



AUCD Centers Serving California

Tarjan Center, USC UCEDD, UC Davis MIND Institute,
CA-LEND, Northern CA LEND, UC LEND, UCLA IDDRC



University Centers for Excellence in Developmental Disabilities (UCEDDs) work with people with disabilities, members of their families, state and local government agencies, and community providers in projects that provide training, technical assistance, service, research, and information sharing, with a focus on building the capacity of communities to sustain all their citizens.



Tarjan Center at UCLA

Phone: 310-825-0170

Website: <http://tarjancenter.org/>

Children's Hospital Los Angeles UCEDD

Phone: 323-361-2300

Website: <http://www.uscucedd.org/>

UC Davis MIND Institute

Phone: 916-703-0439

Website: <https://health.ucdavis.edu/mind-institute/>

Leadership Education in Neurodevelopmental and Related Disabilities (LENDs)

interdisciplinary training, services, and care for people with disabilities across the lifespan.

CA-LEND

Phone: 323-361-2300

Website: <http://www.uscucedd.org/>

The Northern CA LEND Project

Phone: 916-703-0264

Website: <http://www.ucdmc.ucdavis.edu/mindinstitute/education/lend/>

UC-LEND

Phone: 310-825-5797

Website: <http://www.uc-lend.org/>

Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities Research Centers (IDDRCs)

represent the nation's first and foremost sustained effort to prevent and treat disabilities through biomedical and behavioral research.

UC Davis MIND Institute

Phone: 916-703-0280

Website: www.ucdmc.ucdavis.edu/mindinstitute

UCLA Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities Research Center

Phone: 310-825-9395

Website: www.iddrdc.ucla.edu

Disability in California by the Numbers

773183Students age 3-21
receive special
education supports¹**45.50%**of people with
disabilities are
employed²

&

1914c certificate holders
paying subminimum
wages³**\$8,942,491,835**Medicaid expenditures
for LTSS institutional
care⁴

vs

\$20,997,690,713Medicaid
expenditures for
HCBS⁴**39,512,000**Individuals with
disabilities living
in communities⁵

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