

# ADDITIONAL SERVICES

This section provides various resources that are intended to address basic human needs. As situations change, whether they be medical or financial, temporary aid of some sort may be necessary.

## FOOD RESOURCES

**2.1.1. of Los Angeles County ..... 211 or 800-339-6993**  
**TTY ..... 800-660-4026**

[www.211losangeles.org](http://www.211losangeles.org)

Provides referrals in LA County for people seeking food resources.

**Centro Shalom ..... 562-591-2214**

2131 Long Beach Blvd., Long Beach, CA 90806

[www.scinterfaith.org/centro\\_shalom.htm](http://www.scinterfaith.org/centro_shalom.htm)

Provides food and clothing, as donations allow.

**Christian Food Center ..... 800-798-7099**

1101 E. Washington Blvd., Los Angeles, CA 90021

[www.urbandharma.org/wilshire/folder1/foodctr.html](http://www.urbandharma.org/wilshire/folder1/foodctr.html)

Provides frozen, canned and dehydrated food, cereals, bread, dairy products, fresh fruits and vegetables to qualifying recipients. (Annual income below \$19,000.) General relief and welfare recipients must provide proof of income assistance. Cost: 12.5 cents/pound or \$25/month.

**Friends in Deed House ..... 626-797-6072**

444 E. Washington Blvd., Pasadena, CA 91104

[www.ppc.net/mission/localprograms/homelocal.html#Friends](http://www.ppc.net/mission/localprograms/homelocal.html#Friends)

Provides emergency food assistance, to families in Pasadena, Altadena and other surrounding communities, for up to five days.

**Grace Resource Center ..... 661-940-5272**

45134 N. Sierra Highway, Lancaster, CA 93534

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

Provides groceries and hot meals to those in need. Call for schedule or view online. For other "Locations of Assistance & Services" in the Antelope Valley see [www.graceresources.org/Food-Clothing-Hot-Meals.php](http://www.graceresources.org/Food-Clothing-Hot-Meals.php)

**Home Delivered Meals ..... 310-518-4533**

1371 N. Eubank Avenue, Wilmington, CA 90744

Delivers meals to homebound seniors (60+) residing in Wilmington, San Pedro, Harbor City and Harbor Gateway. \$1.50 Donation.

**Jewish Family Services of Los Angeles**

**Senior Nutrition and Home Delivered Meals Program.... 323-937-5852**

330 N. Fairfax Avenue, Los Angeles, CA 90048

[www.jfsla.org/index.php?/programs/](http://www.jfsla.org/index.php?/programs/)

Delivers frozen kosher meals to homebound or low-income Beverly-Fairfax, Metro Los Angeles, Pico-Robertson, West Los Angeles and West Hollywood residents. Congregate dining for those 60+, and their caregivers, is also available at 8 separate sites in the same areas.

**Los Angeles Coalition to End Hunger &**

**Homelessness..... 213-439-1070**

2500 Wilshire Boulevard, Suite 1155, Los Angeles, CA 90057

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

Publishes a directory of free and low cost food resources in LA County which gives practical information about how to get food, money and other help from government programs and community services. The coalition also organizes presentations and workshops on hunger and homelessness.

**Los Angeles County Department of Public Social Services**

**Health and Nutrition Hotline ..... 877-597-4777**

<http://dpss.co.la.ca.us>

Provides information on government assistance programs and will send applications for food stamps, Medi-Cal and Healthy Families.

**Meals on Wheels**

**Culver City ..... 310-559-0666**

4427 Overland Avenue, Culver City, CA 90230

Delivers meals to homebound residents of Culver City, Palms, Mar Vista, Marina Del Rey, Venice and West LA for a small fee.

**Long Beach Downtown ..... 562-432-6215**

241 Cedar Avenue, Long Beach, CA 90802

Delivers one hot and one cold meal daily, Monday through Friday, to people who are homebound or chronically ill. Costs \$6.00 per day.

## Meals on Wheels (cont.)

**Los Angeles** ..... **213-484-7775**

2131 W. 3rd Street, Los Angeles, CA 90057

Delivers hot and cold meals to anyone in the Los Angeles area who is homebound. \$2.50 donation for hot meals and \$1.25 for cold supper.

**Pasadena** ..... **626-449-6815**

54 N. Oakland Avenue, Pasadena, CA 91101

Delivers one hot and one cold meal Monday through Friday to people who are in need.

**Santa Monica** ..... **310-394-5133**

1823 A Michigan Avenue, Santa Monica, CA 90404

Delivers a hot lunch and a cold meal daily. \$6.00 suggested donation.

**Torrance - Lomita** ..... **310-542-3434**

3510 Maricopa Street, Torrance, CA 90503

Delivers hot and cold meals daily. Regular and diabetic meals available at \$5 per day.

**Whittier** ..... **562-698-2750**

7702 Washington Avenue, Suite G, Whittier, CA 90602

Provides home delivered meals to Whittier, Pico Rivera and Santa Fe Springs for a small fee.

**Project Angel Food** ..... **323-845-1810**

922 Vine St. LA, CA 90038

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

With a completed and approved client application, Project Angel Food provides free, nutritious, and freshly prepared meals to nourish the bodies and spirits of people living with cancer and other serious illnesses. We act out of a sense of urgency because hunger and illness cannot wait.

## Salvation Army

**Los Angeles Divisional Headquarters** ..... **213-438-1600**

Please call for information on Salvation Army facilities not listed below.

**Bellflower** ..... **562-804-0808**

9644 Cedar Street, Bellflower, CA 90706

Provides emergency food assistance, twice per week, for residents of Artesia, Bellflower, Cerritos, Hawaiian Gardens, La Mirada, Norwalk and Paramount. Call for information.

## Salvation Army (cont.)

**Compton ..... 310-639-0362**

736 E. Compton Blvd., Compton, CA 90220

Provides emergency food assistance, once a week, for residents of Compton, Carson and Lynwood. Call for information.

**Glendale ..... 818-246-5586**

320 W. Windsor Road, Glendale, CA 91204

Delivers one hot meal daily to homebound individuals at a cost of \$5.50 per day.

**Long Beach..... 562-426-7637**

455 E. Spring Street, Long Beach, CA 90806

Provides emergency groceries for low income families, seniors, and the disabled from the Long Beach/Lakewood area. Facility open Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. Call for information.

**Los Angeles Downtown..... 213-896-9160**

900 W. Jameswood Blvd., Los Angeles, CA 90015

Provides emergency groceries for low income families, seniors, and the disabled. Call for information

**Pasadena ..... 626-773-4400**

960 E. Walnut Street, Pasadena, CA 91106

Emergency food assistance sponsored by the Pasadena Tabernacle.

**Redondo Beach..... 310-318-2827**

125 W. Beryl Street, Redondo Beach, CA 90277

Provides home delivered meals in Hermosa Beach, Manhattan Beach, Lawndale, Redondo Beach, parts of Torrance and Palos Verdes.

**Santa Monica ..... 310-917-1138**

1533 4th Street, Santa Monica, CA 90401

Provides emergency food assistance and social service referrals for eligible residents.

## Watts Labor Community Action Committee

**Access Center for Homeless Services ..... 323-563-4721**

958 E. 108th Street, Los Angeles, CA 90059

[www.wlcac.org/services.htm](http://www.wlcac.org/services.htm)

Offers food assistance and social service referrals for homeless men, women, and children in South Central Los Angeles and surrounding areas.

## HOUSING AND SHELTER RESOURCES

If you find yourself without housing, many programs can help you cope for the short-term until you find a longer-range solution to the situation.

**2.1.1. of Los Angeles County ..... 211 or 800-339-6993**

**TTY ..... 800-660-4026**

[www.211losangeles.org](http://www.211losangeles.org)

Provides referrals in LA County for people seeking housing and shelter resources.

**Disabled Resources Center Housing Assistance ... 562-427-1000 ext. 14**

**TTY ..... 562-427-1366**

Provides information on Section 8 housing, rental listings/referrals, subsidized units, tenant rights, assistance responding to unlawful detainer, information on first time home buyer, and utility assistance programs for the disabled.

**Fair Housing Council of San Fernando Valley ..... 818-373-1185**

8134 Van Nuys Blvd., Suite 206, Panorama City, CA 91402

Investigates allegations of housing discrimination and provides housing information and referrals.

**Fair Housing Foundation ..... 800-446-3247**

**Long Beach ..... 562-989-1206**

3605 Long Beach Blvd., Suite 302, Long Beach, CA 90807

**Los Angeles ..... 323-295-3302**

4401 Crenshaw Blvd., Suite 317, Los Angeles, CA 90043

Provides counseling on housing discrimination, landlord and tenant issues, habitability cases, and unlawful-detainer assistance. Also provides mediation, referrals, education and outreach.

**Housing Authority of the City of Long Beach**

**Housing Assistance ..... 562-570-6985**

521 E. 4th Street, Long Beach, CA 90802

Offers Section 8 housing and a list of affordable housing resources.

**Housing Authority of the City of Los Angeles**

**Section 8 Housing Assistance Payment Programs ..... 213-252-2500**

**TTY ..... 213-252-5313**

2600 Wilshire Blvd., Los Angeles, CA 90057

Provides rent subsidies to private landlords and public housing projects in the City of Los Angeles on behalf of eligible families.

**Housing Rights Center** ..... **800-477-5977**  
**Los Angeles** ..... **213-387-8400**  
 520 S. Virgil Avenue, Suite 400, Los Angeles, CA 90020  
**Pasadena** ..... **626-791-0211**  
 1020 N. Fair Oaks Avenue, Pasadena, CA 91103

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

Provides assistance for tenants and landlords on housing discrimination, security deposits, evictions and investigated discrimination charges. Publishes a monthly housing list.

**Lamp, Inc.** ..... **213-488-9559**  
 527 S. Crocker Street, Los Angeles, CA 90013  
 Provides emergency, permanent and transitional housing.

**Los Angeles County**

**Community Development Commission** ..... **800-731-4663**  
**TDD/TTY:** ..... **562-906-4928**

12131 Telegraph Road, Santa Fe Springs, CA 90670

[www.lacdc.org/housing/section8/apply.shtm](http://www.lacdc.org/housing/section8/apply.shtm)

Housing Authority Section 8 provides rent subsidies on behalf of eligible families to private landlords and public housing projects in the LA county.

**Los Angeles Family Housing Corporation**

**Sydney M. Irmas Transitional Living Center** ..... **818-982-4091**

7843 Lankershim Blvd., North Hollywood, CA 91605

Operates an emergency and transitional-living facility for individuals and families.

**Los Angeles Free Clinic**

**Crisis Intervention and Case Management** ..... **323-337-1755**

8405 Beverly Blvd., Los Angeles, CA 90048

6043 Hollywood Blvd., Los Angeles, CA 90028

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

Offers brief therapy and crisis counseling, showers, clothing and community referrals on a walk-in basis. Call for shower hours.

**Los Angeles Mission** ..... **213-629-1227**

303 E. 5th Street, Los Angeles, CA 90013

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

Provides clothing, meals, showers, rehabilitation, religious services, and a learning center. Offers transitional housing following completion of a rehabilitation program.

**New Image Emergency Shelter ..... 562-733-1147 ext. 109**

1301 W. 12th Street, Long Beach, CA 90813

Operates an emergency shelter in Downtown Los Angeles for homeless men and women. Also provides other supportive programs for homeless individuals and families and low income population. Please call for details.

**People Assisting the Homeless (PATH)..... 323-644-2216**

340 N. Madison Avenue, Los Angeles, CA

**Homeless Access Center**

Provides referrals to community services for people who are homeless.

**PATH Regional Homeless Center**

Provides emergency and transitional housing.

**SRO Housing Corp Information Line..... 213-620-7146**

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

Offers clean, safe and affordable single room occupancy housing (emergency, transitional and permanent) in Downtown LA for homeless, formerly homeless and low-income individuals. Call between 9 and 11 a.m.

**West Hollywood Community Housing Corp. .... 323-650-8771 ext. 2**

8285 W. Sunset Blvd., Suite 3, West Hollywood, CA 90046

Develops and manages low-income housing and provides 24 hour apartment hotline.

## **PUBLIC BENEFITS AND FINANCIAL RESOURCES**

**Beckstrand Cancer Foundation ..... 949-955-0099**

20341 Birch Street, Suite 310, Newport Beach, CA 92660

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

Provides temporary financial assistance to patients from both Los Angeles and Orange Counties. Assistance includes money for "survival needs" such as food and shelter. Applicants must undergo financial screening and be in active treatment. Please note, this is not an emergency based foundation.

**Brenda Mehling Cancer Fund..... 661-310-7940**

24152 Lyons Avenue, #157 Santa Clarita, CA 91321

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

Supports patients between the ages of 18 and 40, currently undergoing cancer treatment. The fund covers services to meet daily needs, such as housing, co-payments, health expenses, rent, insurance, and groceries.

**Cancer Care, Inc.** ..... **800-813-HOPE**  
**(800-813-4673)**

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

Provides free, professional support services to people with cancer and anyone affected by cancer (caregivers, children, loved ones, and the bereaved). Services include counseling, education, financial assistance and practical help.

**Center for Health Care Rights** ..... **213-383-4519**

520 S. LaFayette Park Place, Suite 214, Los Angeles, CA 90057

Provides counseling and advocacy, regarding Medicare and health insurance-related problems, for Medicare recipients.

**Circle of Hope** ..... **661-254-5218**

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

Provides financial assistance for women who are in active breast cancer treatment. Funds are available for uninsured and underinsured individuals who live in, work in, or receive treatment in the Santa Clarita Valley.

**Health Insurance Premium Payment (HIPP) Program** ..... **866-298-8443**

[www.dhcs.ca.gov/services/Pages/TPLRD\\_CAU\\_cont.aspx](http://www.dhcs.ca.gov/services/Pages/TPLRD_CAU_cont.aspx)

Pays private health insurance premiums for certain high cost Medi-Cal beneficiaries.

### **Los Angeles County Department of Public Social Services**

**Central Helpline** ..... **877-481-1044**

**TTY** ..... **310-908-8362**

<http://dpss.co.la.ca.us>

Offers programs designed to alleviate hardship and promote health, personal responsibility, and economic independence. Provides temporary financial assistance, health care insurance, food benefits, in-home services and advocacy for federal disability benefits to low-income residents of LA County.

**Social Security Administration** ..... **800-772-1213**

**TTY** ..... **323-965-3828**

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

Provides information on Social Security retirement, disability, survivors, SSI benefits and related topics. Information available in many languages.

**State Disability Insurance (SDI)** ..... 800-480-3287  
**TTY** ..... 800-563-2441  
**Spanish** ..... 866-658-8846

17171 E. Gale Avenue, Suite 110, City of Industry, CA 91745  
 4300 Long Beach Blvd., Suite 600, Long Beach, CA 90807  
 221 N. Figueroa Street, Suite 200, Los Angeles, CA 90012  
 15400 Sherman Way, Room 500, Van Nuys, CA 91406

Provides affordable, short-term benefits to eligible workers who suffer a loss of wages when they are unable to work due to a non-work related illness or injury, or a medically disabling condition from pregnancy or childbirth.

## UTILITY DISCOUNTS

**Department of Community Services & Development** ..... 866-675-6623  
[www.csd.ca.gov/Programs/Programs.aspx](http://www.csd.ca.gov/Programs/Programs.aspx)

Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (CAL LIHEAP) provides direct utility payments or single party warrants for low-income households.

**Department of Water and Power, City of Los Angeles** ..... 800-342-5397  
**TTY** ..... 800-432-7397  
[www.ladwp.com](http://www.ladwp.com)

### **Life Support Discount**

Provides utility discounts for eligible customers who have an essential life-support unit in their home, powered by electricity or water supplied by the DWP.

### **Payment Extension**

Helps utility customers experiencing difficulty paying their bills.

### **Project Angel**

Helps low-income DWP residential customers meet energy and water needs during the Christmas season.

### **Referral to Payment Assistance Agencies**

Provides referrals to agencies that offer financial assistance.

### **Residential Low-Income Rate**

Offers 15% discount of the average cost of electricity and water for low-income residents.

### **Senior Citizen Lifeline Discount**

Provides utility discounts for seniors 62 years or older.

**Pacific Gas & Electric Company** ..... **800-743-5000**  
**TTY** ..... **800-652-4712**  
[www.pge.com](http://www.pge.com)

**CARE Program**

Offers 15% discount on gas and electricity rates to low-income residential families.

**Energy Partners**

Helps low-income customers make their homes more energy efficient.

**LIHEAP Program**

Provides direct utility payments or single party warrants for low-income households.

**Relief for Energy Assistance through Community**

**Help Program (REACH)** ..... **866-675-6623**

Provides assistance for low-income customers who cannot pay their bills due to a sudden, unexpected financial hardship.

**Services for Medical Baselines and Life Support Customers**

Assistance for customers dependent on life-support equipment or with special heating/cooling needs due to certain medical conditions.

**Southern California Edison** ..... **800-409-2365**  
[www.sce.com](http://www.sce.com)

**Income Qualified Program** ..... **800-352-8580**

Offers 15% discount to low-income residential families.

**Low-Income Energy Efficiency** ..... **800-736-4777**

Provides energy-efficiency programs to low-income households.

**Southern California Gas Company** ..... **800-427-2200**  
**TTY** ..... **800-252-0259**  
[www.socalgas.com](http://www.socalgas.com)

**CARE Program**

Offers 20% discount on gas and electricity rates to low-income residential families.

**Home Efficiency Rebate Program**

Provides homeowners incentives to purchase energy efficient products.

**SBC / AT&T** ..... **800-310-2355**  
[www.sbc.com](http://www.sbc.com)

Universal Lifeline Telephone Service provides discounted basic residential telephone services to low-income families.