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1. Health Resource and Referral Information for Low-Income Los Angeles County Residents

211 (InfoLine of Los Angeles)

Telephone referral to health and human services organizations in Los Angeles County available 24 hours a day, seven days a week.

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CHAMP-Net

Website for the CHAMP Program, offering information on CHAMP trainings, a family resource section, information for health advocates and CAAs, including an eligibility calculator, CAA tutorial, newsletter and access to the current CHAMP manual. For questions please e-mail:

askthetrainers@champ-net.org.

www.champ-net.org

Healthy City

Website that allows users to find services in Los Angeles, search out resources by neighborhood and view health statistics and related information.

www.healthycity.org

Los Angeles County Department of Health Services

Information on free and low-cost health services and a listing of Los Angeles County hospitals & clinics.

1-800-427-8700

www.ladhs.org

Los Angeles County Department of Public Health

Information on free and low-cost public health services and a listing of Los Angeles County public health centers.

www.lapublichealth.org (search by topic)

Los Angeles Department of Public Social Services (Medi-Cal)

1-877-597-4777 (Health & Nutrition)

www.ladpss.org

Medi-Cal Managed Care

Health Care Options 1-800-430-4263

We've Got You Covered

Los Angeles County guide to free and low-cost health care services

Call the County Health & Nutrition Hotline at 1-877-597-4777 for a free copy.

2. Specific Types of Health Services Available to Los Angeles County Residents

HIVLA.org

Online English or Spanish directory of HIV/AIDS related services in Los Angeles County

www.hivla.org or call 1-866-772-2365 (Client Advocacy Services Hotline)

AIDS Drug Assistance Program (ADAP)

Provides assistance obtaining approved medications for HIV positive adults

1-888-575-2327 or visit <http://www.dhs.ca.gov/ps/ooa/Programs/CARE/adap.htm>

Comprehensive AIDS Resources Emergency Health Insurance Premium Payment Program (CARE/HIPP)

This is a financial assistance program designed to pay health insurance premiums for people living with HIV/AIDS

1-800-367-AIDS

<http://www.cdph.ca.gov/programs/AIDS/pages/OACAREHIPP.aspx>

Breast Cancer Early Detection Program (BCEDP)

List of agencies that provide free breast cancer-related services for low and middle income women age 50 and over

1-800-511-2300

<http://www.cdph.ca.gov/programs/cancerdetection/Pages/default.aspx>

Cancer: Partnered for Progress

This organization provides referrals for information and low-cost cancer screenings

www.partneredforprogress.org

Diabetes

Information and links to local programs

www.caldiabetes.org

Family Planning, Access, Care and Treatment (Family PACT)

Family planning services for low income adults without health care coverage

1-800-942-1054

<http://www.cdph.ca.gov/programs/OFP/Pages/default.aspx>

Mental Health

Free or low-cost mental health services

1-800-854-7771

www.dmh.co.la.ca.us

Smoking Cessation; Los Angeles County Tobacco Control Program

For services by geographical area in Los Angeles

1-213-351-7890 or 1-800-No-Butts

www.lapublichealth.org/tob

Veteran Services

1-877-222-8387

<http://www.losangeles.va.gov/>

Women's Health: Office of Women's Health

Services include a mobile clinic outreach program that provides health assessments for low income women

1-626-569-3850

<http://publichealth.lacounty.gov/owh/>

3. Health Consumer Information for Los Angeles County Residents

Center for Healthcare Rights

Serves consumers through direct service programs and policy level advocacy. The center serves Medicare and Medi-Cal enrollees in Los Angeles County as the Los Angeles County Health Insurance Counseling and Advocacy Program (HICAP).

1-800-824-0780

www.healthcarerights.org

Health Consumer Alliance

Health Consumer Hotline at Neighborhood Legal Services provides assistance and information for consumers who have issues or problems relating to health care. The Alliance also publishes helpful brochures on health topics for consumers and advocates.

1-800-896-3203

www.healthconsumer.org

4. Immigration/Public Charge

Coalition for Humane Immigrant Rights of Los Angeles (CHIRLA)

Services include a bilingual Spanish/English hotline for information and referral services that provides access to information for the immigrant community, including rights related to health care

1-888-624-4752

www.chirla.org

Asian Pacific American Legal Center (APALC)

Offers legal services and advocacy programs to the Asian community

213-977-7500

www.apalc.org

5. California Health Coverage and Health Services for Adults

Access for Infants & Mothers (AIM)

1-800-433-2611

<http://www.mrmib.ca.gov> or <http://www.aim.ca.gov>

Breast Cancer Early Detection Program (BCEDP)

1-800-511-2300 for a list of agencies in Los Angeles County

Breast Cancer Control Treatment Program (BCCTP)

1-800-511-2300

<http://www.cdph.ca.gov/programs/cancerdetection/pages/cancerdetectionprogramseverywomancounts.aspx>

Consolidated Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act (COBRA)

1-888-HMO-2219

www.crbenefits.com/clients/dol_cobra_creative_benefits.htm

www.hmohelp.ca.gov

Department of Health Care Services (Medi-Cal)

www.medi-cal.ca.gov

6. Health Programs and Services for the Aged, Blind, and Disabled

Area Agency on Aging (Los Angeles County)

This is an information and referral agency that helps link seniors and disabled adults to services.
1-213-252-4030 or 1-800-510-2020
<http://aging.lacity.org/>

Genetically Handicapped Person Program (GHPP)

The program helps individuals with genetic diseases pay for medical and related costs.
1-800-639-0597

Health Insurance Premium Payment Program (HIPP)

This is a Medi-Cal program that can help pay high cost medical bills for individuals who have serious illnesses and have private health care coverage.
1-800-952-5294
http://www.dhcs.ca.gov/services/pages/tplrd_cau_cont.aspx

Medicare

Persons 65 years of age or older or individuals receiving social security payments may qualify for Medicare.
1-800-772-1213
www.medicare.gov
www.cahealthadvocates.org (information on Medicare for Californians)

7. California Departments that Administer Adult Health Programs and Services

California Department of Health Care Services (DHCS)

Administers the Medi-Cal Program. The site provides program specific phone numbers, informational brochures and can download a Medi-Cal application.
www.dhcs.ca.gov

Department of Public Social Services (DPSS)

Administers social services programs, including residential care, medical care, mental health care, alcohol and drug treatment services, in-home health/medical care, SSI/SSP, foster care, adoption, daycare licensing and food stamps.
<http://www.ladpss.org/>

Managed Risk Medical Insurance Board (MRMIB)

Administers the Access for Infants & Mothers Program (AIM), the Managed Risk Medical Insurance Program (MRMIP) and the Healthy Families Program for children.
1-916-324-4695
www.mrmib.ca.gov

8. Private Health Insurance and Services

Foundation for Health Coverage Education

California Uninsured Helpline 1-800-234-1317
To order a free booklet *Finding Health Care Coverage in California* which includes information on both public and private health insurance.
www.coverageforall.org

California Department of Insurance

1-800-927-4357 (consumer hotline for insurance-related questions)

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

9. Affordable Care Act Information**HealthCare.gov**

A federal government website helping consumers find the health insurance best suited to their needs, whether it's private insurance for individuals, families, and small businesses, or public programs. It was created to help consumers under the health insurance reform law, the Affordable Care Act.

www.healthcare.gov

CuidadoDeSalud.gov

Spanish-language website version of HealthCare.gov; A federal government website helping consumers find the health insurance best suited to their needs, whether it's private insurance for individuals, families, and small businesses, or public programs. It was created to help consumers under the health insurance reform law, the Affordable Care Act.

www.cuidadodesalud.gov

California Health Care Reform

A State of California website dedicated to helping Californians learn about what state government officials are doing to plan for and administer the changes coming to California's health care system in the months and years ahead as a result of the Affordable Care Act.

www.healthcare.ca.gov