



Tri-Counties Association for the Developmentally Disabled

520 E. Montecito Street Santa Barbara CA 93103 www.tri-counties.org

Application for Board Membership

Please note that answers are required for all questions.

1. First Name: _____ Last Name: _____
Address: _____ City: _____ Zip code: _____
2. How would you like to be contacted? (Required) Phone : _____
Best time to reach you? Weekdays: _____ Weekends: _____ Time of day: _____
E-mail address: _____
3. I am a relative or legal guardian of a person with a developmental disability. (Required)
 Yes No Relationship: _____
4. I am a person with a developmental disability receiving services from TCRC: Yes No
5. My Occupation(s): _____ Employer Name: _____
Supervisor's Name: _____ Phone#: _____
6. Professional Experience: (Select all that apply)
 Non-profit Developmental Disability Program Skills Management Public Relations Legal Other _____
Please describe:

7. Current and/or past Boards on which you have served: (Select all that apply)

Affiliations: Business Education Social Volunteer Other: _____

8. Do you currently work for a provider contracted with the regional center? Yes No

If yes, please indicate whom: _____

9. What specific areas do you feel strongly about as they relate to persons with developmental disabilities?

10. Education level: _____ Institution: _____

11. How did you hear about this opportunity?

12. Short Bio and Qualifications:

13. Please write a statement about "Why I want to serve":

14. Have you been convicted of a misdemeanor or felony? (Required) Yes No
If yes, please explain:

Self Identification Information: (Required, select all that apply)

White Black American Indian / Alaskan Native Hispanic Asian / Pacific Islander Other

PLEASE TAKE TIME TO READ AND RESPOND TO THE ITEMS BELOW

Conflicts of Interest:

Welfare and Institutions Code, Section 4626. (a) In order to prevent potential conflicts of interest, no member of the governing board or member of the program policy committee of a regional center shall be any of the following:

(1) An employee of the State Department of Developmental Services or any state or local agency which provides services to a regional center client, if employed in a capacity which includes administrative or policymaking responsibility, or responsibility for the regulation of the regional center.

(2) An employee or a member of the state council or an area board.

(3) Except as otherwise provided in subdivision (h) of Section 4622, an employee or member of the governing board of any entity from which the regional center purchases client services.

(4) Any person who has a financial interest, as defined in Section 87103 of the Government Code, in regional center operations, except as a consumer of regional center services.

Title 17 Section 54520. Conflict of Interest Standards for Regional Center Governing Board Members.

(a) The following constitute conflicts of interest for regional center governing board members:

(1) A conflict of interest exists when a member of the governing board or a family member of such person is a director, officer, owner, partner, shareholder, trustee or employee of any business entity or provider, holds any position of management in any business entity or provider, or has decision or policy-making authority in such an entity or provider, except to the extent permitted by Welfare and Institutions Code, Section 4626(a) (3) and (b). These conflict of interest provisions are in addition to those stated in Welfare and Institutions Code, Sections 4622(a)(9) and 4626.

I do not have any of the Conflicts of Interest as stated above.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

**California Government Code, Title 9, Chapter 7 - Conflicts of Interest
Article 1.**

87103. A public official has a financial interest in a decision within the meaning of Section 87100 if it is reasonably foreseeable that the decision will have a material financial effect, distinguishable from its effect on the public generally, on the official, a member of his or her immediate family, or on any of the following:

(a) Any business entity in which the public official has a direct or indirect investment worth two thousand dollars (\$2,000) or more.

(b) Any real property in which the public official has a direct or indirect interest worth two thousand dollars (\$2,000) or more.

(c) Any source of income, except gifts or loans by a commercial lending institution made in the regular course of business on terms available to the public without regard to official status, aggregating five hundred dollars (\$500) or more in value provided or promised to, received by, the public official within 12 months prior to the time when the decision is made.

(d) Any business entity in which the public official is a director, officer, partner, trustee, employee, or holds any position of management.

(e) Any donor of, or any intermediary or agent for a donor of, a gift or gifts aggregating two hundred fifty dollars (\$250) or more in value provided to, received by, or promised to the public official within 12 months prior to the time when the decision is made. The amount of the value of gifts specified by this subdivision shall be adjusted biennially by the commission to equal the same amount determined by the commission pursuant to subdivision (f) of Section 89503.

For purposes of this section, indirect investment or interest means any investment or interest owned by the spouse or dependent child of a public official, by an agent on behalf of a public official, or by a business entity or trust in which the official, the official's agents, spouse, and dependent children own directly, indirectly, or beneficially a 10-percent interest or greater.

(Amended by Stats. 2000, Ch. 130, Sec. 7. Effective January 1, 2001. Note: This section was added on June 4, 1974, by initiative Prop. 9.)

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