

Kern Regional Center

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Performance Report for Kern 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 Kern Regional Center (KRC) we served about 7,600 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 KRC, 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 having more (98.94%) children live with families, more (84%) adults live in home settings, less (0.06%) children live in large facilities, and less (1.07%) adults in large facilities. But, we still need to improve in continuing to decrease the number of consumers that live in developmental centers.

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

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

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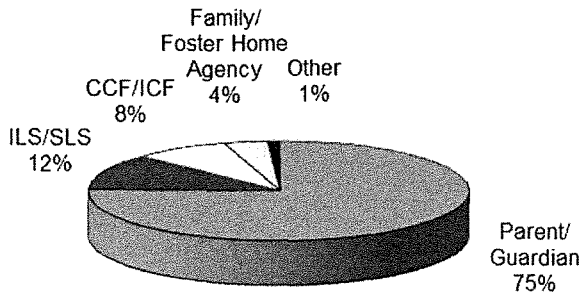


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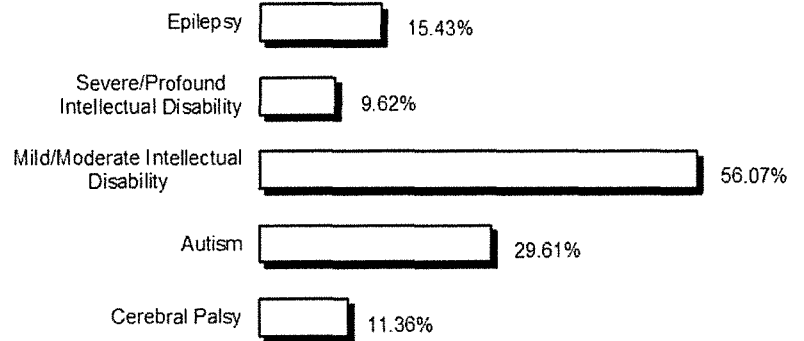
Who uses KRC?

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

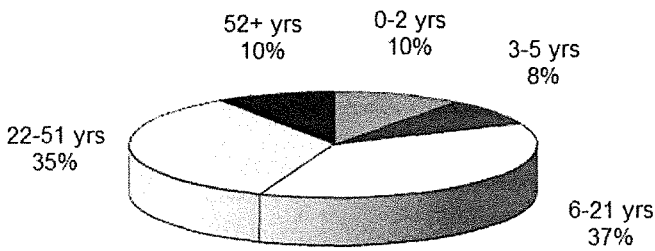
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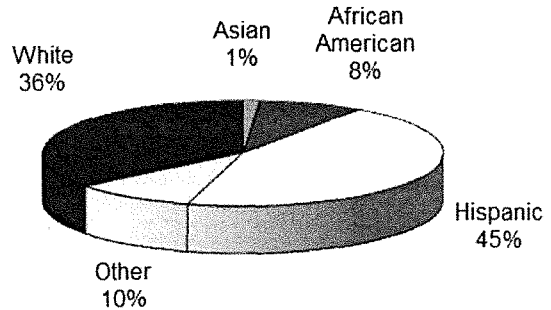
PRIMARY DIAGNOSIS OF KRC CONSUMERS



AGE OF KRC CONSUMERS



ETHNICITY OF KRC CONSUMERS



How well is KRC performing?

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

The first column tells you how KRC was doing at the beginning of 2015. And, the second column shows how KRC was doing at the end of 2015.

To see how KRC 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 2014		December 2015	
	State Average	KRC	State Average	KRC
Less consumers live in developmental centers	0.42%	0.72%	0.36%	0.61%
More children live with families	99.04%	98.92%	99.15%	98.94%
More adults live in home settings*	77.30%	83.76%	78.04%	84%
Less children live in large facilities (more than 6 people)	0.07%	0.09%	0.06%	0.06%
Less adults live in large facilities (more than 6 people)	2.96%	0.95%	2.78%	1.07%

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

Did KRC meet DDS standards?

Read below to see how well KRC 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.%)*	97.97%	98.15%
Intake/Assessment timelines for consumers age 3 or older met	96%	91.33%
IPP (<i>Individual Program Plan</i>) requirements met	98.48%	99.33%
IFSP (<i>Individualized Family Service Plan</i>) requirements met	97.98%	97.73%

**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.*

KRC will continue to work diligently to address all compliance standard requirements

Want more information?

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