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Office of Quality Enhancement

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Paul Cote, Executive Director
Communitas, Inc
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Dear Paul Cote:

This is to inform you that the Department of Developmental Services has determined the following license and certification level(s) for Communitas, Inc:

<u>Service Grouping</u>	<u>License Level</u>	<u>Certification Level</u>	<u>Date</u>
Residential and Individual Home Supports	Two Year License 62/63- Provider 17/19- DDS (79/82 std. met , 96%)	Certified 47/47- Provider 3/4- DDS (50/51 std. met , 98%)	03/22/2022 - 03/22/2024
Employment and Day Supports	Two Year License 41/41- Provider 18/20- DDS (59/61 std. met , 97%)	Certified (6/6 std. met , 100%)	03/22/2022 - 03/22/2024

As you have received 90% or more indicators standard met, the Office of Quality Enhancement will not be conducting follow-up in the Residential and Individual Home Supports service grouping. Please follow up on the 3 licensure standards which were not met in Residential and Individual Home Supports 60 days after the Service Enhancement Meeting and submit your information to the Regional Quality Enhancement Office.

As you have received 90% or more indicators standard met, the Office of Quality Enhancement will not be conducting follow-up in the Employment and Day Supports service grouping. Please follow up on the 2 licensure standards which were not met in Employment and Day Supports 60 days after the Service Enhancement Meeting and submit your information to the Regional Quality Enhancement Office.

Communitas, Inc has received a 3 year accreditation from CARF and DDS has deemed in lieu of the Department's certification review for your Employment Support Services and Community Based Day Services, and therefore the rating for the service type(s) is derived from the Provider Self-Assessment.

The detailed certification findings for your agency are as follows:

Planning AND Quality Management	6/6 Standard Met
Residential and Individual Home Supports	
Individual Home Supports	23/23 Standard Met
Residential Services	21/22 Standard Met
Employment and Day Supports	
Employment Support Services	0/0 Standard Met
Community Based Day Services	0/0 Standard Met

You may submit a written request for reconsideration of the licensure findings and/or the certification findings to the Regional QE Director within 10 working days.

We look forward to working with you in the future in the continuing efforts to improve the quality of life of the individuals we serve. If you have any questions concerning the survey report, please contact Raquel Rodriguez, at (857) 208-2905.

Sincerely,

Doreet Goldhaber

Doreet Goldhaber
Director of Licensure and Certification

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