

Ask the OC Experts



Thompson Policy Institute on Disability

March - 03

Topics:	Experts:	Titles:	Organizations:	Date:
Department of Rehabilitation (DOR) Student Services	Trinh van Erp Arturo Hernandez	Staff Service Manager Senior Vocational Rehabilitation Counselor	DOR Anaheim	3-3-22
Disability Rights California Resources & Supports	Rebecca Hoyt Ivan Guillen	Senior Advocate DRC Staff	Disability Rights California	3-17-22

May - 05

Topics:	Experts:	Titles:	Organizations:	Date:
Spirit League Sports & Additional Recreation Programs	Melissa Cory	Director & Parent	Parent	5-5-22
State Council on Developmental Disabilities Services & Resources	Christine Tolbert	Advocate	State Council on Developmental Disabilities (SCDD) Orange County	5-19-22

Join TPI and RCOC for bi-monthly "Ask the OC Experts" Zoom conversations. Each conversation will focus on different transition issues and will take place the first and third Thursday of each month from 11:30 am – 12:30 pm. The experts will provide information about their area of expertise, and the remaining time will be used for attendees to ask the experts questions.

April - 04

Topics:	Experts:	Titles:	Organizations:	Date:
Orange County Local Partnership Agreement Universal Referral Process	Ray Bueche Karena Gibbs Linda O'Neal	Administrator Administrator Transition Specialist	Saddleback Valley USD Irvine USD CU TPI, SDSU & RCOC	4-7-22
ABLE Savings Opportunities	Jonathan Drew	Financial Planner	Heartland Advisor Group	4-21-22

June - 06

Topics:	Experts:	Titles:	Organizations:	Date:
Employment Preparation for Autistics	Tiffany Jameson Jessica Lee	Managing Partner Executive Director	Grit & Flow & Parent The Spectrum Works	6-2-22
Preparing to Live Independently with Support	Margot Johnson Leah Saitz	Co-Director & Family Supported & Independent Living Services Coordinator	Diagnostic Center, South & Family RCOC	6-16-22



To register, please send your name, email address, and the date(s) of the session you would like to attend to Arturo Cazares, at acazares@rcocdd.com. You will be sent the Zoom information prior to the meeting.