

**Name of Program:****La Casa del Puente Transitional Residential Program**

Program Description: La Casa del Puente is a bilingual/bicultural transitional residential program in South Santa Clara County. This is an intensive four month program designed to meet the emotional, social, educational and vocational needs of people facing significant mental health problems that render them unable to live independently. Licensed adult residential treatment for the seriously mentally ill. Program includes board and treatment in groups with a psychiatrist.

Eligibility Criteria: Both male and female adults between the ages of 18-59 with a current psychiatric DSM IV, Axis I diagnosis.

Referral Sources: Voluntary, conserved, adult Justice System, state mental hospital, other mental health agencies.

Referral Procedure: Telephone call to any staff at La Casa and refer individual; staff will set up initial intake within 3-5 days.

Client Fees and Payment Requirements: SSI/GA

Contacts: Case Manager – Isabel Garza 408-778-0555  
Program Director - Vicki Pacheco , MHRS.

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Notes / Additional Information: Medical Condition: Individual must be fully ambulatory and free of communicable diseases with a thorough and current medical history and examination available for assessment. Individuals are expected to be able and willing to be in treatment in an open residential center.