LOS ANGELES COUNTY

DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL HEALTH

WLA GEOGRAPHIC AREA ADMINISTRATION

HOUSING RESOURCE DIRECTORY

SERVICE AREA 5

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Partnering with clients, families and communities to create hope, wellness, and recovery

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Thank you!

Jacquelyn Wilcoxen, LCSW

District Chief – SA 5

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Abraham Low Self Help Systems

13219-G Fiji Way

Marina Del Rey, CA 90292-7072

Judith Holtz

Community Member/Consumer------------------------------------------------------------(310) 422-0027

WESTSIDE NETWORK PROVIDER CO-CHAIRS

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Alcott Center

1433 South Robertson Blvd.

Los Angeles, CA 90035

Keith Miller, Program Manager--------------------------------------------------(310) 390-3611 ext 247

Westside Center for Independent Living, Mar Vista Center

12901 Venice Blvd.

Los Angeles, CA 90066

SERVICE AREA 5 DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL HEALTH PROVIDERS

Directly Operated Programs

* Edmund D. Edelman Westside Mental Health Center----------------------(310) 966-6500

Adult Program

11080 West Olympic Blvd, 4th floor

Los Angeles, CA 90064

* Edmund D. Edelman Westside Mental Health Center----------------------(310) 966-6610

Children’s Program

11080 West Olympic Blvd, 1st floor

Los Angeles, CA 90064

* Edelman Wellness Center---------------------------------------------------------(310) 482-3200

11303 West Washington Blvd, Ste 200, Room 001

Los Angeles, CA. 90066

Contract Agencies

* Alcott Center for Mental Health Services
* Didi Hirsch Community Mental Health Center
* Exceptional Children’s Foundation
* Exodus Recovery Center
* Ocean Park Community Center (OPCC)
* Pacific Asian Counseling Services
* Saint John’s Child & Family Development Center
* Saint John’s MH services for Deaf and Hard of Hearing
* SHARE! The Self-Help and Recovery Exchange
* Saint Joseph Center
* Step Up On Second
* The H.E.L.P. Group-West Child & Family Center
* Westside Center for independent Living, Inc. (WCIL)
* WISE and Healthy Aging
* Vista Del Mar

See the hospitals and clinics section for contact on the above listed agencies.

LAC-DMH WEST LOS ANGELES SERVICE AREA 5 ADMINISTRATION

11303 W. Washington Blvd, Ste 200

Los Angeles, CA 90066

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SERVICE AREA 5 NAVIGATION TEAM

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Parent Advocate

Nicole Davis---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 482-6607

PEI Navigator

Toya Swan, MS-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 482-6617

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Housing Specialist

Sandra Lechner, LVN---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 482-6604

FULL SERVICE PARTNERSHIP (FSP) REFERRALS

Children (0 – 15 years) and TAY (16 – 25 years)

Kathy Chantraprabhavej, MSW--------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 482-6610

Adult (26 – 60 years)

Maureen Cyr, LCSW----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 482-6613

Older Adult, 60+ years

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OUTREACH AND ENGAGEMENT TEAM

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Alejandrina Solis, Community Worker----------------------------------------------------------------------- (310) 482-6616



ASSISTED LIVING FACILITIES

AMERICARE ASSISTED LIVING OF WESTCHESTER

3670 Barry Ave.  
Los Angeles, CA 90066

Main Line----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 422–5364

Overview-

* Medication management
* Continence management
* Socialization
* Activities
* Mobility and transferring
* Monitoring of safety
* Capacity – Maximum 6
* Price varies – must call
* Caregiver to Resident Ratio 1:2.5
* Handicap accessible rooms, corridors, and bathrooms
* Handicap accessible ramps and entryways
* Exit and entry alarms
* Fire safety alarms and devices
* Emergency call devices
* Private rooms
* Private phone lines
* Cable TV
* Large Flat Screen TV's
* DVD / VCR Players
* Karaoke machines
* Central air conditioning
* Private balconies
* High speed internet
* Computer access
* Comfortable and suitable bed and bedroom furniture

BENTLY MANOR

3425 S. McLaughlin Ave.  
Los Angeles, CA 90066

Main Line- -------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(877) CARES-05

Overview-

* Three meals daily and between-meal snacks.
* Modified diets are provided at the recommendation of the resident physician and with dietary consult.
* Laundry service.
* Cleaning of the resident’s room a minimum of one time per week or as frequently as needed.
* Fresh linens each week or as frequently as needed.
* Transportation is arranged and provided for appointments and activities.
* Family notification of resident needs.
* Access to care, care, and supervision, this includes awake at night staff if needed.
* Daily assistance with dressing, bathing, hygiene, grooming, and incontinent care (does not include incontinent products); grooming supplies such as soap, shampoo, toothpaste, Kleenex, toilet tissue are provided by the facility. Incontinent products are not included in the basic service package, only incontinent care.
* Arrange or provide assistance with meeting medical and dental needs.
* Daily assistance with taking prescribed, non prescribed, and PRN medications.
* Bed-side care for minor or temporary illness.
* Dementia care, care for the mild cognitively impaired, hospice care.
* Local telephone service at no cost and long distance telephone service at resident cost.
* Menus updated frequently.

OPTIONAL SERVICES

* Dry cleaning services offered at resident expense.
* Incontinent products arranged at resident expense.
* Supplemental nourishments such as Ensure, provided at resident expense.
* Additional cable services such as HBO, Showtime etc. are arranged at resident expense.
* Arrange for Podiatry Care at resident expense.
* Haircuts, manicures or pedicures are arranged at resident expense.
* Secured area to store personals and valuables arranged at resident expense.

BENTLY HOUSE II  
  
3449 Rosewood Ave.  
Los Angeles, CA 90066

Main Line- -------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(877) CARES-05

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GRANDVIEW PALMS

4061 Grand View Blvd.  
Los Angeles, CA 90066

Main Line----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 390-4604

Overview-

* Activity Room
* Apartments w/emergency call system
* Balcony
* Beauty/Barber Shop
* Billiard room
* Cable: Extended Basic
* Cable: Included
* Central Living Room
* Computer Access
* Covered Patio
* Dining: Community Dining
* Dining: Private Dining Room
* Dining: Three Meals Daily
* Elevator
* Emergency Response Pendant
* Emergency Response System
* Fireplace
* Fitness Room
* Free Laundry Room
* Fully Landscaped Community
* Great Room
* Internet Access
* Laundry Rooms
* Library
* LVN on Staff
* Meals Provided
* Nintendo Wii
* Personal secured mailboxes
* Pet Friendly
* Capacity 150

CARE OPTIONS

* Non Medical

HOUSING-

* Assisted Living Room
* Independent Living
* Memory Care
* Secured Memory Care
* Alzheimer’s

### SERVICES-

* Assistance with bathing, dressing, grooming, and other ADLs
* Beauty/Barber Shop
* Housekeeping
* Incontinence Care
* Medication Management
* Newspaper Delivery
* Staff: 24 Hour
* Staff: Certified Nurse Aides
* Staff: Dementia Trained
* Staff: Licensed Vocational Nursing Services
* Transportation: Scheduled
* Trash Removal
* Visiting Hairdresser

### PERSONAL CARES-

* Activities of Daily Living
* Assist with Dressing
* Medication Management

### PAYMENTS-

* Long-Term Care Insurance
* Private Pay
* Veterans Benefits
* Monthly base cost - $ 3,695.00

OCEAN PARKT RESIDENCE #1&2

2108 Oak St.

Santa Monica, CA 90405  
  
Main Line---------------------------------------------------------------------------Phone: (310) 392-9196

Overview-

* Daily assistance with personal hygiene, dressing and grooming
* Incontinence management
* Assistance with taking medication
* Monitoring food intake and special diet
* Continuous observation of health condition
* Bedside care for temporary illness
* Arrangement for obtaining medical and dental care
* Free transportation
* Private and semi private
* Respite care

AMENITIES INCLUDE

* Approximately 4,000 square foot home
* Private or companion suites
* Call response system for each resident
* Variety of comfortable community areas, including:
* Elegant community dining and family rooms
* Open style home with high ceilings throughout
* Complete covered porches and terraces
* Beautifully manicured landscaped gardens
* Outdoor areas to walk and relax

ALL UTILTIES, PHONE, TV, AND INTERNET HOOK-UP

* Theater style 50" television
* Direct TV Services
* Family room and back terrace
* Towel warmer
* Large refrigerators

SANTA MONICA PAVILLION

12001 Santa Monica Blvd.,

Los Angeles, CA  90025

Main Line----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 478-0273

Overview-

* Personal Preferences (Resident & Family)
* Social Stimulation
* Physical Activity
* Dietary Needs & Likes/Dislikes
* Spiritual Beliefs & Support
* Health Care Needs
* Match personal abilities.
* Create enjoyment and energize.
* Provide social stimulation.
* Fulfill a purpose in the care plans.

HOSPICE PROGRAM

* Emphasizes the management of pain and the relief of discomfort.
* Provides emotional, social and spiritual support to the resident and their family.
* Offers bereavement and counseling services to families before and after their loved one passes on.
* Personal physician.
* Volunteers (trained in hospice care).
* Hospice nurses.
* Hospice physician.
* Home health aides.
* Member of the clergy.
* Psychological counselor.
* Social workers.
* Therapists - physical, massage, occupational, speech.
* Manage the pain.
* Manage the symptoms.
* Train and coach family members on how to care for their loved one.
* Provide therapies. (Speech therapy, etc.)
* Provide medications and medical supplies.
* Provide equipment.
* Assist with the psychosocial, emotional and spiritual aspects of dying.
* Provide bereavement counseling to the survivors.
* Check medication containers for content, correct labeling and expiration dates.
* Our staff ensures that the doctors’ orders are followed.
* We make sure that even over-the-counter medications have a doctor’s order to avoid the chance of adverse interactions.
* When new medications are introduced, our staff is trained to look for common side effects and behavioral changes that are evidence of adverse medication reactions.
* If needed (per doctor’s order) for residents on heart or hypertensive medications, we monitor heart rate daily and blood pressure weekly. Any consistent irregularities are immediately reported to their doctor(s) and the family.
* Our staff works as a team to spot changes in health condition, and inform their doctor(s) and family.
* Our charting adds an extra layer of safety when an acute problem arises and our resident is treated by someone other than their own doctor.

### CARE-ORIENTED SERVCIES

* We provide 24 hour care, assistance and supervision that allows our residents to feel at ease and more confident.
* We offer assistance with bathing. (For those who need the help.)
* Podiatrist and dental services are available to residents at Santa Monica Pavilion, if they choose. It's convenient, plus, the doctors take the time to speak one-on-one with our staff.
* We provide respectful and compassionate incontinent care.
* As situations arise, our staff does so many special things out of kindness, compassion and love.

### LIFESTYLE-ORIENTED SERVCIES

* A little primping, teasing and spraying. We offer Hair Salon services so our residents can look their best. There is a charge per service.
* Whose turn is it to do the dishes? It’s always our turn. That goes for the vacuuming and all the other housekeeping chores. We do the laundry, too - both linens and personal.
* We provide or arrange the safe transportation to all the fun shopping and social outings.
* Let’s party! We help and encourage our residents to celebrate holidays, birthdays and other important occasions.
* The independence to roam our grounds freely, yet still have the safety and security that is built into our community. (We offer the [Wander Guard Departure Alert System](http://www.stanleyhealthcare.com/solutions/patient-security/wander-management/wanderguard/how-it-works)).



BENEFITS & SERVICES

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SOCIAL SERVICES (DPSS)

Rancho Park

11110 W. Pico Blvd.

Los Angeles, CA 90064

Hours - 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Main Line--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 481-3115

Help Line--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 481-5378

The Department of Public Social Services (DPSS) serves an ethnically and culturally diverse community through programs designed to both alleviate hardship and promote health, personal responsibility, and economic independence. The Department provides the following benefits and services to low-income residents of Los Angeles County: Temporary financial assistance and employment services for families and individuals. Free and low-cost health care insurance for families with children, pregnant women and aged/blind/disabled adults; Food benefits for families and individuals; In-home services for elderly and disabled individuals; and Financial assistance and advocacy for federal disability benefits for disabled individuals.

These are the services offered at the location listed above:

* CalWORKs provides temporary financial assistance and employment focused services to families with minor children who have income and property below State maximum limits for their family size. Cash aid is limited to 60 months total in a lifetime for most adults.
* CalFresh (formerly food stamps) was established to improve the nutrition of people in low-income households.  It does that by increasing their food-buying power, so they are able to purchase the amount of food their household needs.  CalFresh benefits are used instead of money at the grocery store. CalFresh benefits are issued via an Electronic Benefit Transfer (EBT) card.
* [General Relief](http://dpss.lacounty.gov/dpss/general_relief/default.cfm) (GR) provides temporary cash aid to indigent adults and certain sponsored legal immigrant families who are ineligible for federal or State programs
* General Relief Opportunities for Work (GROW) is to transition GROW participants into the labor market. Participation is mandatory for all employable GR recipients. Unemployable participants may volunteer to participate. The first GROW activity consists of a brief Orientation during which participants learn basic information regarding GROW, its components and its requirements. Orientation is provided by GROW contracted providers with a short presentation made by a Case Manager to emphasize benefits of participation in the program.
* Medi-Cal Services is health coverage for qualifying persons who live in California, who have income and resources below established limits. Such as persons 65 and over, person who are under 21 years of age, Certain adults between 21 and 65 years of age, if they have minor children living with them, persons who are blind or disabled, pregnant women, persons receiving nursing home care and certain Refugees, Asylees, Cuban/Haitian entrants.

These programs are services offered through DPSS – Check with your local office regarding their services offered in your area

Cash Assistance Programs

* [Cash Assistance Program for Immigrants](http://dpss.lacounty.gov/dpss/capi/default.cfm)(CAPI) provides cash to certain aged, blind, and disabled legal non-citizens ineligible to supplemental Security Income/State Supplemental Payment due to their immigration status. Participants may be eligible for Medi-Cal, In-Home Supportive Services and/or Food Stamp benefits.
* The GAIN program provides employment-related services to CalWORKs participants to help them find employment, stay employed, and move on to higher paying jobs, which will lead to self-sufficiency and independence. The 60-month time clock starts as soon as the participant's aid is approved.
* The Supplemental Security Income Medi-Cal Advocacy Program (SSIMAP) provides physically and mentally disabled General Relief (GR) participants with assistance through the SSI application process. The Program focuses on obtaining an early SSI approval for GR participants who appear to meet SSI eligibility criteria. GR participants who are potentially SSI eligible are identified by medical and mental health professionals and referred for SSI advocacy.

FOOD AND NUTRITION PROGRAMS

* [Restaurant Meals](http://dpss.lacounty.gov/dpss/restaurant_meals/default.cfm) allows homeless, disabled, and elderly (age 60 and over) receiving CalFresh benefits to use their Golden State Advantage (EBT) cards to purchase meals from participating restaurants.

HEALTH PROGRAMS

CHILDREN and YOUTH

* No-Cost Medi-Cal Services for Children
* No or Low-Cost Regular Medi-Cal Services
* Healthy Families
* Medi-Cal Outreach District
* Women, Infants & Children Supplemental Nutrition Program (WIC)
* Child Health & Disability Prevention Program (CHDP)
* Kaiser Permanente Cares for Kids
* Ability To Pay (ATP) Plan
* Outpatient Reduced-Cost Simplified Application (ORSA) Plan

PREGNANT WOMEN

* Pregnant Only Medi-Cal Services
* Medical for Families
* Access For Infants and Mothers (AIM)
* Women, Infants & Children Supplemental Nutrition Program (WIC)
* Other Health Care Programs for Pregnant Women
* Ability To Pay (ATP) Plan
* Outpatient Reduced-Cost Simplified Application (ORSA) Plan

FAMILIES

* Medi-Cal For Families
* Transitional Medi-Cal Programs
* Ability To Pay (ATP) Plan
* Outpatient Reduced-Cost Simplified Application (ORSA) Plan

AGED/ BLIND/ DISABLED

* Medi-Cal for Individual/Couple Living at Home
* Long Term Care Medi-Cal
* Pickle Amendment Programs
* Medicare
* Medicare Premium Assistance Programs
* Other Health Care Programs and Services
* Ability to Pay (ATP) Plan
* Outpatient Reduced-Cost Simplified Application (ORSA) Plan

ADULTS

* Medi-Cal for Families
* Ability To Pay (ATP) Plan
* Other No-Cost or Low-Cost Plans
* Outpatient Reduced-Cost Simplified Application (ORSA) Plan

SPECIAL HEALTH PROBLEMS

* California Children Services (CSS) Programs
* DDS Home & Community Based Services
* Tuberculosis Program
* Dialysis or Total Parenteral Hyperalimentation (TPN) Programs

IMMIGRANTS

Non-citizen eligibility for certain free and low-cost health care services and programs may be different than citizen eligibility rules. Non-citizens with questions regarding immigrant eligibility for health and government benefits should contact the agencies below:

COALITION FOR HUMANE IMMIGRANT RIGHTS OF LOS ANGELES (CHIRLA) (888) 6- CHIRLA (244752)

ASIAN PACIFIC AMERICAN LEGAL CENTER (APALC)   
(213) 977-7500

[IN HOME SUPPORTIVE SERVICES](http://dpss.lacounty.gov/dpss/ihss/default.cfm)

IHSS helps pay for services provided to eligible persons who are 65 years of age or over, or legally blind, or disabled adults and children, so they can remain safely in their own homes. IHSS is considered an alternative to out-of-home care such as nursing homes or board and care facilities.

[MEDI-CAL ESTATE RECOVERY](http://dpss.lacounty.gov/dpss/estate_recovery/default.cfm)

Medi-Cal program pays for medical care for some people whose savings and income are too low for them to be able to pay for their own care. Those people, in turn, may be required to pay the medical care costs back to Medi-Cal from what they owned when they died. The amount repaid can then be used to pay for care for others who need it.

HOUSING PROGRAMS

The DPSS Program includes a number of benefit and services designed to assist homeless families and families at risk of homelessness to move out of the current situation and into affordable permanent housing.  The benefits and services provided under the DPSS Housing Program are [temporary shelter payments](http://dpss.lacounty.gov/dpss/homeless_case_mgmt/fact_sheets/2011/haprogram_may_2011.pdf), [additional temporary shelter payments](http://dpss.lacounty.gov/dpss/homeless_case_mgmt/fact_sheets/thap_14_fs_2_07.pdf), [permanent housing payments](http://dpss.lacounty.gov/dpss/homeless_case_mgmt/fact_sheets/2011/haprogram_may_2011.pdf)[,](http://dpss.lacounty.gov/dpss/homeless_case_mgmt/pdf_docs/ha_pgm_fact_sheet.pdf) [moving assistance](http://dpss.lacounty.gov/dpss/homeless_case_mgmt/pdfs/ma-fact_sheet_january_2011.pdf), [assistance to prevent eviction](http://dpss.lacounty.gov/dpss/homeless_case_mgmt/pdfs/eape_fact_sheet_january_2011.pdf), [rental subsidy](http://dpss.lacounty.gov/dpss/homeless_case_mgmt/pdfs/rental_subsidy-fact_sheet_january_2011.pdf), and [relocation assistance](http://dpss.lacounty.gov/dpss/homeless_case_mgmt/pdfs/hrp_fact_sheet_january_2011.pdf) to [voluntary case management services](http://dpss.lacounty.gov/dpss/homeless_case_mgmt/pdfs/hcm_fact_sheet_january_2011.pdf).

REFUGEE EMPLOYMENT PROGRAM (REP)

(U.S.) up to three (3) years or less and asylees residing in the U.S. up to 3 years or less from the date they are granted asylum. Refugees/asylees eligible for Refugee Cash Assistance (RCA) benefits may be eligible for REP services up to 12 months from the date of entry. The REP Program provides outreach, case management and placement services to refugees. The program also assists refugees to adjust and adapt to the American Workplace, learn English, and ultimately achieve self-sufficiency to end their dependence on public assistance. Services under this program are available to refugees who are aided through the CalWORKs and RCA Programs.

DEPARTMENT OF REHABILTATION, EMPLOYMENT, INDEPENDANCE & EQUAILITY

Culver City Branch  
6125 Washington Blvd., Ste 200  
Culver City, CA 90232-7458

Main Line---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 559-6140 (Voice)

Westchester Branch

5120 Goldleaf Circle, Ste 360  
Los Angeles, CA 90056

Main Line---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(323) 298-2500 (Voice)  
  
The Department of Rehabilitation (DOR) assists Californians with disabilities obtain and retain employment and maximize their ability to live independently in their communities. Working with individuals of every type and category of disability, DOR provides vocational rehabilitation services to eligible Californians. DOR also provides ADA technical assistance and training and funds 29 [Independent Living Centers](http://www.rehab.cahwnet.gov/ils/ilclist.htm) which offer information and referral services to assist individuals with disabilities live active, independent lives. Vocational Rehabilitation services are designed to get Californians with disabilities prepared for employment and can include training, education, transportation and job placement. Eligibility for DOR services is based on the following factors: you have a physical or mental impairment; your impairment constitutes or results in a significant impediment to employment for you; and you require and can benefit from vocational rehabilitation services to prepare you to obtain, retain or regain employment.

Overview

* [Vocational Rehabilitation](http://www.rehab.cahwnet.gov/eps/vocrehab.htm)
* [Blind Services](http://www.rehab.cahwnet.gov/ssd/blindser.htm)
* [Business Enterprises Program (BEP)](http://www.rehab.cahwnet.gov/ssd/bep.htm)
* [Deaf and Hard of Hearing Services](http://www.rehab.cahwnet.gov/ssd/deafser.htm)
* [Assistive Technology](http://www.rehab.cahwnet.gov/eps/asstech.htm)
* [Transportation](http://www.rehab.cahwnet.gov/eps/transpt.htm)
* [Independent Living](http://www.rehab.cahwnet.gov/ils/index.htm)
* Can apply online for services

DEPARTMENT OF MILITARY AND VETERAN AFFAIRS

2615 S. Grand Avenue, #100   
Los Angeles, CA 90007

[www.dmva.la.ca.co.us](http://www.dmva.la.ca.co.us)

Hours – 8am – 4pm M thru F

Main Line--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(877) 452-8387

The County of Los Angeles maintains a permanent outreach to Veterans and dependents through the Veterans Services Division. Professionally trained and accredited Veterans benefits counselors are available to assist with every type of benefit provided by the US Department of Veterans Affairs. Home calls may be made to assist elderly or handicapped persons. The service is free of charge.

Veteran Services:

* Interview and counsel clients on the availability of veteran's benefits and services.
* Develop, file, monitor and appeal claims on behalf of clients
* Verification of veterans benefits for Federal, State and local agencies.
* Process applications for California Dependents Educational Fee Waivers for dependents of service disabled / deceased veterans.
* Participate in community events pertaining to veterans, i.e. care days, stand downs, job fairs, etc.

Services Offered:

* Compensation for service connected disabled veterans
* Pension for non-service connected disabled veterans
* Life insurance
* Cemeteries and burial (including indigent burials)
* Benefits for surviving spouse and children
* Medical care
* Educational / vocational rehabilitation benefits
* VA / CAL-VET home loan guaranty programs
* State of California dependents college fee waiver program
* Other related benefits

NEW DIRECTIONS (Veterans Program)

11030 Wilshire Blvd., VA Bldg. 116

Los Angeles, CA 90073

(310) 914-4045

Specialized services offered for veterans in programming at New Directions

Supportive group facilitated by case managers and clinicians

* Seeking safety
* Recovery and relapse prevention
* Managing anger
* Wellness
* Family reunification and visitation

Workforce Development

* Job club
* Customer service class
* Resume preparation
* Mock Interviews
* Short-term training opportunities and tutoring
* Job coaching and placement assistance

Clinical Services

* EMDR
* PTSD Therapy
* Domestic violence therapy
* Other psychotherapies

Pro Bono Legal Advice

* General legal issues with tickets and warrants
* Family law and child support
* Benefits assistance

Money management

* Assistance with budgeting

Housing search and referrals

* Referrals to supportive services for veterans families “SSF” and permanent supportive housing “PSH” placements
* Assistance with applications for housing vouchers through The Department of Housing and Urban Development – Department of Veterans Affairs Supportive Housing “HUD\_VASH”

EMPLOYMENT DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

Marina Del Rey-West Los Angeles Work Source Center

13160 Mindanao Way, Ste 240

Marina Del Rey, CA 90292

[www.worksourcecalifornia.com](http://www.worksourcecalifornia.com)

[www.edd.ca.gov](http://www.edd.ca.gov)

Hours – M/T 8am - 6pm, W/Th 8am – 5pm, F 8am -230pm

Main Line--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310)-309-6000

This is the local office for Service Area Five (5), however, check website for other offices in different service areas.

The Unemployment Insurance Program, commonly referred to as UI, provides workers, who lose their jobs through no fault of their own, with weekly unemployment insurance payments. The UI program is 100% funded by employers who pay taxes on wages paid to employees. An individual who files for unemployment insurance (UI) benefits must meet specific eligibility requirements before benefits can be paid. Individuals must:

* Have received enough wages during the base period to establish a claim
* Be totally or partially unemployed
* Be unemployed through no fault of his/her own
* Be physically able to work
* Be available for work which means to be ready and willing to immediately accept work
* Be actively looking for work
* Meet eligibility requirements each week benefits are claimed
* Be approved for training before training benefits can be paid
* Apply immediately for UI benefits when your job has ended or when your employer has cut back your hours
* Services can be accessed via internet or walk-in to locate office

SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION

11500 W OLYMPIC BLVD, SUITE 300  
Los Angeles, CA 90064

[www.ssa.gov](http://www.ssa.gov)

Hours – 9am – 3:30pm

Main Line--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(800)-772-1213

Overview

* Apply for social security cards as well as obtain replacement cards
* Apply in person, by mail or online for retirement benefits
* Apply in person, by mail or online for disability benefits
* Apply in person, by mail or online for Medicare
* Apply for SSI, survivors or family benefits
* Appeal a disability decision online
* Check the status of an application
* Obtain forms online

Retirement

Social Security offers an online retirement application that you can complete in as little as 15 minutes. It’s so easy. Better yet, you can apply from the comfort of your home or office at a time most convenient for you. There's no need to drive to a local Social Security office or wait for an appointment with a Social Security representative. In most cases, once your application is submitted electronically, you’re done. There are no forms to sign and usually no documentation is required. Social Security will process your application and contact you if any further information is needed.

SSI

The [Supplemental Security Income](http://www.ssa.gov/pubs/11000.html) (SSI) program pays benefits to disabled adults and [children](http://www.ssa.gov/pubs/10026.html) who have limited income and resources. SSI benefits also are payable to people 65 and older without disabilities who meet the financial limits. It is designed to help the aged, blind, and disabled people, who have little or no income; and it provides cash to meet basic needs for food, clothing, and shelter.

VA WEST LOS ANGELES MEDICAL CENTER

West Los Angeles Medical Center

11301 Wilshire Blvd  
Los Angeles, CA 90073

[www.losangeles.va.gov](http://www.losangeles.va.gov)

Hours – 24 hours Main Bldg (500)

Main Line----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------310-478-3711

A person who served in the active military, naval, or air service and who was discharged or released under conditions other than dishonorable may qualify for VA health care benefits. Reservists and National Guard members may also qualify for VA health care benefits if they were called to active duty (other than for training only) by a Federal order and completed the full period for which they were called or ordered to active duty.

Overview

* Provide mental / medical services
* Provide housing services as well as linkage to housing (temporary / permanent)
* [Burial and Memorial Benefits](http://www.va.gov/opa/publications/benefits_book/benefits_chap07.asp)
* [Transition Assistance](http://www.va.gov/opa/publications/benefits_book/benefits_chap10.asp)
* [Education and Training](http://www.va.gov/opa/publications/benefits_book/benefits_chap04.asp)
* [Dependents and Survivors Health Care](http://www.va.gov/opa/publications/benefits_book/benefits_chap11.asp)
* [Dependents and Survivors Benefits](http://www.va.gov/opa/publications/benefits_book/benefits_chap12.asp)
* Service connected monetary benefits
* Vocational Training and Employment Services
* Educational and Vocational Counseling
* Grants for specialty adapted housing
* Service-disabled veterans insurance
* Vocational rehabilitation
* Substance abuse programs (residential / out patient)
* Provide limited services to families of veterans

WESTSIDE CENTER FOR INDEPENDENT LIVING

12901 Venice Blvd

Los Angeles, CA 90064

[www.wcil.org](http://www.wcil.org)

Hours – 8am – 5pm

Main Line----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 390-3611

The Westside Center for Independent Living is a non-residential center dedicated to enhancing the quality of life for people with all kinds of disabilities. The goal of the peer-led programs and services is the elimination of economic, social, attitudinal and environmental barriers.

Overview

* Not a resident based program
* A consumer directed program for housing searches, placement and retention
* No fee for services
* Do not accept Medi-Cal
* Accepts persons with all types of disabilities both mental and physical
* Will not ask nature of disability
* Consumer does not need to be in possession of housing voucher

Requirements

* Must Schedule face to Face or over the phone intake first
* Must be homeless



BOARD AND CARE FACILITIES

LICENSED BOARD AND CARE FACILITIES IN OR NEAR WEST LOS ANGELES

ALVIRA MANOR

1778 Alvira St

Los Angeles, CA 90035

Service Area 5

Program Manager – Angela Brown------------------------------------------------------(213) 932-8062

Requirements

* Mental Illness
* Age 18-59
* Male only
* Ambulatory

Overview

* 6 beds
* SSI/SSDI/SSA/Private Pay
* Family Environment
* Outside Day Program
* Ms. Brown refers for needed doctor appointments and other services

BEL AIR GUEST HOME

1440 North Stanley Ave

Los Angeles, CA 90046

Service Area 4

Contact Person/Administrator/Propitiator – Galina Samuel--------------(323) 876-3370 Ask for Yajaria if Galina is unavailable.

Requirements

* Mental Illness
* Age 18-59
* Ambulatory

Overview

* 64 beds
* Shared rooms
* Inside and outside Day Programs
* House visits by two psychiatrists, one medical doctor and an in-house dietitian
* SSI/SSDI $961.00

BEVERLYWOOD CENTER

1920 South Robertson Blvd

Los Angeles, CA 90034

Service Area 5

Program Manager – Ricardo Abordo----------------------------------------------------(310) 559-9144

Requirements

* Mentally Ill
* Ambulatory
* Age 18-59

Overview

* 85 bed facility
* Co-ed
* Medi-Medi/SSI/SSA/SSDI or Private Pay
* In-house doctor visits or residents can go to their own physician
* 2 outside day programs & 1 in-house day program
* Cost $961.00, shared room
* Usually has a bed available

THE GRADUATE HOUSE

(Program of The Alcott Center)

1765-1775 South Robertson Blvd

Los Angeles, CA 90035

Service Area 5

Contact at Site – Penny Mehra-----------------------------------------------------------(310) 939-7630

Contact at Alcott – Jill Weiss-------------------------------------------------------------(310) 785-2121

Requirements

* Mentally Illness
* Ambulatory
* Age 18-59
* Must complete program and be a client of The Alcott Center.

Overview

* 42 bed facility
* Co-ed
* Medi-Medi only

HERITAGE BOARD AND CARE

There are four Heritage Board & Care facilities in Service Area 8

Long Beach Mental Health refers there often.

Many residents are also referrals from MHA-LA’s The Village

Administrator – Mary Cruz (administrator for all four sites)-----------------------(562) 822-8024

Contact Person – Lilia Baliwag (contact for all four sites)-------------------------(562) 433-7314

------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------Fax (562) 433-1316

Requirements

* Mental Illness
* Age 18-59
* Ambulatory

Overview for all sites

* Shared rooms
* Two outside day programs: “Circle of Friends” and Delamo Daycare
* Medi-Medi/SSI/SSA.
* No longer accepts interim funding

HERITAGE BOARD AND CARE #1

2330 & 2340 East 15th Street

Long Beach, CA. 90804

* Co-ed
* 48 beds

HERITAGE BOARD AND CARE #2

2445 Pacific Ave.

Long Beach, CA. 90806

* Men only
* 18 beds

HERITAGE BOARD AND CARE #3

2900 East 7th Street

Long Beach, CA 90804

* Men only
* 18 beds

HERITAGE BOARD AND CARE #4

1509 East 4th Street

Long Beach, CA. 90804

* Men only
* 18 beds

HIGHLAND MANOR GUEST HOME

3570 East Imperial Hwy

Lynwood, CA 90262

Service Area 8

Contact – Administrator-------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 631-7569

Requirements

* Mental Illness
* Age 18-59
* Ambulatory

Overview

* 106 beds
* Medical doctor visits weekly and psychiatrist every two weeks
* Active Day Program in Long Beach
* Circle of Health alcohol and drug program
* Lynwood Unified School District provides exercise and occasional computer classes
* SSI/SSDI accepted

THE MANOR

1905-2019 Pico Blvd

Santa Monica, Ca. 90405

Service Area 5

Intake Coordinator – Terry Santos------------------------------------------------------(310) 450-1748

Requirements

* Mental Illness
* Age 18-59
* Ambulatory

Overview

* 151 beds
* Shared rooms
* Inside and outside Day Programs
* House visits by a Psychiatrist, Psychologist, Medical Doctor, Podiatrist, and Dietitian
* Medi-Medi $891.00
* SSI/SSDI $961.00

OCEAN VIEW MANOR

1038-1044 3rd Street

Santa Monica, CA 90403

Service Area 5

Contact – Kenneth Solgot------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 393-0737

Requirements

* Age 18-59
* SSI/SDI or Private Pay
* Cost—Rate increase since January, 2012,  $982—$1002.00
* High Functioning

Overview

* 44 beds
* Co-ed
* Shared rooms
* Some single rooms—generally for those who have been there the longest.
* Person must interview with Kenneth Solgot
* Psychiatrist and a Psychologist make visits or client may go to their own doctor
* One large community room
* No scheduled activities
* With-in walking distance of  beach front, downtown Santa Monica, restaurants, bus stops, shops
* No waiting list

SUN GARDEN MANOR

10117 Tujunga Canyon Blvd

Tujunga, Ca. 91042

Service Area 2

Administrator – Michael Lewandowski-------------------------------------------------(818) 352-3291

Contact at Site – Reggie-------------------------------------------------------------------(818) 352-3291

Requirements

* Mental Illness
* Age 18-59
* Ambulatory

Overview

* 38 bed
* Co-ed
* Shared room
* 6 outside Day Programs to chose from
* Includes laundry, linens, toiletries
* SSI/SSDI $961.00
* Medi/Medi and Private Pay $981.00
* Doctors visit the facility or client can go to their own physicians

VILLA STANLEY EAST

7253 Melrose Ave

Los Angeles, CA 90046

Service Area 4

Intake contact – Gaby Palazzola -----------------------------------------------(323) 934-2498

Requirements

* Mental Illness
* Age 18-63
* Ambulatory

Overview

* 62 beds
* Shared rooms
* Inside and outside Day Programs
* House visits by Psychiatrist, Medical Doctor and Dietitian
* Interim Funding, SSI/SSDI/SSA, Medi-Medi, and Private Pay

THE FOLLWING TAKE REGIONAL CENTER REFERRALS ONLY

\* Most Licensed Board and Care Facilities with very low bed numbers are for Regional Center clients only.

PIGGEE GUEST HOUSE

1218 South Hayworth Ave

Los Angeles, CA 90035

Program Manager – Marion Piggee-----------------------------------------------------(323) 934-0795

Requirements

* Males only
* Ambulatory
* Ages 18-59
* 6 beds
* Developmentally Disabled

AMAZING EFFORTS III

6041 South La Brea Ave

Los Angeles, CA 90056

Program Manager – Tamara Henson---------------------------------------------------(323) 236-8523

Requirements

* Dual Diagnosed
* Age 18-59
* Ambulatory
* Males only
* 4 beds



EMERGENCY SHELTERS

OPCC PROGRAMS

ACCESS CENTER (DROP-IN DAY CENTER)

(Program of OPCC)

503 Olympic Boulevard

Santa Monica, CA 90401

[www.opcc.org](http://www.opcc.org)

Hours – Monday thru Friday 8am to 5pm

Saturday and Sunday – 8am to 12pm

Program Manager – Kevin Goings---------------------------------------------(310)450-4050 ext 127

Providing basic and emergency services such as food, clothing and restroom facilities to approximately 275 people daily, the Access Center assists homeless men, women and children in developing individual plans to identify strengths and goals in order to return to a life of stability and self-sufficiency.

Requirements

* Homelessness

Overview

* Two meals daily – 9am to 12pm and 3pm – 4pm
* Use of phone
* Limited laundry services
* Clothing locker
* Mailing address
* Case management services
* Will connect to mental health services
* Showers

DAYBREAK DAY CENTER

(Program of OPCC)

1751 Cloverfield Blvd.

Santa Monica, CA. 90404

[www.opcc.org](http://www.opcc.org)

Hours – Monday thru Friday 9am to 2pm (except Wednesday)

Wednesday, Saturday & Sunday (9am to 12pm)

Program Manager – Chistine Diaz--------------------------------------------(310) 393-4344 ext. #1

General Number -------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 393-4344

A drop-in center for homeless mentally ill women, it is open seven days a week for showers, meals, resting and washing. Also, shelter provides temporary shelter for fifteen (15) women the opportunity to live in a supportive, nurturing environment for up to 6 months.

Hours of Operations –Open 7 days a week from 9am – 2pm except on Wednesday, Saturday & Sunday open from 9am -12pm

Requirements

* Any homeless female off the street can drop in and receive services for seven (7) consecutive days, however on the seventh (7th) day the female will have to access services every other day for the remainder of the thirty (30) day period.

Overview

* Open seven (7) days a week
* Daily drop in center
* Receive daily meals between the hours of 9am – 12pm and 3pm to 4pm
* Take shower daily
* Mailing address
* On-site health care
* Case management available

DAYBREAK SHELTER

(Program of OPCC)

1614 Ocean Ave

Santa Monica, CA. 90404

www.opcc.org

Hours – 9am – 5pm

\*\* New clients must be referred for intake by 4pm

Project Director-Cheraon Zekavat------------------------------------------(310) 450-0650 ext 233

Main Line-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 450-0650

A shelter for homeless mentally ill women that provides temporary shelter for fifteen (15) women and the opportunity to live in a supportive, nurturing environment for up to 6 months.

Requirements

* Must be registered homeless in the city of Santa Monica for minimum of five (5) years or must be chronically homeless in the City of Santa Monica for one (1) year
* Must be referred through an agency

Overview

* Collaboration with City of Santa Monica
* Open seven days a week
* Provide case management services
* Will connect with mental health clinic if not already connected
* Stay is six (6) to nine (9) months
* Will assist with obtaining permanent housing
* Maximum fifteen (15) beds

OPCC NIGHT LIGHT SERVICES

OPCC Annenberg Access Center

503 Olympic Blvd.

Santa Monica, CA 90401

www.opcc.org

Program manager – Andrew Tisbert--------------------------------------------------(310) 746-6273

Youth Advocate – Chris Richardson--------------------------------------------------(310) 463-0484

Youth Advocate – Erica Tobin----------------------------------------------------------(310) 721-1157

Serves the homeless youth and at-risk youth (ages 12 – 24) staying in the Santa Monica and Venice areas. Youth have six months beyond their 24th birthday to connect with adult services through OPCC program.

Requirements

* Must be homeless or at-risk of homelessness in the Santa Monica / Venice areas
* Must be between the ages of 12 through 24
* Must set appointment during drop-in hours on Tuesday and Thursday
* Man schedule appointment by walking into access center any other day of the week during the hours of 9am – 4pm (based on case mangers availability)

Overview

* Drop in Tuesdays 9am – 12pm and Thursdays 1pm to 4pm for the following: Hot meals, showers, laundry service (first come first serve), clothing, hygiene supplies, phone access, mail services
* Case management services include – identification services, shelter placement/referrals employment and education assistance, family reunification)
* Medical care provided through Venice Family Clinic on a first come first service basis on – Monday, Wednesday & Friday mornings or Tuesday and Thursday afternoons
* Employment assistance and job readiness provided through Jewish Vocation Services on Tuesday mornings during drop-in hours or by appointment

SAFE HAVEN (Residential Shelter)

(Program of OPCC)

1751 Cloverfield Blvd.

Santa Monica, CA. 90404

www.opcc.org

Hours - 9am – 5pm

Project Director- Andy Schwich ------------------------------------------------310-883-1222 ext 112

Intake- Mary Hoyt---------------------------------------------------------------------310-8831222 ext 117

Safe Haven utilizes a “Housing First” community model to serve chronically homeless individuals living with co-occurring mental illness and substance abuse disorders, with 25 beds available and full day services for homeless people who are willing to come indoors on a trial basis or for a longer period.

Requirements

* Must have at least one (1) year of homelessness documentation in the Santa Monica area (hospitalizations, incarceration, encounters with the police, etc.) or five (5) years or more homelessness documentation with Santa Monica’s service registry to be eligible for their outreach program

Overview

* Twenty five (25) beds (13 men 12 women)
* Length of stay - can be as long as two or three years depending on the person’s efforts and commitment to obtaining permanent housing.
* Assist with obtaining permanent housing
* Offers day services
* Collaboration with City of Santa Monica
* Open seven days a week
* Provide case management services
* Will connect with mental health clinic if not already connected

SAMOSHEL

(Program of OPCC)

505 Olympic Blvd.

Santa Monica, CA 90401

www.opcc.org

Hours – 24 hours

Project Director – Luther Richert----------------------------------------------(310) 581-9825 ext 136

Assistant Director – Latonya booker-----------------------------------------(310) 581-9825 ext 116

Provides emergency and transitional housing for 70 homeless adults both men and women. The program includes on-site case management, counseling, 12-step meetings, on site clinician for crisis intervention and therapy, legal assistance, housing referrals and employment assistance.

Requirements

* Must be referred to program through one of the OPCC sister programs (i.e., Daybreak, Access Center) or other neighboring programs such as Step up on Second, Clare Foundation, DMH
* Must have negative TB screening

Overview

* Ten (10) respite beds (8 male, 2 female)
* Seventy (70) beds total (emergency & transitional)
* Provide permanent and transitional housing
* Typically stay is six (6) months
* Case Managers
* Provide dental and medical physical

SHWASHLOCK

(Program of OPCC)

503 Olympic Boulevard

Santa Monica, CA 90401

www.opcc.org

Hours – 8am to 11am and 1pm to close 3:15pm

Phone # ----------------------------------------------------------------------------310-450-4050

SHWASHLOCK is an acronym for SHowers, WASHers and LOCKers, it provides homeless people with access to restroom and shower facilities, as well as a place to store personal belongings while they are working or looking for work, and until they can find more stable housing.

Requirements

* Must be homeless

Overview

* Showers – must sign up by 8am – Showers are from 8:15am to 11:20 closed at 12pm reopen from 1pm to 3:15ppm
* Washers – must sign up by 8am (only three people at a time) 8:15am to 11am and again at 1pm to 3:15pm
* Lockers – case managers provide lockers (90 day intervals)
* Services both men and women

SOJOURN

(Program of OPCC)

1453 16TH Street.

Santa Monica, CA 90403

www.opcc.org

Hours – 24 hours a day, 365 days a year confidential English and Spanish

Assistant Director – Ada Palotai--------------------------------------------------------(310) 264-6646

Hotline ------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 264-6644

Sojourn provides battered women and their children a safe space to regroup, rebuild, and reestablish their self-esteem and lives. They offer crisis intervention, safety planning, domestic violence information and referrals. Temporary shelter program provides four (4) to six (6) weeks of intensive case management services, individual and play therapy, group therapy, horticultural therapy through their GROW program. The GROW program horticultural therapy provides a healing and nurturing garden setting for all. In addition, second stage shelter encompasses a model of congregate living where residents are provided with three (3) to six (6) months of supportive services.

Requirements

* None – any female requiring their services is eligible

Overview

* Women in any stage of pregnancy; female and male children up to age 18; undocumented women; women with substance abuse and mental health issues; women with disabilities, with care givers, with service animals; with or without restraining orders, recent act of violence, physical violence are welcome.
* Crisis intervention
* Safety planning
* Domestic violence information
* Referrals
* Legal assistance
* Children’s program
* Court Advocacy Program
* Social Services Program
* Safe at Home Program

TURNING POINT

(Program of OPCC)

1447 16TH Street

Santa Monica, CA 90403

www.opcc.org

Hours – 24 hours a day, 365 days a year

Systems Director - Donna Roland-Walker-----------------------(310) 828-6717 ext 129

Turning Point is open to residents of the program who are seeking employment or on SSI, those currently on the waiting list for transitional housing and individuals referred from other social services organizations. It is a 55-bed transitional housing shelter for homeless men and women that offer housing and supportive services for up to nine (9) months.

Requirements

* Must be homeless
* Single men or women only
* Must be referred
* Must a resident of Santa Monica – have a history of homeless in Santa Monica or referred through DMH (resident of SM not required)

Overview

* Receive three (3) meals a day
* Receive clothing
* Case management
* Counseling and support groups
* Specialized programs (job counseling, money management, health education, computer classes and independent living skills)

EXCELISOR HOUSE (Program of Didi Hirsch CMHC)

1007 Myrtle Avenue  
Inglewood, CA 90301

Hours – 9am – 5pm

Intake – Mary Dudianski ---------------------------------------------------------- (310) 412-4191

This is a twenty eight (28) day fourteen (14) bed crisis residential treatment facility. The maximum stay is twenty eight (28) days. The treatment facility accepts both male and female ages 18 to 59. Must be in current psychiatric crisis.

Requirements –

* Referred by case manager, hospital or out patient clinic
* Must attend all group therapy sessions as well as engage in sessions
* Must participate with household chores
* Must adhere to all prescribed medications
* Must have Medi-cal
* One non Medi-cal bed
* Must be ambulatory

Overview

* No walk-ins
* Provide mental health services
* Provide individual and group therapy
* Provide psychiatric evaluation
* Assist with employment needs

JUMP STREET (Program of Didi Hirsch CMHC)

1233 So. La Cienega Blvd,

Los Angeles, CA. 90035

Hours – 8am – 5pm

Program Director - Coreena Hendrickson, LCSW-------------------------(310) 855-0031

Intake Coordinator – Mara Chow-------------------------------------------------(310) 855-0031

It’s a ten (10) bed crisis residential treatment program. Typically for homeless men and women and they can do a load of laundry, take a shower and have access to phone and mail service. The maximum stay is twenty eight (28) days. Through meetings with our staff, they can also be connected with emergency shelter, medical care, and mental health and substance abuse treatment. They can also receive help with transportation and advocacy to apply for government benefits.

Requirements

* Must have Medi-cal, SSI or Medicare
* Must have dual diagnosis with Axis I disorder
* This is a referral only program
* Must do in-take

Overview

* Services adults ages 18 - 59
* Maximum stay is twenty eight (28) days
* Typically referred by hospital prior to discharge
* Can not walk in off the street
* May have indigent bed occasionally

NEW DIRECTIONS REGIONAL OPPORTUNITY CENTER

11303 Wilshire Blvd.

VA Building 116

Los Angeles, CA 90073

(310) 914-5966 Ext. 301

Emergency shelter services for homeless individuals who have served in the United Stated military.

ST. JOSEPH EMERGENCY SERVICES CENTER

404 Lincoln Blvd.

Venice, CA 90291

Hours - M-T-Th – 8am – 430pm

W- 8am – 12pm

S,S – 8am – 330pm

Program Director – Haley Fuselier-----------------------------------310-399-6878 ext 401

St. Joseph’s Center provides basic services. Here, homeless men and women can make a reservation to eat at Bread and Roses Café, do a load of laundry, take a shower and have access to phone and mail service. Through meetings with our staff, they can also be connected with emergency shelter, medical care, and mental health and substance abuse treatment. They can also receive help with transportation and advocacy to apply for government benefits. Services men, women and children.

Requirements

* Homeless
* Must participate in a brief intake process during morning hours
* Must place name on list during morning hours for intake process to begin (approximately 7:30am)

Overview

* Offer job training
* Offer employment assistance
* Ongoing treatment
* Assistance with obtaining permanent housing
* Provide emergency housing and services
* Provide hotel/motel vouchers
* Provide case management
* Provide mental/medical treatment
* Showers, hot meals, postal service, make phone calls

WINTER/HOMELESS SHELTERS

Seasonal: December to March (subject to funding)

SHELTER HOTLINE

Phone: 1-800-548-6047 (211)

TDD: 1 – 800-660-4026 (For the deaf and hearing disabled)

Website: [www.lahsa.org](http://www.lahsa.org)

* Walk-In Clients will not be accepted. Clients must go to the following transportation pick-up points to access services.

First To Serve

National Guard Armory – Open from December thru March

1300 Federal Avenue,

West Los Angeles, CA 90025

323-758-4670

Requirements

* No walk-ins
* Must travel by means of bus from one of the pick up locations

Overview

* This winter shelter is being run by First to Serve
* 160 beds

Pick up Location

Venice Beach Board Walk

- Market Street at Ocean Front Walk

Venice, CA

Pick up times – 5:00pm, 6:30pm & 7:15pm

\*\* Please contact the 800 number listed above for winter shelters in other service areas.

DMH SPECIALIZED SHELTER BED FACILITIES

DMH Gatekeeper: Sharon Richardson (310) 966-6559

\* Access to these shelters must be made through the designated gatekeeper for the Service Area. Below are shelters located in SPA (5)

\* Provides emergency shelter for mental health clients who are indigent and homeless - maximum stay 6 months.

CALIFORNIA CARE CENTER/THE MANOR

1905 Pico Blvd., Santa Monica, CA 90405 (310) 450-1748

Dennis G. Wilder, Ph.D., Executive Director

Adult Men/ Women

CLARE FOUNDATION, INC.

911 Pico Blvd., Santa Monica, CA 90404 (310) 314-6200

Adult Men/Women

NEW DIRECTIONS REGIONAL OPPORTUNITY CENTER

Emergency Shelter/Service Center

(310) 914-5966 ext. 301

11303 Wilshire Blvd., VA Building 116, Los Angeles, CA 90073

Emergency Shelter services for homeless individuals who have served in the United States military.

NEW DIRECTIONS

12536 Mitchell Ave., Los Angeles, CA 90066 (310) 581-9825

Adult Women, Veterans

OPCC – SAMOSHEL

505 Olympic Blvd., Santa Monica, CA 90401 (310) 581-9825

OPCC – TURNING POINT

1447 16th Street, Santa Monica, CA 90404 (310) 828-6717

Adult Men, Adult Women, Transition Age Youth, Older Adults, Physically Disabled Adults



FAMILY HOUSING

THE BIBLE TABERNACLE

1761 Washington Way

Venice, CA. 90291

(310) 821-6116

Hours - 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 & Saturday 9:00 a.m. to 12pm

The Bible Tabernacle is designed to house single women and women with children. They can currently house eighty (80) plus people. They provide food, clothing and shelter for their guests, all free of charge.

Requirements

* Take part in a telephone interview at first contact
* Have a willingness to make life changes
* Be willing to participate in all classes, services and bible readings
* Commit to a minimum of thirty (30) days in the ministry
* Adhere to financial management program
* Remove all body piercing, except earrings
* Not be on psychotropic medications
* Participate in work therapy
* Can not be receiving general relief (GR)
* Age limit for male children is eleven (11)

Overview

* Biblical based program
* Maximum stay is from two months up to six (6) months
* No men (however there is a single men’s program in Canyon Country)
* No pregnant women

FAMILY PLACE (AN UPWARD BOUND HOUSE)

1020 12th St,

Santa Monica, CA 90403

Hours – 930am – 6pm

Program Manager - Tracy Woodburry-------------------------------------(310) 458-7779 ext. 212

Family Place provides transitional housing and services for families with minor dependent children.  Traditionally, homeless shelters separate men and women; our unique model maintains the family unit intact in separate apartments. The program is housed in a twenty one (21) unit apartment building in the heart of Santa Monica's residential community.  The units comfortably accommodate a full family, with kitchens and home furnishings.  The apartment complex includes a playground and common areas.

Requirements

* Must be referred
* No walk-ins
* Families only
* Must be homeless at time of referral

Overview

* Intensive wrap-around case management
* Counseling
* Food program
* Case management
* Money management program with mandatory savings towards permanent housing
* Parenting and life skills classes
* One year's follow-up services, including home visits
* No age limit for male children
* Wait list (can be six (6) months or longer waiting period)

SALVATION ARMY/WESTWOOD TRANSITIONAL HOUSING

1401 S. Sepulveda Blvd.

Los Angeles, CA. 90025

Hours – 830am – 8pm

Intake -------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 477-9539

The Westwood Transitional Village is a 40-unit residential housing facility that provides support services for homeless families. Families can spend up to two years at Westwood while they stabilize and acquire the skills needed for independent living. The Westwood ‘campus' includes administrative offices and a community center, as well as an adjacent child development center. At Westwood, each of these families is able to reside in a furnished 1-4 bedroom apartment, with 1- 2 bathrooms, a private entrance and either a small front yard or balcony

Requirements

* Must participate in case management
* Must participate in the employment development assistance program
* Must have sufficient income to pay proposed rent, living expenses and participate in a mandatory savings program
* Each family must participate in a supportive service program
* Must call for an intake appointment
* Referral from case manager required
* Must have picture ID
* Must have proof of income
* Must have verification of homelessness from a case manager, social worker, shelter or church program
* Must be willing to pay required rent that is 30% of income
* Must attend weekly life skills classes

Overview

* Intensive counseling and case management - Spiritual and psychological counseling
* Educational training - Parenting, life skills, art therapy and financial budgeting classes
* Employment placement assistance - Career development services
* Medical services - Including, a bi-monthly medical clinic run by UCLA interns
* On-site child-care - Supportive care for children, that strengthens the stability of the entire family
* Housing assistance - Transitional housing on-site and referrals to permanent supportive housing
* Academic tutoring - Individual tutoring services are provided by "School on Wheels", a non profit Malibu-based organization whose purpose is to address the educational instability of homeless children. There is also classroom-style tutoring available through Century LIFT.
* Specialized Teen groups
* Six (6) month waiting list
* Fourteen (14) dedicated to Veterans
* Thirty (30) dedicated to non vet families
* Does not accept single men / women without children
* No age limit for male children
* Maximum stay two (2) years

SOJOURN SERVICES FOR BATTERED WOMEN AND CHILDREN

(Program of OPCC)

1453 16TH Street.

Santa Monica, CA 90403

Hours – 24 hours a day, 365 days a year confidential English and Spanish

Assistant Director – Atta Palatie---------------------------------------------------------(310) 264-6646

Hotline ------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 264-6644

Sojourn provides battered women and their children a safe space to regroup, rebuild, and reestablish their self-esteem and lives. Also, they offer crisis intervention, safety planning, domestic violence information and referrals. Temporary shelter program provides four (4) to six (6) weeks of intensive case management services, individual and play therapy, group therapy, horticultural therapy through their GROW program. The GROW program horticultural therapy provides a healing and nurturing garden setting for all. In addition, second stage shelter encompasses a model of congregate living where residents are provided with three (3) to six (6) months of supportive services.

Requirements

* None – any female requiring their services is eligible

Overview

* Women in any stage of pregnancy; female and male children up to age 18; undocumented women; women with substance abuse and mental health issues; women with disabilities, with care givers, with service animals; with or without restraining orders, recent act of violence, physical violence are welcome.
* Crisis intervention
* Safety planning
* Domestic violence information
* Referrals
* Legal assistance
* Children’s program
* Court Advocacy Program
* Social Services Program
* Safe at home Program
* There is no age limit for male / female children (must be under age 18)

VENICE COMMUNITY HOUSING CORPORATION (TLC)

720 Rose Avenue

Venice, CA. 90291

[www.vchcorp.org](http://www.vchcorp.org)

Hours – 9am – 5pm

Main Line---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 399-4100

The Transitional Living Center (TLC) provides homeless women and their children with housing and supportive services while they work towards economic stability and permanent housing. The 32-bed transitional shelter has room for up to eight 2-4 member families with a maximum stay of two years.

Requirements

* Must have some income, other than general relief (GR)
* No male children over age twelve (12)
* No adult males
* Must be homeless

Overview

* Access to on-site education and life skills programs such as computer classes, tutoring, money management and budgeting
* Access to internship opportunities
* Access to job readiness workshops and placement assistance
* Access to parenting classes
* Case management
* Pre-employment training workshops such resume writing, job interviewing skills and computer job search training
* After school homework assistance and art classes for children ages 6-1
* After school personal health and safety classes, in cooperation with the UCLA TEACH program, for children ages 6-14
* Applications for the LIHEAP energy discount program
* Free Tax Preparation, for households earning less than $56,000 (open to all community members)

WOMEN’S RECOVERY HOME (Program of CLARE Foundation)

11325 Washington Blvd

Los Angeles, CA 90066

Hours – 8am – 4pm

Intake – Gloria Long ----------------------------------------------------------(310) 314-6200  Ext. 3502

The women’s recovery home is a separate gender-specific program allowing female clients a place to address the underlying issues specific to women in recovery. Here, the women exist as their own community of peers. The all-female environment provides a safe and distraction free environment. The clients then work on women's recovery issues: building self-esteem, learning how to be independent, and developing healthier relationships. Since some of the women have children - who are not staying with them but with their relatives - parenting classes are available so they can learn how to be better role models for their kids. However, other women enter the program with their children with them.

Requirements

* Must have the ability to $500.00 per month
* Must agree to random drug testing
* Must have a telephone pre-screen prior to admission
* Must be able to perform activities of daily living
* Must be abstinent from alcohol/drugs for at least 30 days
* Must have a problem with alcohol/drugs
* Must comply with CLARE house rules
* Must maintain sobriety while the program
* Must have participated in a 12-step program within the last 6 months
* Must be at least eighteen (18) years old
* Maximum of two children, Maximum age of children is twelve (12) for boys and girls

Overview

* Must have substance abuse
* Maximum stay is eighteen months
* Female only
* Twenty (20) beds maximum
* Group and family meetings
* Employment workshops



FOOD BANKS AND PANTRIES

CHURCH ON PEARL PANTRY

1520 Pearl Street

Santa Monica, CA 90405

Ph# 310-990-7208

Distribution Time: Wednesday – 2:30pm to 5:30pm

* Requirements: Please call prior to referring client

DELEWARE AVENUE SDA PANTRY

1845 20th Street

Santa Monica, CA 90404

Ph# 310-450-0919

Distribution Time: Sunday – 2:00pm to 4:00pm

* Requirements: Please call prior to referring client

FAITH TABERNACLE CHURCH PANTRY

2147 Purdue Avenue

Los Angeles, CA 90025

Ph# 310-473-3135

Distribution Time: Sunday – 12:30pm to 2:00pm

Requirements— no one is turned down

* if homeless, know zip code ( don’t know Okay)
* provide number of people in family

FEEDING AND TEACHING

2210 Lincoln Blvd.

Venice, CA 90291

Ph# 818-570-3939

Distribution Time: Sundays – 12:00pm to 12:30pm

* Requirements: Please call prior to referring client

FOOD PANTRY LAX

355 E. Beach Street

Inglewood, CA 90302

Ph# 310-677-5597

Distribution Time: Tuesday and Friday 11:00am to 12:30pm

Requirements— no one is turned down

* everyone taken at they word

HOLMAN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

3320 West Adams Blvd.

Los Angeles, CA 90018

Ph# 323-731-7285

Distribution Time Monday, Wednesday & Friday 1:00pm to 3:00pm

Requirements –

* 211 referrals only – Must call 211 on the day of by 8:30am in the morning to request name to be placed on a list in order to receive food that day.
* Can only get food every thirty days.

OPCC

503 Olympic Blvd

Santa Monica, CA 90401

Ph# 310-450-4050 ext 131– Gina Frazier

Distribution Time: Tuesday 2:30pm to 4:00pm

Requirements:

* Please call prior to referring client - client must speak with Gina prior to receiving food. Client will be placed on a list and given a time to come for food. Client must be housed (must have place to prepared food)

PACIFIC HELP Inc.

1514 Main Street

Venice, CA 90291

Ph# 310-926-7974

Distribution Time: Thursdays – 2pm to 4pm

* Requirements: Please call prior to referring client

ST. ANNE’S SOCIAL SERVICE

2013 Colorado Avenue

Santa Monica, CA 90404

Ph# 310-829-4411

Distribution Time: Tuesday – 4:00pm to 5:30pm

* Requirements: Please call prior to referring client

ST. AUGUSTINE’S S.A.V.E.S.

3820 Jasmine Avenue

Culver City, CA 90232

Ph# 310-838-2702 (Sadie)

Distribution Time: Monday, Wednesday & Friday 9:00am to 11:45am

\*\* Services areas of 90232, 90034 and small areas of 90025 & 90230 only

Unable to provide assistance to homeless because they are on a school campus

Requirements -

* proof of income
* rent receipts
* utility bill
* picture ID

ST. GERALD’S SOCIAL SERVICE

4439 Inglewood Blvd.

Los Angeles, CA 90066

Ph# 310-398-7261

Distribution Time: Tuesday and Thursday – 1:00pm to 3:00pm

Requirements -

* They only service residents who reside with the boundaries of North of Jefferson, West of Sepulveda, East of Lincoln and North of Venice
* Must provide proof of address ( or rent receipt or utility bill)
* Must provide proof of any income receiving

ST. JOSEPH CENTER

204 Hampton Drive

Venice, CA 90291

Ph# 310-396-6468 ext 348 - Rachel

Distribution Time: Tuesday – Friday 9:00am to 12:00pm

Requirements -

* services only certain zip codes (90021, 90024-25, 90034-35, 90045, 90064, 90066-67, 90094, 90210, 90212, 90230, 90291-292, 90401-405)
* must make an appointment with Rachel first

SALVATON ARMY, SANTA MONICA

1533 4th Street

Santa Monica, CA 90401

Ph# 310-451-1358

Distribution Time: Monday - Thursday (except 2nd Tuesday) 9:00am to 11:30am

* Requirements: Please call prior to referring client

SALVATION ARMY, INGLEWOOD

324 East Queen Street

Inglewood, CA 90301

Ph# 310-677-3375

Distribution Time: Monday - Friday 1:30 to 3:00pm

Requirements –

* Must have California Identification
* Proof of income
* Must provide current utility bill

Will service anyone as long as they live in the state of California

SOVA - METRO

1140 N. La Brea Avenue

West Hollywood, CA 90038

Ph# 323-932-1658 (when open)

818-988-7682

Distribution Time: 10:00am to 1:30pm Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday (except first Tuesday of the month) -- 9:00am to 12:00pm – 2nd and 4th Sunday

Requirements –

* must present photo Identification for adults and birth certificate for children under age eighteen
* must call at least a halt hour before pantry opens
* services anyone in need

SOVA – WEST

8846 West Pico Blvd.

Los Angeles, CA 90035

Ph# 310-288-0286 (when open)

818-988-7682

Distribution Time: 10:00am to 1:30pm Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday (except first Tuesday of the month) -- 9:00am to 12:00pm – 3rd – Sunday

Requirements –

* must present photo identification for adults and birth certificate for children under age eighteen
* must call at least a half hour before pantry opens
* services anyone in need

THE MILDRED CURSH FOUNDATION

610 California Avenue

Venice, CA 90291

Ph# 310-452-1830 (H)

Distribution Time: 2nd & 4th Thursday 12:30PM to 1:30pm

* Requirements: Please call prior to referring client



HIV/AIDS HOUSING AND HOUSING ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS

ALLIANCE FOR HOUSING AND HEALING, dba AID FOR AIDS

8235 Santa Monica Blvd

West Hollywood, CA 90046

www.aidforaids.net

Main Number-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------(323)656-1107

Please note the Alliance for Housing and Healing encompasses the next nine (9) programs.

Housing Assistance Program

This program provides grants for rent and mortgage for clients who have recently applied for government benefits. May be eligible to apply for up to three consecutive grants.

Requirements

* Disabled by HIV (or HIV symptomatic if you are pending a disability income)
* Recently applied and pending government benefits i.e. SSI, SSDI, SDI, etc.)
* Proof that government benefits are currently pending.
* If receiving income, no more than $927 per month for individual ($1,500 per month for Family Unit) and must show a need
* Living in Los Angeles County (excluding the city of West Hollywood, residents of West Hollywood see below)

Housing Opportunities for Persons With AIDS (HOPWA) Short Term Rent, Mortgage, and Utility Assistance (STRMU) & Permanent Housing Placement Grant (PHP)

This program provides grants for rent, mortgage and utilities (gas, water and electricity) or to assist with some move-in expenses for permanent housing placement. Call for details and to make an appointment. Financial assistance for rent/mortgage and/or utility costs is available up to 21 weeks within a 52 week period for individual and/or families.

Requirements

* HIV-positive/AIDS
* Income of no more than $3,867 per month for a single individual (Family Units amounts may vary)
* Living in Los Angeles County
* Rental assistance (STRMU) is not available for subsidized housing, sober living, transitional living, or assisted living.  PHP grants are available to eligible individuals or families moving into permanent, conventional subsidized housing - low income, tax credit housing only - no sober living or transitional living.
* Referrals by case manager only

West Hollywood Housing Assistance Program

This program provides grants for rent, mortgage and utilities (gas, water and electricity). You may apply for up to two grants per year. Through the generous support of the City of West Hollywood, residents of West Hollywood may apply for up to 4 grants in their first year and 2 annual grants thereafter.

Requirements

* Disabled by HIV (or HIV symptomatic if you are receiving a disability income)
* Income of no more than  $2,158 per month
* Must be a resident of West Hollywood

Berman Fund Financial Assistance Program (Entertainment AIDS Alliance (EAA), formerly known as VIAAC)

This program provides up to $1000 per year for rent, mortgage, health insurance and utility (gas, water, and electricity) assistance for persons who have worked in the video industry.

Requirements

* HIV positive
* Income of no more than $1,500 per month for individual or $3000 per month for Family Units
* Living in the United States
* Proof of current or former employment in the video industry in any capacity, in any function, from such companies; Studios, Production Companies, Duplicators, DVD pressers, Advertising, Marketing, Printers, Packaging suppliers, Fulfillment companies, or other video related suppliers and vendors. Actors are not eligible (Proof: W2’s, letter from a previous employer, etc.)
* Assistance is not available for persons living in subsidized housing (i.e., Low-income, section-8, etc.)
* In addition, assistance with up to $800/month for protease inhibitors (AFA is payer of last resort). Please call for eligibility.

Frank Nelson Memorial Fund for the American Federation of Television & Radio Artists (AFTRA)

This program provides up to $1,000 per year for rent, mortgage, health insurance payments or utility (gas, water, and electricity) assistance for members belonging The American Federation of Television and Radio Artist union.

Requirements

* Disabled by HIV (or HIV symptomatic if you are receiving a disability income).
* Income of no more than $1,646 per month for individual.
* Western part of the United States.
* Proof of AFTRA membership (past or present)

Aid for AIDS Utility Assistance Program

This program provides emergency and non-emergency utility (gas, water, & electric) assistance up to four times a year.

Requirements

* Disabled by HIV (or HIV symptomatic if you are receiving a disability income).
* Income of no more than $1,295 per month for individual (or $1,500 per month for Family Units)
* Living in Los Angeles County

Aid for AIDS Keep It Fresh Food Program

This program provides food vouchers. Eligible clients may receive up to $60 of groceries (Family units may vary).

Requirements

* Disabled by HIV (or HIV symptomatic if you are receiving a disability income)
* Income of no more than $2,158 per month for a single individual (Family units may be slightly higher)
* Living in Los Angeles County
* Cannot already be receiving a delivery meal program

Aid for AIDS Transportation/Bus Pass Program

This program provides eligible clients with a monthly MTA bus pass at no cost. This is an ongoing program; a bus pass may be obtained at the AFA office from the last day of the month through the 10th of the following month.  Supply is limited.

Requirements

* HIV positive
* Income of no more than $2,158 per month for individual.
* Living in Los Angeles County
* Possession of a valid MTA disabled ID card (you must present this card each time you request a monthly pass)

Aid for AIDS Wellness Pharmacy Program

This program provides nutritional supplements for a six month period. Eligible clients may receive up to $60 of approved nutritional supplements  from selected pharmacies.

Requirements

* Disabled by HIV (or HIV symptomatic if you are receiving a disability income).
* Income of no more than $927 per month for individual ($2,158 per month for a West Hollywood resident).
* Living in Los Angeles County.

 Basic Documentation Requirements for all programs

* Diagnosis form (Dated within 2 years, original only)
* Lease/rental agreement or mortgage statement
* AFA Application (Original, no copies)
* Utility bills, if applying for assistance (current)
* Proof of residency (Dated within 3 months)
* Photo identification
* Income documentation (Dated within 3 months)
* Additional documentation may be required

ALLIANCE FOR HOUSING AND HEALING dba SERRA PROJECT

825 Colorado Blvd, Ste 100 (Admin Office, mobile HCM’s)

Los Angeles, CA 90041  
[www.serraproject.org](http://www.serraproject.org)

Main Line----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(323) 344-4888

The Serra Project offers three distinct housing programs to meet the needs of homeless adults and children living with HIV/AIDS in Los Angeles County.

* For those in need of a high level of care, we offer assisted living at four [Group Homes](http://serraproject.org/html/programs1.html) licensed as Residential Care Facilities for the Chronically Ill

The house offers care for homeless persons struggling with symptomatic HIV and AIDS with four group homes licensed as Residential Care Facilities for the Chronically Ill (RCFCI's)

* For those able to live outside a group setting, we offer permanent supportive housing for clients and their families in individual rental units through Community Housing Options at Independent Supported Sites ([CHOISS](http://serraproject.org/html/programs2.html)) -
* CHOISS is designed to allow destitute individuals dealing with symptomatic HIV/AIDS and a verified second diagnosis—such as mental illness, substance abuse or physical disability—to live on their own, either alone or with family members, rather than in a group setting or, worse, on the street.
* For those in need of housing information, referrals, placement and assistance with filling out applications, we offer [Housing Case Management](http://serraproject.org/html/prog3.html)

The program links clients with on-staff Housing Case Managers, who work proactively with the client to formulate housing plans, build resources, access appropriate housing, navigate the search process, apply for housing assistance and make the actual move into housing. A significant issue is the need for affordable housing, a countywide phenomenon among the poor that is even more acutely felt by people who are chronically ill with HIV/AIDS.

Requirements -

* Must be HIV positive symptomatic or must have full blow AIDS
* Must have secondary diagnosis of substance abuse/dependence or mental health diagnosis
* Must qualify for low income housing

COMMON GROUND

2401 Lincoln Blvd

Santa Monica, CA 90405

[www.commongroundwestside.org](http://www.commongroundwestside.org)

Main Line----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 314-5480

(888) 554-5459

Common ground provides access to a continuum of low-barrier high-tolerance services for people living with HIV. Access is easy. Case management provides linkages, resources, referral and support for the different challenges. All services are free of charge to clients who have a positive HIV diagnosis or who are at risk.

Requirements

* HIV positive
* Must have proof of diagnosis
* Must have some type of photo Identification

Overview

* Case management
* Physical care
* Mental Health services
* Assist with Housing and employment needs
* Substance abuse
* Host food banks
* Homeless youth drop in center (M – 3pm – 5pm, T,W,F 5pm – 9pm)
* Offer curbside counseling
* Testing for HIV and other STDs
* Needle exchange
* Lab fees are based on one’s ability to pay (sliding scale)

JUMP STREET (Program of Didi Hirsch CMHC)

1233 S. La Cienega Blvd

Los Angeles, CA. 90035

Hours – 8am – 5pm

Main Line----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 855-0031

See Emergency Shelter

* HIV/AIDS education & awareness

OPCC Access Center

505 Olympic Blvd.  
Santa Monica, CA  90401

Hours – Monday thru Friday 8am to 5pm

Saturday and Sunday – 8am to 12pm

Main Line-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310)450-4050

See Emergency Shelter

* HIV/AIDS education & awareness

P.A.T.H. (People Assisting the Homeless) – WLA

340 N. Madison Ave.  
Los Angeles, CA 90004

Hours – 730am – 4pm

Main Line----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(323) 644-2216

See Transitional Housing

* HIV/AIDS education & awareness



HOSPITALS / CLINICS

BROTMAN MEDICAL CENTER

3828 Delmas

Terrace, Culver City CA. 90231

Main number -----------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 836-7000

Behavioral Health Unit ----------------------------------------------------------(310) 836-7000 ext 6600

* Emergency services (medical / psychiatric)
* Inpatient psychiatric care
* Outpatient psychiatric care - Exodus (310) 253-9494 or (310) 840-3145
* Dual diagnosis treatment

CEDARS-SINAI MEDICAL CENTER

8700 Beverly Blvd

Los Angeles, CA 90048

Main Number ---------------------------------------------------------------------------------- (310) 423-5000

* Emergency services (medical only)
* No psychiatric services

MARINA DEY REY HOSPITAL

4650 Lincoln Blvd

Marina Del Rey, CA. 90292

Main Number ------------------------------------------------------------------------------- (310) 823-8911

* Emergency services (medical only)
* No psychiatric services

KAISER PERMANENTE WEST LOS ANGELES MEDICAL CENTER

6041 Cadillac Ave

Los Angeles, CA 90034

Main Number -----------------------------------------------------------------------------------323) 857-2000

* Emergency (medical only)
* No psychiatric services

KAISER PERMENENTE WATERRIDGE

5105 West Goldleaf Circle

Los Angeles, CA 90056

Main Number------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(323)298-3100

* Outpatient psychiatric services only

LES KELLY FAMILY HEALTH CENTER

1920 Colorado Ave

Santa Monica, CA 90404

Main Number-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 319-4700

* No emergency services (medical / psychiatric)
* No psychiatric services
* Drug Abuse program
* Family practice only

OLYMPIC MEDICAL CENTER

2070 Century Park East

Los Angeles, CA. 90067

Main Number-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 553-6211

Reflections Department (Psychiatric services)----------------------------(310) 553-6211 ext 5056

* Emergency (medical only)
* In patient (medical only)
* Outpatient psychiatric services only

RONALD REGAN UCLA MEDICAL CENTER

757 Westwood Plaza

Westwood, CA 90095

Main Line--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------- (310) 825-9111

* Emergency services (medical / psychiatric)
* In patient services (medical only)
* No psychiatric inpatient / outpatient (see UCLA NPI)

SAINT JOHN’S HOSPITAL AND HEALTH CENTER

1328 22nd

St. Santa Monica CA 90404

Main Number-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 829-5511

* Emergency (medical only)
* In patient (medical only)
* Child and family counseling only (outpatient only)

SEMEL INSTITUTE FOR NEUROSCIENCE AND HUMAN BEHAVIOR formerly UCLA (NPI) HOSPITAL

760 Westwood Plaza

Los Angeles, CA. 90095

Main Line---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 825-9989

* Emergency services (psychiatric only)
* No medical emergency services
* In patient psychiatric services
* Outpatient psychiatric services

SIMMS/MAN HEALTH AND WELLNESS CENTER

2509 Pico Blvd

Santa Monica, CA 90405

Main line-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 392-8630

* No emergency services
* Mental Health services
* Chronic Pain Program
* Stress Management Program
* Patenting & Nutrition Skills
* Family Weight Management
* Chronic Interventions
* Environmental Interventions

UCLA MEDICAL CENTER – SANTA MONICA

1250 16TH St

Santa Monica, CA 90404

Main Number----------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 319-4000

* Emergency services (medical only)
* In patient (medical only)
* Rape Treatment Center (RTC) only
* No psychiatric services

VENICE FAMILY CLINIC

604 Rose Ave

Venice, CA 90291

Main Line-----------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 392-8636 or 8630

Homeless patients may walk in beginning at 8:30am Monday through Friday to be assessed for an appointment. Appointments are given on a first come first serve basis. Primary Health Care including medications, diagnosis, treatment, follow-up care and laboratory tests

* Prenatal care
* Pediatric care (well-child, developmental screenings, immunizations, parenting classes, chronic care, teen)
* Teen care (Robert Levine Family Health Center / Culver City Youth Health Center / Santa Monica High School)
* Adult primary care (general care and chronic care, including diabetes and high blood pressure)
* Health, wellness and integrative medicine treatment ([Simms/Mann Health and Wellness Center](http://venicefamilyclinic.org/index.php?view=vfc_simms_mann&action=index))
* Women's health (The program provides obstetrics and gynecological visits, including breast and cervical cancer screenings, contraceptive services and counseling. The cornerstone of the program is prenatal care with a full package of services including medical care, health education, mental health and support services.)
* Family planning
* Ongoing care for chronic diseases such as asthma, diabetes and hypotension
* Homeless health
* Eye care
* Dental care, including exams, x-rays, cleanings, root canals and fillings
* Health education, disease prevention and nutrition counseling
* HIV/AIDS prevention, testing and treatment
* Specialty care provided by volunteer physicians in such areas as cardiology, dermatology, ear/nose/throat/, endocrinology, neurology, optometry, ophthalmology and podiatry
* Lab and diagnostic services
* Medications
* Short-term individual, family and group counseling as well as psychiatric services
* Domestic violence intervention
* Comprehensive child development services, including medical, dental, mental health, parent education, and child safety and wellness, as well as coordination of community resources
* Health insurance enrollment (Medi-Cal, Healthy Families, Healthy Kids , Health Way LA and other available programs for patients who are eligible)

Venice Family Clinic encompasses the next eight clinics

Please note: appointments are required at all locations. Call the main line to schedule an appointment

MILKEN FAMILY FOUNDATION MEDICAL BUILDING / FREDRICK R. WEISMAN FAMILY CENTER

604 Rose Avenue

Venice, CA 90291

RORBERT LEVINE FAMILY HEATLH CENTER CULVER CITY YOUTH HEALTH CENTER

905 Venice Blvd 4401 Elenda Street

Venice, CA 90291 Culver City, CA 90230

SIMMS/MANN HEALTH AND WELLNESS CENTER

[2509 Pico Boulevard  
Santa Monica, CA 90405](http://maps.google.com/maps?hl=en&q=2509+pico+boulevard&um=1&ie=utf-8&hq=&hnear=2509+pico+blvd,+santa+monica,+ca+90404&gl=us&ei=jm5vtcdniim4sao5-jcjda&sa=x&oi=geocode_result&ct=title&resnum=1&ved=0cbmq8gewaa)

SANTA MONICA HIGH SCHOOL CHILDREN FIRST EARLY HEAD START INGLEWOOD

[601 Pico Boulevard 111 N. La Brea Ave., Suite 410  
Santa Monica, CA 90405](http://maps.google.com/maps?hl=en&q=601+pico+boulevard&um=1&ie=utf-8&hq=&hnear=601+pico+blvd,+santa+monica,+ca+90405&gl=us&ei=tc5vtab-i4mqsaox8nyhda&sa=x&oi=geocode_result&ct=title&resnum=1&ved=0cbmq8gewaa) Inglewood, CA 90301  
  
OPCC ANNENBERG ACCESS CENTER

[503 Olympic Boulevard  
Santa Monica, CA 90401](http://maps.google.com/maps?hl=en&um=1&ie=utf-8&q=503+olympic+boulevard&fb=1&gl=us&hnear=los+angeles,+ca&cid=0,0,12295381317546814952&ei=x85vtbv7kzoosaoqpqybda&sa=x&oi=local_result&ct=image&resnum=1&ved=0cbqqnwiwaa)

IRMA COLEN HEALTH CENTER  
BRADDOCK SQUARE SHOPPING CENTER

[4700 Inglewood Boulevard, #102 – Los Angeles, CA 90230](http://maps.google.com/maps?hl=en&q=4700+inglewood+blvd,+culver+city,+los+angeles,+california+90230&ie=utf8&geocode=ffkzbgid1ylx-a&split=0&sll=37.0625,-95.677068&sspn=23.875,57.630033&hq=&hnear=4700+inglewood+blvd,+culver+city,+los+angeles,+california+90230&z=16)

VETERANS HEALTH CARE CENTER – WLA

11301 Wilshire Blvd

Los Angeles, CA. 90073

Hours - 24 hours

Main Line----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 478-3711

* Emergency services (medical / psychiatric)
* Inpatient medical / psychiatric
* Veterans only
* Homeless Services

The following outpatient clinics are directly operated by DMH or contracted providers

ALCOTT CENTER FOR MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES

1433 S. Robertson Blvd

Los Angeles, CA 90035

Hours – 9am – 5pm

Main Line-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310)785-2121

Overview

* Walk ins – 9am – 4pm
* Services adults only ages 18+
* Languages – English, Farsi, Spanish, Chinese (mandarin), German, Italian, Hebrew
* Case management
* Crisis intervention
* Day rehabilitation
* Medication support
* Mental Health services
* Socialization
* Contracted provider

DIDI HIRSCH COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH CENTER

4780 Sepulveda Blvd

Culver City, CA 90230

Hours – 9am – 5pm

Main Line----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 390-6612

Overview-

* Walk-ins 9am – 4pm
* Services adults only ages 18+
* Languages – English, Spanish, Chinese (mandarin), German, Russian, Lithuanian, Marathi, Tagalog, Persian, French
* Adult day care
* Rehabilitation
* Community outreach
* Community support
* Crisis intervention
* Full Service Partnership
* Psych Testing
* Wellness Center
* Clinic run wellness center
* Contracted provider

DIDI HIRSCH MENTAL HEALTH CENTER – MAR VISTA

12240 Venice Blvd

Los Angeles, CA 90066

Hours – 9am – 6pm

Main Line---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 751-1200

Overview-

* No walk-ins must contact intake department at (310) 390-6612 for assessment
* Services children and families
* Languages – English, Farsi, Spanish
* Case management
* Community outreach
* Contracted provider
* Medication support
* Mental Health Services
* Psych testing
* Full Service Partnership

EDMUND D. EDELMAN MENTAL HEALTH CENTER

11080 W. Olympic Blvd

Los Angeles, CA 90064

Hours – 8am – 6pm

Main Line for adults-------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 966-6500

Overview

* Walk-ins for adults – 8am – 3pm (Monday – Thursday)
* Crisis intervention
* Assessment
* Medication Management
* Case management
* Group therapy
* Money management
* Transition age youth
* Wellness
* Full Service Partnership
* Field Capable Clinical Services – Older Adults (FCCS-OA)
* Rehabilitation (work / school)
* Benefits and housing assistance

Main Line for Children ---------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 966-6610

Overview

* Walk-ins from 8am – 5pm
* Individual therapy
* Family therapy
* Group therapy
* Psychiatric evaluation
* Medication management
* Children’s school based services
* Case management
* Directly operated clinic

SA 5 EOB CRISIS & HOMELESS OUTREACH PROGRAM

11303 West Washington Blvd

Los Angeles, CA 90066

Hours – 24 hours

Main Line during regular business hours -----------------------------------------------(310) 482-3260

After hours- (Access Hotline)---------------------------------------------------------------(800) 854-7771

Overview

* First responder for crisis intervention situations
* LPS designated for 5150 and 5585 holds
* Arrange hospitalizations
* On call service via access hotline 24 hours
* Services Adults/youth/child
* Languages – English, Tagalog, Spanish
* DMH directly operated

E.C.F. KANE ERAS CENTER

8350 Machado Road

Culver City, CA 90230

Hours – 9am– 7pm

Main Line----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 737-9393

Overview –

* No walk-ins
* Medi-Cal only
* Languages – English, Spanish, Serbo-Croatian, Chinese (Mandarin), Hungarian, Punjabi
* Child/Youth only age 3 to 20 twenty
* Case management
* Medication support
* Mental Health Services
* No Psych testing
* Contracted provider

EXDOUS RECOVERY, INC

3828 Delmas Terrace

Culver City, CA 90232

Hours – 24 hours 7 days/ week

Main Line-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310)253-9494

Overview

* Walk-ins -7am – 8pm (for psychiatrist services)
* Languages – English, Spanish, Hindi, French, Ibo, Uoruba, Vietnamese, Cantonese, Russian, Bulgarian, Hungarian, Romanian
* Services Adults only 18+ / 16 year olds with parent or guardian
* Medication support
* Mental Health services
* Crisis intervention
* Full Service partnership \* Contracted provider

EXDOUS URGENT CARE

9808 Venice Blvd Ste 700

Culver City, CA 90232

Hours - 24 hours 7 days/ week

Main Line-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 280-7006

Overview –

* Walk-ins -
* Services Adult only 18+
* Languages – English
* Mental Health Services
* Full Service Partnership
* Contracted provider

FAMILY SERVICES OF SANTA MONICA – VISTA DEL MAR

1533 Euclid Street

Santa Monica, CA 90404

Hours – 9am – 8pm – M – Th & 830am – 4pm Fr

Main Line ----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 451-9747

Overview

* No walk-ins
* Services Adult/Youth/Child
* Languages – English & Spanish
* Case management
* Medication support
* Mental Health Services
* Contracted provider

PACIFIC ASIAN COUSELING SERVICES

8616 La Tijera Blvd., STE 200

Los Angeles, CA 90045

Hours – 9am – 6pm

Main Line----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 337-1550

Overview

* No walk-ins
* Services Adult/Youth/Child
* Languages – English, Spanish & Tagalog
* Community outreach
* Full Service Partnership (FSP) Adult / Child
* Field Capable Clinical Services (FCCS)
* Medication support
* Mental health promotion
* Psych testing
* Contracted provider
* School based services

ST. JOHN’S CHILD & FAMILY DEVELOPMENT CENTER

1339 20th Street

Santa Monica, CA 90404

Hours – M – Th – 8am to 8pm & Fri 8am – 5pm

Main Line----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 829-5921

Overview

* No walk-ins
* Services Child and youth only
* Deaf and hard of hearing
* Languages – English
* Legal guardian or custodial parent must call for telephone in-take evaluation
* No private insurance – Medi-cal, Healthy Families or indigent only
* Does not accept referrals
* Case management
* Community outreach
* Day rehabilitation
* Medication support
* Mental health promotion
* Mental health services
* School based services
* Contracted provider

STEP UP ON SECOND STREET, INC.

1328 Second Street

Santa Monica, CA 90401

Hours – M- Su 830am – 700pm & Thurs 9am – 700pm

Main Line ---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 394-6889

Overview

* Walk-ins after 10am
* Services Adults only
* Languages – English, Spanish, Dutch, Russian, Tagalong
* Assist with housing
* Case management
* Community outreach
* Crisis intervention
* Full service partnership (FSP)
* Medication support
* Mental health promotion
* Mental Health services
* Psych testing
* Wellness center
* Client run wellness center
* Contracted provider

STEP UP ON SECOND STREET DANIEL’S PLACE

1619 Santa Monica Blvd.

Santa Monica, CA 90404

Hours – 9am – 6pm

Main Line ---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 392-5855

Overview –

* No walk-ins
* Telephone intake evaluation only and referrals
* Languages – English & Spanish
* Services TAY age group only 18 – 28
* Intensive case management
* Medication support
* Mental health services
* Crisis intervention
* Computer training
* Art studio
* Socialization
* Money management assistance
* Educational programs
* Assist with housing
* Contracted provider

THE HELP GROUP-WEST

12099 Washington Blvd

Los Angeles, CA 90066

Hours – M – F 9am – 4pm

Main Line----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 751-1171

Overview

* No walk-ins
* Services Child/Youth only (ages 0-21)
* Languages – English, Farsi, Spanish, German
* Day rehabilitation
* Full Service Partnership (FSP) (child)
* Medication support
* Mental health services
* Psych testing
* Case management
* Medi-cal only / Healthy Families
* School based provider
* TBS
* Contracted provider

VISTA DEL MAR CHILD & FAMILY SERVICES

3200 Motor Avenue

Los Angeles, CA 90034

Hours – 8am – 5pm

Main Line----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 836-1223

Overview-

* No walk-ins
* Services Child/Youth only
* Languages – English
* Case management
* Day rehabilitation
* Field capable clinical services (FCCS)
* Medication support
* Mental health services
* Psych testing
* Wellness center
* Client run wellness center
* School based services
* Connections wraparound
* Therapeutic Behavioral Services (TBS)
* Family therapy & Play therapy
* Contracted provider

WESTSIDE FAMILY HEALTH CENTER

1711 Ocean Park Blvd.

Santa Monica, CA 90405

[www.wfhcenter.org](http://www.wfhcenter.org)

**Hours –** M – F 830am – 5pm

S - 830am – 2pm

Main Line---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 450-2191

Westside Family Health Center provides comprehensive, high quality, cost effective health care in an environment that empowers patients to take an assertive role in their well-being. We believe good health is more than just treating illness. That's why we stress preventive care and offer a broad range of comprehensive health care services for women, men and children.

Overview-

* [Adult physical exams](http://www.wfhcenter.org/index.php/services#Adult%20Physical%20Exams%23Adult%20Physical%20Exams)
* [Assistance in obtaining health insurance](http://www.wfhcenter.org/index.php/services#Health%20Insurance%20Assistance%23Health%20Insurance%20Assistance)
* [Assistance in obtaining low cost medications](http://www.wfhcenter.org/index.php/services#Medication%20Assistance%23Medication%20Assistance)
* [Birth control](http://www.wfhcenter.org/index.php/services#Birth%20Control%23Birth%20Control)
* [Breastfeeding education and support](http://www.wfhcenter.org/index.php/services#Childbirth%20Classes%23Childbirth%20Classes)
* [Childbirth classes](http://www.wfhcenter.org/index.php/services#Childbirth%20Classes%23Childbirth%20Classes)
* [Chronic care management classes](http://www.wfhcenter.org/index.php/services#Chronic%20care%20management%20classes%23Chronic%20care%20management%20classes)
* [Chronic conditions](http://www.wfhcenter.org/index.php/services#Chronic%20Conditions%23Chronic%20Conditions)
* [Educational presentations and trainings](http://www.wfhcenter.org/index.php/services#Educational%20presentations%20and%20trainings%23Educational%20presentations%20and%20trainings)
* [Gynecological exams](http://www.wfhcenter.org/index.php/services#Women's%20Health%23Women's%20Health)
* [Health education (adult)](http://www.wfhcenter.org/index.php/services#Healthy%20Aging%23Healthy%20Aging)
* [Health education (youth)](http://www.wfhcenter.org/index.php/services#PHET%23PHET)
* [Healthy Aging](http://www.wfhcenter.org/index.php/services#Healthy%20Aging%23Healthy%20Aging)
* [Hearing Screening](http://www.wfhcenter.org/index.php/services#Hearing%20Screening%23Hearing%20Screening)
* [HIV prevention support groups for gay men](http://www.wfhcenter.org/index.php/services#Man%20Up%23Man%20Up)
* [HIV testing (traditional and rapid) and counseling](http://www.wfhcenter.org/index.php/services#HIV%20Testing%23HIV%20Testing)
* [Immunizations](http://www.wfhcenter.org/index.php/services#Immunizations%23Immunizations)
* [Lead poisoning screening](http://www.wfhcenter.org/index.php/services#Lead%20Poisining%20Screening%23Lead%20Poisining%20Screening)
* [Male health services](http://www.wfhcenter.org/index.php/services#Male%20Health%20Services%23Male%20Health%20Services)
* [Mammograms](http://www.wfhcenter.org/index.php/services#Mammograms%23Mammograms)
* [Mother-Infant parenting classes](http://www.wfhcenter.org/index.php/services#Mother-Infant%20Parenting%20Class%23Mother-Infant%20Parenting%20Class)
* [Nutrition counseling](http://www.wfhcenter.org/index.php/services#Nutrition%20counseling%23Nutrition%20counseling)
* [Outreach, Community & Corporate](http://www.wfhcenter.org/index.php/services#Outreach-Community%20&%20Corporate%23Outreach-Community%20&%20Corporate)
* [Outreach, School](http://www.wfhcenter.org/index.php/services#Outreach,%20School%23Outreach,%20School)
* [Outreach, Street](http://www.wfhcenter.org/index.php/services#Outreach,%20Street%23Outreach,%20Street)
* [Pap smears](http://www.wfhcenter.org/index.php/services#Women's%20Health%23Women's%20Health)
* [Pediatric and family literacy](http://www.wfhcenter.org/index.php/services#Pediatric%20and%20Family%20Literacy%23Pediatric%20and%20Family%20Literacy)
* [Peer health education training](http://www.wfhcenter.org/index.php/services#PHET%23PHET)
* [Pregnancy testing](http://www.wfhcenter.org/index.php/services#Pregnancy%20Testing%23Pregnancy%20Testing)
* [Prenatal care](http://www.wfhcenter.org/index.php/services#Prenatal%20Care%23Prenatal%20Care)
* [School physical exams](http://www.wfhcenter.org/index.php/services#Pediatric%20Care%23Pediatric%20Care)
* [Sick-child exams](http://www.wfhcenter.org/index.php/services#Pediatric%20Care%23Pediatric%20Care)
* [Tuberculosis screening](http://www.wfhcenter.org/index.php/services#Tuberculosis%20Screening%23Tuberculosis%20Screening)
* [Vision screening](http://www.wfhcenter.org/index.php/services#Vision%20Screening%23Vision%20Screening)
* [VYBE Clinic](http://www.wfhcenter.org/index.php/services-mainmenu/view-all-services#VYBE)
* [Well-child checkups](http://www.wfhcenter.org/index.php/services#Pediatric%20Care%23Pediatric%20Care)
* [Women’s health](http://www.wfhcenter.org/index.php/services#Women's%20Health%23Women's%20Health)

WISE and HEALTHY AGING HEADQUARTERS

1527 4th Street, 2nd floor

Santa Monica, CA 90401

www.wiseandhealthyaging.org

Hours – M – F 830am – 5pm

Main Line----------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 394-9871 ext. 464

WISE & Healthy Aging is a multi-service, non-profit organization serving older adults and their families and caregivers throughout Los Angeles County. Headquartered in Santa Monica, the team at WISE & Healthy Aging works to promote and improve the well-being, independence and self-esteem of seniors, and to prevent premature institutionalization whenever possible

Overview-

* Adult Day Service Center
* Benefits Enrollment Center
* California Elder Justice Work Group
* Caregivers Support Groups
* Caregiver Training Academy
* Care Management (In-Home Services)
* City and County of Los Angeles Long-Term Care Ombudsman Program
* Club 1527
* Elder Abuse Prevention Services
* FAST (Financial Abuse Specialist Team)
* Financial and Legal Clinics
* For Professionals
* Healthy Lunches Program (within City of Santa Monica)
* Information & Referral Services
* Medicare Insurance Counseling
* Mental Health Services
* Peer Counseling Program
* Reverse Mortgage Counseling
* Senior Action Fairs
* Senior Companion Program
* Support Groups
* Transportation & Mobility Program
* Volunteer Opportunities
* WISE Connections



HOUSING RIGHTS ASSISTANCE

(Advocacy and Legal Assistance)

BET TZEDEK LEGAL SERVICES

145 S. Fairfax Ave. Ste. 200

Los Angeles, CA 90036

[www.bettzedek.org](http://www.bettzedek.org/)

Hours – 9am – 5pm M - F

Main Line----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(323) 939.0506

Fax-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------( 323) 549.5880

Overview

* Eviction Defense
* Housing Conditions/Tenants’ rights
* Real Estate fraud against seniors
* Foreclosure prevention
* Medical-Legal Partnership at Saint Francis Medical Center
* SOVA Community Resource Program Advocacy
* West Hollywood Project
* LGBTQ Legal Clinic

CITY OF CULVER CITY HOUSING DIVISION

9770 Culver Blvd

Culver City, CA 90232

[www.ci.culvercity.ca.us](http://www.ci.culvercity.ca.us)

Hours – 8am – 5pm M – F

Main Line--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 253-5780

Fax number-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 253-5785

Overview

* Rental Assistance Programs ([Section 8](http://www.ci.culver-city.ca.us/government/communitydevelopment/housing/rentalassistanceprogram.aspx), [Rental Assistance Program](http://www.ci.culver-city.ca.us/government/communitydevelopment/housing/rentalassistanceprogram.aspx), [Family Self-Sufficiency Program](http://www.ci.culver-city.ca.us/government/communitydevelopment/housing/famliyselfsufficiencyprogram.aspx) and Culver City Rental Assistance Program (RAP))
* Housing Programs ([Neighborhood Preservation Program](http://www.ci.culver-city.ca.us/government/communitydevelopment/housing/neighborhoodpreservation.aspx), [Home Secure](http://www.ci.culver-city.ca.us/government/communitydevelopment/housing/homesecure.aspx), [Protect Your Family From Lead/Mold](http://www.ci.culver-city.ca.us/government/communitydevelopment/housing/leadmold.aspx))
* Fair Housing and Rent Mediation ([Housing Rights Center](http://www.ci.culver-city.ca.us/government/communitydevelopment/housing/housingrights.aspx), [Landlord Tenant Mediation Board](http://www.ci.culver-city.ca.us/government/communitydevelopment/housing/landlordtenant.aspx))

CITY OF SANTA MONICA HOUSING & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

1901 Main Street, Ste C  
Santa Monica, CA 90405

[www.smgov.net](http://www.smgov.net)

Hours - 8am – 5pm M - F

Main Line----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 458-8702

Fax------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 998-3298

Overview

* [Section 8 Rental assistance](http://www.smgov.net/departments/hed/housing_and_redevelopment/housing/section_8_rental_assistance.aspx) for low income, elderly and disabled (vouchers/ certificates)
* [FSS - The Family Self Sufficiency Program](http://smgov.staging/departments/hed/content.aspx?id=14721#10)
* [SPC - The Shelter Plus Care Program](http://www.smgov.net/uploadedfiles/departments/hed/housing_and_redevelopment/affordable_housing/spcprogramdescription.pdf)
* [HOME - (TBRA) Special Needs Program](http://www.smgov.net/uploadedfiles/departments/hed/housing_and_redevelopment/affordable_housing/home_program_description.pdf)
* [RDA - Redevelopment Rental Assistance Program](http://www.smgov.net/uploadedfiles/departments/hed/housing_and_redevelopment/affordable_housing/rda%2520description.pdf)
* Waiting list is closed at present.
* Spanish spoken
* Serves: Santa Monica

DEPT. OF HOUISNG & URBAN DEVELOPMENT (AT&T Building)

611 West Sixth Street, Ste 801  
Los Angeles, CA 90017

Hours – 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. M – F

Main Line -------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(213) 894-8000

Overview –

* Assistance with [housing](http://www.hud.gov/complaints/housediscrim.cfm) discrimination issues
* Assistance with [Bad landlords in federal housing](http://www.hud.gov/complaints/badlandlord.cfm)
* Housing vouchers (section 8, shelter plus care, homeless/chronic homeless)
* Subsidized housing
* [Homeownership Assistance](http://www.hud.gov/local/ca/homeownership/buyingprgms.cfm)

DISABILTY RIGHTS CALIFORNIA formerly (Protection and advocacy, INC.)

3580 Wilshire Blvd. Ste 903

Los Angeles, CA 90010

www.pandasc.org

Hours – 9am – 5pm M – F

Main Line----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(213) 427-8747

Overview

* Tell people with disabilities about their many legal, civil, and service rights
* Provide technical assistance, training, publications, and advocacy support for Californians with disabilities, their families, and representatives
* Advocate to make sure that laws benefit Californians with disabilities
* Investigate complaints about serious physical or sexual abuse and neglect-related deaths in institutions
* Outreach to traditionally underserved ethnic and disability communities
* Provide peer self-advocacy services for people with psychiatric or developmental disabilities
* Provide patients’ rights advocacy for state psychiatric hospital residents, and technical assistance and training for county advocates
* Provide rights advocacy for clients with developmental disabilities who are receiving services at regional centers
* Bring impact litigation and act as amicus curiae in disability- related cases
* Represent individuals based on our priorities and case selection criteria

HOUSING RIGHTS CENTER

520 S. Virgil Ave. Ste. 400

Los Angeles, CA 90020

[www.hrc-la.org](http://www.hrc-la.org)

Hours - 8:30am - 5:00pm M - F

Main Line----------------------------------------------------------------(800)477-5977-or-(213) 387-5977

Fax------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(213) 381-8555

Overview

* Fair housing education and outreach
* Housing discrimination compliant investigation
* Tenant and landlord counseling

LEGAL AID FOUNDATION OF LOS ANGELES

1640 5TH St. Ste 124

Santa Monica, CA 90401

[www.lafla.org](http://www.lafla.org)

Hours – 9am – 5pm M – F

Main Line---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------- (800) 399-4529

Our Housing & Eviction Defense attorneys seek to create, preserve, and improve decent and safe affordable housing for individuals and families throughout Los Angeles County. We provide a full range of services from eviction defense to complex and multifaceted litigation and public policy strategies. Our attorneys also advocate for the creation and preservation of safe and affordable housing. We often coordinate our services with other legal services programs, non-profits, and community-based organizations to successfully help our clients.

Overview

* Legal representation
* Pleading preparation
* Protect and preserve government subsidized housing
* Alleviate slum conditions through outreach, advocacy, and litigation
* Create and preserve affordable housing
* Public policy advocacy, community outreach, and education
* Collaboration with community-based organizations and government agencies
* Phone intake first

MENTAL HEALTH ADVOCACY SERVICES

3255 Wilshire Blvd, Ste. 902

Los Angeles, CA 90010

www.mhas-la.org

Main Line----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(213) 389-2077

Overview

* Free legal services to people with mental disabilities primarily in Los Angeles County
* Assist both adults and children with an emphasis on obtaining government benefits and services, protecting rights and fighting discrimination
* Serves as a resource to the community by providing training and technical assistance to attorneys, mental health professionals, consumer and family member groups, and other advocates
* Participates in impact litigation in an effort to improve the lives of people with mental disabilities
* No walk-ins, must participate in phone assessment
* Does not provide legal representation in court

PATIENT’S RIGHTS – LAC DMH

550 S. Vermont Ave. Rm. 600

Los Angeles, CA 90020

Hours – 8am – 5pm M – F

Main Line----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(800) 700-9996

Advocacy Line----------------------------------------------------------------------------------(213) 738-4888

Beneficiary Services--------------------------------------------------------------------------(213) 738-4949

ACCESS Program-----------------------------------------------------------------------------(800) 854-7771

Overview

* [Representation at Certification Review Hearings](http://dmhhqportal1/sites/prb/shared%2520documents/hearings.aspx)
* [Beneficiary Services Program](http://dmhhqportal1/sites/prb/shared%2520documents/bene.aspx)
* [Residential Advocacy Program](http://dmhhqportal1/sites/prb/shared%2520documents/residential.aspx)
* [Jail Advocacy Program](http://dmhhqportal1/sites/prb/shared%2520documents/jail.aspx)
* [Project Search: Missing Person Locator](http://dmhhqportal1/sites/prb/shared%2520documents/missing.aspx)
* [Training & Consultation](http://dmhhqportal1/sites/prb/shared%2520documents/training.aspx)
* [Children's Advocacy Program](http://dmhhqportal1/sites/prb/shared%2520documents/children.aspx)
* [IMD Program](http://dmhhqportal1/sites/prb/shared%2520documents/imd.aspx)

PUBLIC COUNSEL LAW CENTER

601 S. Ardmore Ave

Los Angles, CA 90005

[www.publiccounsel.org](http://www.publiccounsel.org)

Hours - 9am – 5pm M – F

Main Line----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(213) 385-2977

Overview

* Public Counsel provides a wide variety of legal services to low-income individuals, nonprofits and small businesses.
* [Children's Legal Issues](http://www.publiccounsel.org/practice_areas/childrens_rights)
* [Consumer and Debtor Issues](http://www.publiccounsel.org/practice_areas/consumer_law)
* [Federal Court Cases](http://www.publiccounsel.org/practice_areas/appellate_law)
* [Government Benefits](http://www.publiccounsel.org/practice_areas/homelessness_prevention)
* [Homelessness Prevention](http://www.publiccounsel.org/practice_areas/homelessness_prevention)
* [Immigration](http://www.publiccounsel.org/practice_areas/immigrant_rights)
* [Veterans](http://www.publiccounsel.org/practice_areas/center_for_veterans_advancement)

STATE OF CALIFORNIA – LOS ANGELES OFFICE   
  
Department of Fair Employment and Housing   
611 West Sixth Street, 15th Floor   
Los Angeles , CA 90017

<http://www.dfeh.ca.gov>

Hours – 8am – 5pm M – F

Main Line----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(800)-233-3212

Overview

* Enforces the Fair Employment and Housing Act (FEHA), the Ralph Civil Rights Act, and the Unruh Civil Rights Act
* Investigates harassment, discrimination, and hate violent complaints
* Assists landlords and tenants resolve complaints involving alleged violations of the laws enforced by DFEH
* Prosecutes violations of the laws enforced by DFEH
* Educates Californians about the laws against discrimination, harassment and hate violence

WESTERN CENTER ON LAW AND POVERTY

3701 Wilshire Blvd., Ste 208

Los Angeles, CA. 90010

[www.wclp.org](http://www.wclp.org/)

Hours - 9am – 5pm M – F

Main Line----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(213) 487-7211

Overview

* Increase the supply of affordable housing through land use advocacy including redevelopment and rent control
* Preserve the existing supply of low-income housing by enforcing legal obligations to keep housing affordable and replace lost units
* Prevent homelessness by enforcing and expanding tenant protections
* They do not work with clients on a one to one basis – however a client can initiate a law suit, but the cause must be large enough for a class action law suit.

WISE SENIOR SERVICES LONG-TERM CARE OMBUDSMAN

P.O. Box 769

Santa Monica, CA 90406

Hours – 8:00am – 5:00pm M – F

Main Line ---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(800) 334-9473

Overview

* Advocacy by voicing residents' concerns to a facility's administration.
* Investigation of complaints made by or on behalf of residents
* Informal mediation to help parties involved reach agreements and settle conflicts, with the resident's satisfaction as the main focus
* Elder abuse investigation. Ombudsmen are trained to investigate and report suspected cases of elder and dependent adult abuse in long-term care facilities
* Education to make residents and caregiver more aware of residents’ rights under State and federal regulations
* Witnessing of residents’ signatures on documents such as Advance Health Care Directives in skilled nursing facilities
* Conducting regular unannounced visits to skilled nursing facilities and assisted living or board and care facilities



MOTELS / HOTELS

\* Rates are subject to change without notice

ANNE’S MOTEL

1755 S. La Cienega Blvd

Los Angeles, CA 90035

Main Line----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 837-5173

* Does not accept hotel/motel vouchers
* No weekly rates
* Daily rate is $65.00 per night
* Check out time is 11:00am daily

AZUL INN

10740 Santa Monica Blvd

Los Angeles, CA 90025

Main Line----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 474-4576

* Does not accept hotel/motel vouchers
* Daily rate is $126.00 plus tax for single and $142.00 plus tax for family of three
* Does not offer weekly rates
* Check in time is anytime after 3pm
* Check out time is 11am

BAYSIDE HOTEL

2001 Ocean Ave

Santa Monica, CA 90405

Main Line---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 396-6000

* Does not accept hotel/motel vouchers
* No weekly rates
* Daily rate varies from $109.00 to $379.00 depending on the time of year
* Check out time is 11:00am or 12pm daily
* Check in time is 3:00pm or later

CULVER CITY TRAVELODGE

11180 Washington Pl

Culver City, CA 90232

Main Line----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 839-1111

* Does not accept hotel/motel vouchers
* Weekly rate is $672.00 + tax
* Daily rate is $96.00
* Check in time is 2pm Daily
* Check out time is 11am Daily

CULVER MOTEL

11162 Culver Blvd

Culver City, CA 90230

Main Line----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 558-9769

* Does not accept hotel/motel vouchers
* Weekly rate is $250.00 tax included
* Daily rate is $45.00
* Check in time is 11am Daily
* Check out time is 1:30pm Daily

ENCORE MOTEL

13432 Washington Blvd

Marina Del Rey, CA 90292

Main Line----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 823-5066

* Does not accept hotel/motel vouchers
* Does not offer weekly rates
* Daily rate is $80.00 for a single occupancy tax included
* Check in time is anytime after 12pm
* Check out time is 10am

EXTENDED STAY AMERICA

6531 S. Sepulveda Blvd

Los Angeles, CA 90045

Main Line----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 568-9337

* Does not accept hotel/motel vouchers
* Offers weekly rates, however varies depending on time of year and number of occupancies
* Daily rates vary depending on time of year and number of occupancies
* Check in time is 3pm
* Check out time is 11am

FOUR POINTS HOTEL

9750 Airport Blvd

Los Angeles, CA 90045

Main Line----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 645-4600

* Does not accept hotel/motel vouchers
* Daily rates vary from $80.00 to $135.00 depending on the time of year and number of occupancies
* Does not offer weekly rates
* Check in time is 3pm
* Check out time is 12 pm

GOLDEN STAR MOTEL

710 Rose Ave

Venice, CA 90291

Main Line----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 399-1208

* Does not accept hotel/motel vouchers
* Daily rate is $80.00 tax included for a single occupancy
* Does not offer weekly rates
* Check in anytime
* Check out time is 11am

GRAND MOTEL

1479 S. La Cienega Blvd

Los Angeles, CA 90035

Main Line---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 652-0443

* Does not accept hotel/motel vouchers
* Daily rate is $65.00 tax included for single occupancy
* The weekly rate is $350.00
* Check in time is anytime after 11am
* Check out time is 11am

HALF MOON MOTEL

3958 Sepulveda Blvd

Culver City, CA 90230

Main Line--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 391-5279

* Does not accept hotel/motel vouchers
* Daily rate is $55.00 tax included for single occupancy
* The weekly rate is $325.00
* Check in time is anytime after 11am
* Check out time is 11am

HOLIDAY INN EXPRESS HOTEL – LAX

8620 Airport Blvd

Los Angeles, CA 90045

Main Line---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 645-7700

* Does not accept hotel/motel vouchers
* Daily rate is $95.00 plus tax
* Does not offer weekly rates
* Check in time is after 3pm
* Check out time is 12pm

LA CIENEGA MOTEL

1725 S. La Cienega Blvd

Los Angeles, CA 90035

Main Line----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 559-1570

* Does not accept hotel/motel vouchers
* Daily rate is $60.00 including tax
* Does not offer weekly rates
* Check in time in anytime after 11am
* Check out time is 11am

L.A. WEST TRAVELODGE

10740 Santa Monica Blvd

Los Angeles, CA 90025

Main Line----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 474-4576

* Does not accept hotel/motel vouchers
* Daily rate is $126 plus tax for single occupancy and $142.00 plus tax for double occupancy
* Does not offer weekly rates
* Check in time in anytime after 3pm
* Check out time is 12pm

THE LITTLE INN MOTEL

10604 Santa Monica Blvd

Los Angeles, CA 90025

Main Line---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 475-4422

* Does not accept hotel/motel vouchers
* Weekly rate is $455.00 + tax
* Daily rate is $65.00 for single occupancy and $70.00 for double occupancy
* Check in time is anytime after 11:30am
* Check out time is 11am or 12pm daily

ROADWAY INN

11933 Washington Blvd

Culver City, CA 90230

Main Line----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 398-1651

* Does not accept hotel/motel vouchers
* Does offer not weekly rates
* Daily rate is $87.99 plus tax for single occupancy & $95.00 for double occupancy
* Check in time is anytime after 2pm
* Check out time is 11am daily

ROYAL SANTA MONICA MOTEL

10811 Santa Monica Blvd

Los Angeles, CA 90025

Main Line---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 475-3536

* Does not accept hotel/motel vouchers
* Daily rate is $65.00 plus tax for single and $70.00 plus tax for double occupancy
* Weekly rates are $455.00 for single and $490.00 for family of double occupancy
* Check in time is anytime after 1130am
* Check out time is 11am

STAR INN

10269 Santa Monica Blvd

Los Angeles, CA 90067

Main Line----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 556-3076

* Does not accept hotel/motel vouchers
* Daily rate is $60.00 plus tax for single and $70.00 plus tax for double occupancy
* Weekly rates are $385 for single plus tax and $455.00 plus tax double occupancy
* Check in time is anytime after11am
* Check out time is 1130am

SUPER 8 MOTEL

12664 W. Washington Blvd

Los Angeles, CA 90066

Main Line---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 306-8243

* Does not accept hotel/motel vouchers
* Daily rate is $89.00 plus tax for single and $125.00 plus tax double occupancy
* Does not offer weekly rates
* Check in time is anytime after 3pm
* Check out time is 11am

SUPER 8 LAX

9250 Airport Blvd

Los Angeles, CA 90045

Main Line----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 670-2900

* Does not accept hotel/motel vouchers
* Daily rate varies from $65.00 to $125.00 plus tax depending on the time of year
* Does not offer weekly rates
* Check in time is anytime after 3pm
* Check out time is 12pm

VISTA MOTEL

4900 Sepulveda Blvd

Culver City, CA 90230

Main Line----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 390-2014

* Does accept hotel/motel vouchers, however it’s a case by case
* Daily rates start at $60.00 tax included
* Weekly rates start at $300.00 tax included
* Check in time is anytime after 12pm
* Check out time is 11am

WILSHIRE MOTEL

12023 Wilshire Blvd

Los Angeles, CA 90025

Main Line----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 478-3545

* Does accept hotel/motel vouchers, however it’s a case by case
* Daily rate is $80.00 tax included
* Does not offer weekly rates
* Check in time is anytime after 2pm
* Check out time is 11am



PERMANENT SUPPORTIVE HOUSING (MHSA) & PERMANENT HOUSING

DANIEL’S VILLAGE (MHSA)

2624 Santa Monica Blvd

Santa Monica, CA 90403

SA 5

Daniel’s Village is an eight (8) unit former motel. Seven (7) of the units are designated for low income, mentally ill adults age 18-25 years old. One unit is designated for an on-site Resident Manager. Each unit has a bathroom with a private shower and private toilet. Room furnishings include a bed, storage drawers, small refrigerator and “cook top”. The building has an on site laundry room. Step up on Second (SUOS) and Daniel’s Place are the designated service providers for Daniel’s Village

Requirements

* History of severe and persistent mental illness
* Must be low income
* Must be homeless
* Must be certified by Department of Mental Health – Housing Policy and Development
* Certification application must be submitted by your case manager
* Must be between the ages of 18-25 years of age at time of move-in (or an emancipated minor).
* Copy of valid California ID or Driver’s License \*
* Copy of Social Security Card \*\*
* Income verification \*\*\* (if available, but not required at time of initial interview)
* Must be a client receiving mental health services at a directly operated clinic or a contracted clinic
* Must contact Housing Assistant at Step Up on Second for application at (310) 394-6889

Overview

* Medication management
* Case management
* Vocational assessment, job training, employment, educational services and support
* Linkages to community services
* Money management
* Family support

EPWORTH APARTMENTS (MHSA)

6525 S. Normandie Avenue

Los Angeles, CA 90044

SA 6

Epworth Apartment complex is a twenty (20) unit Transition Age Youth (TAY) permanent supportive housing development located in South Los Angeles. This project will provide 19 MHSA funded units for homeless TAY who meet the eligibility criteria. There are 17 (1) bedrooms and (2) studio apartments all with a full kitchen and bathroom.

Requirements

* Annual household income of 30% average median income (AMI) or less ($17,950 or less for (1) person and $20,500 or less for (2) persons).
* Must meet the HUD’s definition of “homelessness”
* Must be certified by Department of Mental Health – Housing Policy and Development
* Certification application must be submitted by your case manager
* Must be between the ages of 18-25 years of age at time of move-in (or an emancipated minor)
* Copy of valid California ID or Driver’s License \*
* Copy of Social Security Card \*\*
* Income verification \*\*\* (if available, but not required at time of initial interview)
* Must be a client receiving mental health services at a directly operated clinic or a contracted clinic
* Interview required with Levine Management Group (626) 798-4625
* Case manager required to accompany each applicant to the interview and ensure that the applicant has the required documents as indicated above

Overview

* walking distance to shopping and community amenities
* smoke-free building with designated outdoor smoking area
* landscape courtyard
* indoor community space
* laundry facilities

\*You may submit a copy of a receipt for your ID or driver’s license

\*\* Print out from SSA and/or GR, or award letter

PROGRESS PLACE APARTMENTS (MHSA)

407-409 & 411-413 Progress Place

Los Angeles, CA 90033

SA 4

Progress Place Apartments is designed for Transition Age Youth (TAY) ages 18-25.  This is shared housing, meaning you will have your own bedroom and share the kitchen, living room and bath room with another.  Potential residents applying for Progress Place Apartments need to be between 18-25 years of age (or an emancipated minor), homeless or chronically homeless as defined by HUD and actively receiving services from DMH or one of its contracted service providers.  The DMH forms are required to certify eligibility are the MHSA Housing Certification Application, Protected Health Information (PHI) release form (your agency may use their own PHI form if you have one), Agency Certification of Homelessness and the Certification of Residence in a Homeless Facility form (if the applicant is living in a shelter, welfare hotel or transitional housing and having entered said facility from the streets, shelter or welfare hotel).

Requirements

* Annual household income of 30% average median income (AMI) or less ($17,950 or less for (1) person and $20,500 or less for (2) persons).
* Must meet the HUD’s definition of “homelessness”
* Must be certified by Department of Mental Health – Housing Policy and Development
* Certification application must be submitted by your case manager
* Must be between the ages of 18-25 years of age at time of move-in (or an emancipated minor)
* Copy of valid California ID or Driver’s License \*
* Copy of Social Security Card \*\*
* Income verification \*\*\* (if available, but not required at time of initial interview)
* Must be a client receiving mental health services at a directly operated clinic or a contracted clinic
* Once certification is approved, contact Elaine Knight at Community Housing Management Services to request an apartment application (562) 597-6200 ext 230

Overview

* Fully furnished
* On site laundry facility
* Landscaped areas

VILLAS AT GOWER (MHSA)

1726 N. Gower St.

Los Angeles, CA 90028

SA 4

The Villas at Gower are designed for Families (maximum 3 persons per family), TAY, Adults and Older Adults, who are homeless or chronically homeless as defined by HUD, and actively receiving services at DMH or one of its contracted service providers.  The DMH forms required to certify eligibility are the PHI Release Form, the MHSA Housing Certification Application, the Agency Verification of Homelessness form and the Certification of Residence in a Homeless Facility form (only if the applicant is living in a shelter; or transitional housing less than two years and entered said transitional housing from homelessness - either from the streets or from a shelter).

Requirements

* History of severe and persistent mental illness
* Must be low income
* Must be homeless
* Must be certified by Department of Mental Health – Housing Policy and Development
* Certification application must be submitted by your case manager
* Must be between the ages of 18-25 years of age at time of move-in (or an emancipated minor).
* Copy of valid California ID or Driver’s License \*
* Copy of Social Security Card \*\*
* Income verification \*\*\* (if available, but not required at time of initial interview)
* Must be a client receiving mental health services at a directly operated clinic or a contracted clinic

Overview

* Laundry facility
* Free high speed internet access
* Community rooms
* On site manager
* On sight supportive services

YOUNG BURLINGTON (MHSA)

820 S. Burlington

Los Angeles, CA 90057

SA 4

New affordable community of twenty one (21) apartments opened in the fall 2011. Each apartment has “green” features designed to save residents money, improve air quality and protect the environment. The building is smoke-free with a designated outdoor smoking area. Potential residents must be income qualified and approved by the management company.

Requirements

* A household income of 25% average median income AMI or less (1 person no more than $14,950 annually; 2 persons no more than $17,000 annually)
* Must meet the HUD’s definition of “homelessness”
* Must be certified by the Department of Mental Health-Housing Policy & Development.
* Certification application must be submitted by your case manager.
* Must be between the ages of 18-25 years of age at time of move-in (or an emancipated minor)
* Copy of valid California ID or Driver’s License \*
* Copy of Social Security Card
* Income verification \*\*
* Must be a client receiving mental health services at a directly operated clinic or a contracted clinic
* Must contact Community Housing Management Services (CHMS) at (562) 597-6200 ext 230 for application

Overview

* walking distance of shops, public parks, and schools
* indoor community space
* laundry facilities

\*You may submit a copy of a receipt for your ID or driver’s license

\*\* Print out from SSA and/or GR, or award letter

SHARE HOUISNG (Self Help And Recovery Exchange)

6666 Green Valley Circle

Culver City, CA 90230

425 S. Broadway

Los Angeles, Ca 90013

Hours – Sun thru Thrus. 1pm – 10pm

Sat. 9am- 5pm

[www.shareselfhelp.org](http://www.shareselfhelp.org)

Main Phone-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(877) 742-7349

Collaborative housing that is a public-private partnership to provide affordable, permanent, supportive housing to disabled people. Disabled residents share a bedroom in a house with a roommate of their choice. The owner furnishes the house, pays for all the utilities, does not collect a security deposit and joins an owners’ association that regularly inspects the houses to ensure quality. The sponsoring government or other organization provides referrals to the house, responds to any tenant problems in a timely manner, visits regularly to help with residents’ needs and insures that the house is properly run. Residents attend weekly self-help support groups, help with neighborhood projects and provide support for other residents. Community groups provide mentors for gardening and cooking and help with problems that occur. The mission of SHARE is to help people in Los Angeles pursue personal growth and change. SHARE empowers people to change their own lives and provides them a loving, safe, non-judgmental place where they can find community, information and support.

Requirements-

* Must have ability to pay $500.00 per month
* Must have phone interview first
* Must attend three self help support groups weekly
* Must have the ability to live completely independently – there is no staff in the homes.

Overview-

* Volunteer to job program
* Technical assistance
* Open literature policy
* Self-help Support Group Clearinghouse for Los Angeles County.
* SHARE! Self-Help Centers.
* Does not house single fathers
* Will take single mother’s with one child (varies)
* Does not house couples
* Additional cost for each child
* Single women and men



PREGNANT & PARENTING HOUSING PROGRAMS

ALEXANDRIA HOUSE (Los Angeles)

426 S. Alexandria Street (pregnant and parenting)

Los Angeles, CA 90020

[www.alexandriahouse.org](http://www.alexandriahouse.org)

Hours – 9am to 5pm

Intake – Any Case Manager ---------------------------------------------------------------213-381-2649

This is program designed for pregnant women and children as well as single pregnant women only, however, they will accept women with children who are not pregnant. Also, they will take women with male children. The program provides temporary housing to pregnant adult women only. Any female under age eighteen will be not accepted. This is a referral based program.

Requirements

* Single pregnant women
* Women with families
* Must be referred from any government agency
* Walk-ins not accepted
* Must be 18 years or older

Overview

* 25 beds total for women and children
* Can stay up to two years in necessary
* Will to work with persons with a mental health diagnosis, however, must be able to adhere to the rules and follow the program

CASA DE LOS ANGELITOS (Harbor City)

954 Koleeta Drive. (Pregnant Only)

Harbor City, CA 90710

Hours – 9am – 5pm

Intake - Agnes Palacios-----------------------------------------------------------------------310-325-8208

This is a program designed for pregnant women who are at least 18 years old. Potential clients must call first for to schedule an appointment for a phone interview. Maximum stay is three months after baby is born.

Requirements

* Must be at least 18 years or older and pregnant
* Mother CANNOT bring other children to the program
* Must have valid ID,
* Must have written proof of pregnancy
* Must have negative STD & TB test results
* $225.00 monthly administrative fee (can be waived with board approval)
* Must apply for TANF & Food Stamps & WIC program
* Must secure appropriate medical services & attend all scheduled appointments
* Must attend school, go to work or do volunteer services
* Must be clean and sober for 9 months and submit to random testing
* Must be physically and emotionally able to complete the program
* Must participate in goal planning and follow through on individual program goals

Overview

* Assistance with securing safe & affordable community housing
* Case management with individualized goal plans and progress reports
* Community referral and advocacy
* Transportation to medical, counseling, and other professional appointments
* Personal case items, clothing & food, as needed, as well as baby care items & furnishings
* Classes in pre and post natal, labor & delivery, infant & child care & parenting

C.H.A.I.N. Reaction (Los Angeles) – THP- Plus Program

Pregnant and Parenting

400 Corporate Point Suite 300

Culver City, CA 90230

[tay@chainreactioninc.org](mailto:tay@chainreactioninc.org)

Hours – 9am – 430pm

Intake – Jessica St. Paul ---------------------------------------------------------------------310-337-7989

The C.H.A.I.N. Reaction, Inc. Transitional Housing Program- Plus (THP-Plus) program is to provide independent living opportunities, safe affordable housing and comprehensive supportive services for up to 24 months to transition emancipated youth from the dependence of the foster care and juvenile probation systems to self-sufficiency. The tenants are emancipated foster or probation youth who are 18 years of age through the day before their 24th birthday.

Requirements

* Must have aged out foster care system or probation
* Must download application and email to [tay@chainreactioninc.org](mailto:tay@chainreactioninc.org).
* Two (2) children maximum

Overview

* Case Management
* System of Payment for Utilities, Telephone and Rent
* Employment training and Support
* Food and Necessity Allowance
* Education Advocacy and Support
* Assistance in Pursuing College or Other Post-High School Training
* Individual and Group Therapy
* Services to Build and Support Relationships with Family and Community
* Coordination with the Independent Living Program
* Mentoring
* 24-Hour Crisis Intervention and Support
* Emancipation Fund
* Post-Program Housing Assistance
* Transportation Assistance
* Roommates: Selection, Training and Support
* Public Benefits Advocacy
* Regular Housing Advocacy and Tenancy Training
* Training Curriculum to Prepare Youth for Housing
* Moving Assistance
* Ongoing Life Skills
* Training
* Transportation Training
* Maintenance of Personal Items
* Living Unit Upkeep and Maintenance
* Nutrition and Food Management, Storage and Preparation
* Health Education
* Family Planning
* Money Management Skills Training
* Checking and Savings Account
* Legal Rights and Community Resources
* Medical and Dental Care Training
* Socialization Skills and Self-Esteem
* Goal Setting Training
* Employment
* Housing
* Mental Health and/or Substance Abuse Services

ELIZABETH HOUSE (Pasadena)

760 Santa Barbara Street (pregnant only)

Pasadena, CA 91106

[www.elizabethhouse.net](http://www.elizabethhouse.net)

Hours - 24 hours

Intake – Any Case Manager -----------------------------------------------------------------626-577-4434

This is a program designed is for single pregnant women ages eighteen years and older. Any expecting mother under age eighteen is not eligible for this program. This is a six bed program. A new mother is allowed to stay in the program up to four months after delivery.

Requirements-

* Must participate in 35 hours of productive time during the weekdays
* Must attend class (parenting, life skills, etc.) three to four times a week
* One time only - one hundred twenty five dollar ($125.00) processing fee

Overview

* Initial intake interview is held over the phone – intake can be done at any time of day or night, however, preferred time is before 10pm
* Face to face interviewed completed once it has established there is a fit for the program.
* Will accept persons with mental health issues, however, it’s a case by case review
* All case managers are capable of conducting intake evaluation

GRAMERCY COURT (Los Angeles)

1824 4th Avenue (pregnant & parenting)

Los Angeles, CA 90019

[www.gramercyhousinggroup.org](http://www.gramercyhousinggroup.org)

Hours – 8am – 5pm

Intake-Any case manager---------------------------------------------------------------------322-737-7351

This is a two year program for adults ages 18 to 24 (men and women) who have only one child under the age of five. However, they will accept a person who is pregnant as long as it’s her first child. This is a referral program only.

Requirements

* Single with only one child under age five
* Must save a minimum of $100.00 per month
* Must pay 30% of income toward rent
* Must participate in activities (employment, looking for work, or currently enrolled in school)
* Must attend life skills class at least once a week
* Must attend parenting class as least once a week

Overview

* On-site childcare
* Referral only from any case manager (DPSS, DMH etc.)
* Upon completion of the program – client will transition to Beyond Shelter for permanent housing
* Fifteen (15) beds

HARBOR INTERFAITH (San Pedro)

(Parenting only)

663 West 10th Street

San Pedro, CA 90731

[www.harborinterfaith.org](http://www.harborinterfaith.org)

Hours – 9am – 5:30pm

Shelter Application Hours – 10am – 4:30pm

Director / Intake – Michael Beers---Shelter---------------------------------------------310-831-0589

The shelter offers homeless families housing for up to ninety days.  While at the shelter, families agree to save 80 percent of their income in order to secure permanent housing. Clients can walk-in during regular business hours for an interview. Will work with clients with mental health issues, however, client must have the ability to manage their medications as prescribed.

Requirements

* Have a minor child (under 18 years of age)
* A minimum of one year of sobriety (If applicable)
* No recent domestic violence
* Attend case management meetings twice-weekly
* Attend mandatory workshops weekly
* Mandatory 80% savings of all income
* Work and / or attend school full time
* Shelter Application (Hours 10am - 430pm)
* [Signed Criminal Release Form](http://harborinterfaith.org/familyshelter.html#Remark%23Remark)
* Drivers license or state identification card
* Social security card for all family members
* Birth certificate for children
* Proof of income
* -DPSS verification of Benefits  
  -Pay Subs  
  -EDD print out / SSI Letter
* Homeless documentation
* -Eviction Notice  
  -Motel Receipts  
  -Letter from family or friend  
  -Letter from referral agency

Overview

* Shelter Application (Hours 10am - 4pm)
* Two-step interview process
* Criminal background check
* Credit check
* Urinalysis test may be required
* Case management
* Obtaining affordable Childcare
* Food
* On site counseling and/or referrals
* Case Advocacy
* Housing placement and Referrals
* Donated Clothing
* Life Skills seminars on budgeting parenting and tenants rights.

HARVEST HOME

503 Grand Boulevard

Venice, CA 90291

[www.harvesthome.net](http://www.harvesthome.net)

Hours – 24 hours

House Manger / Intake ---------------------------------------------------------------------310-452-1223

This is program designed is for single pregnant women ages eighteen year and older. Any expecting mother under age eighteen is not eligible for this program. Typically, a new mother will be allowed to stay for a maximum of three months after giving birth.

Requirements

* Adult pregnant women (18+)
* Must call for phone intake prior to going
* No monetary charge – however clients are required to contribute $50.00 dollars of their food stamps allotment toward their food during their stay

Overview

* No walk-in
* Eight (8) beds
* Maximum stay three months after giving birth
* Will conduct intake interviews any time of the day or night

LOS ANGELES HOUSE OF RUTH

(confidential location) – parenting only

Does not provide address must call

[www.houseofruthinc.org](http://www.houseofruthinc.org)

Hours - 9am – 5pm

Intake- ---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------323-266-4139

This is a confidential program that primarily services women and children who are at risk for domestic abuse or have suffered domestic abuse. A woman with a male son older than age ten is not eligible for this program. This is a program that houses sixteen families. Maximum capacity is 75 women and children.

Requirements

* Must participate 100% in savings plan (funds are saved for them)
* Must look for employment or attend school
* Must abide by the 6pm curfew
* Must contribute food stamps to house for food
* Must contribute time to house chores

Overview

* Women with children only (males age 10 and under)
* No charge
* Typical stay is thirty days to six months
* Day care available
* Provide case management
* Money management
* Life skills,
* Nutritional education

MIDNIGHT MISSIONS FAMILY HOUISNG

(Confidential location - Parenting only)

Does not provide address must call

Near LAX

Hours - 9am – 5pm

Director – Ricardo Rodriguez----------------------------------------------------------------310-677-9616

This is a program designed for highly functioning parents who are employable at some point in time. They offer transitional supportive services to families (single men and women with children as well as married parents with children). This program provides housing at no cost in addition to case management, career counseling, mental health services, individual therapy, group therapy and an abundance of resources to obtain permanent housing. This program is a referral based program. There is a three month probationary period. Once, completed clients can remain in the program for up to one year.

Requirements

* Must be employable
* Willing to save toward permanent housing
* Must be referred by a case manager
* Willing to look for gainful employment
* Must be able to complete housing applications on own as well as look for permanent housing
* Curfew – must be on facility grounds by 9pm and in apartment by 9:30pm

Overview

* No cost
* Each family gets their own apartment
* Seven (7) one bedroom apartments, Three (3) two bedroom apartments and one (1) three bedroom apartment
* Can house a maximum of eleven families at one time
* Apartments are fully furnished as well as household necessities
* Childcare assistance and provision
* After-school activities and programs for the children a

MIRIAM’S HOUSE – THE PROMISES FOUNDATION

11340 Olympic Blvd – Suite 242

Los Angeles, CA 90064

Hours – 8am to 11pm

Intake—Anyone who answers-------------------------------------------------------------(310) 390-0800

Miriam's House, is a 15 bedroom converted convent located in Culver City, California. It is a recovery home for mothers and a refuge for children to escape chaos and instability. The yearlong program nurtures the individual needs of both mother and child while fostering the healing process of fractured families. It is not a place for temporary shelter, though we provide food, clothing and safety. Rather it is about mothers developing the life-long skills, including parenting and occupational therapy, to lead healthy, meaningful lives free from the confines of poverty and addiction. Maximum stay is one year.

Requirements

* Must maintain continuous sobriety once in the house
* Must have alcohol or drug addiction
* Must have at least 30 days clean an sober
* Must have the ability to pay $400.00 per month
* Up to two children under age 10 only
* Participation in a 12-step program
* Enrollment in parenting classes
* actively striving toward self-sufficiency and employment during the later phases

Overview

* Weekly individual goal assessment
* Case management,
* Yoga and meditation
* 12-step meetings,
* Seminars,
* Childcare.
* Airport Marina Counseling Center
* Mental health services
* Weekly individual and family counseling sessions.
* Planned Parenthood: family planning advice
* Free contraception and testing, counseling.
* Housing and Urban Development (HUD): low-income housing workshops and tutorials.
* Women maybe pregnant or in the process of regaining custody of their children
* Will accommodate and monitor court-mandated visits.

NEW BEGINNINGS (Long Beach)

Pregnant & Parenting

835 6th Street

Long Beach, CA 90802

Hours – 10am to 2pm

Intake – Anyone who answers--------------------------------------------------------------562-590-1538

This program is based on discipline. It provides a positive structure that deters anyone who is merely looking for a "free ride." This is a hard-working program. In their daily activities, residents work toward long-term goals. Residents are up at 6 a.m. to prepare for their day. Each woman prepares her own breakfast for herself and her baby. Household chores are done by 9 a.m. Then it is off to school, job training, in-house classes, or 4 hours of volunteer work. Each resident meets often with the case manager and counselor. Mothers can stay as long as needed –maximum capacity is 20 persons.

Requirements

* Must be 18 years or older and pregnant
* No cost to enter into the program
* Once expectant mother starts receiving funding, its 200.00 per month and 50.00 per month per child
* Must complete phone interview first
* Not equipped to deal with persons who a have chronic and persistent mental health issues.

Overview

* Career Planning and Preparation
* Medical, Legal and Adoption Referrals
* Parenting/Child Development
* Smoking, Drinking, and Drug Prevention
* Sex Education and Responsible Relationship Skills
* Domestic Violence Prevention Training
* On-The-Job Training
* Vocational Training
* Long Term Housing
* Childbirth Preparedness
* Life Skills
* Child Abuse Prevention
* Self Esteem Counseling
* Health and Nutrition Education
* Literacy Programs
* Anger Management Programs
* Future Life Planning Skills

NEW ECONOMICS FOR WOMEN / LA POSADA (Los Angeles)

375 South Columbia Avenue

Los Angeles, CA 90017

Hours – 9am – 3pm

Intake – Elvira Mesina------------------------------------------------------------------------213-483-2058

This is a transitional home program for single women with one child under age eight. Women must have the ability to pay $300.00 per month plus the cost of meals. Maximum stay is two years. They do take walk-ins. The goal of the holistic program is for every mother to improve her financial, emotional, and physical well-being so she can achieve good health, financial independence and familial stability. Each mother enters a social contract upon entering La Posada -- their personalized contract provides the structure, consistency, and goal orientation many of these young women have lacked in their lives

Requirements

* must have some type of income
* Cost of meals is $50.00 to $73.00 per month depending on income
* Single female with only one child under age eight
* Single female under age 18 (must be emancipated by the court)

Overview

* Cost is $300.00 per month
* No curfew
* Walk-ins accepted
* Will accept women with mental health issues, must be able continue prescribed medications as required.

PENNY LANE (North Hills)

(Pregnant and Parenting)

15317 Rayen Street

North Hills, CA 91343

Hours - 9am – 5pm

Intake – Mary Bratten------------------------------------------------------------(818) 892-3423 ext 1271

Penny Lane Transitional Housing Program for Emancipated Foster Youth provides housing, life and job skills training to young adults who have grown up in group homes or foster care, who have no family to return to when they emancipate at age 18, and who would otherwise be homeless. In addition to independent living and job skills training, the program provides a clean, furnished apartment and emotional and academic support for young adults who have no family support system in place. This is a referral only program. Will only accept referrals from: Social Workers, Probation Officers, ILP Coordinators, Out of Home Care Providers, and Interested Foster Youth

Requirements

* Male or female, with or without child(ren)
* Either possessing a high school diploma or GED equivalent OR working toward completion through accredited course
* Must have or obtain a full-time work or school schedule or a combination of both (may included accredited, approved vocational and certificate programs)
* Substance free throughout entire stay with the program
* Must follow all program rules and regulations
* Maintain respect for neighbors and surrounding community
* Have current, active Medi-Cal
* Receiving or eligible to receive public assistance, if not employed
* Have a completed program intake packet/documentation

If you have children you must provide the following:

* Birth Certificate
* Social Security Card
* Medical Insurance
* Immunization record

Program WILL NOT Accept:

* Youth with history of multiple sex offenses
* Youth with extensive history of substance abuse without treatment
* Youth that are house arrest or probation
* Youth with a history of arson
* Youth that are actively psychotic
* Youth with history of medication manipulation
* Youth whose needs cannot be met through the Penny Lane Centers Transitional Housing Program (as determined by the intake person)

Overview

* intensive training for on the job techniques
* Eighteen to twenty-four (18 to 24) years of age for Rayen, Acre and Gresham
* Eighteen to the day before their twenty-first birthday (18 up to 21st birthday) years of age for Columbus and Antelope Valley
* Referral only

SALVATION ARMY / TRANSITIONAL LIVING CENTER (Westwood)

(Parenting Only)

1401S. Sepulveda Boulevard  
Los Angeles, CA

Hours – 830am – 8pm

Intake – Lizette Maldonado -----------------------------------------------------------------310-477-9539

The Salvation Army / Transitional Living Center (Westwood) is a supportive housing program that works with families to overcome the barriers to homelessness. The stability of transitional housing helps families make the life changes necessary to become independent productive members of society. Each adult family member sets specific goals with their caseworker and is required to go to school or work full-time. Residents also participate in required savings programs which help them put aside money for important milestones towards independent living

Requirements

* Must be clean and sober
* Must have children under the age of 18
* If completed rehabilitation program must present certificate of completion
* Must be willing to submit to random drug testing
* Must participate in case management
* Will accept single males with children (under age 18)
* Must participate in job development program
* Must save 50% of the net income after expenditures
* Must complete referral application first (no walk-ins)
* Must have some kind of income

Overview

* this is not an emergency shelter – waitlist is six months long
* referral process the goes through property manager
* maximum stay is two years
* rent is a sliding scale – based on clients ability to pay
* 40 unit residential housing facility
* Intensive counseling and case management - Spiritual and psychological counseling
* Educational training - Parenting, life skills, art therapy and financial budgeting classes
* Employment placement assistance - Career development services
* Medical services - Including, a bi-monthly medical clinic run by UCLA interns
* On-site child-care - Supportive care for children, that strengthens the stability of the entire family
* Housing assistance - Transitional housing on-site and referrals to permanent supportive housing
* Academic tutoring - Individual tutoring services are provided by "School on Wheels", a non profit Malibu-based organization whose purpose is to address the educational instability of homeless children. There is also classroom-style tutoring available through Century LIFT.
* Specialized Teen groups

ST. ANNE’S / BOGEN FAMILY CENTER (Los Angeles)

(Pregnant and Parenting)

155 N. Occidental Boulevard

Los Angeles, CA 90026

Hours – 7am – 6pm

Intake – Lisa Jimenez -------------------------------------------------------------(213) 381-2931ext 361

Intake - After Hours –------------------------------------------------------------- (213)-247-7441

St. Anne's Residential Treatment Program provides care for 32 pregnant and parenting teenage girls (ages 13 through 18), and 18 children. Residents are monitored closely to ensure that a treatment plan that addresses their mental health needs, medical issues, educational pursuits and personal achievement goals fit their specific needs and challenges. During each adolescent's residence at St. Anne's, we hope to plant the seeds for a lifetime of positive growth.

Requirements

* Must have a open case with DCFS or Probation
* Must be between the ages of 13 and 18
* Must complete phone interview

Overview

* Does not need to pregnant (accepts at risk girls)
* Provide medical and mental health services
* On site high school
* Provide life skills training and fiscal responsibility counseling
* Provide meal preparation
* Wrap around services
* Will provide referral for clients with substance abuse issues
* Job training
* Quality child care
* Educational and vocational resources
* Employment placement
* Family literacy assistance

THP-HUD PROGRAM

(Pregnant & Parenting)

3530 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 400   
Los Angeles, CA 90010

Hours – 8am – 5pm

Intake – ask to be connected ---------------------------------------------------------------213-351-0190

The Department of Children and Family Services (DCFS) Transitional Housing Program (THP) for Homeless Young People provides housing and supportive services to emancipated foster youth age 18 to 21 years old who are homeless or have the potential of being homeless due to living in temporary unstable housing. The Transitional Living Model is a combination of both scattered site apartments and multi-unit apartment buildings. Apartments are leased in areas with easy access to public transportation, colleges, shopping centers and grocery stores.

Requirements

* Must have a high school diploma
* At risk for being homeless or homeless
* Must be able to work
* Must have the ability to pay rent
* Must be aging out of foster care or probation system
* Must be between the ages of 18 to 21

Overview

* Food stipend monthly (including an additional allotment for minor children of teen mothers)
* Provide transportation
* Provide food vouchers
* Maximum stay is eighteen months
* Provide referrals for medical and mental health services
* can self refer
* Independent Living Program (ILP) eligibility not required
* Transition Resource Center (TRC) Services
* Child Care Services – (for teen moms working and/or attending school)
* Individual Counseling

YMCA/ A BRIGHTER FUTURE

(Confidential Location)

Single Females or Parenting Youth ONLY

Hours - 9am -5pm

Intake - Elizabeth Olguin -------------------------------------------------------------------- 213-639-7536

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A Brighter Future provides homeless single women and mothers a safe place to stay and gives them the tools they need to obtain and maintain permanent housing. This is a 22 bed transitional housing program. This is NOT an emergency shelter. (women only)

Requirements

* Single women
* Single mother with no more than two children age 13 or younger
* Ages 18 -35 only
* Substance Abuse free for a minimum of one year
* Currently receiving public assistance or eligible for public assistance
* Verifiable homelessness
* Absent of psychiatric / medical illnesses

Overview

* Case management
* Job-readiness and life skills workshop
* Services to meet their physical and mental health needs.
* Not an emergency shelter
* 22 Beds
* Maximum stay is 18 months



PUBLIC ACCESS NUMBERS

Appeals and State Hearings (800) 952-5253

A State Hearing is available to a claimant who is dissatisfied with the County of Los Angeles Department of Public Social Services (DPSS) action or inaction. Should contesting the action by mail be difficult or inconvenient, the applicant or participant may request a State Hearing by calling the CDSS toll-free number listed above.

Central Participant HELP Line (877) 481-1044

The Central HELP Line is for use by individuals who are currently receiving DPSS services, to request information or assistance with individual case problems which they have been unable to resolve at the DPSS district level. Steps are taken to provide these services in the participant's primary language. Help Line staff services are available Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Child Care Hotline (877) CHILD99 or (877) 244-5399

The hotline staff answers questions and takes reports of complaints from CalWORKs participants and providers regarding child care. Callers are encouraged to first call their case worker and/or District/GAIN Region Child Care Coordinator for further problem resolutions before they call the hotline.

Civil Rights Hotlines (562) 908-8501

It is the policy of the Department of Public Social Services to deliver public assistance and social services in a nondiscriminatory basis, whether the program is federally, state or locally funded. No person shall be excluded from participation in or denied benefits of any program or activity administered by the Department because of race, color, national origin, political affiliation, religion, marital status, sex, age, or disability. Civil Rights staff is available to answer questions regarding civil rights issues from Monday through Thursday, 7:30 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. If you need assistance on Fridays, please call the general number and you will be referred to someone who will assist you, or you may leave a message for Civil Rights staff to return your call during normal operating hours.

Emergency Management (800) 980-4990

This toll-free number has preparedness information during non-emergency periods. During and after a disaster, it has information about programs & services available to the public.

In-Home Supportive Services (IHSS) Telephone Applications (888) 944-IHSS (toll-free within Los Angeles County only) or (213) 744-IHSS

This toll-free number is available for individuals to apply for IHSS over the telephone. Staff will take application information at the central site and forward the information to the appropriate IHSS Area Office for follow-up which will include a home call and services assessment.

IHSS Ombudsman (888) 678-4477 (within Los Angeles County only)

This toll-free number is for questions about the IHSS program or about the IHSS Personal Assistance Services Council, which is the IHSS Public Authority in Los Angeles County. It is also used to help with individual IHSS problems which could not be resolved with the DPSS district. Hotline hours are Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., and assistance is available in both English and Spanish.

Long Term Care Ombudsman (800) 231-4024

Provides adult protective intervention/investigation for adults age 18 and older who live in board and care facilities and nursing facilities. Services are targeted, but not restricted, to senior citizens age 60 and older who are long-term care recipients. There are no geographic restrictions.

Los Angeles County Fraud Hotline (800) 349-9970

A special 24-hour Fraud Hotline provides citizens of Los Angeles County with a hotline to report any kind of fraud against the County, including welfare fraud. Callers reporting welfare fraud on the hotline may request a reward. All reports are handled in the strictest confidence, and callers may remain anonymous. Welfare fraud may also be reported to We-Tip at 1-800-873-7283 or 1-800-782-7463. Callers to We-Tip also may request a reward.

Medi-Cal (877) 597-4777

This toll free number is available to the public for questions about general Medi-Cal eligibility, the Child Medi-Cal Enrollment Project (CMEP), Child Health and Disability Prevention (CHDP) Program, Healthy Families insurance coverage, and the Specified Low Income Medicare Beneficiary (SLMB) program. CMEP, and Healthy Families are specifically focused on providing medical coverage for low income uninsured children. Hotline hours are Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., and assistance is available in both English and Spanish.

Public HELP Line (877) 481-1044

Receives public and agency phone calls requesting assistance and information related to the administration of public assistance programs. This includes responding to inquiries from welfare agencies, nationwide, for case clearance and benefit information. Services are available Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Other Helpful Numbers

Adoptions & Foster Care Information Line (888) 811-1121

Adult Protective Services and Elder Abuse Hotline (877) 477-3646

Investigates reports of alleged endangerment to adults aged 18 and older who have severe mental or physical disabilities or are in extremely poor health to the extent that they are unable to remove the danger or remove themselves from the danger - or to people age 65 and older who suffer from physical or emotional abuse, abandonment or neglect.

Child Abuse Hotline (800) 540-4000

Accepts reports of confirmed or suspected child abuse and neglect concerning any child in Los Angeles County; contacts the appropriate agencies to intervene to protect the child, if necessary; and provides information for professionals and the public about child abuse and neglect. To report child abuse or neglect in Los Angeles County, call the Child Abuse Hot Line at 1-800-540-4000 (California only). From outside California, call (213) 639-4500.

Child Health & Disability Prevention Program (CHDP) (800) 993-2437

Provides preventive health care services for low-income children and youth in Los Angeles County. Services are provided at more than 1,000 sites, including County health centers and hospitals.

Child Support Hotline - Statewide (800) 615-8858 or 9323) 870-9800

A recorded message, available in English and Spanish, with an extensive menu pertaining to various child support issues, such as receipt, payment, enforcement, welfare fraud reporting, reporting of various changes, etc.

Healthy Families - Medi-Cal for Children (888) 747-1222 (toll free)

Provides low-cost health, dental and vision insurance for children 1 year old up to age 19. Covers children without health insurance and those with share-of-cost Medi-Cal. Offers low monthly premiums from as low as $4 per child to a maximum of $27 per family. Does NOT count family resources (such as bank accounts or cars). Allows applicants to mail application.

Info Line (Information & Referral) - (800) 339-6993

This toll-free number is for questions about the IHSS program or about the IHSS Personal Assistance Services Council, which is the IHSS Public Authority in Los Angeles County. It is also for help with individual IHSS problems which could not be resolved with the DPSS district. Hotline hours are Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., and assistance is available in both English and Spanish.

LA County Health & Nutrition Hotline (877) 597-4777

Provides information and referral services for people who need help obtaining health care.

Los Angeles County information Access Line 211 24hrs/7days a week

Serves as a gateway to the county’s vast and complex social service delivery system. 211 LA County links ALL Los Angeles County residents to services that strengthen families and improve their economic success; equips them to prepare their children for school; helps them find and keep jobs with opportunities for advancement; helps them identify and gain access to public benefits and subsidies; and increases their access to quality health care. Professional community resource advisors help callers with critical issues such as health care and substance abuse, domestic violence, shelter, food, legal and financial assistance, programs for children and seniors and different types of mental health services. Our community resource database contains information on over 49,000 programs and services and is continuously being updated to ensure that we provide the most current and accurate information possible.

Los Angeles City information Access line 311 7am – 10pm

Calls from the greater Los Angeles area: Toll free (866) 4-LA-CITY

Calls from outside the greater Los Angeles area: (213) 473-3231

Citywide toll-free number that provides immediate access to information and more than 1,500 non-emergency city services. Calls are answered from 7 am to 10 pm everyday by 3-1-1 agents who are trained to provide information or refer calls for service to the correct City agency the first time. In order to provide world class customer service, 3-1-1 service is available such as Garbage Collection, Non-Emergency Police & Fire, Business Permits, Street Maintenance, etc. City of Los Angeles Office Locations, City Phone Numbers, Public Meeting Schedules e.g. Council, Committees, Neighborhood Council Meetings, etc., Citywide Events General Information for the City of Los Angeles

Los Angeles Warmline (warm) (855) 952-9276 10pm to 6am 24hrs/7days a week

A warmline is a confidential overnight telephone support service for anyone who is struggling with loneliness, anxiety, substance use or other mental health concerns, or anyone who needs information about available mental health services. The extended hours are in both English and Spanish.

Southern California Traveler information service 511

Southern California 511 is a free traveler information service that gives you live traffic reports, transit planning and commuter service information in the Los Angeles area via a toll-free phone number and website. Call 511 or visit Go511.com to check real time traffic speeds, find traffic alerts, view live traffic cameras, plan a trip on a bus or train, and even find a carpool or vanpool partner. 511 will help improve your commute and keep you informed about Los Angeles area traffic before leaving the house and while on the road.



SKILLED NURSING FACILITIES AND SENIOR HOUSING

SKILLED NURSING FACILITIES

Requires Medicare (Medi-cal is usually short term assistance), HMOs’ Private Pay, and/or SSI. Residents share rooms.

COUNTRY VILLA CHEVIOT GARDEN

3533 Motor Ave

Los Angeles, CA 90034

Admissions Coordinator-------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 836-8900

* 99 beds

COUNTRY VILLA SOUTH CONVALESCENT CENTER

3515 Overland Ave

Los Angeles, CA 90034

Admissions Coordinator-------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 839-5201

* 87 beds

COUNTRY VILLA MAR VISTA CENTER

3966 Marcasel Ave

Los Angeles, CA 90066

Admissions Coordinator-------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 397-2372

* 68 beds

SENIOR HOUSING

CLARK SENIOR HOUSING

1156 Clark Dr

Los Angeles, CA 90035

(Near Pico & Robertson)

Contact Person – Greg Colt-----------------------------------------------------------------(310) 859-8655

This Facility is one of 39 Properties of a corporation. Their facilities are throughout Los Angeles.

Administrator – Thomas Safrin (Name of Corporation)-----------------------------(310) 820--4888

Requirements

* 62 or older
* Must have a section-8
* 40 units

Overview

* Waiting List

CULVER CITY SENIOR HOUSING

5166 Sepulveda Blvd

Culver City, CA 90230

Contact – Intake Person --------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 390-2357

Requirements

* Age 62 or older
* Takes Section 8 or meet low income limit
* 48 units, singles and one bedrooms
* Independent Living

Overview

* Laundry rooms
* Recreation room
* Some parking
* Waiting List

GALAXY APARTMENTS

835 West Roscrans Ave

Los Angeles, CA 90247

Contact Person – Jeff Francis------------------------------------------------------------(310) 538-9160

Requirements

* Age 18-80
* Independent Living
* 95 studios and one bedrooms
* Security deposits
* Studios- $750 monthly with a $1500 deposit
* One bedroom- $850 monthly with a $1700 deposit.
* Open waiting list

Overview

* 2 sets of laundry machines on each floor
* 2 Elevators on each floor
* Recreation Room
* Gym with four machines
* Swimming pool
* Parking

GRANDVIEW TERRACE

3940 Grandview Blvd

Los Angeles, CA 90291

Contact – Intake Person-------------------------------------------------------------------(312) 391-8919

Requirements

* Age 62 or older
* No Section 8
* Tax Based Program
* 30% of income for rent
* Low income
* Independent Living
* Waiting List

Overview

* 191 one bedroom apartments
* Recreation Room

LINCOLN COURT

2807 Lincoln Blvd

Santa Monica, CA 90405

Contact Person – Manager------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 314-8269

Requirements

* Age 62 and older
* Project based
* 30% of income for rent
* Low income
* Independent Living
* Waiting List

Overview

* 4 floors
* 40 one bedroom apts.
* Allows in-home health care
* Wheelchair accessible, all rooms
* Community room and library
* Large screen TV room
* WiFi, Online access
* Limited Parking
* Laundry
* Close to shopping, Bus stops, Markets, Beach

REDWOOD VILLAGE

3150 Maxella Ave

Marina del Rey, CA 90292

Contact Person – Manager------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 306-6488

Requirements

* 20 senior one bedroom apartments
* 29 family apartments
* Low income
* Project based
* 30% of income towards rent

Overview

* Large community room with large screen TV
* Scheduled activities i.e. monthly birthdays
* Occasional classes i.e. Yoga
* Currently installing computer lines in a community used space
* Waiting list

UPWARD BOUND SENIOR VILLAS

1011 11th St

Santa Monica, CA 90403

Contact – Manager----------------------------------------------------------------(310) 458-7779  Ext 207

Requirements

* Age 62 or older
* Project Based
* 30% of income towards rent
* Low income
* Waiting List

Overview

* 68-one bedroom apartments
* Elevators
* Recreation/community room
* Some parking
* No air conditioning
* No balconies

WILSHIRE HOUSE

1125 3rd St

Santa Monica, CA 90403

Contact Person – Anavella Dibas (manager)-------------------------------------------(310) 395-4545

Administration – Retirement Housing Foundation-------------------------------------(562) 257-5100

Requirements

* Age 62 or older
* Low income
* Project based
* 30% of income towards rent

Overview

* 54 one bedroom apartments
* 18 studio apartments
* Community room
* Parking



SOBER LIVING

***NEW DIRECTIONS (Veterans Program)***

(New Directions program for male veterans)

11303 Wilshire Blvd., Bldg 116 and 257

Los Angeles, CA 90073

(310) 914-4045

(New Directions program for female veterans, “Oasis for Female Veterans”)

12536 Mitchell Avenue

Los Angeles, CA 90066

(310) 581-9825

Hours – 8:30am – 5:00pm

President and CEO – Gregory Scott------------------------------------------(310) 914-5966 ext 301

Transitional housing and programming for homeless people who have served in the United States military

Requirements

* Successful discharge other than “Dishonorable”
* No arsonist conviction or history of fire setting
* No sex offenders.

Overview

* Typical stay is one year, however, veterans may stay for up to two years
* Transitional Housing in a residential setting with 182 beds for men and 14 bed for women
* No income, OKAY (if income, 30% of income paid to program)

Specialized Services

* Coordinated case management and support groups facilitated by case managers and clinicians
* Workforce Development (HVRP) and Basic Education Training
* Clinical services, including substance abuse prevention, PTSD and MST
* Pro Bono Legal services
* Money management and assistance with budgeting
* Housing search and referrals, including SSVF

Veterans Housing Facilities and Programs

Salvation Army – Haven

Helping Assist Veterans with Emergency Needs

11301 Wilshire Blvd., Bldg. 212

Los Angeles, CA 90073

Phone # 310-478-3711

Executive Director - Janice Tsao –-------------------------------------------------------------------------Ext. 44353

Director of Operations - Wanda Wells---------------------------------------------------------------------Ext. 48762

Clinical Director of Programs - Ana Wong-McDonald------------------------------------------------Ext. 43653

* The Haven encompasses the next five programs:

ALPHA CENTER (Program under Haven)

11301 Wilshire Blvd., Bldg 212

Los Angeles, CA. 90073

Hours – 9am – 10:30pm

Program manager –Vance Poletto-------------------------------------------------------------(310)-478-3711 ext 43024

Intake –Bldg. 206-any VA liaison----------------------------------------------------------------(310)-478-3711

The Alpha Center provides emergency short-term housing (1-14 days) for up to 35 veterans who move from care at the Veteran Affairs Health Care Center (VAHC) without housing arrangements. Services both male and female vets.

Requirements

* Must be a veteran with a discharge other than dishonorable
* All veterans are eligible
* Service connection not required
* No fee to vet
* SSI or income not required
* Must be assessed in building 206 prior to admission to the program.
* Must be able to attend to activities of daily living (ADL's)
* Must adhere to all rules
* Must see case manager daily
* Must be willing to surrender all medications
* There is a curfew

Overview

* Family members (spouse, children, siblings, parents) are ineligible for this program
* Emergency housing

EXODUS LODGE (Program under Haven)

11301 Wilshire Blvd., Bldg. 212

Los Angeles, CA. 90073

Hours – 8am – 430pm

Program manager –Mary Holmes---------------------------------------(310)-478-3711 ext. 42811

Intake –Bldg. 206-any VA liaison-----------------------------------------(310)-478-3711

Exodus Lodge serves the needs of 90 veterans suffering from mental illness. Exodus provides emergency housing for up to thirty days for 20 veterans and a state-licensed board and care program for 70 additional veterans. Males only

Requirements

* Must be a veteran with a discharge other than dishonorable
* All veterans are eligible
* Service connection not required
* No fee to vet
* SSI or income not required
* Must be assessed in building 206 prior to admission to the program.
* Must be able to adhere to the program rules
* Must work with case manager
* Must adhere to the curfew

Overview

* Family members (spouse, children, siblings, parents) are ineligible for this program
* Case management
* Medication management

NAOMI HOUSE (Program under Haven)

11301 Wilshire Blvd., Bldg. 212

Los Angeles, CA. 90073

Hours – 9am – 430pm

Program manager –Victoria Curtin----------------------------------------(310)-478-3711 ext 49797

Intake –Bldg. 206-any VA liaison-------------------------------------------(310)-478-3711

Naomi House - Provides emergency housing, supportive services and a work development program for 15 female veterans.

Requirements

* Must be a veteran with a discharge other than dishonorable
* All veterans are eligible
* Service connection not required
* No fee to vet
* SSI or income not required
* Must be assessed in building 206 prior to admission to the program
* Must be able to complete all activities of daily living (ADL’s)
* Must adhere to the curfew
* If employed must save 80% of income
* Must be willing to participate in program
* Must develop some sort of income to create savings (SSI, V/A benefits etc.)

Overview

* Females only
* Case management
* Maximum stay is nine months to one year
* One to three women share a room
* Connect with medical and mental health services
* Provide individual therapy
* Group therapy
* Life skills
* Money management
* Family members (spouse, children, siblings, parents) are ineligible for this program

SENIOR PROGAM (Program under Haven)

11301 Wilshire Blvd., Bldg. 212

Los Angeles, CA. 90073

Hours – 8am – 430pm

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Program manager –Joan Feola -----------------------------------------(310)-478-3711 ext 43014

Intake - Bldg. 206-any VA liaison ---------------------------------------(310)-478-3711

The Senior Housing program serves the needs of 25 male veterans, age 60 and older. This program is specially designed to address the issues and needs of homeless, senior aged veterans. Men only

Requirements –

* Must be a veteran with a discharge other than dishonorable
* All veterans are eligible
* Service connection not required
* No fee to vet
* SSI or income not required
* Must be assessed in building 206 prior to admission to the program.
* Must be ambulatory
* Must submit to random drug test
* Curfew
* Maximum stay is 1 year, however there are exceptions
* Must save money

Overview-

* Transitional program
* Will accept veterans directly from the street (once cleared from 206)
* Can have current addiction issue
* Provide life skills training
* Provide case management
* Will address addiction as well as mental health issues
* Assist cognitive skills
* Assist with guiding vets back to a productive lifestyle
* Family members (spouse, children, siblings, parents) are ineligible for this program

VICTORY PLACE (Program of Salvation Army)

11301 Wilshire Blvd., Bldg. 207 & 212

Los Angeles, CA. 90073

Hours - 8am – 430pm

Victory Place offers a state licensed substance abuse treatment facility for 95 veterans. Successful participants in the program have achieved 180 days of sobriety, full-time employment and adequate income to support a housing option of their choice. More than 200 veterans go through the program each year.

Program Manager - Mary Parker –--------------------------------------(310) 478-3711 Ext 48762

Intake – Bldg. 206-any VA liaison --------------------------------------- (310)-478-3711

Requirements

* Must be a homeless Veteran
* This a referral system program – must be seen in person at the referral center in building 206 by a VA social worker liaison
* Must be ambulatory

Overview

* Program is grant funded per diem (no money required by client)
* Dual diagnosis program for homeless Veterans
* Maximum stay is twelve (12) months, however there are exceptions
* In house MFT as well as social worker
* Provide assistance with transitional housing
* Main focus is substance abuse
* New program to service Vets with serious mental illness (no substance abuse issue)
* Provide services to assist with long term transitional housing as well as permanent housing (aftercare program)
* Provide services for community integration as well as return to work education

HERBERT HOUSE SOBER LIVING RECOVERY ENVIRONMENT, INC

2531 Sawtelle Blvd, PMB 66,

Los Angeles, CA. 90064 (Mailing Address)

12012 Herbert St (physical address)

Mar Vista, CA. 90066

Director – Jace Horowitz--------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 737-7566

Intake – Lena McKenna---------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 737-7566

A sober living residential environment with a 12-Step program and Urine Analysis testing weekly for $1800.00 monthly.

Requirements

* Must be ambulatory
* Must be willing to follow the structure and rules of the program (chores, curfew, drug testing, required check in with staff
* Must be medication compliant (if prescribed)
* Must have ability to pay $1800.00 per month as well as move-in fee of $2400.00

Overview

* Does not accept Medi-Cal
* Does not have any indigent beds
* Total number of beds – twenty-two (22)
* Men / Women beds vary on need
* They are a dual diagnosis program
* Will not accept potential clients under the influence at time of intake
* Onsite 12-step and recovery meetings
* Zero tolerance for substance usage while in the program
* Now offering Neuro feedback

MEN’S RECOVERY HOME (Program of CLARE Foundation)

1871 9th Street,

Santa Monica, CA. 90404

Main #-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 314-6200

Fax # --------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 396-6974

Director of Residential - Stephen Dupree--------------------------------(310) 314-6200 ext 3171

Intake – Michael Robinson-----------------------------------------------------(310) 314-6200 ext 3151

Requirements

* Must attend a thirty (30) day detoxification first
* Must be ambulatory (will take with cane or walker) must have ability to move freely on own
* Must participate in daily chores
* Must attend all educational sessions
* Must attend all groups
* Must attend twelve (12) step program (The first three steps are required)
* Must make a strong attempt to locate a sponsor
* Can only bring four (4) sets of clothing – clothes can only be brought in a large plastic bag (no duffle bags)

Overview

* Maximum stay is six (6) months
* Electronics are not allowed (cell phones, CD players, radios, etc.)
* Will provide toiletries
* Does not accept Medi-Cal
* Accepts walk-ins
* Can have visitors on the weekends
* Dual diagnosis program – Work closely with Edelman as well as MFT on staff and interns from USC
* Have very few indigent (contracted) beds
* Need to be eligible for General Relief benefits
* Must have the ability to pay $150.00 plus General Relief benefits
* If client has SSI or self pay the cost is $750.00 per month
* Forty nine (49) beds total – 37 men and 12 women

MIRIAM’S HOUSE – (See Pregnant and Parenting Housing Programs)

MY BROTHER’Z HOUSE

1833 21st St.

Santa Monica, CA 90404

[www.mybrotherzhouse.com](http://www.mybrotherzhouse.com)

Hours – 9:30am – 1:30pm

Co-Founder/Administrative Director--Mona Fortenberry------------------------(424) 225-2697

Our sober living recovery environment exclusively for men has private rooms, dorms, and lush grounds with a patio, jacuzzi, and outdoor barbecue. My Brother'z House supports its residents with all inclusive food and snacks, a 24 hour on-site house captain, weekly house meetings, wireless internet, a spacious full service kitchen, and laundry facilities. For those looking to relax in a peaceful atmosphere, we have three media centers supported by the vendor Fios network.

Requirements

* Must have the ability to pay $750.00 per month
* Must be ambulatory
* Must follow all house rule
* Must attend meetings
* Must seek employment or enroll in school
* Does not accept Medi-cal
* Does not have indigent beds
* Must continue with outpatient services
* No walk-ins

Overview

* All food provided
* Cook on premises (all meals prepared)
* Will connect with mental health services
* Can stay as long a necessary
* Maximum of ten (10) men

PHOENIX HOUSE

503 Ocean Front Walk

Venice, CA. 90291

Hours - 7am – 4pm

Director – Bruce Tobman------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 392-3070

Phoenix is a short-term residential treatment facility. This facility provides a continuum of care to substance abusers. It’s a residential program with a Fifty (50) bed capacity and its duration is Six 6 months. It’s a men only facility.

Requirements

* Must remain in compliance with all the house rules
* Must maintain sobriety
* Must be ambulatory
* Referral only

Overview

* Provide individual and group counseling
* Provide recreational therapy
* Life skills training and behavior modification
* On site 12-Step meetings
* On site random drug testing
* Social skills support
* Provide problem solving techniques
* Provide services for dual diagnosis
* Will take private insurance as well as private pay (sliding scale)
* Will provide services to those on general relief

THE SOBER INN (Program of CLARE Foundation)

905 Pico Blvd.

Santa Monica, CA. 90404

Hours – 730am – 2pm

Intake – Charlene Garcia -------------------------------------------------------(310) 314-6200 ext 3152

Toll Free Number -----------------------------------------------------------------(866) 452-5273

CLARE's Men's Recovery Home (MRH) is a residential program designed specifically for recovering men. MRH offers structure and an on-site support system that allows clients to establish a sober lifestyle, confront their personal issues and recover their self-esteem as they move back toward independence and self-sufficiency. MRH houses men in a six-month program. Using a daily regimen of 12-step study, peer interaction, group and family meetings, employment workshops, relapse prevention training, volunteer work and community chores, MRH residents lay the groundwork for a rewarding, sober future.

Requirements

* Must have ability to pay (sliding scale)
* Must agree to random drug testing
* Must have a telephone pre-screen prior to admission
* Must be able to perform activities of daily living;
* Must be abstinent from alcohol/drugs for at least 30 days
* Must have a problem with alcohol/drugs
* Must comply with CLARE house rules
* Must maintain sobriety will in the program
* Must have participated in a 12-step program within the last 6 months
* Must be at least eighteen (18) years old

Overview

* Men only
* Sixty (60) beds maximum
* Maximum stay is nine (9) months
* Group and family meetings
* Employment workshops

WOMEN’S RECOVERY HOME (Program of CLARE Foundation)

1023 Pico Blvd.

Santa Monica, CA. 90404

Toll Free Number (866) 452-5273

Hours – 730am – 2pm

Intake – Charlene Garcia ------------------------------------------------------(310) 314-6200 ext 3152

The women’s recovery home is a separate gender-specific program allowing female clients a place to address the underlying issues specific to women in recovery. Here, the women exist as their own community of peers. The all-female environment provides a safe and distraction free environment. The clients then work on women's recovery issues: building self-esteem, learning how to be independent, and developing healthier relationships. Since some of the women have children - who are staying with their husbands or other relatives - parenting classes are available so they can learn how to be better role models for their kids.

Requirements

* Must have ability to pay (sliding scale)
* Must agree to random drug testing
* Must have a telephone pre-screen prior to admission
* Must be able to perform activities of daily living;
* Must be abstinent from alcohol/drugs for at least 30 days
* Must have a problem with alcohol/drugs
* Must comply with CLARE house rules.
* Must maintain sobriety will in the program
* Must have participated in a 12-step program within the last 6 months
* Must be at least eighteen years old

Overview

* Must have substance abuse
* Maximum stay six months
* Women only
* Twenty (20) beds maximum
* Maximum stay is nine (9) months
* Group and family meetings
* Employment workshops

SOBER LIVING NETWORK OF WEST LOS ANGELES

P. O. Box 5235

Santa Monica, CA 90409

www.soberhouisng.net

Main Line----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 396 5270

For Los Angeles, Orange, Riverside and San Bernardino counties sober living homes are affordable, alcohol and drug free housing providing positive environments that facilitate peer group recovery support.



TRANSITION AGE YOUTH HOUSING (TAY) & Drop-in Centers

Mental Health Services Act (MSHA)

TAY Drop-in Center

ENHANCED EMERGENCY SHELTER PROGRAM (EESP)

Hours – 8am – 5pm

Intake -- Gatekeeper---------------------------------------------------------------------------213-738-6194

The EESP for TAY targets youth who can otherwise live independently in the community and have minimal supervision needs. Youth who are dependents of DCFS, on parole or under LPS conservatorship will not be eligible for this program. Additionally, the program provides immediate and urgent housing needs of the seriously emotionally disturbed (SED) / severely persistently mentally ill (SPMI) population. The primary goal of the program is to provide temporary shelter for TAY clients in a supportive housing environment for up to forty five (45) days (including extensions) while pursuing the long-term goals of securing permanent housing.

Requirements

* Must be TAY 18-25 (minors 16-17 may be accepted at a later date)
* Must be indigent
* Must be designated SED/SPMI
* Must be homeless or at imminent risk of homelessness
* does not have any income, benefits, or any other resources to pay for shelter
* Not a danger to self, others, or gravely disabled

Must contact gatekeeper for intake process

Overview

Temporary shelter

Areas include (Hermosa Beach, Pomona, South El Monte, Los Angeles, & Long Beach)

This is countywide DMH program

LA GAY AND LESBIAN CENTER

7051 Santa Monica Blvd.

Los Angeles, CA 90038

Hours – M-F 830am – 530pm

S-S 830am – 400pm

Intake – Any case manger---------------------------------------------323-860-2280 or 888-255-2429

Drop-in centers provide temporary safety and basic supports for seriously emotionally disturbed (SED) and severe and persistently ill mentally (SPMI) TAY who are living on the streets or in unstable living situations. Drop-in centers provide “low demand, high tolerance” environments in which TAY can make new friends, participate in social activities, access competes, books, music, and games. As the youth is ready, staff persons can connect them to the services and supports they need in order to work toward stability and recovery.

Requirements

Must be between the ages of 14 - 24

Must have some kind of ID (school ID, California ID, etc.)

Overview

Provide showers

Hot meals

Provide clothing

Access to computer/internet

DVD and video games

Peer support groups

Social activities

Linage to mental health services

Case management services

Linkage to substance abuse treatment information

Educational services

Employment assistance

Housing assistance (linkage to transitional housing programs)

The following Five (5) housing projects are permanent affordable housing for TAY that require the client complete the following forms to ensure eligibility: (1) MHSA housing certification application, (2) Protected Health Information (PHI) release form, (3) the Agency Verification of Homelessness form and (4) the Certification of Residence in a homeless facility form (only if the applicant is living in a shelter; or transitional housing less than two years and entered said transitional housing from homelessness – either from the streets or from a shelter). Please refer to DMH website for application. Additionally, allow 10 business days to process the application. [www.dmh.lacounty.gov](http://www.dmh.lacounty.gov)

Housing Coordinator – Fax-------------------------------------------------------------------213-637-2336

Young Burlington

Epworth Apartments

Villas at Gower

Daniel’s Village

Progress Place Apartments

HUD’s definition of homelessness

An individual who lacks a fixed, regular and adequate nighttime residence and

an individual who has a primary nighttime residence it is –

a supervised publicly or privately operated shelter designed to provide temporary living accommodations (including welfare hotels, congregate shelters, and transitional housing for the mentally ill);

an institution that provides a temporary residence for individuals intended to be institutionalized; or

A public or private place not designed for, or ordinarily used as, a regular sleeping accommodation for human beings.

YOUNG BURLINGTON (MHSA)

820 S. Burlington

Los Angeles, CA 90057

SA 4

New affordable community of twenty one (21) apartments opened in the fall 2011. Each apartment has “green” features designed to save residents money, improve air quality and protect the environment. The building is smoke-free with a designated outdoor smoking area. Potential residents must be income qualified and approved by the management company.

Requirements

A household income of 25% average median income AMI or less (1 person no more than $14,950 annually; 2 persons no more than $17,000 annually)

Must meet the HUD’s definition of “homelessness”

Must be certified by the Department of Mental Health-Housing Policy & Development.

Certification application must be submitted by your case manager.

Must be between the ages of 18-25 years of age at time of move-in (or an emancipated minor)

Copy of valid California ID or Driver’s License \*

Copy of Social Security Card

Income verification \*\*

Must be a client receiving mental health services at a directly operated clinic or a contracted clinic

Must contact Community Housing Management Services (CHMS) at (562) 597-6200 ext 230 for application

Overview

walking distance of shops, public parks, and schools

indoor community space

laundry facilities

\*You may submit a copy of a receipt for your ID or driver’s license

\*\* Print out from SSA and/or GR, or award letter

EPWORTH APARTMENTS (MHSA)

6525 S. Normandie Avenue

Los Angeles, CA 90044

SA 6

Epworth Apartment complex is a twenty (20) unit Transition Age Youth (TAY) permanent supportive housing development located in South Los Angeles. This project will provide 19 MHSA funded units for homeless TAY who meet the eligibility criteria. There are 17 (1) bedrooms and (2) studio apartments all with a full kitchen and bathroom.

Requirements

Annual household income of 30% average median income (AMI) or less ($17,950 or less for (1) person and $20,500 or less for (2) persons).

Must meet the HUD’s definition of “homelessness”

Must be certified by Department of Mental Health – Housing Policy and Development

Certification application must be submitted by your case manager

Must be between the ages of 18-25 years of age at time of move-in (or an emancipated minor)

Copy of valid California ID or Driver’s License \*

Copy of Social Security Card \*\*

Income verification \*\*\* (if available, but not required at time of initial interview)

Must be a client receiving mental health services at a directly operated clinic or a contracted clinic

Interview required with Levine Management Group (626) 798-4625

Case manager required to accompany each applicant to the interview and ensure that the applicant has the required documents as indicated above

Overview

walking distance to shopping and community amenities

smoke-free building with designated outdoor smoking area

landscape courtyard

indoor community space

laundry facilities

\*You may submit a copy of a receipt for your ID or driver’s license

\*\* Print out from SSA and/or GR, or award letter

VILLAS AT GOWER (MHSA)

1726 N. Gower St.

Los Angeles, CA 90028

SA 4

The Villas at Gower are designed for Families (maximum 3 persons per family), TAY, Adults and Older Adults, who are homeless or chronically homeless as defined by HUD, and actively receiving services at DMH or one of its contracted service providers.  The DMH forms required to certify eligibility are the PHI Release Form, the MHSA Housing Certification Application, the Agency Verification of Homelessness form and the Certification of Residence in a Homeless Facility form (only if the applicant is living in a shelter; or transitional housing less than two years and entered said transitional housing from homelessness - either from the streets or from a shelter).

Requirements

History of severe and persistent mental illness

Must be low income

Must be homeless

Must be certified by Department of Mental Health – Housing Policy and Development

Certification application must be submitted by your case manager

Must be between the ages of 18-25 years of age at time of move-in (or an emancipated minor).

Copy of valid California ID or Driver’s License \*

Copy of Social Security Card \*\*

Income verification \*\*\* (if available, but not required at time of initial interview)

Must be a client receiving mental health services at a directly operated clinic or a contracted clinic

Overview

Laundry facility

Free high speed internet access

Community rooms

On site manager

On sight supportive services

DANIEL’S VILLAGE (MHSA)

2624 Santa Monica Blvd

Santa Monica, CA 90403

SA 5

Daniel’s Village is an eight (8) unit former motel. Seven (7) of the units are designated for low income, mentally ill adults age 18-25 years old. One unit is designated for an on-site Resident Manager. Each unit has a bathroom with a private shower and private toilet. Room furnishings include a bed, storage drawers, small refrigerator and “cook top”. The building has an on site laundry room. Step up on Second (SUOS) and Daniel’s Place are the designated service providers for Daniel’s Village

Requirements

History of severe and persistent mental illness

Must be low income

Must be homeless

Must be certified by Department of Mental Health – Housing Policy and Development

Certification application must be submitted by your case manager

Must be between the ages of 18-25 years of age at time of move-in (or an emancipated minor).

Copy of valid California ID or Driver’s License \*

Copy of Social Security Card \*\*

Income verification \*\*\* (if available, but not required at time of initial interview)

Must be a client receiving mental health services at a directly operated clinic or a contracted clinic

Must contact Housing Assistant at Step Up on Second for application at (310) 394-6889

Overview

Medication management

Case management

Vocational assessment, job training, employment, educational services and support

Linkages to community services

Money management

Family support

PROGRESS PLACE APARTMENTS (MHSA)

407-409 & 411-413 Progress Place

Los Angeles, CA 90033

SA 4

Progress Place Apartments is designed for Transition Age Youth (TAY) ages 18-25.  This is shared housing, meaning you will have your own bedroom and share the kitchen, living room and bath room with another.  Potential residents applying for Progress Place Apartments need to be between 18-25 years of age (or an emancipated minor), homeless or chronically homeless as defined by HUD and actively receiving services from DMH or one of its contracted service providers.  The DMH forms are required to certify eligibility are the MHSA Housing Certification Application, Protected Health Information (PHI) release form (your agency may use their own PHI form if you have one), Agency Certification of Homelessness and the Certification of Residence in a Homeless Facility form (if the applicant is living in a shelter, welfare hotel or transitional housing and having entered said facility from the streets, shelter or welfare hotel).

Requirements

Annual household income of 30% average median income (AMI) or less ($17,950 or less for (1) person and $20,500 or less for (2) persons).

Must meet the HUD’s definition of “homelessness”

Must be certified by Department of Mental Health – Housing Policy and Development

Certification application must be submitted by your case manager

Must be between the ages of 18-25 years of age at time of move-in (or an emancipated minor)

Copy of valid California ID or Driver’s License \*

Copy of Social Security Card \*\*

Income verification \*\*\* (if available, but not required at time of initial interview)

Must be a client receiving mental health services at a directly operated clinic or a contracted clinic

Once certification is approved, contact Elaine Knight at Community Housing Management Services to request an apartment application (562) 597-6200 ext 230

Overview

Fully furnished

On site laundry facility

Landscaped areas

DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN AND FAMILY SERVICES (DCFS) TRANSITIONAL HOUSING PROGRAM (THP)

3530 Wilshire Blvd. 4th Floor   
Los Angeles, CA 90010 (Wilshire & Normandie)   
(www.ILPonline.org)

Hours – 8am – 5pm

Main Line------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------213-351-0190

The Department of Children and Family Services (DCFS) Transitional Housing Program (THP) for Homeless young people provides housing and supportive services to emancipated foster youth age 18 to 21 years old who are homeless or have the potential of being homeless due to living in temporary unstable housing. The Transitional Living Model is a combination of both scattered site apartments and multi-unit apartment buildings. Apartments are leased in areas with easy access to public transportation, colleges, shopping centers and grocery stores.

Requirements

Must be ages 18 – 21

Prior DCFS dependent

Must be homeless (no stable place of permanent residency)

Must have a personal motivation to achieve independence

Must have a willingness to follow program rule and regulations

No resident is allowed to receive public assistance

All residents must work and/or attend school or vocational training\

Must work full time and save at least 50% of earnings or must work part time and attend school full or part time (community college, vocational / certificate program or any other academically oriented or job training program.

Must meet with transitioning youth social worker on a weekly basis

Must participate in program activities, special events, workshops, conferences, seminars trainings, etc.

Must complete referral processes

Overview

Length of stay is one (1) year with a maximum allowable assistance up to eighteen (18) months

Six months follow up services are provided

This is a county wide program

Furnished apartments and paid utilities

Educational guidance

Food stipend monthly (including an additional allotment for minor children of teen mothers

Assistance to secure medical coverage and care

Career guidance and counseling

Independent living skills training

Assistance with locating permanent housing upon exit from the program

Transportation resources – bus passes and/or tokens

Childcare services (for teens moms working and/or attending school)

SALAVATON ARMY WESTWOOD /THE WAY IN YOUTH SERVICES –Drop in Center

5939 Hollywood Blvd.

Los Angeles, CA 90028

Hours - M thru F - 6:00pm to 8:00pm.

Main Line----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(323) 469-2946

The Way In provides services through a Drop-In Center where homeless youth ages 12 to 17 receive care, compassion, practical and spiritual guidance, as well as companionship. It is also a place where they can play games and have healthy social interactions.  The Children's Hospital of Los Angeles provides a mobile health team, while Shelter Partnership donates hygiene supplies and blankets.  Legal services are offered through Public Counsel.

Requirements

Homeless youth

Overview

Able shower

Get clean clothes

Access to telephone

Store valuables

Receive therapy

Get taxi vouchers

Access to case managers

Assist with connecting to services

Receive a hot meal

YWCA- SANTA MONICA/WESTSIDE HOUSING

2019 14TH Street

Santa Monica, California 90405

[www.smywca.org](http://www.smywca.org/)

Hours – 9am – 5pm

Housing Director -Sharrie Wunder---------------------------------------------310-314-1466 ext 106

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At the YWCA Santa Monica / Westside, our Transitional Housing and Education Program, provide young women who are former foster youth with a home, food, social support and services for up to two and a half years while they attend school full-time, work part-time, save for their future and attend life skills classes.  Young women graduate from our program with a degree or professional certification and develop the background on which they can build a satisfying career and independence. Women Only.

Requirements-

Former foster your

Single women without children

Between the ages of 18 and 22

Academically / vocationally motivated

Invested in working part-time

Dedicated to personal growth

Free of drugs and alcohol

Committed to long term planning

Overview –

Residents share a bedroom (1 roommate), and common areas such as a kitchen, living room, TV room, and computer room

On-site staff provides 24-hour guidance

Near bus stops, employment opportunities and recreational activities

Initial Interview and Tour:  Visit the home and receive application package

Submit application and letters of reference

Second Interview:  Meet staff, residents and program alumni

Sleepover:  Experience the program. Get a feel for the community, school and employment opportunities.



TRANSITIONAL HOUSING

COVENANT HOUSE CALIFORNIA (CHC)

1325 N. Western Avenue

Hollywood, CA 90027-5615

[www.covenanthouse.org](http://www.covenanthouse.org)

Hours – 9am – 5pm

Main Line---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------- (323) 461-3131

Outreach—Chris Wilson-----------------------------------------------------------(323) 957-1455 ext 301

Covenant House is an innovative transitional living program that addresses the long-term needs of at-risk kids who first come to us in crisis. Once accepted into the program, residents live in apartments at Covenant House for up to 18 months. For many, this is the first "real" home they have ever known.

Our kids do their own shopping, cooking and cleaning, and socialize with their Rights of Passage neighbors, often sharing meals together and developing friendships. While learning these important life-skills, Rights of Passage ROP residents are also required to [complete their education](http://www.covenanthouse.org/homeless-youth-programs/educational-classe) and hold down a job.

CHC has two residential campuses operating 24 hours daily. Our Rights of Passage program has thirty (30) beds in Hollywood and twelve (12) beds in Oakland. CHC also has five off-site apartments in Hollywood to house 10 youth who have achieved educational success or employment stability.

Requirements

Must participate in savings plan

Must complete education

Must seek employment

Overview

Community Support Services

Short-term Crisis Shelter

Rights of Passage

Supportive Apartments Program

Health Services

HIV/AIDS Services

Substance Abuse Counseling

Mental Health Counseling

Pastoral Ministry

Stay up to eighteen (18) months

Independent Living Program (ILP) not required

Walk-ins are welcome, however prefer referral

Does conduct on the spot in-take, typically during street outreach

DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN AND FAMILY SERVICES (DCFS) TRANSITIONAL HOUSING PROGRAM (THP)

3530 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 400   
Los Angeles, CA 90010

www.ilponline.org

Hours – 8am – 5pm

Intake – ask to be connected ---------------------------------------------------------------213-351-0190

The Department of Children and Family Services (DCFS) Transitional Housing Program (THP) for Homeless Young People provides housing and supportive services to emancipated foster youth age 18 to 21 years old who are homeless or have the potential of being homeless due to living in temporary unstable housing. The Transitional Living Model is a combination of both scattered site apartments and multi-unit apartment buildings. Apartments are leased in areas with easy access to public transportation, colleges, shopping centers and grocery stores.

Requirements

Must have a high school diploma

At risk for being homeless or homeless (no stable place of permanent residency)

Must be able to work

Must have the ability to pay rent

Must be aging out of foster care or probation system

Must be between the ages of 18 to 21

Prior DCFS dependent

Must have a personal motivation to achieve independence

Must have a willingness to follow program rules and regulations

Overview

Food stipend monthly (including an additional allotment for minor children of teen mothers)

Provide transportation

Provide food vouchers

Maximum stay is eighteen (18) months

Provide referrals for medical and mental health services

Can self refer

Independent Living Program (ILP) eligibility not required

Transition Resource Center (TRC) Services

Child Care Services – (for teen moms working and/or attending school)

Public Health Nurse - providing medical consultations, health care training and resources for youth and minor children of teen mothers

Individual Counseling

HOMES FOR LIFE, ALTHENA HOMES FOR TAY (TRANSITION-AGE YOUTH)

506 E. Fairview Ave

San Gabriel, CA 91776

SA 3

Hours - 24 hours 7 days a week

Contact Person – Kevin Minor-----------------------------------------------------------(626) 524-6145

HFL Athena Homes is a transitional, clustered Transitional-Age-Youth (TAY) housing program located in Alhambra and San Gabriel, California.  The program was developed in collaboration with the Los Angeles County Department of Mental Health, Department of Children and Family Services, and the County Community Development Commission. The program serves eighteen (18) TAY, ages 18 to 21. Residents are emancipated youth from the foster care system.  During their two year residency, residents benefit from an extensive array of services and life skills training to assist them in preparing for living independently or in structured living environments.

Requirements

Referral only

Must have Axis I diagnosis

Maximum stay two (2) years or until age twenty one (21)

No sexual offenders

No gang members unwilling to break ties with the gang

All applications must be completed and faxed to Kevin

Verification of homelessness and/or emancipation from DCFS or Probation

Overview

Life skills training

Individual and group therapy

Medication and symptom management

Basic conversation

Social program solving

Use of leisure time

Community Involvement

Independent living skills

Meal preparation skills

Money management/Consumer awareness

Vocational training

Job seeking skills

Linkage and consultation services

Wait list is usually short

Maximum beds eighteen (18)

Five (5) sites in this service area

HOMES FOR LIFE

Homes for Life Main Office

8939 S. Sepulveda Blvd, Ste 460

Los Angeles, CA 90045

Hours – 9am – 5pm

Cedar Street Homes

11401 Bloomfield Ave, Bldg #305

Norwalk, CA 90600

Contact Person – Intake person on duty-----------------------------------------------(310) 337-7417

HFL Cedar Street Homes is located in Norwalk, California, on the grounds of Metropolitan State Hospital, adjacent to the HFL Birch Grove Homes, and the HFL Elm Street Homes. Cedar Street was rehabilitated from a vacant, historical building, into a transitional, ‘step down’, state licensed, thirty eight (38) bed residential facility for persons exiting from Los Angeles County Institutions of Mental Disease (IMDs).

Requirements

DMH only

Referrals from only from a locked facility, an IMD, or Hospital

Licensed for 38 adults, men and women

Completed referral forms necessary

Adults only ages eighteen (18) and older

Overview

Has an assisted apartment complex for twelve (12)

Life skills training

Individual and group therapy

Medication and symptom management

Basic conversation

Social program solving

Use of leisure time

Community Involvement

Independent living skills

Meal preparation skills

Money management/Consumer awareness

Vocational training

Job seeking skills

Linkage and consultation services

L.A .GAY AND LESBIAN CENTER

McDonald/Wright Building

1625 N. Schrader Blvd.

Los Angeles, CA 90028-6213

www.lagaycenter.org

Hours – Mon - Fri: 9 a.m. - 9 p.m. Sat: 9 a.m. - 1 p.m. Sun: Closed

Intake – Any case manger--------------------------------------------------------------------323-993-7400

Our renowned twenty four (24) bed Transitional Living Program in Hollywood offers LGBT youth, 18-24 years old, a safe, comfortable place to live for up to eighteen 18 months in dorm-style rooms. While you're in the program, staff will help you get a job and/or enroll in college and assist you in developing the resources and skills to live on your own. This is a one-of-a-kind transitional residence in the heart of Hollywood, where youth who don’t have a home of their own and have been turned away from their families find a home environment. While you’re living here, our staff will help you find and maintain a job, enroll in school, and manage your savings so you can succeed once you are living on your own.

Requirements

Must be between the ages of 14 - 24

Must have some kind of ID (school ID, California ID, etc.)

All services are free, however once employed you will be required to put 80% of income in savings account which will be returned at the end of your stay

Overview

Dorm style living

Case Management

Support Staff

Three (3) Hot Meals A Day

Savings Plan

financial planning,

Employment preparation

Health education

Assistance in finding affordable housing.

Computer access

Social Outings

***NEW DIRECTIONS (Veterans Program)***

(New Directions program for male veterans)

11303 Wilshire Blvd., Bldg 116 and 257

Los Angeles, CA 90073

(310) 914-4045

(New Directions program for female veterans, “Oasis for Female Veterans”)

12536 Mitchell Avenue

Los Angeles, CA 90066

(310) 581-9825

Hours – 8:30am – 5:00pm

President and CEO – Gregory Scott------------------------------------------(310) 914-5966 ext 301

Transitional housing and programming for homeless people who have served in the United States military

Requirements

Successful discharge other than “Dishonorable”

No arsonist conviction or history of fire setting

No sex offenders.

Overview

Typical stay is one year, however, veterans may stay for up to two years

Transitional Housing in a residential setting with 182 beds for men and 14 bed for women

No income, OKAY (if income, 30% of income paid to program)

Specialized Services

Coordinated case management and support groups facilitated by case managers and clinicians

Workforce Development (HVRP) and Basic Education Training

Clinical services, including substance abuse prevention, PTSD and MST

Pro Bono Legal services

Money management and assistance with budgeting

Housing search and referrals, including SSVF

P.A.T.H. (PEOPLE ASSISTING THE HOMELES)

Main Office

340 N. Madison

Los Angeles, CA 90004

Hours - 730am – 430pm

Contact -----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(323) 644-2216

This is the main office for all services and programs, including transitional housing. There are 3 transitional housing locations. One is in West Los Angeles on Cotner Avenue. Everyone must apply for any service, housing included, at the Madison address known as “The PATH Mall.”

Requirements

Walk-in, first come-first serve

Hours of Operation 7:30 am to 4:00 pm. Numbers are passed out to people in line starting at 6:00 am

Overview

Everyone is assessed upon initial intake, and given a referral to specific “agencies” placed in the “mall”.

People may sign up for any of the following

Showers, change of cloths, laundry

Medical, Mental health care or both

Shelters, housing

Bus tokens, Transportation

SALAVATON ARMY WESTWOOD /THE WAY IN YOUTH SERVICES

5939 Hollywood Blvd.

Los Angeles, CA 90028

Hours – 9am – 4pm

Main Line----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(323) 469-2946

The Way In's Independent Living Program provides apartments for older youth ages 18-21, and allows them to experience the independence of being an adult with the helping hand we all need when starting out. This twenty (20) bed, alcohol and drug-free program is designed for at-risk youth of legal age with no family or options available to help them to become independent and self-sufficient.

Requirements

Must continue to attend high school if not a graduate

Must pursue further education, or enroll in vocational training.

Must attend weekly counseling and case management sessions,

Must participate in life skills training and attend bi-weekly house meetings.

ILP eligible youth not accepted

Overview

Maximum stay is twenty one (21) months

Residents receive training in job skills and are aided in securing and maintaining employment.

All of their living costs are paid and in lieu of any rent,

residents pay into a savings program, all of which is returned to them upon exit from the program

ST. JOSEPH CENTER

404 Lincoln Blvd

Los Angeles, CA 90291

Hours - M-T-Th – 8am – 430pm

W- 8am – 12pm

S,S – 8am – 330pm

Administrator – Va Lecia Adams --------------------------------------------------------(310) 396-6468

Transitional Housing Director – Halui Suselier-------------------------------------(310) 396-6468

St. Joseph’s Center provides basic services. Here, homeless men and women can make a reservation to eat at Bread and Roses Café, do a load of laundry, take a shower and have access to phone and mail service. Through meetings with our staff, they can also be connected with emergency shelter, medical care, and mental health and substance abuse treatment. They can also receive help with transportation and advocacy to apply for government benefits. Additionally, St. Joseph’s Center provides transitional housing and low income housing through its administrative office. Usually reserved for families, or men or women with children through the LAHSA Program or VCHIP for the chronically homeless, but St. Joseph’s Center will assist those with mental illness or with medical or physical disabilities. Homeless are offered a variety of other services at the walk-in center.

Requirements

Homeless

Must participate in a brief intake process during morning hours

Must place name on list during morning hours for intake process to begin (approximately 7:30am)

Overview

Refer to different agencies for job training

Refer to different agencies for employment assistance

Ongoing treatment

Assistance with obtaining permanent housing

Provide emergency housing and services

Provide case management

Provide mental/medical treatment

Showers, hot meals, postal service, make phone calls

Services men, women and children.

Change of clothes on Tuesdays and Thursdays only

TURNING POINT

(Program of OPCC)

1447 16th St

Santa Monica, CA 90404

www.opcc.org

Hours – 24 hours a day, 365 days a year

Contact Person – Donna Roland Walker----------------------------------------------(310) 828-6717

Turning Point is open to residents of the program who are seeking employment or on SSI, those currently on the waiting list for transitional housing and individuals referred from other social services organizations. It is a Fifty five (55) f-bed transitional housing shelter for homeless men and women that offer housing and supportive services for up to nine (9) months.

Requirements

Must be homeless five (5) years or three (3) to four (4) episodes of homelessness spanning the last five (5) years in Santa Monica or have been employed or a resident of the area in the past five (5) years.

Single men or women only

Must be referred

Must a resident of Santa Monica – have a history of homeless in Santa Monica or referred through DMH (resident of SM not required)

Must apply OPCC, 1616 7th St. Santa Monica, CA 90401

Overview

Receive three (3) meals a day

Individual sleeping area

Receive clothing

Case management

Counseling and support groups

Specialized programs (job counseling, money management, health education, computer classes and independent living skills)

YMCA SANTA MONICA (FEMALES ONLY)

2019 14TH Street

Santa Monica, CA 90305

[www.smywca.org](http://www.smywca.org)

Hours – 8am – 5pm

Intake-----------------Sherrie Wunder ----------------------------------------—(310) 452-3881 ext 301

At the YWCA Santa Monica / Westside, we know that the best chance for each young woman to reach her goals is to stay in school.  In our Transitional Housing and Education Program, we provide young women who are former foster youth with a home, food, social support and services for up to two and a half years while they attend school full-time, work part-time, save for their future and attend life skills classes.  Young women graduate from our program with a degree or professional certification and develop the background on which they can build a satisfying career and independence.

Requirements

Single women without children

Between the ages of 18 and 22

Must have been in the foster care system (DCFS enrolled)

Must be willing to attend school full time

Must be willing to work part time

Must commit to saving 50% of earnings

Must be willing to attend weekly life skills training course

Must be willing to commit to daily chores

Overview

Willing to share one (1) bedroom with one other person

On-site staff provide 24hr guidance

Near recreational activities, local college, and public transportation

Maximum stay is two (2) years six (6) months

Dedicated to personal growth

Free of drugs and alcohol

Committed to long term planning

ILP not required



VETERANS BENEFITS / HOUSING

DEPARTMENT OF MILITARY AND VETERAN AFFAIRS

2615 S. Grand Avenue, #100   
Los Angeles, CA 90007

[www.dmva.la.ca.co.us](http://www.dmva.la.ca.co.us)

Hours – 8am – 4pm M thru F

Main Line---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(877) 452-8387

The County of Los Angeles maintains a permanent outreach to Veterans and dependents through the Veterans Services Division. Professionally trained and accredited Veterans benefits counselors are available to assist with every type of benefit provided by the US Department of Veterans Affairs. Home calls may be made to assist elderly or handicapped persons. The service is free of charge.

Veteran Services:

Interview and counsel clients on the availability of veteran's benefits and services.

Develop, file, monitor and appeal claims on behalf of clients

Verification of veterans benefits for Federal, State and local agencies.

Process applications for California Dependents Educational Fee Waivers for dependents of service disabled / deceased veterans.

Participate in community events pertaining to veterans, i.e. care days, stand downs, job fairs, etc.

Services Offered:

Compensation for service connected disabled veterans

Pension for non-service connected disabled veterans

Life insurance

Cemeteries and burial (including indigent burials)

Benefits for surviving spouse and children

Medical care

Educational / vocational rehabilitation benefits

VA / CAL-VET home loan guaranty programs

State of California dependents college fee waiver program

Other related benefits

NEW DIRECTIONS (Veterans Program)

11030 Wilshire Blvd., VA Bldg. 116

Los Angeles, CA 90073

(310) 914-4045

Specialized services offered for veterans in programming at New Directions

Supportive group facilitated by case managers and clinicians

Seeking safety

Recovery and relapse prevention

Managing anger

Wellness

Family reunification and visitation

Workforce Development

Job club

Customer service class

Resume preparation

Mock Interviews

Short-term training opportunities and tutoring

Job coaching and placement assistance

Clinical Services

EMDR

PTSD Therapy

Domestic violence therapy

Other psychotherapies

Pro Bono Legal Advice

General legal issues with tickets and warrants

Family law and child support

Benefits assistance

Money management

Assistance with budgeting

Housing search and referrals

Referrals to supportive services for veterans families “SSF” and permanent supportive housing “PSH” placements

Assistance with applications for housing vouchers through The Department of Housing and Urban Development – Department of Veterans Affairs Supportive Housing “HUD\_VASH”

NEW DIRECTIONS (Veterans Program)

(New Directions program for male veterans)

11303 Wilshire Blvd., Bldg 116 and 257

Los Angeles, CA 90073

(310) 914-4045

(New Directions program for female veterans, “Oasis for Female Veterans”)

12536 Mitchell Avenue

Los Angeles, CA 90066

(310) 581-9825

Hours – 8:30am – 5:00pm

President and CEO – Gregory Scott------------------------------------------(310) 914-5966 ext 301

Transitional housing and programming for homeless people who have served in the United States military

Requirements

Successful discharge other than “Dishonorable”

No arsonist conviction or history of fire setting

No sex offenders.

Overview

Typical stay is one year, however, veterans may stay for up to two years

Transitional Housing in a residential setting with 182 beds for men and 14 bed for women

No income, OKAY (if income, 30% of income paid to program)

Specialized Services

Coordinated case management and support groups facilitated by case managers and clinicians

Workforce Development (HVRP) and Basic Education Training

Clinical services, including substance abuse prevention, PTSD and MST

Pro Bono Legal services

Money management and assistance with budgeting

Housing search and referrals, including SSVF

NEW DIRECTIONS SEPULVEDA (Permanent Supportive Housing***)***

11611 Plummer Street

North Hills, CA 91343

(818) 753-6925

Hours – 9am - 5pm

Main Line----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(310) 914-4045

New Directions Sepulveda is Permanent Supportive Housing for Homeless Veterans with Special Needs.  The 147 studio unit property is situated on the grounds of the Sepulveda VA campus in the North Hills area of San Fernando Valley.

Requirements:

Veteran:  Honorable Discharge, General Discharge, or Other than Honorable Discharge. (Any discharge other than “Dishonorable.”)

Disabled:  Diagnosed mental health disability, substance use disorder, or physical disability.

Income Limit: $17,400 gross annually

Homeless or Chronically Homeless

Must be homeless or chronically homeless Vet.

Must be referred by qualifying service provider

Overview:

New Directions Sepulveda is a partnership between New Directions and A Community of Friends.

Independent living with optional supportive services onsite, which will include: case management, support groups, independent life skills training, job resources, and socialization opportunities. Participation in services is not a requirement of tenancy.

Rent subsidized by the Veterans Affairs Supportive Housing program and the Housing Authority of the City of Los Angeles.  Tenants will pay 30% of their income, utilities included.

Studio units are furnished, have air-conditioning/heat, bathroom and kitchen.

Property has onsite laundry facilities, free internet access, parking, and multi-purpose community room, community garden.

One person per studio unit

No walk ins

VA WEST LOS ANGELES MEDICAL CENTER

West Los Angeles Medical Center

11301 Wilshire Blvd  
Los Angeles, CA 90073

[www.losangeles.va.gov](http://www.losangeles.va.gov)

Hours – 24 hours Main Bldg (500)

Main Line-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------310-478-3711

A person who served in the active military, naval, or air service and who was discharged or released under conditions other than dishonorable may qualify for VA health care benefits. Reservists and National Guard members may also qualify for VA health care benefits if they were called to active duty (other than for training only) by a Federal order and completed the full period for which they were called or ordered to active duty.

Overview

Provide mental / medical services

Provide housing services as well as linkage to housing (temporary / permanent)

[Burial and Memorial Benefits](http://www.va.gov/opa/publications/benefits_book/benefits_chap07.asp)

[Transition Assistance](http://www.va.gov/opa/publications/benefits_book/benefits_chap10.asp)

[Education and Training](http://www.va.gov/opa/publications/benefits_book/benefits_chap04.asp)

[Dependents and Survivors Health Care](http://www.va.gov/opa/publications/benefits_book/benefits_chap11.asp)

[Dependents and Survivors Benefits](http://www.va.gov/opa/publications/benefits_book/benefits_chap12.asp)

Service connected monetary benefits

Vocational Training and Employment Services

Educational and Vocational Counseling

Grants for specialty adapted housing

Service-disabled veterans insurance

Vocational rehabilitation

Substance abuse programs (residential / out patient)

Provide limited services to families of veterans

Veterans Housing Facilities and Programs

Salvation Army – Haven

Helping Assist Veterans with Emergency Needs

11301 Wilshire Blvd., Bldg. 212

Los Angeles, CA 90073

Phone (310) 478-3711

Executive Director - Janice Tsao –-------------------------------------------------------------------------Ext. 44353

Director of Operations - Wanda Wells---------------------------------------------------------------------Ext. 48762

Clinical Director of Programs - Ana Wong-McDonald------------------------------------------------Ext. 43653

The Haven encompasses the next five programs:

ALPHA CENTER (Program under Haven)

11301 Wilshire Blvd., Bldg 212

Los Angeles, CA. 90073

Hours – 9am – 10:30pm

Program manager –Vance Poletto-------------------------------------------------------------(310)-478-3711 ext 43024

Intake –Bldg. 206-any VA liaison----------------------------------------------------------------(310)-478-3711

The Alpha Center provides emergency short-term housing (1-14 days) for up to 35 veterans who move from care at the Veteran Affairs Health Care Center (VAHC) without housing arrangements. Services both male and female vets.

Requirements

Must be a veteran with a discharge other than dishonorable

All veterans are eligible

Service connection not required

No fee to vet

SSI or income not required

Must be assessed in building 206 prior to admission to the program.

Must be able to attend to activities of daily living (ADL's)

Must adhere to all rules

Must see case manager daily

Must be willing to surrender all medications

There is a curfew

Overview

Family members (spouse, children, siblings, parents) are ineligible for this program

Emergency housing

EXODUS LODGE (Program under Haven)

11301 Wilshire Blvd., Bldg. 212

Los Angeles, CA. 90073

Hours – 8am – 430pm

Program manager –Mary Holmes---------------------------------------(310)-478-3711 ext. 42811

Intake –Bldg. 206-any VA liaison-----------------------------------------(310)-478-3711

Exodus Lodge serves the needs of 90 veterans suffering from mental illness. Exodus provides emergency housing for up to thirty days for 20 veterans and a state-licensed board and care program for 70 additional veterans. Males only

Requirements

Must be a veteran with a discharge other than dishonorable

All veterans are eligible

Service connection not required

No fee to vet

SSI or income not required

Must be assessed in building 206 prior to admission to the program.

Must be able to adhere to the program rules

Must work with case manager

Must adhere to the curfew

Overview

Family members (spouse, children, siblings, parents) are ineligible for this program

Case management

Medication management

NAOMI HOUSE (Program under Haven)

11301 Wilshire Blvd., Bldg. 212

Los Angeles, CA. 90073

Hours – 9am – 430pm

Program manager –Victoria Curtin----------------------------------------(310)-478-3711 ext 49797

Intake –Bldg. 206-any VA liaison-------------------------------------------(310)-478-3711

Naomi House - Provides emergency housing, supportive services and a work development program for 15 female veterans.

Requirements

Must be a veteran with a discharge other than dishonorable

All veterans are eligible

Service connection not required

No fee to vet

SSI or income not required

Must be assessed in building 206 prior to admission to the program

Must be able to complete all activities of daily living (ADL’s)

Must adhere to the curfew

If employed must save 80% of income

Must be willing to participate in program

Must develop some sort of income to create savings (SSI, V/A benefits etc.)

Overview

Females only

Case management

Maximum stay is nine months to one year

One to three women share a room

Connect with medical and mental health services

Provide individual therapy

Group therapy

Life skills

Money management

Family members (spouse, children, siblings, parents) are ineligible for this program

SENIOR PROGAM (Program under Haven)

11301 Wilshire Blvd., Bldg. 212

Los Angeles, CA. 90073

Hours – 8am – 430pm

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Program manager –Joan Feola -----------------------------------------(310)-478-3711 ext 43014

Intake - Bldg. 206-any VA liaison ----------------------------------------(310)-478-3711

The Senior Housing program serves the needs of 25 male veterans, age 60 and older. This program is specially designed to address the issues and needs of homeless, senior aged veterans. Men only

Requirements –

Must be a veteran with a discharge other than dishonorable

All veterans are eligible

Service connection not required

No fee to vet

SSI or income not required

Must be assessed in building 206 prior to admission to the program.

Must be ambulatory

Must submit to random drug test

Curfew

Maximum stay is 1 year, however there are exceptions

Must save money

Overview-

Transitional program

Will accept veterans directly from the street (once cleared from 206)

Can have current addiction issue

Provide life skills training

Provide case management

Will address addiction as well as mental health issues

Assist cognitive skills

Assist with guiding vets back to a productive lifestyle

Family members (spouse, children, siblings, parents) are ineligible for this program

VICTORY PLACE (Program of Salvation Army)

11301 Wilshire Blvd., Bldg. 207 & 212

Los Angeles, CA. 90073

Hours - 8am – 430pm

Victory Place offers a state licensed substance abuse treatment facility for 95 veterans. Successful participants in the program have achieved 180 days of sobriety, full-time employment and adequate income to support a housing option of their choice. More than 200 veterans go through the program each year.

Program Manager - Mary Parker –--------------------------------------(310) 478-3711 Ext 48762

Intake – Bldg. 206-any VA liaison --------------------------------------- (310)-478-3711

Requirements

Must be a homeless Veteran

This a referral system program – must be seen in person at the referral center in building 206 by a VA social worker liaison

Must be ambulatory

Overview

Program is grant funded per diem (no money required by client)

Dual diagnosis program for homeless Veterans

Maximum stay is twelve (12) months, however there are exceptions

In house MFT as well as social worker

Provide assistance with transitional housing

Main focus is substance abuse

New program to service Vets with serious mental illness (no substance abuse issue)

Provide services to assist with long term transitional housing as well as permanent housing (aftercare program)

Provide services for community integration as well as return to work education

NATIONAL VETERANS FOUNDATION

9841 Airport Blvd.

Los Angeles, CA 90045

www.nvf.org

Hours- 9am – 9pm – seven days per week

Main Line----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------(888) 777-4443

To serve the crisis management, information and referral needs of all U.S. Veterans and their families through: Management and operation of the nation’s only toll-free helpline for all veterans and their families. Additionally are providing public awareness programs that shine a consistent spotlight on the needs of America’s veterans. Outreach services that provide veterans and families in need with food, clothing, transportation, employment, and other essential resources. Veteran or family members can access services with any type of discharge.