

14th ANNUAL LEGISLATIVE BREAKFAST

Sponsored by San Andreas Regional Center and The Service Provider Advisory Committee

Spirit of Community - Preserving the Lanterman Act “We Are Here to Speak For Justice”

Friday, April 17th, 2009

8:00 to 10:30 am

**Seascape Golf Club
610 Clubhouse Drive, Aptos, CA**

**Legislative Breakfast For
Santa Cruz & Monterey County**

Friday, April 24th, 2009

8:00 to 10:30 am

**Holiday Inn - Mediterranean Room
1740 North First St., San Jose, CA**

**Legislative Breakfast For
Santa Clara & San Benito County**

Invited Legislators:

*State Senators: Joe Simitian, Elaine Alquist,
Abel Maldonado, Ellen Corbett, Jeff Denham*

*Assembly Members: Jim Beall, Albert Torrico,
Joe Coto, Ira Ruskin, Anna Caballero, Bill Monning, Paul Fong*

Congresswoman Zoe Lofgren, Congressman Mike Honda, Congressman Sam Farr

The Legislative Breakfast will provide a forum for parents, consumers, family members, advocates, and providers of service the opportunity to speak with legislators and their staff about current issues facing the Developmental Disabilities Community.

The Legislative Breakfast Program will include testimony from parents, consumers, family members, and providers of service who will share their hopes and dreams but also concerns and challenges that individuals with developmental disabilities encounter on a daily basis.

To Register On-Line Visit: WWW.SARC.ORG

***For Additional Information About The Legislative
Breakfast Contact Francisco Valenzuela at Savalenz@sarc.org***



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Legislative Breakfast

You are cordially invited to attend our Annual Legislative Breakfast sponsored by the Service Provider Advisory Committee of the San Andreas Region. It is held each year in joint sponsorship with San Andreas Regional Center. San Andreas serves well over 13,000 persons with developmental disabilities and their families within the counties of Santa Clara, San Benito, Monterey and Santa Cruz.

When & Where:

April 17th - The Legislative Breakfast on April 17th is being held at Seascape Golf Club in Aptos. Registration begins at 8:00 am with the program beginning at 9:00 and ending at 10:30 am.

April 24th - The Legislative Breakfast on April 24th is being held at the Holiday Inn in San Jose. Registration begins at 8:00 am with the program beginning at 9:00 and ending at 10:30 am.

Why:

The Legislative Breakfast will provide an opportunity for attendees to meet and speak with legislators and their staffers who will be in attendance. The Legislative Breakfast will provide the opportunity for legislators and their staff to be briefed on the current crisis facing the developmental disabilities community. The Legislative Breakfast Program will include testimony from parents, consumers, family members, and providers of service who will share personal stories about their triumphs and challenges that individuals with developmental disabilities encounter on a daily basis.

Who should attend:

Elected officials, persons with developmental disabilities, parents, family members, service providers, advocates, health professionals, educators, and concerned residents who support the developmental disabilities community.

Why you should attend:

The goal of the breakfast, with usually well over 250 in attendance in Aptos and 450 in San Jose, is to acknowledge the importance of the Lanterman Developmental Disabilities Act and the legislative leadership in Sacramento who have continuously protected individuals with developmental disabilities.

COST TO ATTEND THE LEGISLATIVE BREAKFAST

\$20.00 ~ Cost for persons with developmental disabilities (consumers) receiving direct services from San Andreas Regional Center

\$25.00 ~ Cost for parents, family members, service providers, care takers, and others not receiving direct services from San Andreas Regional Center

***Use This Form to Register For The
Legislative Breakfast in Aptos on Friday, April, 17th***

Name: _____ Phone # _____

Email Address: _____

Parent _____ Family Member _____ Consumer _____ Advocate _____ Service Provider _____

Address: _____ City _____ Zip _____

Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$ _____ for reservations for _____ family members and _____ person(s) with developmental disabilities. Please list additional guests attending (please print)

I cannot attend the Legislative Breakfast in Aptos on April 17th, but please accept my donation in the amount of \$ _____ to sponsor _____ person(s) with a developmental disability.

Register on-line at: www.sarc.org

Make checks payable to:

San Andreas Regional Center - Att: Maile Llewellyn

300 Orchard City Drive, Suite 170

Campbell, CA 95008

(408) 341-3832

***Use This Form to Register For The
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Name: _____ Phone # _____

Email Address: _____

Parent _____ Family Member _____ Consumer _____ Advocate _____ Service Provider _____

Address: _____ City _____ Zip _____

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