YOU. YOUR INVESTMENT IN OUR WORK. Today more than ever, your contributions are crucial to sustain Serra Center’s services. You enable our staff to provide life-skills training and life-enriching experiences for the people we serve. Above and beyond the important “basics” of care, we empower each individual to reach for the stars to live his or her best possible life.

THANKS TO YOU.

Our Mission is to provide dignity, respect and choice to persons with developmental disabilities.

Every day in all ways.
While 97% of our funding comes from the State of California, this revenue does not cover expenses.

Even with contributed income, we are short annually by a gap of $82,447 that can only be filled by your contributions.

**What's not covered?**

**Why the $82,447 gap?**

- Residential Care Home maintenance
- Vans at our 4 homes to transport clients, including maintenance and gas
- Internet fees at the homes for online records system
- Special adaptive equipment & special diet needs
- Employee training & on-going education
We served 78 clients in 2018 over our three programs. These men and women vary in age from 24 to 89. Nearly half of these individuals (47%) have been with Serra Center for 30 years or more!

One individual has been served by Serra Center since our first year in 1975. Due to health issues, we're now providing her one-on-one ICF care in a private room where she's also receiving Hospice care.

**RESIDENTIAL CARE HOMES**

Serra Center owns and operates four residential care homes in Fremont providing housing, intensive personal care and medical support. Licensed by the California Department of Health Services, we provide 24-hour care from registered nurses, physicians, recreation therapists, diéticians and program professionals who work with individuals on their customized personal care plans.

365 days a year, 24 hours a day.

The average number of living skills objectives each individual is working on achieving at a time

3:1 Client/staff ratio

24/7 Our care is “awake care” around the clock 365 days a year

99% of ICF clients work, volunteer, or attend a day program

Karen at Serra Center Awareness Walk
Supported Living Services:
Individualized training and services for individuals who live in their own homes or apartments. Service varies from a few hours weekly to 24-hour care.

- 98% Integrating into the community with employment, volunteerism, cultural activities and classes
- 71% Receive housing and learn to manage their current households
- 1:1 Client/staff ratio in ILS and SLS programs

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Independent Living Services:
Life skills training and support to enable individuals to secure a self-sustaining independent living situation in their own home or apartment, with ongoing training to maintain skills to lead the most self-determined life possible.

- 63% of SLS clients receive 24-hour 1:1 care in their own home or apartment.
- Support is ongoing for as long and as often as needed.

Independent Living Services:
- Support is ongoing for as long and as often as needed.
- Services help individuals exercise meaningful choice and control in their daily lives.

Where Does Everyone Live?

- 84% Live in Fremont either in one of our four homes or in their own home
- 16% Live in their own homes throughout Alameda County from Oakland to Livermore

Bruce has worked as a courtesy clerk at Lucky’s for over 20 years!
Jenny is a mom and works in the bakery at her community Safeway!
Courtland works at Buffalo Wild Wings and attends community college.
2018 DONORS
With heartfelt gratitude for the difference each of you makes!

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The family of Cathy Covell
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OUR TEAM — A Career of LOVE

We are so grateful to have team members who embody the commitment to care and passion for serving that has empowered Serra Center’s mission for nearly 45 years!

Of our staff of 72:

- **42%** have been employed with Serra Center for at least **5 years**
- **33%** have been employed with Serra Center for at least **10 years**

Each dollar you contribute helps to ensure that each of our employees is fully trained at the time of their hire and and consistently trained thereafter so that they provide the skilled and compassionate care to the people we serve with utmost confidence and safety.

YOU make it possible for us to hire, train and keep our staff members who go the extra mile and build a career based on passion and commitment to caring for others.

- All employees are required to pass a DOJ criminal background clearance.
- ICF employees are required to have 36 hours of continuing education training annually.
- $382.85 – the unfunded cost to recruit, train, and on-board one new employee!