



DDS' CAC is RECRUITING!

The Department of Developmental Services (DDS) Consumer Advisory Committee (CAC) provides advice to DDS on policies, programs, legislation, and regulations that affect the lives of Californians with intellectual and developmental disabilities.

About the CAC:

- ☀ Fifteen (15) self-advocate members from all over California
- ☀ Meets at least four (4) times per year in Sacramento, or online with Zoom
- ☀ Members share information with their local self-advocacy organizations and bring input from those groups back to the CAC
- ☀ Transportation, hotel, meal, and facilitator costs (if needed) will be paid by DDS

If you would like to apply to be a CAC member, here is what you need to do:

- * Check the back of this flyer (or page 2 if you're on a computer) to see if we are recruiting from your regional center.
- * You must have an intellectual or developmental disability and received regional center services to apply.
- * You must be a member of a local self-advocacy group or other organization that serves or empowers people with developmental disabilities.
- * You **MUST** be nominated for membership by your local self-advocacy group or developmental disability organization.
- * Fill out the online application completely & submit it with your nomination letter at <https://www.dds.ca.gov/consumers/consumer-advisory-committee/>. If you're having trouble with the online form, use the contact information below to get help.



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Office of Legislation, Regulations and Public Affairs

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Questions? Call Nicole Patterson at (916) 654-1494 or email info@dds.ca.gov



The DDS CAC is currently recruiting members from the following regional centers:

- ☀ Central Valley Regional Center (CVRC)
- ☀ East Los Angeles Regional Center (ELARC)
- ☀ Frank D Lanterman Regional Center (FDLRC)
- ☀ Harbor Regional Center (HRC)
- ☀ Inland Regional Center (IRC)
- ☀ North Los Angeles Regional Center (NLARC)
- ☀ San Andreas Regional Center (SARC)
- ☀ Tri Counties Regional Center (TCRC)
- ☀ Westside Regional Center (WRC)

Please note: Regional Center employees are not eligible for CAC membership.

