



APPLICATION FOR COUNTY OF ORANGE
BOARD, COMMISSION OR COMMITTEE

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NAME OF BOARD, COMMISSION, OR COMMITTEE TO WHICH YOU ARE APPLYING FOR MEMBERSHIP. SEE LIST AT <https://cob.ocgov.com/boards-commissions-committees/bcc-name-list-and-contact-information>

Orange County Child Care and Development Local Planning Council

SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICT IN WHICH YOU RESIDE: ☐ First ☐ Second ☐ Third ☒ Fourth ☐ Fifth

APPLICANT NAME AND RESIDENCE ADDRESS:

Deanna

Parga

First Name

Middle Name (Optional)

Last Name

Street Address

City

State

Zip Code

Home Phone Number

Cell Phone Number

Email Address

CURRENT EMPLOYER: Rady Children's Health (CHOC)/Help Me Grow Orange County

OCCUPATION/JOB TITLE: Supervisor, Partnership Development & Outreach

BUSINESS ADDRESS:

BUSINESS PHONE NUMBER:

☒ **EMPLOYMENT HISTORY:** Please attach a resume to this application and provide any information that would be helpful in evaluating your application. **A RESUME MUST BE ATTACHED TO YOUR APPLICATION.**

ARE YOU A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES: ☒ YES ☐ NO

IF NO, NAME OF COUNTRY OF CITIZENSHIP:

ARE YOU A REGISTERED VOTER? ☒ YES ☐ NO

IF YES, NAME COUNTY YOU ARE REGISTERED IN: Orange County

LIST ALL CURRENT PROFESSIONAL OR COMMUNITY ORGANIZATIONS AND SOCIETIES OF WHICH YOU ARE A MEMBER.

ORGANIZATION/SOCIETY

FROM (MO./YR.)

TO (MO./YR.)

WITHIN THE LAST FIVE YEARS, HAVE YOU BEEN AFFILIATED WITH ANY BUSINESS OR NONPROFIT AGENCY(IES)? ☐ YES ☒ NO

DO YOU OWN REAL OR PERSONAL PROPERTY OR HAVE FINANCIAL HOLDING WHICH MIGHT PRESENT A POTENTIAL CONFLICT OF INTEREST? ☐ YES ☒ NO

HAVE YOU BEEN CONVICTED OF A FELONY OR MISDEMEANOR CRIME SINCE YOUR 18TH BIRTHDAY? YOU ARE NOT REQUIRED TO DISCLOSE ANY OF THE FOLLOWING: ARRESTS OR DETENTIONS THAT DID NOT RESULT IN A CONVICTION; CONVICTIONS THAT HAVE BEEN JUDICIALLY DISMISSED, EXPUNGED OR ORDERED SEALED; INFORMATION CONCERNING REFERRAL TO AND PARTICIPATION IN ANY PRETRIAL OR POSTTRIAL DIVERSION PROGRAM; AND CERTAIN DRUG RELATED CONVICTIONS THAT ARE OLDER THAN TWO YEARS, AS LISTED IN CALIFORNIA LABOR CODE § 432.8 (INCLUDING VIOLATIONS OF CALIFORNIA HEALTH AND SAFETY CODE SECTIONS 11357(B) AND (C), 11360(C) 11364, 11365 AND 11550 – AS THEY RELATE TO MARIJUANA)?

☐ YES ☒ NO

IF YES, PLEASE EXPLAIN AND ATTACH ADDITIONAL SHEETS, IF NECESSARY.

PLEASE BRIEFLY EXPLAIN WHY YOU WISH TO SERVE ON THIS BOARD, COMMITTEE, OR COMMISSION. ATTACH ADDITIONAL SHEETS, IF NECESSARY.

I continue to keep a focus on under served communities of
of children and families to the council's attention.

DATE: 2/20/26

APPLICANTS SIGNATURE: Deanna J. Parga

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**Orange County Child Care
and Development Planning Council**

*Appointed by the Orange County Superintendent of
Schools and the Orange County Board of Supervisors*

Membership Application

Personal Information

Full Name: Deanna Parga

Date: 02-20-2026

Home Address: [REDACTED]

Personal Phone: [REDACTED]

Personal Email: [REDACTED]

Are you a citizen of the United States? Yes

If no, Name of country of citizenship: n/a

Are you a registered voter in Orange County? Yes

If no, name of county you are registered in: n/a

Do you live in Orange County? Yes

OC Supervisorial District: Fourth

Do you work in Orange County? Yes

Employment

Current Employer: Rady Children's Health (CHOC)/Help Me Grow Orange County

Occupation/Job Title: Supervisor, Partnership Development & Outreach

Business Address: [REDACTED]

Business Phone Number: [REDACTED]

Business Email: [REDACTED]

Are there other employees from your agency, organization, or company currently serving on the LPC? No

If Yes, please list Name(s): [LPC NAMES]

Employment History: Please attach a current resume to this application and provide any information that would be helpful in evaluating your application.

Geographic, Ethnic, and Racial Representation

CalWORKs legislation AB1542 (Education Code 8499.3 (d)) states, "Every effort shall be made to ensure that the ethnic, racial, and geographic composition of the local planning council is reflective of the ethnic, racial, and geographic distribution of the population of the county."

Please indicate your ethnic Origin

Decline to State

Please indicate your racial representation:

Decline to State

Membership Information

Consideration for: Reappointment

Which category do you qualify for:

Public/Discretionary Member

What experience of special knowledge can you bring to the Child Care Local Planning Council (LPC)?

I'm an adjunct professor teaching special education to future ECE providers. I am on several steering committees/boards of several organizations including OCAEYC and Start Well. I've also served on the council for a number of years.

Please briefly explain why you wish to serve on the Council. Be sure to mention how you feel you may contribute.

I continue to keep a focus on underserved communities of children and families to the council's attention. Communities such as children with special needs and health issues.

Have you attended a recent Child Care Local Planning Council meeting or Ad Hoc Committee Meeting?

6 or more meetings

Are you able to commit to regular participation?

Yes

Do you have the support of your agency/employer to be an active member of the council?

Yes

Professional and Community Memberships

OCAEYC

Disclaimer and Signature

*I certify that my answers are true and complete to the best of my knowledge.
I, the undersigned, understand that this application does not guarantee me a position on the LPC.*

Signature:

Date: 02-20-2026

Deanna J. Parga

DEANNA PARGA, M.Ed.**OBJECTIVE**

A position providing support and education about child development and children/families with special needs.

EDUCATION

California State University, Fullerton

- Master of Science, January 2008
 - Major: Education, emphasis in Special Education (Early Childhood)
- Early Childhood Special Education Teaching Credential, May 2006
- Bachelor of Science, May 1995
 - Major: Child Development, Minor: Sociology

WORK EXPERIENCE

Help Me Grow Orange County/Rady Children's Health (CHOC) **3/09 - present**
Supervisor, Partnership Development & Outreach, Orange, CA (3/24 – present)

- Supervise outreach staff for program
- Build relationships and collaborations with other programs serving children in Orange County
- Oversee parent engagement efforts and optimize opportunities to better support parents

Child Development Community Liaison, Orange, CA (3/09 – 3/24)

- Responsible for providing outreach to community agencies (public and private) and physician training about the importance of developmental screening
- Coordinate and plan community networking events
- Provide lectures to the community about HMG services, Red Flags in Development and community resources

Fullerton College **1/18 – present**
Adjunct Faculty, Fullerton, CA

- Teach Child Development/Special Education courses in the department of Child Development Educational Studies

California State University, Fullerton **8/17 – present**
Adjunct Faculty, Fullerton, CA

- Teach Child Development courses in the department of Child and Adolescent Studies

Brandman University **9/13 – 6/18**
Adjunct Faculty, Irvine, CA

- Teach Special Education course in the department of Early Childhood Education

Rehabilitation Institute of Southern California **6/95 - 1/09**
Director of Children's Services, Fullerton, CA (4/98 - 1/09)

- Responsible for hiring, training and supervising all teachers and volunteers for early intervention programs

- Agency representative to regional centers, school districts, social services and other therapy/educational institutions
- Manage budget for department
- Provide infant stimulation to children in the home and parent education to their families

Assistant Director of Child Care/Pre K Teacher, Orange, CA (8/96 - 4/98)

- Assume all duties of Director when Director not present or available
- Coordinate staff meetings and training
- Maintain state licensing requirements including all necessary documentation for classrooms
- Provide developmentally appropriate instruction to Pre-K students

Lead Early Intervention Teacher, Center Based Child Development Program, Orange, CA (2/96 - 8/96)

- Evaluate and set goals for all children enrolled in the program (special needs)
- Develop weekly curriculum, therapy schedules and contract/evaluation tracking schedules
- Provide continuous contact with service coordinators and families regarding progress of each child

Infant Stim Specialist/Early Intervention Teacher, Home Based Child Dev. Program, Orange, CA (6/95 - 2/96)

- Educate parents/families with techniques to provide their children with stimulating and developmental opportunities
- Enroll, evaluate and provide weekly instruction to special needs children
- Communicate with regional center service coordinators regarding the development and progress of children

COMMUNITY ACTIVITY

- Vice President of Membership for Orange County Association for The Education of Young Children (OCAEYC)
- Appointed member of the Orange County Child Care and Development Planning Council; Co-chair of membership committee
- Certified Teacher of Religious Education - Our Lady of Guadalupe Teach Religious Education (elementary) classes
- Volunteer/intern for the Adam Walsh Missing Children's Center, The Children's Museum at La Habra, CAST (Child Abuse Services Team)
- Participate in numerous community collaborative efforts throughout Orange County

REFERENCES

Available upon request