

Gillman PROJECT SEARCH® CHOC Children's Program

Who may apply? Adults that meet the following criteria:

- Completed an Adult Transition Program and received a Certificate of Completion, or Graduated from High School and received a Diploma.
- Persons served by RCOC; and eligible for DOR Services or have a case open with DOR.
- Individual and family commitment to competitive integrated employment, at the conclusion of the training program.
- Presents a professional appearance.
- Able to follow directions and a work schedule.
- Demonstrated excellent attendance in past education and/or work training experiences.
- Independently completes Activities of Daily Living.

What is the program? Participate in a collaborative education and workforce development training program.

- 30 hours per week, specialized non-paid internship training program, starting annually in June, for a maximum of 11 months.
- Schedule is Monday-Friday, 9AM-3:00 PM.
- Participate in 4 internship rotations, in up to 4 different departments. Each rotation is 10 weeks long, with one week for review and preparation between rotations.
- Willing to take public or para-transit transportation to CHOC Hospital, or provide own transportation.
- Enroll in at least one employability related OC community college/continuing education course through Santiago Canyon College (provided at CHOC Hospital during program hours)
* *Ten participants are selected annually for the Gillman Project SEARCH Program.

When does the program start? June (annually)

- Exact program schedule is to be determined (annually)
- Applications become available February/March (annually)
- Contact your assigned Service Coordinator to discuss whether this is an appropriate program for you.

Where does the program take place? CHOC Children's Hospital

- All classes and training takes place at: 1201 W La Veta Ave, Orange, CA 92868

Why should I apply? To acquire skills and experience needed to gain competitive integrated employment for 20-40 hours per week.

- The purpose of this program is to develop skills that advance employment opportunities, provide pathways to careers, and promote participants to succeed as contributing members of their community.