



Annual Report 2018



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2018 PROGRAMS

CAP

Client Assistance Program Rehabilitation Act *29 USC §732*

Informs, advises, assists and represents applicants and clients of vocational rehabilitation and other services authorized in the Rehabilitation Act.

P&A

PROTECTION & ADVOCACY SYSTEM For People with Disabilities

PAAT

P&A for Individuals with Assistive Technology
29 USC §3004

PABSS

P&A for Beneficiaries of Social Security
42 USC §1320b-21

PADD

P&A for Individuals with Developmental Disabilities
42 USC §15001

PAIMI

P&A for Individuals with Mental Illness
42 USC §10801

PAIR

P&A for Individual Rights
20 USC §794e

PATBI

P&A for Individuals with Traumatic Brain Injury
42 USC §300d-53

PAVA

P&A for Voter Access
52 USC §21061

OUR CENTER

The Hawaii Disability Rights Center (HDRC) is Hawaii's designated Protection and Advocacy (P&A) system for people with disabilities and designated Client Assistance Program (CAP). HDRC was established as a non-profit corporation (Kahua Ho'omalua Kina, A Place of Protection for the Handicapped, dba Protection and Advocacy Agency of Hawaii) in 1977 to protect and advocate for the human, civil and legal rights of people with disabilities.

Federal mandate: The Protection and Advocacy (P&A) System for people with disabilities is mandated in seven separate federal laws:

1. PAAT – Protection & Advocacy for Individuals with Assistive Technology
2. PABSS – Protection & Advocacy for Beneficiaries of Social Security
3. PADD – Protection & Advocacy for Individuals with Developmental Disabilities
4. PAIMI – Protection & Advocacy for Individuals with Mental Illness
5. PAIR – Protection & Advocacy for Individual Rights
6. PATBI – Protection & Advocacy for Individuals with Traumatic Brain Injury
7. PAVA – Protection & Advocacy for Voter Access
8. SPSSB – Strengthening Protection for Social Security Beneficiaries

The Client Assistance Program (CAP), is a nationwide system to:

- Inform and advise all applicants and recipients of all available services under the Rehabilitation Act and to help them obtain services;
- Investigate complaints, resolve problems, appeal decisions; or represent applicants and clients of vocational rehabilitation in legal or other proceedings; and
- Provide information about Title I ("Employment") of the ADA.

State mandate: Protection and Advocacy is also authorized by Hawaii Revised Statutes §333F-8.5. HDRC was designated by Executive Orders 77-3, 82-4, 89-2 and 94-06 to provide its important protections for people with disabilities in the State of Hawaii.

HDRC 2018 SERVICES (BY PROGRAM)

	CAP	PAAT	PABSS	PADD	PAIMI	PAIR	PATBI	PAVA	TOTALS
1. INFORMATION & REFERRALS	119	54	49	609	897	611	132	11	2482
2. OUTREACH ACTIVITIES	81	0	77	144	212	178	74	64	830
# People Reached	2980	0	340	2047	3485	2391	1019	825	13,087
3. TRAINING ACTIVITIES	8	2	2	34	59	24	13	74	216
# People Trained	70	311	10	354	535	368	292	1082	3022
4. SYSTEM CASES	1	0	1	4	5	3	0	2	16
Estimated # Beneficiaries	50	0	105	4901	2615	1200	0	250	9121
5. INDIVIDUAL CASES	50	151	18	287	154	96	10	96	862
Rights Defended	Care & Treatment	0	0	0	19	59	29	2	109
	Citizenship	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	102
	Education	31	0	0	208	4	0	0	243
	Employment	19	0	18	5	0	8	0	50
	Freedom of Association	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Housing	0	0	0	0	1	24	0	25
	Justice	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
Program & Services	0	151	0	54	90	29	8	332	
TOTAL PEOPLE SERVED (1-5)	3,269	516	522	8,198	7,686	4,666	1,453	2,264	28,574

INDIVIDUAL CLIENT CHARACTERISTICS (BY PROGRAM)

CHARACTERISTICS		CAP	PAAT	PABSS	PADD	PAIMI	PAIR	PATBI	PAVA	TOTALS
Age	0 - 2	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	3
	3 - 4	0	8	0	12	0	0	0	0	20
	5 - 22	35	135	3	245	68	4	4	10	504
	23 - 59	13	7	14	26	67	46	4	60	237
	60+	2	0	1	3	19	45	2	26	98
Sex	Male	31	105	8	195	95	43	5	61	543
	Female	19	46	10	92	59	53	5	35	319
Ethnicity	African	1	3	0	11	2	1	1	2	21
	Asian	8	16	5	36	27	25	1	32	150
	European	10	23	5	50	46	44	3	29	210
	Hawaiian	2	8	1	13	12	4	0	7	47
	Hispanic	0	11	0	8	10	5	2	9	45
	Native American	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	2
	Pacific Islanders	1	5	0	11	2	8	0	2	29
	Multi-Ethnic	28	85	7	158	54	9	3	14	358
Disability	ADD/ADHD	15	53	0	57	40	0	0	0	165
	AIDS/HIV	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	8	10
	Alzheimer's	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	3
	Anxiety Disorder	2	12	0	11	15	1	1	2	44
	Arthritis	0	0	1	0	0	5	0	2	8
	Autism	11	64	4	139	11	0	0	2	231
	Blind, Visual Impairment	3	4	4	11	0	14	0	2	38
	Cerebral Palsy	1	1	0	6	0	0	0	0	8
	Deaf, Hard of Hearing	3	3	3	10	1	11	0	0	31
	Developmental Disability	4	30	3	76	0	0	1	2	116
	Diabetes	0	1	2	0	1	11	0	1	16
	Digestive, Eating Disorders	0	2	0	1	2	0	0	0	5
	Dwarfism	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Environmental, Chemical Sensitivity	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	2
	Epilepsy, Seizure	1	7	0	17	0	4	0	1	30
	Fibromyalgia	1	1	0	0	2	2	0	1	7
	Genitourinary	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Heart, Circulatory	0	1	0	2	3	15	1	5	27
	Hydrocephaly	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Kidney, Liver	0	1	1	0	0	2	0	0	4
	Learning Disabilities	15	29	0	57	3	1	2	0	107
	Lupus	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Mental Illness, SED, ODD	11	44	5	19	153	2	1	70	305
	Mental Retardation, Downs	5	14	3	46	3	0	0	0	71
	Multiple Sclerosis	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	3
	Muscular Dystrophy	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	1	4
	Muscular/Skeletal Impairment	1	1	1	4	6	20	1	2	36
	Neurological, Org. Brain Synd	3	3	1	1	0	10	2	2	22
	Oncology, Cancer	1	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	4
	Orth/, Para/Quadruplegia	1	1	0	1	2	6	0	1	12
	Resp/ Lung/ Emphysema	1	2	0	3	1	8	0	2	17
	Speech, Language	1	9	0	21	3	1	0	0	35
	Spina Bifida	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	3
	Spinal Cord Injury	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	3
Substance Abuse, Alcohol	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	
Acquired Brain Injury	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Traumatic Brain Injury	0	0	0	0	0	1	10	0	11	
Island	Hawaii	2	19	1	35	18	3	0	6	84
	Kauai	2	6	0	13	1	1	0	0	23
	Lanai	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Maui	6	24	1	45	16	19	0	7	118
	Molokai	5	8	0	12	4	0	0	0	29
Oahu	35	94	16	182	115	73	10	83	608	

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MISSION & POLICY	FINANCES	PEOPLE																												
<p>The Hawaii Disability Rights Center defends and enforces the human, civil and legal rights of people with disabilities.</p> <p>Human Rights are those natural rights that are accorded to all human beings. They are clearly stated in the U.S. Constitution as the right to life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness.</p> <p>Civil Rights are an expansion of basic human rights and are specified in the U.S. Constitution, the Bill of Rights and the Hawaii State Constitution. They include the rights to: freedom of religion, speech, press, assembly; petition for change; equal protection under the law; privacy; confidentiality; and appeal decisions.</p> <p>Legal Rights are an expansion of our human and civil rights as established by specific laws, such as those laws which authorize protection and advocacy for people with disabilities.</p> <p>It is the policy of HDRC to: Advocate for as many people with disabilities in the State of Hawaii, on as wide a range of disability rights issues, as our limited resources allow; and to:</p> <p>Resolve rights violations with the lowest feasible level of intervention; but to also:</p> <p>Provide full legal representation, including litigation, if necessary, to protect the rights of people with disabilities, consistent with authorizing statutes and Center priorities.</p>	<table style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr style="background-color: #e1eef6;"> <td colspan="2">Beginning Assets</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="width: 60%;">October 1, 2017:</td> <td style="text-align: right;">\$ 197,721</td> </tr> <tr style="border-top: 1px solid black;"> <td colspan="2"><u>2018 REVENUE</u></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Federal:</td> <td style="text-align: right;">\$ 1,417,768</td> </tr> <tr> <td>State:</td> <td style="text-align: right;">\$ 139,614</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Other:</td> <td style="text-align: right;">\$ 69,115</td> </tr> <tr> <td>TOTAL 2018 REVENUE:</td> <td style="text-align: right;">\$ 1,626,497</td> </tr> <tr style="border-top: 1px solid black;"> <td colspan="2"><u>2018 EXPENDITURES</u></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Program Services:</td> <td style="text-align: right;">\$ 1,437,366</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Operations:</td> <td style="text-align: right;">\$ 217,595</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Fundraising:</td> <td style="text-align: right;">\$ 1,359</td> </tr> <tr> <td>TOTAL 2018 EXPENDITURES:</td> <td style="text-align: right;">\$ 1,656,320</td> </tr> <tr style="background-color: #e1eef6;"> <td colspan="2">Ending Assets</td> </tr> <tr> <td>September 30, 2018:</td> <td style="text-align: right;">\$ 167,898</td> </tr> </table> <p style="text-align: center; margin-top: 10px;">The program and financial documents of HDRC for FY2018, ending September 30, 2018, were audited by the accounting firm of CW Associates, CPAs</p> <p style="text-align: center; margin-top: 10px;">There were no reportable conditions, findings or questioned costs and HDRC qualified as a low-risk auditee.</p> <p style="text-align: center; margin-top: 10px;">IRS Form 990 available upon request.</p>	Beginning Assets		October 1, 2017:	\$ 197,721	<u>2018 REVENUE</u>		Federal:	\$ 1,417,768	State:	\$ 139,614	Other:	\$ 69,115	TOTAL 2018 REVENUE:	\$ 1,626,497	<u>2018 EXPENDITURES</u>		Program Services:	\$ 1,437,366	Operations:	\$ 217,595	Fundraising:	\$ 1,359	TOTAL 2018 EXPENDITURES:	\$ 1,656,320	Ending Assets		September 30, 2018:	\$ 167,898	<p>Board of Directors</p> <p>Andrew Grant <i>President</i></p> <p>Mary Ellen Markley <i>Vice President</i></p> <p>Amanda Kelly <i>Secretary</i></p> <p>Stacy Kracher <i>Treasurer</i></p> <p>Pauline Arellano Bud Bowles Rosalina Burian Ann Lemke Thomas Vendetti Mary Pat Waterhouse Sharon Yokote Elaine Young</p> <p style="text-align: center; margin-top: 10px;">PAIMI</p> <p>Advisory Council</p> <p>Mary Pat Waterhouse - <i>Chair</i> Pauline Arellano - <i>Vice-Chair</i> Bud Bowles Cassandra Kam Iris Kaneshiro Poka Laenui Marion Poirier Maile Rogers Artice May Swingle Thomas Vendetti</p> <p style="text-align: center; margin-top: 10px;">Staff</p> <p>Louis Erteschik, Esq. <i>Executive Director</i></p> <p>Ann E. Collins <i>Director of Operations</i></p> <p>Ronald Baltero Matthew Bassett, Esq. Pamela Cabreira JanisMaria Chang Kathy English Lydia Hardie Rachel Haupu Michelle Kaulukukui-Palisbo Howard Lesser Jane M.K. Miyahara Michael Rabanal Jeanette Rucci Reinalyn Terado Verna Waikiki Emily Wilkinson Ida Yoshida Carol Young</p>
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