

July 2026



The Respite Review

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DAYS OFF IN JULY

Just a friendly reminder!

The office will not be scheduling any visits on Saturday, July 4th. The office will not be open for business on Friday, July 3rd.

SARC AUTHORIZED HOURS

If you have been notified that your child's hours are unable to be scheduled for the month of July the reason is because San Andreas Regional Center's Fiscal Year End is June 30, 2026. SARC **will not** process any authorizations for the new year until their Fiscal Year End Close is complete, from past experience this usually takes well into the first two or three weeks into July. The only way Quality Respite would be able to service clients that do not have an open ended authorization on file would be if you have provided QRHC a personal credit card to guarantee payment. This would not be charged until after the month of July is over and we have not received an authorization from SARC. We apologize for any inconvenience this may cause. We will continue to contact all families that are currently scheduling, so they are aware of this situation. This happens every year and it is very concerning for many of our families. **Please note that the case managers cannot do anything to speed this up either**, it is a backlog in their fiscal department. Their hands are as tied as ours are :(We ask for everyone's patience.

Caregiver Contact...

Please remember to contact our office when inquiring about a caregivers schedule. If you happen to have the caregivers contact information, that should only be used when and if there is an emergency while the caregiver is looking after your child. Please do not contact our caregivers when they are not currently watching your child.

Another small reminder—Quality Respite and Home Care is a respite agency. This means we are a non-medical, non skilled agency. Our caregivers are not trained to handle medication nor are we insured to handle any medications. Any families that are trying to convince our caregivers to administer medications will be personally reminded that this is against company policy and they would be putting the caregiver at risk of losing their position with Quality Respite for administering medications.

Thank you for your help! :)

 Enclosed please find our bi-annual alternate contact form for your child's file. Please fill out and return, via email, fax or mail :)

Don't forget your schedules!



Kerry's Korner :)

As summer time comes into full swing, we realize this can be an extra stressful time for families with school out of session, camps may be unavailable or being cancelled due to lack of caregivers. We want you to know that we are doing our very best to get all the requested times scheduled for you. If your times can be flexible, please let us know, as it gives us more opportunities to mix and match the schedules with the caregivers you may prefer. On the other hand, if you have a visit scheduled, please be mindful if you need to cancel last minute. Please give us at least a 3 hours notice, so we can reschedule that caregiver with another family that maybe wasn't able to get their visit covered. If you think your child may be coming down with something, please let us know the day before just in case :)

Additionally, please note, that if you are solely requesting one caregiver, this will be quite difficult to ensure you have all your requested times booked. Unfortunately, some families are already booking their hours and the caregivers you normally request may have already been scheduled. The schedules are on a first come first serve basis, so please get your schedules in as soon as you can and please try to keep your time frames flexible. :)

We have found that clients start to flourish when they have more than one person to come and hang out with them, it gives them someone else to look forward to playing with! So, perhaps trying a new caregiver if your preferred caregiver is unavailable could be a great thing!! Also, if you have someone that is currently working with your child and you would like to be able to use your respite hours with them, have them contact our office or email us at kerry@QRHCinc.com.

**Superhero 5K/10K Walk~Run~Roll
& 10th Annual Summer Festival**

Runners, Walkers & Rollers of All Ages join us for our Superhero 5K/10K Walk-Run-Roll in support of Individuals with Intellectual Developmental Disabilities Hosted by San Andreas Regional Center

Saturday, July 25, 2026
Almaden Lake Park
 (Next to the All-Inclusive Playground)
 15652 Almaden Expressway, San Jose, CA

**Festival Anual de verano de superheroes
y 5k/10k Camina~Correra~Rodar**

En apoyo a las personas con discapacidades del Desarrollo
Presentado por Centro Regional de San Andreas

Sábado, 25 de Julio
Almaden Lake Park
 15652 Almaden Expressway, San Jose, CA

START
 San Andreas Regional Center
 5K / 10K Walk-Run-Roll &
 Superhero Summer Festival

Register for 5K/10K
or be a Logo Sponsor

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Registro por 5K/10K

Summer Festival is Free, Inclusive, Multi-Cultural, & Open to All Ages

- * Arts & Crafts
- * Food Trucks
- * Face Painting
- * Festival Games
- * Free Ice Cones
- * Spin Wheel Prizes
- * Free Backpack Giveaway
- * Photo's with Superhero's
- * Superhero Gathering All Ages
- * Over 100 Community Resources
- * Entertainment by Individuals with disabilities

For more information Contact Francisco
Valenzuela at: Fvalenzuela@sarc.org

8:00am - 5K/10K Registration
 9:00am - 5K/10K Start
 10:00am - Festival Begins
 12:00noon - Super Kid Dash
 12:30pm - Superhero's Assemle
 2:00pm - Festival Ends



El Festival es gratuito, inclusivo y Abierto a todas las edades

- * Camiones de comida
- * Pintura facial
- * Juegos del Festival
- * Conos de hielo gratis
- * Premios de la rueda giratoria
- * Sorteo de mochila gratis
- * Fotos con superhéroes
- * Más de 100 recursos comunitarios
- * Reunión de superhéroes para todas las edades
- * Entretenimiento de personas con discapacidades

Por mas información Francisco Valenzuela:
Fvalenzuela@sarc.org / 408-341-3809

8:00am - 5K/10K Registro
 9:00am - 5K/10K Comenza
 10:00am - Festival Comenza
 12:00noon - Carrera de Niños
 12:30pm - Photo de superhéroes
 2:00pm - Festival Termina



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Date: _____

To the family/legal guardian of _____

We require the following information for our client's charts and would appreciate you taking the time to fill out this form and return it into our office.

As most of you are aware, our employees are scheduled to see multiple clients at any given day. Should you be running late home or before or after your visit, we would appreciate a call into the office letting us know you are running late.

In order to prevent any scheduling overlaps, please provide us with alternate contacts and their relationship to the client, so that we may contact them in the event this situation should occur. Also, please provide us with an email address for one or both parents below.

Name

Relationship

Phone Number

Name

Relationship

Phone Number

By signing and returning this form, you are acknowledging receipt of your Client Welcome Packet; that there will be a separate charge for sibling care: a separate charge if you go over your allotted hours and that you are authorizing Quality Respite and Home Care, Inc. to contact the above people and to leave the client in the care of the people listed above should the parent/guardian be unable to arrive on time for release of caregiver.

Name

Signature

Date

Email

Kind Regards,
Quality Respite Staff