



Redacted Membership Application

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Name: REDACTED

Address: REDACTED

County of Residence: **Fresno**

Email : REDACTED

Phone: REDACTED

Race: White

I am a: parent, family member, legal guardian or conservator of a person with a developmental disability

Are you currently employed by, or a member of the governing board of an organization providing services to persons with developmental disabilities?:

Yes

Are you a member of a nongovernmental agency that does not receive regional center funding?

No

Do you want to serve on the State Council: Yes, I want to apply to serve on the State Council

Do you want to serve on a Regional Advisory Committee: Yes, I want to apply to serve on the Regional Advisory Committee

How did your interest in, or knowledge of, the developmental disability field and service system develop?:

My son was diagnosed when he was two with ASD, ID , and sensory processing disorder he requires 24 hour care and my wife and I have changed our entire life around to accommodate him

What are your areas of interest in the developmental disability field and service system?:

Continue job placement, empowering families, early start and I FSP, IDEA, issues relating to conservatorship and community awareness

Please explain why you wish to serve on the State Council on Developmental Disabilities, or on one of its Regional Advisory Committees:

I would like to bring a parent and professional perspective to the council especially for my geographical

region and at the state level. Providing information to legislators about the intricacies of caring for a child with a disability

What strengths would you bring to the State Council and/or Regional Advisory Committee?:

Before changing careers to better assist my family and my child I worked in the hospitality industry specifically hotel operations and management. I was the opening hotel manager for city center in Las Vegas for four years as well as the front office manager for the Wynn Las Vegas for three years working with multiple cultures and facilitating meetings and public speaking events. I now work for EPU in the central valley as a educational resource specialist helping families and putting on workshops to better assist them