

Disability Rights Legal Center

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Cancer Legal Resource Center

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The CLRC is a joint program of the Disability Rights Legal Center & Loyola Law School

Legal, Healthcare, & Advocacy Resources

Los Angeles County

For Cancer-Related Legal Issues:

Cancer Legal Resource Center
919 Albany Street
Los Angeles, CA 90015-0019
(213) 736-1455 or (866) 843-2572
www.cancerlegalresourcecenter.org

For Alternative Dispute Resolution:

Asian Pacific American Legal Center
Dispute Resolution Center
1145 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 100
Los Angeles, CA 90017
(213) 977-7500 www.apalc.org

Center for Conflict Resolution
919 South Albany Street
Los Angeles, CA 90019
(213) 734-1145 www.lls.edu/ccr

Los Angeles County Bar Association
Dispute Resolution Services
1055 W. 7th St., Suite 2700
Los Angeles, CA 90017
(213) 627-2727 www.lacba.org

Martin Luther King Dispute Resolution Center
4182 S. Western Ave.
Los Angeles, CA 90062
(323) 290-4132

For Certified Lawyer Referral Services:

Los Angeles County Bar Association
Lawyer Referral & Information Service
261 S. Figueroa St., Suite 300
Los Angeles, CA 90012
(213) 243-1525 www.lacba.org

Disability Rights Legal Center
Options Counseling & Lawyer Referral Service
919 Albany Street
Los Angeles, CA 90015-0019
(213) 736-1031; (213) 736-8310 (TTY)
www.disabilityrightslegalcenter.org

San Gabriel Valley Lawyer Referral Service
1175 East Garvey Avenue, Suite 105
Covina, CA 91724-3618
(626) 966-5530 www.sgvlawyer.org

San Fernando Valley Bar Association
Lawyer Referral and Information Service
21300 Oxnard Street, Suite 250
Woodland Hills, CA 91367
(818) 340-4529 www.sfvba.org

Lawyer Referral Service of the
South Bay Bar Association
3465 Torrance Blvd., Suite C
Torrance, CA 90503
(310) 543-8777 www.southbaybar.org

Lawyer Referral Service of the
Long Beach Bar Association
3515 Linden Ave.
Long Beach, CA 90807
(562) 988-6444 www.longbeachbar.org

For Legal Service Programs:

Legal Aid Foundation of Los Angeles
1550 W. 8th Street
Los Angeles, CA 90017
(213) 640-3881 or (800) 399-4529
www.lafla.org

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Bet Tzedek Legal Services
145 S. Fairfax Ave., Suite 200
Los Angeles, CA 90036
(323) 939-0506
www.bettzedek.org

Asian Pacific American Legal Center
1145 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 100
Los Angeles, CA 90017
(213) 977-7500 www.apalc.org

Community Legal Services
725 West Rosecrans Avenue
Compton, CA 90222
(310) 638-6194 or (800) 834-5001

Inner City Law Center
1309 East 7th Street
Los Angeles, CA 90021
(213) 891-2880 www.innercitylaw.org

Legal Aid Foundation of Los Angeles
110 Pine Avenue, Suite 420
Long Beach, CA 90802
(562) 435-3501 (x222) www.lafla.org

Mental Health Advocacy Services
3255 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 902
Los Angeles, CA 90010
(213) 389-2077 www.mhas-la.org

Public Counsel
601 South Ardmore Avenue
Los Angeles, CA 90005
(213) 385-2977 or (800) 870-8090
www.publiccounsel.org

Neighborhood Legal Service of LA County
13327 Van Nuys Blvd.
Pacoima, CA 91331-3099
(800) 433-6251 www.nls-la.org

For Family Law Issues:

Levitt & Quinn Family Law Center
1557 Beverly Blvd.
Los Angeles, CA 90026
(213) 482-1800 www.levitt-quinn.org

Harriet Buhai Center for Family Law
3250 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 710
Los Angeles, CA 90010
(213) 388-7515 www.hbcfl.org

Alliance for Children's Rights
3333 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 550
Los Angeles, CA 90010
(213) 368-6010 www.kids-alliance.org

Los Angeles Center for Law and Justice
1241 S. Soto Street; Suite 102
Los Angeles, CA 90023
(323) 980-3500 www.laclj.org

For Landlord/Tenant Issues:

Los Angeles Housing Department
1200 W. 7th Street, 1st Floor
Los Angeles, CA 90017
(866) 557-RENT

Legal Aid Foundation Housing Unit
(213) 640-3881

L.A. Housing Law Project
1125 West Sixth Street; Suite 300
Los Angeles, CA 90017
(213) 481-0134 www.lahlp.org

Eviction Defense Network
1930 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 208
Los Angeles, CA 90057
(213) 385-8112 www.evictiondefensenetwork.org

Fair Housing Foundation
(800) 446-3247 www.fairhousingfoundation.com

For Immigration Issues:

United States Department of Homeland Security
(800) 375-5283 www.dhs.gov

El Rescate Legal Services
1501 W. 8th Street, Suite 100
Los Angeles, CA 90017
(213) 387-3284 www.elrescate.org

Central American Resource Center (CARECEN)
2845 West 7th Street
Los Angeles, CA 90005
(213) 385-7800 www.carecen-la.org

Asian Pacific American Legal Center
1145 Wilshire Blvd., 2nd Floor
Los Angeles, CA 90017
(213) 977-7500 www.apalc.org

Legal Aid Foundation of Los Angeles
1550 W. 8th Street
Los Angeles, CA 90017
(213) 640-3881 or (800) 399-4529
www.lafla.org

For Employment Issues:

Equal Employment Opportunity Commission
255 E. Temple St., 4th Floor
Los Angeles, CA 90012
(213) 894-1000 or (800) 669-4000 www.eeoc.gov

CA Dept. of Fair Employment & Housing
611 West Sixth Street, Suite 1510
Los Angeles, CA 90017
(800) 884-1684 or (213) 439-6703 www.dfeh.ca.gov

Job Accommodation Network (JAN)
West Virginia University
P.O. Box 6080
Morgantown, WV 26506-6080
(800) 526-7234 www.jan.wvu.edu

Americans with Disabilities Act
U.S. Department of Justice Information Line
(800) 514-0301 www.ada.gov

For Family & Medical Leave Act (FMLA) Issues:

U. S. Department of Labor
300 S. Glendale Ave., Suite 400
Glendale, CA 91205-5274
(213) 894-6375 www.dol.gov/dol/topic/benefits-leave

For State Disability Insurance (SDI) Issues:

California Employment Development Department
888 S. Figueroa Street, Suite 200
Los Angeles, CA 90017
(800) 480-3287 www.edd.ca.gov

For Social Security Disability Insurance (SSDI) & Supplemental Security Income (SSI) Issues:

Social Security Administration (SSA)
(800) 772-1213 www.ssa.gov

For Social Security Administration Appeals:

National Organization of Social Security
Claimant's Representatives
(800) 431-2804 www.nosscr.org

For CA Insurance Issues:

(HMO's & Blue Cross/Blue Shield PPO's)

California Department of Managed Health Care
California HMO Help Center
(888) 466-2219 www.dmhc.ca.gov

For other CA Insurance Issues:

California Department of Insurance
300 South Spring Street, South Tower
Los Angeles, CA 90013
(800) 927-4357 www.insurance.ca.gov

To keep insurance if employment ends-COBRA:

U.S. Department of Labor
Employee Benefits Security Administration (EBSA)
1055 E. Colorado Blvd., Suite 200
Pasadena, CA 91106
(866) 275-7922 or (626) 229-1000
www.dol.gov/esba

For Cal-COBRA (CA version of COBRA) and HIPAA Questions:

California Department of Managed Health Care
(888) 466-2219 www.dmhc.ca.gov

If you are unable to obtain insurance because of a pre-existing medical condition:

Major Risk Medical Insurance Program (MRMIP)
(800) 289-6574
www.mrmib.ca.gov/MRMIB/MRMIP.shtml

Breast & Cervical Cancer Early Detection Program:

Every Woman Counts - Partnered for Progress
(800) 511-2300 www.partneredforprogress.org

Breast & Cervical Cancer Treatment Program:

(800) 824-0088
www.dhcs.ca.gov/services/medi-cal/Pages/BCCTP.aspx

For Women's Health & Cancer Rights Act (WHCRA) Questions:

U.S. Department of Labor
Employee Benefits Security Administration (EBSA)
1055 East Colorado Blvd., Suite 200
Pasadena, CA 91106
(626) 229-1000
www.dol.gov/dol/topic/health-plans/womens.htm

Improving Access, Counseling & Treatment for Californians with Prostate Cancer (IMPACT):

(800) 409-8252 www.california-impact.org

For Medicare & Medigap Issues:

Health Insurance Counseling & Advocacy Program
(HICAP) – Center for Health Care Rights
(800) 824-0780 www.cahealthadvocates.org/HICAP

Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS)
(800) 633-4227 www.cms.hhs.gov

For Medi-Cal Issues:

Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS)
(800) 633-4227 www.cms.hhs.gov

Medi-Cal Service Center

(800) 541-5555 www.medi-cal.ca.gov

The Health Consumer Center of Los Angeles
13327 Van Nuys Blvd.
Pacoima, CA 91331
(800) 896-3203
www.healthconsumer.org

For Health Insurance Premium Payment Plan (HIP) Questions:

Department of Health Services
(800) 952-5294 or (866) 298-8443

Healthcare for low-income children who do not meet Medi-Cal requirements:

Healthy Families
(800) 880-5305 www.healthyfamilies.ca.gov

For Clinical Trials information:

National Cancer Institute
(800) 4-CANCER www.cancer.gov

American Cancer Society

(800) ACS-2345 www.cancer.org

To report or check on a physician:

California Medical Board
(800) 633-2322 www.medbd.ca.gov

California Medical Association

(916) 444-5532 www.cmanet.org

To report or check on a hospital:

Joint Commission on Accreditation of Hospitals
Organization (JCAHO)
(630) 792-5800 www.jointcommission.org

For Health Privacy Issues:

U.S. Department of Health and Human Services
Office for Civil Rights
(866) 627-7748 www.hhs.gov/ocr/hipaa

For possible treatment assistance

Hill-Burton Free Hospital Care
(800) 638-0742 www.hrsa.gov/hillburton

For In-Home Support Services:

Department of Public Social Services
(888) 944-4477
www.cdss.ca.gov/agedblinddisabled/PG1296.htm

For Hospice services:

California Hospice & Palliative Care Association
(916) 925-3770 www.calhospice.org

National Hospice & Palliative Care Organization
(800) 658-8898 www.nhpco.org

For Elder Abuse Issues:

Office of Senior Health
Los Angeles County Department of Public Health
3530 Wilshire Blvd., 8th Floor
Los Angeles, CA 90010
(213) 351-7825 www.publichealth.lacounty.gov/aging

Senior Legal Hotline
(800) 222-1753 www.seniorlegalhotline.org

For Veterans Issues:

Veterans of Foreign Wars (VFW)
(202) 543-2239 www.vfw.org

Veterans Support Foundation
(800) 882-1316 www.vsf-usa.org

U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs
(800) 827-1000 www.va.org

For Transportation Services:

Access Services
(800) 827-0829 or (800) 431-7882
www.asila.org

For Financial Management Issues:

Consumer Credit Counseling Service of L.A.
(800) 260-5994 www.cccs-la.com

National Foundation for Credit Counseling
(800) 388-2227 www.nfcc.org

For possible financial assistance:

American Cancer Society
(800) ACS-2345 www.cancer.org

Patient Advocate Foundation
(800) 532-5274 www.patientadvocate.org

Patient Services Incorporated
(800) 366-7741 www.uneedpsi.org

Cancer Care, Inc.
(800) 813-HOPE (4673) www.cancercare.org

Healthwell Foundation
(800) 675-8416 www.healthwellfoundation.org

Los Angeles Department of Social Services
Medi-Cal and Food Stamps
(877) 597-4777 www.lapublichealth.org

211 L.A. County
Dial 211 or (800) 339-6993 www.infoline-la.org

Contact local utility companies for a possible reduction in your utility rates.

Contact community and faith-based organizations such as the Salvation Army, Kiwanis, Rotary, Lion's Club, United Way, etc.

For general cancer information and support services:

National Cancer Institute
(800) 4-CANCER www.cancer.gov

American Cancer Society
3333 Wilshire Blvd Ste 900
Los Angeles, CA 90010
(213) 386-6102 or (800) ACS-2345 www.cancer.org

Lance Armstrong Foundation
LIVESTRONG SurvivorCare program
(866) 673-7205 www.livestrong.org

The Wellness Community
(888) 793-WELL www.thewellnesscommunity.org

Susan G. Komen for the Cure®
Los Angeles County Affiliate
11845 West Olympic Blvd., Ste. 645W
Los Angeles, CA 90064
(310) 575-3011 or (800) IM-AWARE
www.komenlacounty.org

Living Beyond Breast Cancer
(888) 753-5222 www.lbbc.org

Young Survival Coalition
(646) 257-3000 or (877) YSC-1011
www.youngsurvival.org

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