



Request for Participation

Provide *Free* Voicemail Services for People in Crisis and Transition in San Diego

Community Voice Mail is a national, non-profit organization that provides personalized 24-hour voice mail access to *people in crisis and transition* that need a reliable and confidential way to communicate with prospective employers, landlords, health care providers, case managers, social service staff and family.

Community Voice Mail provides...

- *Job and housing seekers with a reliable number to give to employers and landlords*
- *Domestic violence victims with a safe number to receive confidential messages*
- *Public benefits seekers with a consistent number to find out about eligibility*
- *Case managers with a way to reach clients the first time they call*
- *Agencies with a way to broadcast important community messages to all CVM users with just one phone call*

Help make this crucial service available to your clients in San Diego.
CVM National seeks 3-4 agencies in San Diego interested in participating to provide voicemail access to your clients.

Types of Agencies Sought: Employment Training/Counseling, Multi-service/Social Service, Veteran's Services, Prisoner Re-entry programs, Homelessness programs, or any others serving low income individuals/families.

Cost: The Community Voicemail (centralized) delivery system (including phone numbers, voicemail and database) is maintained by the CVM National office. Each participating agency will agree to pay \$4/voicemail box/month. This cost may *not* be passed on to clients.

Criteria for Participation:

1. Ability and willingness to manage a minimum of 50 voicemail boxes for your agency
2. Willingness to meet regularly with other participating agencies in San Diego and CVM National Program Coordinator during pilot phase (1 year)
3. Interest in expanding CVM services to other agencies in San Diego

How to Learn More:

- Visit www.cvm.org to learn more about CVM
- Contact Anna Landa at 206-441-7872 ext. 185 or alanda@cvm.org for more details on how to make CVM available for your clients