Independent Facilitator shared that she observes SDP process getting better and better and sees lots of teamwork and collaboration.
   - GT Independence announced upcoming workshop on individual budget development and provided registration information in chat.
   - It was shared that Autism San Diego offers funding for conferences for some individuals.
   - Comment regarding importance of keeping empowerment of families and individuals at heart of SDP.

3. Approve outstanding minutes

   February minutes approved. First motion by Horacio, second by Debra.

4. San Diego Regional Center Report
   - See attached report.
   - LAC would like specific information on number of people on DDS interest list.

5. SCDD Statewide Advisory Board Report
New statewide recommendations released which includes recommendation that PCP funding continue to be available when soft rollout is over.

SDLAC would like to use statewide recommendations as a guide when making decisions about implementation funds use but not necessarily follow all recommendations made.

6. Implementation Funds Spending Plan Updates

- Action items for LAC vote:
  - Up to $50,000 for paid (contracted) positions for LAC project coordination and pre-enrollment supports. First motion Debra, second motion Kim. Approved.
  - Development and distribution of SDLAC postcard with basic information about SDP, up to $10,000. First motion Debra, second motion Horacio. Approved.
  - SDLAC would like to have an exhibitor table at DVU conference for $250. First motion Debra, second motion Kim. Approved.
  - Up to $10,000 for professional videography services for testimonials and/or trainings. First motion Debra, second motion Horacio. Approved.

7. Developmental Disability Services (DDS) Update

No updates.

8. Future Meeting Schedule

- April 15th, 6pm
- May 20th, 10am
- June 17th, 6pm

9. Future Agenda Items

- Scope of Work for paid positions listed above.

Minutes respectfully submitted by Suzy Requarth
San Diego Regional Center – General Updates, March 2021

Total individuals enrolled: 47

Official disenrollments since February LAC meeting: 2

Training/Events Updates

Info sessions continue to be held the second Tuesday of every month from 5:30pm-7:00pm via Zoom. Registration information for next one on April 13th is now available on the SDRC SDP web page. In 2021, there have been 18 individuals formally added to the DDS interest list.

Future orientations TBD.

Rollout Preparations Updates

Since February LAC Meeting:

- Trainings for all SDRC Case Management, Clinical Services, and Community Services will be completed by the end of March.
- Video testimonials for internal trainings.
- Demographic information collected for current participants/selectees, results to be shared at April LAC meeting.
- Person-Centered Planning roundtable held and plans made to schedule a future PCP panel.

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