

## Vida ACT

## Justice-Involved Mental Health (JIMH)

## **ESSENTIALS AT A GLANCE**

Program Type: Assertive Community Treatment (ACT)/Full Service Partnership (FSP)

To Make Referrals: The Vida ACT program has a closed referral process. All candidates must be re-

ferred by the Office of the Public Defender's Defense Transition Unit (DTU) and the San Diego Sheriff's Department. Referring parties must complete the "County of San Diego Case Management and ACT Closed Referral System" form. Completed referral forms are to be emailed to vidareferrals@telecarecorp.com. All referrals must be screened and accepted before exiting custody and coordinated release to

Vida ACT.

# of Members: 110 members

Age Served & Eligibility: Adults 18 and older, who are in detention, who are homeless with a serious

mental illness, and may have a co-occurring substance use disorder. All candidates are justice-involved, are eligible for probation, and are not under supervision as an AB109 offender and not active to parole. All candidates have

high criminogenic needs.

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About the Program: The Vida Assertive Community Treatment (ACT) program has been designed to

help individuals who are justice-involved leave incarceration and return to the community with structure and support that is specifically designed to address

criminogenic needs, ensuring decreased recidivism.

Program services are provided by a multidisciplinary team of counselors, case managers, peer specialist, vocational specialists, housing specialist, nurses, a substance use specialist, and a prescriber. Evidence-based services include mental health services, case management services, crisis intervention, medication support services, dual diagnosis assessment and treatment, housing, and employment

supports in community settings.

Our goal is to ensure members successfully transition into the community and

gain improved quality of life without re-offending.

Vida ACT is under contract with San Diego County Behavioral Health

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