

# VENTURA COUNTY TRANSITION PROJECT- OVERVIEW

## 2009 - 2010

*"Working Together to Support People With Disabilities as They Transition From School to Adult Living"*

### GOALS:

*Interagency  
Coordination*

*Improving Individual  
Student Planning*

*Increased Awareness  
and Training  
for Staff  
and Families*

### ACCOMPLISHMENTS SINCE 1992:

- ❖ Adult Services Resource Directory (*bilingual*)
- ❖ "Cool Stuff" for Teaching Transition
- ❖ Annual Transition Fairs for Families (*bilingual materials*), (*including 2 "mini fairs"*)
- ❖ Employer Recognition materials
- ❖ Transition Portfolio Guide
- ❖ Student/Parent Transition checklists (*bilingual*)
- ❖ Magnets for Families
- ❖ Checklist for Teachers (*by region*)
- ❖ Transition information on website [www.venturacountyselpa.com](http://www.venturacountyselpa.com)
- ❖ Web-based Matrix of Adult Services

### INTERAGENCY TRANSITION COORDINATING COUNCIL (ITCC - "ITSY")

- The Arc of Ventura County
- Area Board 9
- \*Children's Medical Services – CCS
- Conejo Valley Unified School District
- \*Department of Rehabilitation
- \*Employment Development Department
- IABA-SCIP/STEP
- Las Virgenes Unified School District
- \*Moorpark College
- Ojai Unified School District
- PathPoint
- Rainbow Connection Family Resource Center
- Simi Valley Unified School District
- Social Security Administration
- \*Tri-Counties Regional Center
- \*Ventura College
- \*Ventura County Behavioral Health-Children and Adult Services
- \*Ventura County SELPA Community Advisory Committee (CAC)
- Ventura County Office of Education – Department of Special Education
- Ventura County Jewish Family Service
- Ventura Unified School District
- Villa Esperanza
- Workability I Program

\*Denotes signatories to our "*Memorandum of Understanding*" for Transition

### WORKING SUBCOMMITTEES FOR 2009 - 2010

#### TRANSITION OF PEOPLE SERVED BY REGIONAL CENTER (TPSRC)

- Fran Amer-Costello, Chair
- Person-centered planning
  - Collaboration at IEPs

#### TRANSITION OF PEOPLE WITH PHYSICAL DISABILITIES & CERTIFICATE OF COMPLETION

- Christopher Ornelas, Chair
- Survey
  - Range of options

#### ADULT SERVICES FAIRS

- Tom Considine, Chair
- Adult Services Fairs

#### TNT STEERING

- Fran Amer-Costello, Chair
- Transition Networking Team

#### STUDENT VIDEO CLIPS

- Steve Turner, Chair
- Self Advocacy
  - Promoting Transition Specific Disabilities

### STEERING COMMITTEE

Fran Arner-Costello, *Ventura County SELPA*  
Marielle DeFazio, PathPoint

Cyndi Page, Simi Valley Unified School District  
Linda Lolli, Las Virgenes Unified School District

Denice Welter, Conejo Valley Unified SD

### MEETING DATES/LOCATION:

September 3, 2009  
October 22, 2009

January 21, 2010  
April 15, 2010

June 17, 2010

VENTURA COUNTY SELPA-SANTA PAULA ROOM

**NEW ADDRESS: 5100 ADOLFO ROAD, CAMARILLO 93012**

**2:00 – 4:00 PM**

**All meetings are open to the public - parents are welcome!**