

Frank D. Lanterman Regional Center

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Performance Report for Frank D. Lanterman 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 our regional center.

Last year, at Frank D. Lanterman Regional Center (FDLRC) we served about 8,800 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 FDLRC, 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've reduced the number of people living in a developmental center; mostly due to our efforts to help 23 individuals move out of Lanterman Developmental Center before it closed in December 2014.

We continue to support children in their family home and have no children living in a large facility. We continue to help adults live in small home-like settings, either in their own apartment or in a licensed home that serves less than 6 people.

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

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

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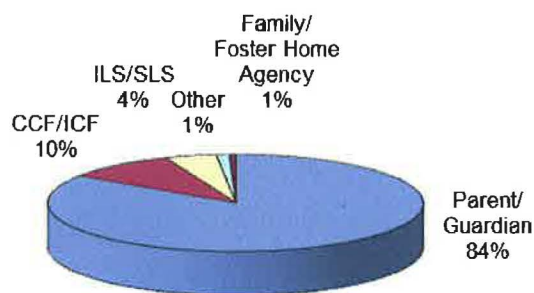
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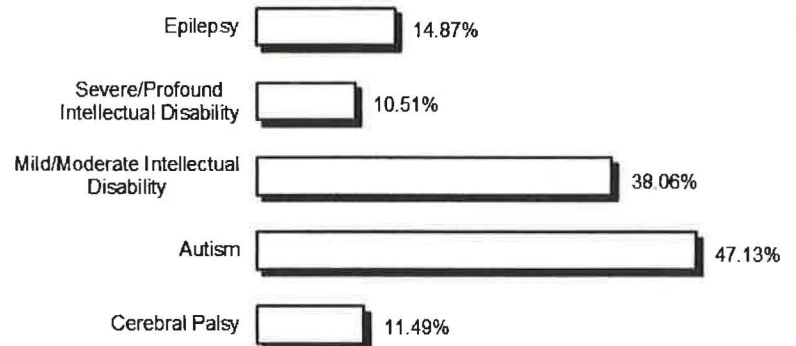
Who uses FDLRC?

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

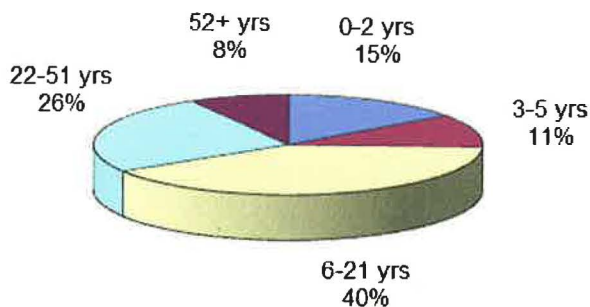
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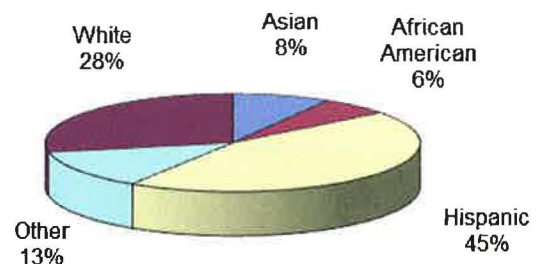
PRIMARY DIAGNOSIS OF FDLRC CONSUMERS



AGE OF FDLRC CONSUMERS



ETHNICITY OF FDLRC CONSUMERS



How well is FDLRC performing?

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

The first column tells you how FDLRC was doing at the beginning of 2014. And, the second column shows how FDLRC was doing at the end of 2014.

To see how FDLRC 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 2013		December 2014	
	State Average	FDLRC	State Average	FDLRC
Less consumers live in developmental centers	0.51%	0.38%	0.42%	0.21%
More children live with families	98.98%	99.72%	99.04%	99.65%
More adults live in home settings*	76.49%	74.64%	77.30%	75.50%
Less children live in large facilities (more than 6 people)	0.07%	0.02%	0.07%	0%
Less adults live in large facilities (more than 6 people)	3.12%	9.02%	2.96%	8.29%

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

Did FDLRC meet DDS standards?

Read below to see how well FDLRC 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 and ESRs are updated as required (CDER is the Client Development Evaluation Report and ESR is the Early Start Report. Both contain information about consumers, including diagnosis.)	NA*	93.86%**
Intake/Assessment timelines for consumers age 3 or older met	97.69%	97.66%
IPP (<i>Individual Program Plan</i>) requirements met	100%	98.18%
IFSP (<i>Individualized Family Service Plan</i>) requirements met	NA***	95.36%

*Measure was temporarily suspended due to implementation of new Early Start Report.

**CDER and ESR currency percentages were weighted based on the regional center's Status 1 and Status 2 caseloads, to arrive at a composite score.

***Measurement methodology revised at the end of 2013.

Lanterman continued to do well on compliance measures such as passing audits by DDS and our independent auditors, completing required audits of Lanterman service providers and managing our allotted Operations budget. Lanterman continues to meet the timelines for Intake and Assessment 97% of the time. Regarding program planning, Lanterman met the IPP requirements 98% of the time and met the IFSP requirements 95% of the time.

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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