



Request for Proposals

Public Notice

Alta California Regional Center Community Placement Plan & Community Resource Development Plan

For Fiscal Year 2020-2021

NOTE. Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, ACRC will not schedule any in-person meetings, orientations, or interviews for this Request for Proposal (RFP) process. Please read this notice carefully as our process has been modified.

Alta California Regional Center (ACRC), serving individuals with developmental disabilities, has identified a need to develop a Community Access Services-Technology, Housing Access Services, and an Enhanced Behavioral Supports Home (EBSH). (*please see project description below*)

PROPOSED NEEDS

A brief description of the project is on page two of this notice, which will be developed using a Housing Development Organization (HDO).

RFP ORIENTATION

ACRC is hosting a Request for Proposal (RFP) Orientation via **WebEx** to introduce the project in greater detail including the targeted client profile. The RFP handout will be sent via email to those who attend the RFP Orientation. **Attending this orientation is mandatory in order to apply.**

WebEx RFP Orientation

Date: Tuesday, April 6th 2021 10am-11am

To join the orientation, go to:

Join from the meeting link

<https://altaregional.webex.com/altaregional/j.php?MTID=m66cc7ad6071436dac3f1673b402741b3>

Meeting number (access code): 187 854 6178

Meeting password: TfxMCZwC334

****If joining by phone,** dial (844) 621-3956 and then type the meeting number and password when prompted.

RFP Projects:

Community Access Services – Technology (Project ID: ACRC-2021-3)

ACRC has a need to increase access to remote and virtual services (“telehealth”) by providing/loaning eligible clients with tablets and/or laptops, data service, and technical support. This will be achieved by contracting with a provider to purchase the hardware, software, and data service as well as be the provider of the technical support, including adapting equipment to meet the needs of clients with limited physical ability. ACRC will identify the participants who are most in need of access to virtual services in order to receive remote and/or alternate day activities/services delivery. The contracted provider will be responsible to develop a protocol and agreement for the loan of the equipment to the participants and will coordinate with regional center non-residential and transportation agencies for the delivery to each participant and for pick-up of returned or damaged devices.

Housing Access Services (Project ID: ACRC-2021-6)

ACRC has identified a need to secure affordable housing and to provide other housing related services to adult clients seeking to live and/or remain independent. Start-up funds are for training and office set up in ACRC’s catchment area for a service provider offering these Housing Access Services which will be under Service Code 089.

Enhanced Behavioral Supports Home (EBSH) (Project ID: ACRC-2021-4)

Four (4) bed Enhanced Behavioral Supports Home (EBSH) for clients who are transitioning from Porterville Developmental Center (PDC) or individuals who are in jail and are being diverted from PDC. This home is expected to serve clients with forensic involvement, including those on a court order commitment (i.e. 1370.1, 6500, 6509) or on diversion plans and offer competency training. This EBSH will need a QBMP who has a mental health focus, as these clients will have co-occurring ID/DD and mental health diagnosis. This home will be expected to transition clients to a lower level of care once the client is stable and acclimated into the community. Client to be served in this EBSH are expected to have severe behaviors including, but not limited to, verbal and physical aggression, property destruction, resistive to daily routines, self-injurious behaviors, substance abuse issues, and AWOL.

We welcome your participation in the RFP process. This RFP is a solicitation to the community; therefore, if there are any individuals you know who would like to attend this orientation we encourage you to let them know. Please direct any questions to rfp@altaregional.org.