



San Gabriel/Pomona Regional Center

Results of the Community Needs Survey for Fiscal Year 2026–2027

(July 2026)

Thank you to everyone who participated in the SG/PRC Community Needs Survey. Your feedback has been invaluable in helping identify our community's highest priorities for Fiscal Year 2026–2027.

In addition to ranking service needs, many of you took the time to share thoughtful comments and personal experiences. We received more than 15 pages of open-ended comments, providing valuable insight into the challenges, concerns, and hopes of individuals with developmental disabilities and their families.

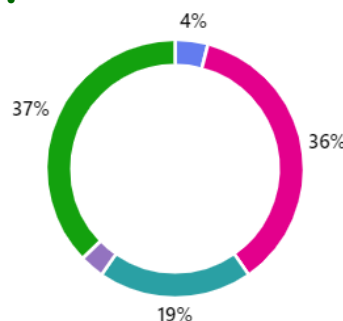
The priorities presented below were developed by combining the survey rankings with the themes that emerged from your comments. By considering both the quantitative survey results and the voices of our community, we have created a final list of priorities that reflects the areas of greatest need.

These priorities will serve as a framework for identifying projects that best address the needs identified by our community and will help inform our funding recommendations during the 2026–2027 fiscal year.

Thank you for sharing your experiences and helping shape the future of services in our community.

WHO FILLED OUT THE SURVEY?

● Self-Advocate or Individual Served	24
● Family Member of Individual(s) Served	218
● Service Provider/Vendor	112
● Community Member	18
● SGPRC Staff	216



Total Number of
Participants:

543

*Some participants fall into
more than one category*

PRIORITIES

Rank	Community Priority	What This Includes
1	 Housing & Specialized Residential Services	Affordable housing, specialized residential homes, supported living, Enhanced Behavioral Support Homes (EBSH), and future housing options for adults with developmental disabilities.
2	 Adult Services, Day Programs & Transition Supports	Adult day programs, transition after high school, community-based activities, vocational training, life skills, and meaningful daytime opportunities for adults.
3	 Behavioral & Mental Health Services	Behavioral supports, counseling, psychiatric care, crisis intervention, mobile crisis services, and providers experienced in developmental disabilities.
4	 Social Recreation, Social Skills & Community Inclusion	Opportunities for friendships, recreation, dating, social skills, clubs, volunteer activities, and meaningful participation in the community.
5	 Employment & Postsecondary Pathways	Job training, supported employment, internships, college supports, career development, and workplace readiness.
6	 Family Support, Caregiver Support & Respite	Respite care, caregiver support groups, family education, navigation assistance, and resources to reduce caregiver burnout.
7	 Independent Living & Daily Living Skills	Cooking, budgeting, financial literacy, transportation skills, self-advocacy, personal care, and other skills needed for greater independence.
8	 Transportation	Reliable transportation to work, school, medical appointments, community activities, and other essential services.
9	 Therapy & Clinical Services	Occupational therapy (OT), physical therapy (PT), speech therapy, augmentative and alternative communication (AAC), feeding therapy, and continued therapy into adulthood.
10	 Medical, Dental & Health Services	Access to physicians, dentists, specialists, vision care, nutrition services, and healthcare providers knowledgeable about developmental disabilities.