

Steps on becoming a service provider:

- **Contact local Department of Rehabilitation (DOR)**
 - **Rehabilitation Supervisor and**
 - **Regional Center Work Services Liaison to discuss proposed services;**

- **Contact DOR**
 - **Community Resource Development Specialist (CRDS) and**
 - **Department of Developmental Services (DDS) Community Program Specialist (CPS) to discuss intentions;**

- **Submit program design to Regional Center for approval;**

- **When reviewed and approved by Regional Center, submit to DDS/CPS for review and approval;**

- **When reviewed and approved by DDS/CPS, submit to DOR/CRDS for review and approval;**

- **Schedule DOR certification with CRDS**
 - **(Certification may be done in conjunction with Regional Center and DDS staff);**

- **Apply for accreditation by Commission on Accreditation of Rehabilitation Facilities (CARF) within third year of operation;**

- **CARF accreditation must be completed during fourth year of operation.**