

Alta California Regional Center
Board of Directors

BOARD POLICY

Role of the Board of Directors

- The Alta California Regional Center (ACRC) Board of Directors functions within the scope and direction of the Lanterman Act, as well as the State of California and federal regulations. The Board acknowledges its obligations to people with developmental disabilities, and understands that its purpose is to function as the policy-making and oversight body for ACRC.
- The ACRC Board of Directors recognizes the agency's mandated role as the fixed point in the community through which persons with developmental disabilities and their families have access to the facilities and services best suited to them throughout their lifetime.
- Each ACRC Board member and employee shall be acutely aware that the Legislature of the State of California has found "that the service provided to individuals and their families by regional centers is of such a special and unique nature that it cannot be satisfactorily provided by State agencies. [Welfare and Institutions Code, Section 4620(b)]". This is the codified rationale for private nonprofit community agencies to be utilized by the State for the purpose of operating regional centers.