Parents Coordinating Council & Friends at Lanterman Developmental Center

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Upcoming PCC Meetings!

"Family Stories Of The Transition Process" Next Saturday, August 13, 2011 10 am - 12:00 pm

Join other Lanterman families to share experiences of life at Lanterman during the closure process, from transition planning to placement to community life. This round table discussion will be reserved for current and former Lanterman families only.

"Health Care in the Community for Lanterman Movers" Saturday, September 10, 10 am – 12:00 pm

Harold Pitchford, former Executive Director of Agnews Developmental Center, is involved in the development of community health care plans for Lanterman residents, and will present these plans to Lanterman families. Attend this meeting to learn how medical, dental, and therapeutic services will be provided for your family member.

Consolidation of Residence Units at Lanterman

Lanterman Administration has informed the PCC that some residential units will need to be consolidated in the coming months, in order to provide adequate staffing and deliver needed services to the current residents in the face of declining client and staff numbers. A Residence Consolidation Plan has been developed, which calls for participation by Lanterman families in this process. Lanterman Administration states that they will notify all families impacted by any consolidation before any moves. Further information can be found on the PCC Website at www.lantermanpcc.org.

Lanterman Outpatient Clinic to Open in August

The Closure Plan for Lanterman Developmental Center calls for an Outpatient Clinic to be opened on campus to provide transitional health care for Lanterman movers. The Department of Public Health has approved the application for the Lanterman Outpatient Clinic, which will open in August. Look for further information from LDC on the opening of the Clinic, and the services to be provided.

Important Reminder: The PCC Office is staffed by dedicated volunteer family members who donate their time to support the Lanterman families. These volunteers take care of the many organizational and office duties, ranging from sending out the Newsletter to running the fundraiser, to responding to individual family needs and many more activities. The PCC Office is open most but not all days, and may be reached by phone (909-444-7572), fax (909-444-2047), email (Idcpcc @gmail.com), or U.S. Mail: P.O. Box 4408, Diamond Bar, CA 91765.

^{*} The PCC POST is a one-page emailed update sent out on most Fridays that gives a condensed overview of current and upcoming events. Make sure to read the Contact** newsletter, mailed every 4-6 weeks, and review the website at www.lantermanpcc.org to keep fully informed.