

Dental and Vision Services

Los Angeles residents who do not qualify to receive dental services under Medi-Cal and who are not covered by private insurance may be able to receive services at County medical facilities. Services are not offered at all locations, so patients should inquire at their local clinics and ask for referrals if needed services are not offered there.

Contact Information:

For clinic listings, visit <http://www.dhs.lacounty.gov>.

The California Vision Foundation offers free comprehensive eye exams and low-cost glasses, if needed, to qualified patients. If glasses are needed, they are provided for a fee of \$20. Qualified individuals will be matched to volunteer optometrists in their area. There may be a waiting period of several months.

Eligibility requirements include the following:

- There must be at least one adult in the household who is employed at least part-time.
- The family must qualify as low-income
- The individual who is applying must not have had an exam in the past two years.
- The individual who is applying for the exam may not have vision insurance.

NOTE: Applicants who have received an acceptance letter must call the assigned optometrist to schedule an appointment within 60 days of receiving notice of eligibility.

Contact Information:

To download an application, visit <http://www.californiavision.org/patients.html> or call 1-800-877-5738 to request an application by mail or fax.

California Vision Foundation offers services in other counties in addition to Los Angeles County.