

South Central Los Angeles Regional Center

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Performance Report for South Central Los Angeles Regional Center

Every year, the Department of Developmental Services (DDS) contracts with regional centers in California to serve individuals and families. And, every year DDS looks at how well the regional centers are doing. This report will give you information about South Central Los Angeles Regional Center (SCLARC).

Last year, SCLARC served about 24,090 individuals. The charts on page two tell you about the individuals SCLARC serves. You will also see how well SCLARC is doing in meeting goals and in fulfilling our contract with DDS.

At SCLARC, 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 children living with families
- Increasing the number of adults who live in home settings
- Reducing the amount of adults living in large facilities

However, we still need to improve in:

- Moving more children from living in large facilities

SCLARC has been consistent with thirteen thousand, five hundred and fifteen (13,515) children residing in their own homes. This is 99.84% of all children served, both in 2024 and 2025.

In 2024 we reported seven thousand, five hundred and twenty-six (7,526) adults lived in home settings, which was 85.24%. SCLARC's numbers have slightly increased to 85.79%, which is approximately 51 more individuals are now living in home settings.

In 2024 SCLARC met the State Average for fewer children living in large facilities, however in 2025 our average very slightly decreased by 0.01%.
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SCLARC exceeded the 2025 State Average of fewer adults living in large facilities and landed at 1.61%. It is a small shift from 2024 to 1.74%.

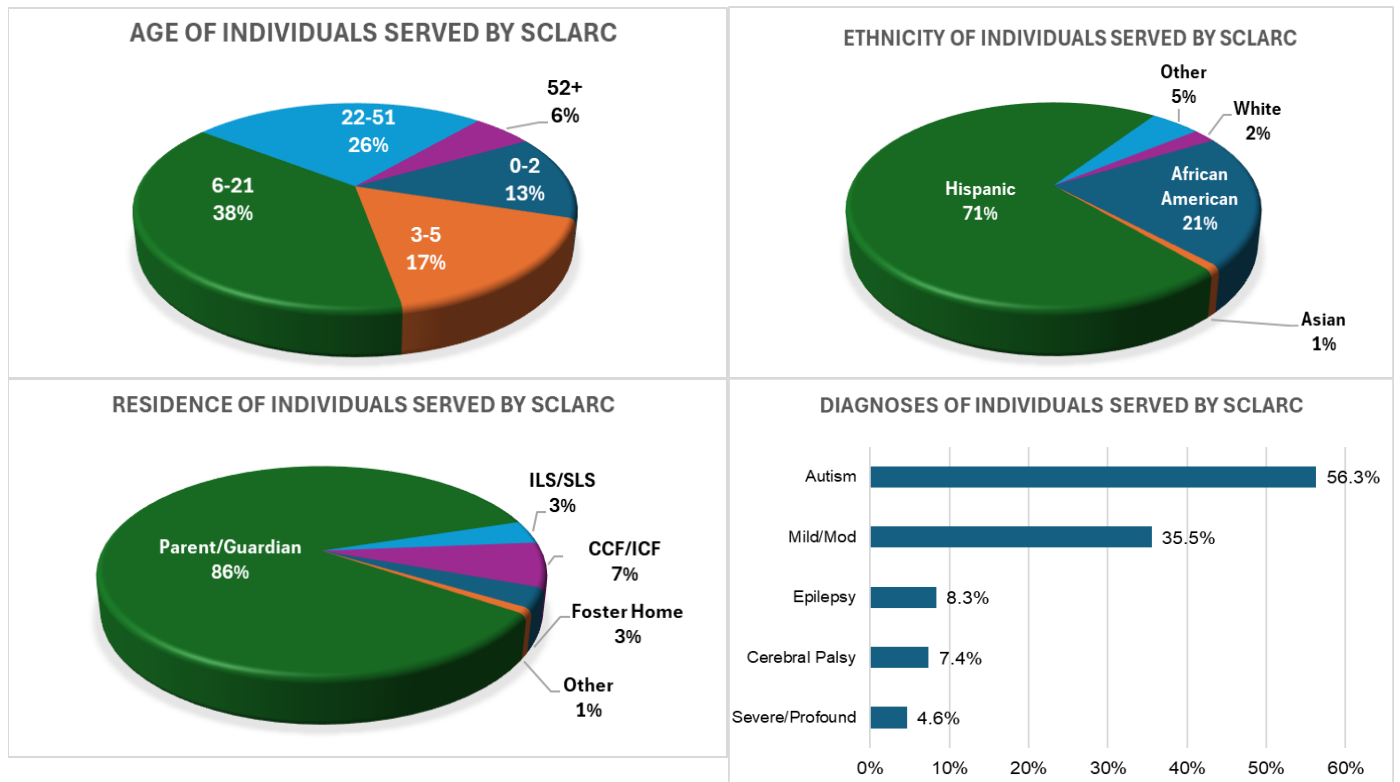
We hope this report helps you learn more about SCLARC. If you have any questions or comments, please contact us!

This report is a summary. To learn more about this report, go to: www.sclarc.org or contact Tamilyn Bonney at (213) 763-5608.

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Who uses SCLARC?

These charts tell you about who SCLARC individuals are and where they live:



How well is SCLARC performing?

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

The first column tells you how SCLARC was doing last reporting period, and the second column shows how SCLARC was doing at the end of fiscal year 2024/2025.

To see how SCLARC 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)	June 2024		June 2025	
	State Average	SCLARC	State Average	SCLARC
More children live with families	99.69%	99.84%	99.71%	99.84%
More adults live in home settings	83.86%	85.24%	84.29%	85.79%
Fewer children live in large facilities (more than 6 people)	0.02%	0.02%	0.03%	0.03%
Fewer adults live in large facilities (more than 6 people)	1.46%	1.74%	1.36%	1.61%

Notes: 1) Individuals can be included in more than one diagnosis category. 2) Residence Types: CCF/ICF is Community Care Facility/Intermediate Care Facility; ILS/SLS is Independent Living Services/Supported Living Services. 3) Home settings include independent living, supported living, Adult Family Home Agency homes, and individuals' family homes. 4) Green text indicates the RC remained the same or improved from the previous year, red indicates the RC did not improve.

Did SCLARC meet DDS standards?

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

Areas Measured	Last Reporting Period	Current Reporting Period
Passes independent audit	Yes	Yes
Passes DDS financial audit ¹	Yes	Yes
Audits vendors as required	Met	Met
Didn't overspend operations budget	Yes	Yes
Participates in the federal waiver ²	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 individuals, including diagnosis.) ³	100%	98.74%
Intake/Assessment timelines for individuals age 3 or older met	86.62%	96.26%
IPP (<i>Individual Program Plan</i>) requirements met	98.64%	N/A ⁴
IFSP (<i>Individualized Family Service Plan</i>) requirements met	93.6%	92.6%

Notes: ¹ [Link to DDS financial audit for fiscal years 2020-21 and 2021-22](#)

² The federal waiver refers to the Medicaid Home and Community-Based Services Waiver program that allows California to offer services not otherwise available through the Medi-Cal program to serve people (including individuals with developmental disabilities) in their own homes and communities.

³ The CDER and ESR currency percentages were weighted based on the RC's Status 1 and Status 2 caseloads to arrive at a composite score.

⁴ N/A indicates that the regional center was not reviewed for the measure during the current period.

How well is SCLARC doing at getting individuals working?

The chart below shows how well SCLARC is performing on increasing individual employment performance compared to their prior performance and statewide averages:

Areas Measured	Time Period			
	CA	SCLARC	CA	SCLARC
Consumer Earned Income (Age 16 to 64 years): Data Source: Employment Development Department	Jan through Dec 2023		Jan through Dec 2024	
Quarterly number of consumers with earned income	32,132	1,309	32,936	1,340
Percentage of consumers with earned income	15.20%	13.43%	15.60%	13.21%
Average annual wages	\$14,251	\$13,408	\$14,902	\$14,085
Annual earnings of consumers compared to people with all disabilities in California Data Source: American Community Survey, 2022 five-year estimate	2022		2023	
	\$29,382		\$31,436	
Paid Internship Program Data Source: Paid Internship Program Survey	2022-23		2023-24	
	CA Average	SCLARC	CA Average	SCLARC
Number of adults who were placed in competitive, integrated employment following participation in a Paid Internship Program	12	3	13	10
Percentage of adults who were placed in competitive, integrated employment following participation in a Paid Internship Program	10%	1%	9%	2%
Average hourly or salaried wages for adults who participated in a Paid Internship Program	\$15.96	\$15.87	\$16.74	\$16.32
Average hours worked per week for adults who participated in a Paid Internship Program	14	15	14	16
Competitive Integrated Employment Data Source: Competitive Integrated Employment Incentive Program Survey				
Average wages for adults engaged in competitive, integrated employment, on behalf of whom incentive payments have been made	\$16.51	\$15.97	\$17.33	\$18.18
Average hours worked for adults engages in competitive, integrated employment, on behalf of whom incentive payments have been made	21	24	21	22
Total number of Incentive payments made for the fiscal year for the following amounts:	\$3,000	38	7	35
	\$2,500	40	13	40
	\$2,000	49	22	51

Notes: 1) The National Core Indicator Survey question "Percentage of Adults who Reported having integrated employment as a goal on their IPP" is no longer asked and therefore could not be included on the report. 2) Differences in regional center population sizes may affect the number of individuals participating in employment programs.

How well is SCLARC doing at reducing disparities and improving equity?

These tables show you how well the regional center is doing at providing services equally for all individuals.

Percent of total annual purchase of service expenditures by individual's ethnicity and age

Age Group	Measure	American Indian or Alaska Native		Asian		Black/African American		Hispanic		Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander		White		Other Ethnicity or Race	
		22-23	23-24	22-23	23-24	22-23	23-24	22-23	23-24	22-23	23-24	22-23	23-24	22-23	23-24
Birth to 2	Individuals	0%	0%	0%	0%	13%	12%	77%	78%	0%	0%	1%	1%	9%	8%
	Expenditures	0%	0%	0%	1%	12%	12%	79%	80%	0%	0%	1%	1%	8%	7%
3 to 21	Individuals	0%	0%	1%	1%	15%	15%	77%	77%	0%	0%	1%	1%	7%	6%
	Expenditures	0%	0%	1%	1%	17%	17%	76%	77%	0%	0%	2%	2%	4%	3%
22 and older	Individuals	0%	0%	1%	1%	35%	34%	57%	58%	0%	0%	5%	5%	2%	2%
	Expenditures	0%	0%	2%	2%	46%	46%	40%	41%	0%	0%	9%	8%	3%	3%

Per capita purchase of service expenditures by individual's primary language

(for languages chosen by 30 or more individuals only)

Language	Count of UCI		Per Capita Purchase of Service Expenditures	
	2021-22	2022-23	2021-22	2022-23
English	17,122	17,919	\$19,205	\$21,334
Spanish	10,335	10,621	\$13,211	\$14,922
American Sign Language	49	47	\$52,446	\$93,843

Want more information?

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Additional information can be found on the: [DDS Regional Center Dashboard](#)