

Policy Priorities



1. Set Measurable Outcome for Employment First (EF)

Funding Services



2. Funding for CIE



3. Phase Out Sheltered Work and Subminimum Wage



4. Remove Trailer Bill Language Limiting Regional Center day & employment services to youth 18-22



5. Raise Expectations for CIE



6. Improve Availability of Benefits Planning Resources

SELECTING PRIORITIES WORKSHEET

Possible Activity	EFC (Yes/No)	Other SCDD (Yes/No)	Lead Person	Priority
1. Set Measureable Outcome for Employment First (EF) 1.1 Data Sharing Legislation – Note: SCDD already agreed to do this 1.2 Stakeholder Process to ID and define goals for EF progress				
2. Funding for CIE 2.1 Increase rate for Individual Placement SEP – Note: SCDD has agreed to co-sponsor legislation				

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3. Phase Out Sheltered Work and Subminimum Wage				
3.1 Policy change to stop new placements in sheltered work				
3.2 Bridge funding to sheltered work providers to change to competitive, integrated, work (CIE) services				

4. Remove Trailer Bill Language Limiting Regional Center day & employment services to youth 18-22				
4.1 Sponsor legislation to repeal Trailer Bill language				

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5. Raise Expectations for CIE				
5.1 Inform/train consumers and families on EF Policy				
<i>Idea: Support and add to Data Dashboard – Success Stories, Best Practices, Resources, Training Materials</i>				
<i>Idea: Use Regional staff to train local communities on EF</i>				
5.2 Develop model curriculum for self-advocacy training for special education including EF				
<i>Idea: Through grant or direct work of staff</i>				

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6. Improve Availability of Benefits Planning Resources				
6.1 Develop tool summarizing planning resources				
<i>Idea: Through a grant or direct work of staff.</i>				