

Organization Name	Organization City	Primary Contact Name	Primary Contact Email	Project Name	Project Purpose	Amount Awarded	Link to Project Profile
(1) Training AT and AAC Professionals							
Community Center for the Blind and Visually Impaired	Stockton	Joni D Bauer, Orientation and Mobility Specialist	jonib@communitycenterfortheblind.org	Building Capacity To Provide AT Services To People In San Joaquin County Who Are Blind Or Low Vision	To provide conference attendance and training opportunities to three CCBVI staff who offer direct AT services to culturally diverse agency clients.	\$ 20,000	Profile Text version
Hearing and Speech Center of Northern California	San Francisco	Jessie Johnson, Clinical Practice Manager, Hearing Aid Coordinator	jessie@hearingspeech.org	Improving Healthcare through Assistive Technology	Training healthcare professionals to use assistive technology so they may provide better quality of care patients with hearing loss.	\$ 58,900	Profile Text version
NorCal Services for Deaf & Hard of Hearing	North Highlands	Sheri Farinha, CEO	sfarinha@norcalcenter.org	SB210 Deaf Mentor Curriculum	To develop a curriculum and train deaf mentors on language milestones to prepare deaf babies for kindergarten.	\$ 100,000	Profile Text version
Parents & Friends, Inc.	Fort Bragg	Xaviera Hall, Director of Community Integration Programs	xhall@parentsandfriends.org	Capacity Building in Non-Traditional Communication Supports	To increase staff expertise in AT/AAC which will increase the life satisfaction of the disabled adults we serve in our rural, remote, low income area.	\$ 33,700	Profile Text version
Parents Helping Parents	San Jose	Janet Nunez, iTECH Center	janet@php.com	Project EIEIO - Education and Instruction to an Early Intervention Organization	To train 25-30 early intervention specialists and other professionals working with young children 0-5 on low-mid tech AAC tools and strategies	\$ 24,000	Profile Text version
Reid's Gift, Inc.	Van Nuys	Molly Rearick, Founder & CEO	molly@reidsgift.org	AAC Communication Partner Training for Staff and Families	To train staff and family members to be effective communication partners for people with disabilities who use AAC techniques and devices.	\$ 15,000	Profile Text version
Team of Advocates for Special Kids (TASK)	Anaheim	Laura Simmons-Martinez, Technology Project Director	laurasm@taskca.org	Let's Talk Low Tech Phase II	To train professionals working with individuals with communication issues on the benefits of no, low and mid tech AAC and other assistive technology.	\$ 45,000	Profile Text version
Total Awards in this Priority:						\$ 296,600	

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(2) Facilitating Research and Innovation							
Beneficient Technology, Inc., DBA Benetech	Palo Alto	Anh Bui VP, Benetech Labs	ft@benetech.org	Mathshare: inclusive, online tool allowing students with disabilities to communicate math skills	To expand our accessible online math tool for students with disabilities to show work, communicate math competencies, and demonstrate their skills.	\$ 80,000	Profile Text version
Goodwill of Orange County *	Santa Ana	Lauren Mennig, ATEC Manager	laurenm@ocgoodwill.org	Increasing Access: Developing a Virtual AT Services Framework	To research and develop a framework to provide Assistive Technology services virtually.	\$ 96,800	Profile Text version
The ALS Association Golden West Chapter	Agoura Hills	Cheryl Goldstein, Vice President of Development	cgoldstein@alsagoldenwest.org	The Value and Validity of Telepractice for AAC/AT/SGD Assessments for People with ALS	To determine the effectiveness and support for the use and coverage of telepractice for ALS communication assessments and evaluations in California.	\$ 100,000	Profile Text version
The Bridge School	Hillsborough	Vicki Casella, Executive Director	vcasella@bridgeschool.org	Improving Outcomes for Children with Cortical Visual Impairment (CVI) who rely on AAC	Increase evidence of successful outcomes for AAC users with CVI and conduct scoping study/gap analysis of CVI practice in CA schools/universities	\$ 84,500	Profile Text version
* 24-months project					Total Awards in this Priority:	\$ 361,300	
Deaf Counseling Advocacy and Referral Agency (DCARA)	San Leandro	Raymond Rodgers, Executive Director	raymond.rodgers@dcara.org	DeafBlind Communication Access Project	To replicate training model for Support Service Providers for DeafBlind individuals to expand communication access for DeafBlind in California.	\$ 78,000	Profile Text version
Disability Rights California	Sacramento	Catherine Blakemore, Executive Director	catherine.blakemore@disabilityrightsca.org	Communication Disabilities Access Network	Build, train, and activate network so Californians with developmental disabilities can access communication supports and their communities.	\$ 90,100	Profile Text version
					Total Awards in this Priority:	\$ 168,100	