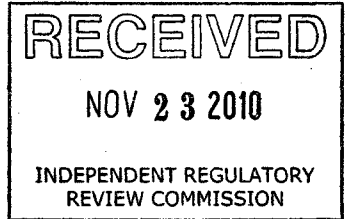


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COMHAR HOPE Latino Member's Comments
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The members of the Comhar, Latino Program and the Council members would like to express our point of view in regards to the proposed "Daily Entry"

- This does not seem to be beneficial to us consumers
 - Some of our consumers are not able to read or write at all.
 - The majority are Hispanics and are unable to read or write in English. Even if what we write can be translated in English, some of the translation can be taken out of context, or not done correctly which does not reflect our reality.
 - We believe that those involved with the politics of creating progress notes should also speak and understand Spanish if they are interested in knowing about the services we receive and our opinions. This can be done by Consumers who had graduated or others to be flexible or impartial.
- Completing a daily entry every day is:
- Stressful and intimidating to us
 - Takes too much time and dedication from the staff and consumers that hinder quality time of groups and other activities important for our recovery.
 - Wastes paper which will take up space and it can be a fire hazard.

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Please review the comments below from the members of COMHAR's HOPE Latino psych rehab Program.

Sincerely,

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