



Golden Gate Regional Center

CALIFORNIA ESSENTIAL WORKER VERIFICATION COVID-19 SHELTER IN PLACE HEALTH ORDERS

Participant Directed Services Program

The bearer of this document is considered an essential home health care worker employed by a participant in the California Golden Gate Regional Center (GGRC) Participant Directed Services Program, which is administered through the California Department of Developmental Services.

The counties of San Mateo, San Francisco, and Marin concurrently issued Shelter in Place Health Orders dated March 16, 2020. As it states in those Orders, individuals may leave their homes to perform job duties if they are employed by *“Businesses that provide...social services, and other necessities of life for economically disadvantaged or otherwise needy individuals.”*

This worker provides vital in-home services and supports for individuals who are living with disabilities and/or chronic health conditions and are considered at-risk for COVID-19. **Due to the essential nature of their work, it is critical this worker be able to perform their work duties and travel to and from their work location(s) during this COVID-19 Shelter in Place Health Order.**

The participant in the GGRC Participant Directed Service Program employs this worker and can confirm employment, if required.

Thank you for your assistance in ensuring their safe and timely passage.