

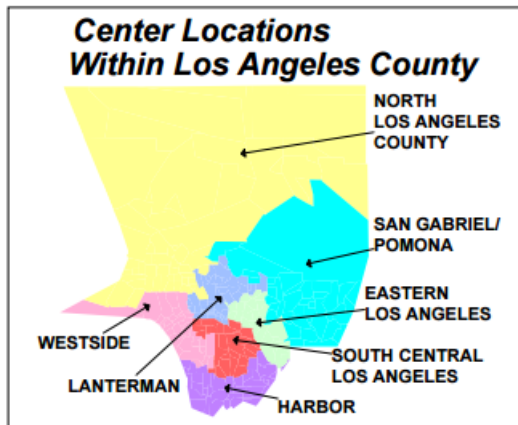
Points of Contact

for emergency responders (continued)

To contact staff who can help with a regional center consumer, call the numbers listed below and ask for the staff member who can assist emergency responders.

Eastern Los Angeles Regional Center	626-299-4700
Frank D. Lanterman Regional Center	213-383-1300
Harbor Regional Center	310-540-1711
North Los Angeles Regional Center	818-778-1900
San Gabriel/Pomona Regional Center	909-620-7722
South Central Los Angeles Regional Center	213-744-7000
Westside Regional Center	310-258-4000

To determine which zip codes are served by which Regional Center, please visit www.dds.ca.gov/RC and select *Lookup Regional Centers in Los Angeles County by Zip Code*.



Los Angeles County Regional Centers

points of contact for emergency responders

SERVING PERSONS WITH
intellectual disability
autism spectrum disorder
epilepsy
cerebral palsy



The Regional Center System

The California Department of Developmental Services contracts with and provides oversight to nonprofit, private agencies called Regional Centers. There are twenty-one Regional Centers in California, seven of which are in Los Angeles County. Regional Centers serve children, juveniles, and adults who have developmental disabilities.

Developmental disabilities include intellectual disability (formerly known as mental retardation), autism spectrum disorder, epilepsy, cerebral palsy, and other disabling conditions found to be closely related to intellectual disability or that require treatment similar to that required by individuals with intellectual disability.

The Regional Center exists as a local resource to help find and access services available to individuals with developmental disabilities and their families.

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Los Angeles County Regional Centers will respond to calls from emergency responders to help identify and support individuals with developmental disabilities who are Los Angeles County Regional Center consumers (both adults and juveniles).

- The first step is to identify which regional center serves the individual. Provided on the back of this brochure are telephone numbers for each Regional Center. Information for determining the appropriate Regional Center for a particular zip code is listed on the back of this brochure.
- The Regional Center in whose zip code area the person lives should be contacted between the hours of 8:30 AM and 5:00PM. Calls should go to the contact numbers for each Regional Center listed on the back of this publication.
- Give the name of the person and birth date and identify yourself as an emergency responder. The receptionist will put you in touch with Regional Center staff who can assist.
- If the person is identified as a Regional Center consumer, that staff member will ensure that services have been initiated, or will inform you as to whether the person is either a consumer of a different Regional Center or is not a consumer of any Regional Center.
- If the person is not a Regional Center consumer, but you believe the person may qualify, the Regional Center in whose zip code area the person resides should be contacted to initiate the eligibility determination process.
- For emergencies, each Regional Center has an after-hours response system that can be reached via the phone numbers indicated on the back of this brochure.