

EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE/BASIC NEEDS

All Los Angeles County

2-1-1 LA COUNTY

Infoline
P.O. Box 726
San Gabriel, CA 91778
(800) 339-6993
(626) 442-6940 FAX

Dial 2-1-1 for free 24 hr multilingual info & referrals to human svcs in L.A. County. Referrals for domestic violence, emergency shelter, health svcs, childcare, substance abuse, counseling, family planning, consumer issues, welfare, emergency food, legal referrals, youth prgms, senior svcs, transportation, mental health issues, etc. Please note: (the current number (800) 339-6993 will be operational until July 2006). FUNDING: County, United Way, grants, nonprofit. OFC HRS: M-F 8am-4:30pm. Spanish spoken 24 hrs, 140 other languages during regular business hours. SERVES: L.A. County.

AFRICAN COMM RESOURCE CTR., INC.

3540 Wilshire Blvd., Ste 806
Los Angeles, CA 90010
(213) 637-1450
(213) 382-6166 FAX

Assists African refugees, immigrants and people of African heritage to increase their capacity for economic self-sufficiency, health care, etc. Legal asst, counseling for domestic violence, human slavery & trafficking victims. Adult and youth job training, senior svcs, youth svcs, immigration asst, emergency food & transportation. Transitional domestic violence cr., refugee safe haven (800) 496-2525. FUNDING: Nonprofit, donations. OFC HRS: M-F 8am-3pm. Tigrean, Amahric, Somali, Kiro, French, Swahili, Russian, Armenian spoken. Free svcs or low cost. SERVES: L.A. County & nearby.

AMERICAN RED CROSS/GREATER LA.

Chapter Headquarters
P.O. Box 57930
2700 Wilshire Blvd.
Los Angeles, CA 90057-0930
(213) 739-5200
(213) 739-6843 FAX

Disaster relief, emergency svcs for military families, First Aid, CPR, safety courses including disaster preparedness & HIV/AIDS edu. Some offices offer blood svcs, comm outreach, nurse assistant, home health aid training & testing, volunteer options, health screenings, immunizations, etc. FUNDING: Donations, nonprofit. OFC HRS: M-F 8:30am-5pm, 24 hr emerg, disaster & military svcs. SERVES: L.A. County.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES/ADMIN OFFICES

Social Svcs/Immigration/Homeless Prgm
P.O. Box 15095
1531 James M. Wood Blvd.
Los Angeles, CA 90015-0095
(213) 251-3411
(213) 380-4603 FAX

Multi-service agency provides counseling, advocacy, vouchers for temporary housing, shelter, financial assistance, food, cold weather energy assist, transportation, employment, and edu referrals to homeless and persons at-risk of becoming homeless. Also offers immigration

svcs, youth projects & job training. FUNDING: Grants, donations, nonprofit. OFC HRS: M-F 8:30am-5pm. Spanish, Vietnamese, Chinese, Farsi, French, Russian, Armenian, Turkish, Cambodian, Arabic, Greek & Korean spoken. SERVES: L.A., Santa Barbara & Ventura Counties.

CHINATOWN SERVICE CENTER

Social Services
767 N. Hill Street, Ste 400
Los Angeles, CA 90012
(213) 808-1700
(213) 680-0787 FAX

Directly assists residents to gain access to public and private services and resources. The program provides comprehensive case mgmt, interpretation, info & referral, completion of forms, individual advocacy, consumer edu, income tax assistance and training, naturalization services, elderly care services, etc. FUNDING: Govt, donations, nonprofit. OFC HRS: M-F 8:30am-5:30pm, Sat 8:30am-12:30pm, Health Dept & Employment Dept only. Cantonese, Mandarin, Spanish, Vietnamese spoken. SERVES: Greater L.A. area.

CHRISTIAN FOOD DISTRIBUTION CENTER

1101 E. Washington Blvd.
Los Angeles, CA 90021
(213) 741-0213
(213) 741-2109 FAX

Distributes food twice a month to low income residents. FUNDING: Nonprofit. OFC HRS: M & Sat 8am-Noon, Tu, F 8am-3:30pm. Spanish, Chinese spoken. ADM REQ: Annual income below \$14,000. SERVES: L.A. County.

ELIZABETH HOUSE

A Crisis Pregnancy Home
P.O. Box 94077
Pasadena, CA 91109-4077
(626) 577-4434
(626) 792-2790 FAX

Crisis pregnancy home for women with children 5 yrs and under. Pregnant women 18 yrs+. Shelter & comprehensive prgm of counseling & life skills edu to help regain stability and independence. FUNDING: Nonprofit, donations, grants, client fees. OFC HRS: M-F 9am-5pm, 24 hr svcs. SERVES: So. Calif.

FILIPINO AMERICAN SERVICE GROUP

Transitional Housing
135 N. Park View St.
Los Angeles, CA 90026
(213) 487-9804
(213) 487-9806 FAX

Supportive svcs center. Everyone is served regardless of age, color, country of origin or creed. Svcs permanent housing assist, independent living skills training, food distribution, case mgmt, elder abuse counseling, client advocacy, info & referral, socialization, recreation & outreach. 16 bed transitional housing for homeless seniors age 50 yrs+ (no wheelchair bound). Transitional housing, Walk-in or call. FUNDING: Govt, nonprofit. OFC HRS: M-F 9am-5pm. Filipino (5 dialects), Spanish spoken. ADM REQ: Low income families. Free svcs. SERVES: L.A. County.

FOOD FINDERS

3434 Atlantic Ave.
Long Beach, CA 90807
(562) 598-3003
(562) 283-1403 FAX

Volunteers deliver salvaged food from grocery stores and other donor sources, to various agencies who help homeless and needy families. No direct service to the needy, but assists agencies by providing them with donated food items at no cost. FUNDING: Nonprofit. OFC HRS: M-F 8:30am-5pm, Sat 10am-5pm. SERVES: Orange & L.A. Counties.

FOOD ON FOOT

270 N. Canon Dr., PMB 1091
Beverly Hills, CA 90210
(310) 442-0088
(310) 550-4538 FAX

Serves more than 500 meals each week to homeless, disabled, elderly and low income adults and children. Work for Food prgm for homeless to earn additional food coupons. Saturday meal site: 1234 Pacific Ave., Venice, CA (parking lot) 12:30pm. Sunday meal site: 1624 N. Schrader Ave., Hollywood, CA (parking lot) 3:30pm. Sign up for volunteer opportunities at (www.footonfoot.org). Clothing donations received and given at meal sites prior to meal distribution. FUNDING: Nonprofit, donations. SERVES: L.A. County.

FOODBANK OF SOUTHERN CALIF

1444 San Francisco Ave.
Long Beach, CA 90813
(562) 435-3577
(562) 437-6168 FAX

Food bank for nonprofit agencies (no direct food distribution to needy). Items include produce, canned goods, milk, staples. Prgrms include Brown bag food prgm for seniors, FEMA. Call for referral agencies that distribute the food. FUNDING: Nonprofit, donations. OFC HRS: M-F 7am-3:30pm. ADM REQ: Complete application and show proof of nonprofit status. Referrals are free. SERVES: L.A. County & nearby.

FRIENDS OUTSIDE/LA. COUNTY

464 E. Walnut Street
Pasadena, CA 91101
(626) 795-7607
(626) 795-1476 FAX

Services to families and loved ones of the incarcerated, including crisis intervention, transportation assist, emerg supplies, advocacy, support groups, peer counseling, job assist, placements into drug & alcohol treatment prgms, special events & info about the criminal justice system. Visits to inmates in county jail facilities. Volunteering opportunities. FUNDING: Govt contracts, grants, donors, nonprofit. OFC HRS: M, Tu, W, F 8am-4pm. Spanish spoken. ADM REQ: Must have been affected directly or indirectly by incarceration. Free svcs, except alternative sentencing. SERVES: L.A. County.

GIVING CHILDREN HOPE

Global Operations and Development
8332 Commonweal Ave.
Buena Park, CA 90621