

# SCDD Report to SSDAC

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# Overview

- ▶ Update on Self-Determination Evaluations (UCLA)
- ▶ Update on Self-Determination Orientation Trainings (SCDD)
- ▶ Community Trends

# SDP Evaluation Survey (UCLA)

- ▶ In December, feedback from the community suggests revisions need to be made
  - Too long
  - Questions felt clinical
  - Terminology not CA-specific
  - Should ask questions to promote the benefits of SDP
  
- ▶ Thank you

# SDP Evaluation Survey (UCLA)

- ▶ In January, worked to adjust study design:
  - Use survey responses (quantitative data)
    - 10% of SDP participants responded to survey
  - Move to focus groups (qualitative data)
    - SDP participants
    - Non-English SDP participants
    - SDP “hesitant”
    - Advocates
  - Meet with advocates
    - Review focus group questions
  - Publish by June 30

# Self-Determination Orientation Trainings (SCDD)

- ▶ 6 Month Update (July 2022-January 2023)
  - 105 training sessions
    - 68 English
    - 35 Spanish
    - 2 Vietnamese
  - 1,528 participants
    - 1,295 English
    - 219 Spanish
    - 14 Vietnamese
  - 1,180 Certificates

# Self-Determination Orientation Trainings (SCDD)

- ▶ Who's Attending?
  - Ethnicity
    - 33% Hispanic/Latino/Latinx
    - 27% White
    - 9% Asian Pacific Islander
    - 5% Black/African American
    - 8% Other
    - 18% decline to answer
  
  - Disability
    - 46% ASD/Autism/Autistic
    - 17% Intellectual Disability
    - 10% Other/5<sup>th</sup> Category
    - 4% Cerebral Palsy
    - 2% Epilepsy
    - 21% decline to answer

# Self-Determination Orientation Trainings (SCDD)

- ▶ What are they saying?
  - 94% find information useful
  - 93% satisfied with the training
  - 89% increased knowledge of SDP
  
  - Do you plan on enrolling in SDP?
    - 66% yes
    - 22% undecided
    - 10% no

# Self Determination Community Trends

- ▶ 099 Service Code – will likely result in reduction in IF's
  - Business address vs. home address (some RCs allowing home office)
  - Insurance requirement barrier for family members/small IF's "business"
- ▶ FMS Capacity – 6-8 month "waitlist"
- ▶ RCs converting SLS, SLS services to Personal Assistant in order to lower budget
- ▶ Too linear expectation of services from budget to spending plan – ex – 16 hours respite into budget must mean 16 hours respite in spending plan. Generally, for more "clinical" services
- ▶ 3 RC staff discouraging SDP overall as a program
  - too much work; lack of trained/knowledgeable staff, putting RCs out-of-business



**Thank you**