

**SAN GABRIEL/POMONA REGIONAL CENTER
DEVELOPMENTAL SERVICES, INC.**

Minutes of the Meeting of the

Advisory Committee for Individuals Served and Their Families

January 28, 2026

A regular meeting of the Advisory Committee for Individuals Served and Their Families was held on Wednesday, December 10, 2025. The following committee members were present at said meeting:

PRESENT

Phillip Loi, Chair
Preeti Subramaniam
Richard Centeno
Jaye Dixit
Jovenal Malonzo Jr.
David Sarmiento

ABSENT:

Pete Rodriguez
Diana Ramirez
Sam Yi
Lenny Kwari

STAFF:

Daniela Santana, Director of Client Services
Lucina Galarza, Deputy Executive Director
Tim Travis, Associate Director, Community Service
Elba Moreno, Department Assistant,
Communications
Salvador Gonzalez, Director of Service Access and
Equity
Elisa Herzog, Advocacy Liaison

ITEMS DISCUSSED

CALL TO ORDER

Phillip Loi, Chairperson, called the meeting to order at 6:00 pm. A quorum was established.

- The minutes from December 10, 2025, meeting were reviewed and approved.

M/S/C (Dixit/Centeno) The minutes from the meeting were approved by the committee.

PUBLIC INPUT - None

SPECIAL PRESENTATION – Strategic Plan Overview I by Daniela Santana, Director of Client Services

- Strategic Focus Area
- Enhance overall service delivery excellence
 - Identify and Evaluate Obstacles

- Review and revise response time expectations.
- Communicate and implement expectations
- Monitor and evaluate response systems
- Improve access to high value services
- Recruit new service providers
- Improve Response Times
- Improve Access

Future Training Topics:

- February 25, 2026 – TBD
- March 25, 2026 – TBD
- April 22, 2026 – TBD

Updates and Information by SG/PRC Staff

- Yvonne Gratianna, Communications & Public Engagement Officer, reviewed the SG/PRC Social Media Policy Draft to the committee.
M/S/C (Dixit/Sarmiento) The committee approved to recommend the Social Media draft policy to the Board for approval.
- Tim Travis, Associate Director, Community Service, shared the following:
 - Lottery for Affordable Housing Project: Prisma Artist Lofts
 - Aging Care Givers Series in Spanish
 - Swimming Safety/Drowning Prevention Campaign
 - Roommate Training
 - New Social Recreation Activities
- Jessi Romero, Manager, Specialized Services II- reported on the following regarding Self Determination:
 - There are currently 339 individuals enrolled.
 - The SDP Team currently has the following SDP projects:
 1. SDP supports group The Waiting Room hosted by Education Spectrum. Their monthly meetings are held every third Thursday of the month and are well attended.
 2. LVAC continues to meet every second Tuesday of the month.
- Elisa Herzog, Advocacy Liaison made the following announcement:
 - The first TAC meeting was on Thursday, January 22nd, 2026, via Zoom on the topic of Emergency Preparedness, and the Eton fire one year later, presented by Anthony Hoang, SGPRC's Emergency Management Coordinator and Yvonne Gratianna SGPRC's Communications and Public Engagement Officer.
 - The next advocacy connection meeting via Zoom will be held on Thursday,

- March 26th, 2026, from 5 to 6 PM with the topic of “Self-advocacy and Leadership Skills” presented by Elisa Herzog, San Gabriel/Pomona Regional Center Advocacy Liaison and co-presenter Desiree Boykin, Consumer Advocate from South Central Los Angeles regional Center
- Citrus Community College Disabled Student Programs and Services department will hold a Parent 101 Workshop previously offered via Zoom “Empowering Together”. Helping Students Learn to self-advocate through parent support on Tuesday, May 5, 2026, 5:00-6:30 pm on the Citrus College Campus Student Services Building (Room SS 165)
 - Supported Life Institute will hold their Annual statewide self-advocacy conference on May 8 and 9, 2026, at the Winham hotel in Sacramento, California.
 - Yvonne Gratianna, Communications & Public Engagement Officer, shared that the Children’s Dental Health Fair will be held on Saturday, February 21, 2026 at the San Gabriel/Pomona Regional Center from 10 am-12 pm.

ADJOURN

Chair, Philip Loi, adjourned the meeting.

The next Advisory Committee for Individuals Served and Their Families meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, February 25, 2026, via video conference at 6 P.M.