

Alta California Regional Center

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Performance Report for Alta California Regional Center

Every year, the Department of Developmental Services (DDS) contracts with regional centers in California to serve consumers and families. And, every year DDS looks at how well the regional centers are doing. This report will give you information about your regional center.

Last year, at Alta California Regional Center (ACRC) we served about 17,000 consumers. The charts on page 2 tell you about the consumers we serve. You'll also see how well we are doing in meeting our goals and in fulfilling our contract with DDS.

At ACRC, we want to improve every year, do better than the state average, and meet or exceed the DDS standard. As you can see in this report, we did well in most all areas. We strive to continue to provide quality services to consumers and their families.

We hope this report helps you learn more about ACRC. If you have any questions or comments, please contact us!

This report is a summary. To see the complete report, go to: www.altaregional.org

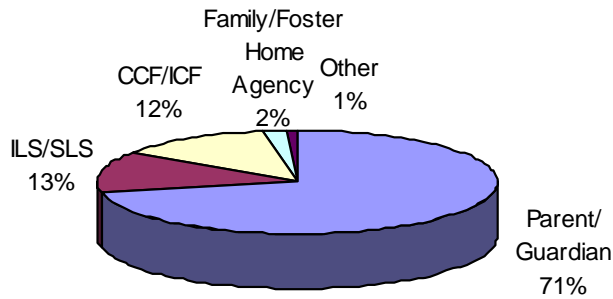
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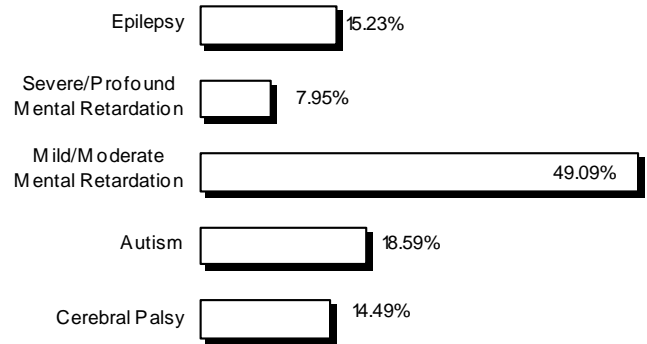
Who uses ACRC?

These charts tell you about who ACRC consumers are and where they live.

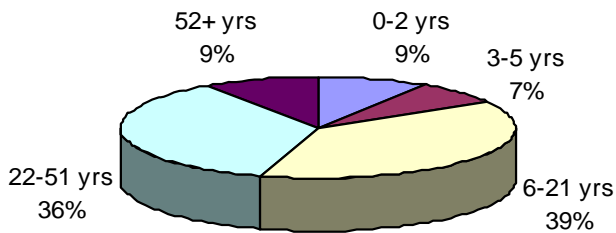
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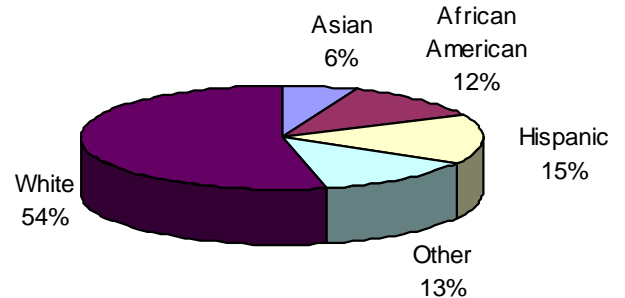
PRIMARY DIAGNOSIS OF ACRC CONSUMERS



AGE OF ACRC CONSUMERS



ETHNICITY OF ACRC CONSUMERS



How well is ACRC performing?

This chart tells you about 5 areas where DDS wants each regional center to keep improving.

The first column tells you how ACRC was doing at the beginning of 2010. And, the second column shows how ACRC was doing at the end of 2010.

To see how ACRC compares to the other regional centers in the state, compare the numbers to the state averages (in the shaded columns).

Regional Center Goals (based on Lanterman Act)	December 2009		December 2010	
	State Average	ACRC	State Average	ACRC
Less consumers live in developmental centers	0.91%	0.70%	0.83%	0.65%
More children live with families	98.48%	98.50%	98.60%	98.57%
More adults live in home settings*	73.20%	75.79%	73.99%	76.25%
Less children live in large facilities (more than 6 people)	0.13%	0.08%	0.13%	0.08%
Less adults live in large facilities (more than 6 people)	4.10%	4.01%	3.80%	3.80%

* Home settings include: independent living, supported living, Adult Family Home Agency homes, and consumers' family homes.

Did ACRC meet DDS standards?

Read below to see how well ACRC did in meeting DDS compliance standards:

Areas Measured	Last Period	Current Period
Passes independent audit	Yes	Yes
Passes DDS audit	Yes	Yes
Audits vendors as required	Met	Met
Didn't overspend operations budget	Yes	Yes
Participates in the federal waiver	Yes	Yes
CDERs are updated as required (<i>CDER is the Client Development Evaluation Report with information about the consumer's diagnosis</i>)	NA*	95.95%
Intake/Assessment timelines for consumers age 3 or older met	99.43%	100%
IPP (<i>Individual Program Plan</i>) requirements met	98.69%	98.70%
IFSP (<i>Individualized Family Service Plan</i>) requirements met	75.51%	84.42%

*Measure was temporarily suspended during implementation of the Revised CDER.

What about other performance areas?

In the future, we will measure how well we are doing in other areas, including:

- Increasing the number of consumers who work,
- Getting better pay for consumers who work,
- Making sure consumers get medical and dental services, and
- Meeting Intake/Assessment and IFSP timelines for children 0–3.

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