

Local Resource Guide

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JOB PREPARATION		
Community Career Development (CCD)	http://communitycareer.org/ (310) 762-1101 Open from 8AM to 5PM Weekdays	Resume, skills workshop, job placement, recruitments, work-related assistance, counseling, life skills resources
INVEST	INVEST@wdacs.lacounty.gov 310-762-1101	For probationers and parolees, Job preparation, placement, housing assistance, work-related expenses assistance, counseling, life skills resources
Volunteers of America	Telephone: (213) 389-1500 TDD: (213) 388-8280 Fax: (213) 385-7599 info@voala.org	Job placement, recruitments, work-related assistance, counseling, life skills resources
America's Job Center of California	310-762-1101	Employment, housing, education, job training, skills workshop, resume support, job placement, recruitments, work-related assistance, benefits, medical/health/mental services, counseling, life skills resources
US Vets	213.223.8366 www.usvetsinc.org	Veteran Job preparation, placement, housing assistance, work-related expenses assistance, counseling, life skills resources, recruitments, resume support
Southeast Community Development Corporation	Phone: (323) 585-4579 Fax: (323) 585-0833 www.scdcorp.org	Employment, education, skills workshop, resume support, job training, job placement, asset building
HOUSING		
SRO Housing	www.srohousing.org Phone: (213) 229-9640	Veteran and non-veteran housing: employment, housing, education, job training, skills workshop, resume support, job placement, recruitments, work-related assistance, veteran benefits, medical/health/mental services, counseling, life skills resources
Downtown Women's Center	www.downtownwomenscenter.org Phone: (213) 680-0600	Women ONLY emergency housing, transitional housing, day services (shower, meals, program), including the following supportive services via case management: employment, housing, education, job training, skills workshop, resume support, job placement, recruitments, work-related assistance, veteran benefits, medical/health/mental services, counseling, life skills resources
Salvation Army	Phone: (310) 639-0362 https://www.salvationarmyusa.org/usn/	Veteran and non-veteran housing with the following supportive services via case management: employment, housing, education, job training, skills workshop, resume support, job placement, recruitments, work-related assistance, veterans benefits, medical/health/mental services, counseling life skills resources

PATH Ventures	Phone: (323) 644-2200 https://www.epath.org/path-ventures/	Housing for veterans and non-veterans, with the following supportive services via case management: employment, housing, education, job training, skills workshop, resume support, job placement, recruitments, work-related assistance, veterans benefits, medical/health/mental services, counseling life skills resources
Neighborhood Housing Services	Phone: (888) 895-2647	housing, homeownership education, pathway to homeownership, loans
Weingart	(213) 627-5302 566 S. San Pedro St, Los Angeles, CA 90013 http://weingart.org/	Housing for veterans and non-veterans, with the following supportive services via case management: employment, housing, education, job training, skills workshop, resume support, job placement, recruitments, work-related assistance, veteran benefits, medical/health/mental services, counseling life skills resources
Shields For Families	Phone: (323) 242-5000 https://www.shieldsforfamilies.org/	Housing, housing with the following supportive services via case management: employment, housing, education, job training, skills workshop, resume support, job placement, recruitments, work-related assistance, veterans benefits, medical/health/mental services, counseling life skills resources
Burbank Housing Corporation	Phone: (818) 559-2336 Fax: (818) 559-9668 Email: info@burbankhousingcorp.org	Housing for single females

EMERGENCY SERVICES

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New Challenge Ministries	Phone: (310) 320-4171	Food, clothing, toys, assistance.

ALTERNATIVE SERVICES TO FINANCIAL COACHING

VITA	https://www.lacounty.gov/residents/family-services/free-tax-assistance/	tax preparation for low-income eligible residents
California Financial Education & Financial Coaching Institute	213-787-4399 info@reesefinancialservices.com	Financial coaching, financial counseling and financial consulting for veterans, non-veterans, small business owners, professionals, unemployed/underemployed, for-profit and non-profit organizations
Operation Hope	https://operationhope.org Phone: (213) 891-2900	Financial education, financial counseling, housing assistance, credit improvement

VETERAN ADVOCACY

Volunteers of America	Volunteers of America Greater Los Angeles www.voala.org Fax: 310.603.1021	Veteran employment, housing, education, childcare, car repairs, job training, skills workshop, resume support, job placement, recruitments, work-related assistance, veteran benefits, medical/health/mental services, counseling, life skills resources
Goodwill	For general inquiries: 323.223.1211 or 888.446.6394	Veteran employment, housing, education, job training, skills workshop, resume support, job placement,

	TDD 323.539.2097 info@goodwillsocal.org https://www.goodwillsocal.org/	recruitments, work-related assistance, veteran benefits, medical/health/mental services, counseling, life skills resources
Long Beach VA	Phone: (562) 826-8000	Veteran employment, housing, education, car repairs, job training, skills workshop, resume support, job placement, recruitments, work-related assistance, veterans benefits, medical/health/mental services, counseling, DMV services, veteran events/fairs life skills resources
Dream Center	www.dreamcenter.org Email: info@dreamcenter.org Office: (213) 273-7000	Veteran employment, housing, education, job training, skills workshop, resume support, job placement, recruitments, work-related assistance, veteran benefits, medical/health/mental services, counseling, life skills resources
North Orange Veteran Center	Phone: (714) 776-0161	Veteran employment, housing, education, job training, skills workshop, resume support, job placement, recruitments, work-related assistance, veterans benefits, medical/health/mental services, counseling, life skills resources
Bob Hope Patriotic Hall	(213) 765-9680 http://mva.lacounty.gov	Veteran employment, housing, education, car repairs, job training, skills workshop, resume support, job placement, recruitments, work-related assistance, veterans benefits, medical/health/mental services, counseling, DMV services, veteran events/fairs life skills resources
Courage Forward	https://courageforward.org/	Veteran supportive services, community engagement, life skills resources
JVS	Phone: (323) 761-8888 https://www.jvs-socal.org/	Veteran housing with the following supportive services via case management: employment, housing, education, job training, skills workshop, resume support, job placement, recruitments, work-related assistance, veterans benefits, medical/health/mental services, counseling life skills resources
West Los Angeles VA	Phone: 310-478-3711 Fax: 310-268-3494	Veteran employment, housing, education, job training, skills workshop, resume support, job placement, recruitments, work-related assistance, veterans benefits, medical/health/mental services, counseling, veteran events/fairs life skills resources
Sepulveda Ambulatory VA-North Hills	Phone: 818-891-7711 Fax: 818-895-9559	Veteran employment, housing, education, job training, skills workshop, resume support, job placement, recruitments, work-related assistance, veteran benefits, medical/health/mental services, counseling, DMV services, veteran events/fairs life skills resources
Support The Enlisted Project (STEP)	Phone: (714) 444-0075 www.stepsocal.org	Veteran financial emergency assistance, donations, food, clothes, baby care needs
Paralyzed Veterans of America	Phone: (800) 424-8200 https://www.pva.org/	Services for veterans and disabled veterans, such as benefits, medical services, legal services, veteran resources and caregiver support
Safe Refuge	Phone: (562) 987-5722 http://asaferefuge.org/	Rehabilitation services for substance abuse for veterans and non-veterans, employment, housing, education, job training, skills workshop, resume support, job placement, recruitments, work-related assistance, veteran benefits, medical/health/mental services, counseling, DMV services, veteran events/fairs life skills

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Veteran Legal Institute	(714) 852-3492 info@vetslegal.com	Veteran legal services
Levitt Quinn	(213) 482-1800 extension 300. https://levittquinn.org/practice-areas/veterans-project/	Veteran legal services
Vermont Slauson Economic Development Corporation (VSEDC)	http://www.vsedc.org/ Tel: (323) 753-2335 Fax: (323) 753-6710	Small business development, loans, courses and bootcamps
UCLA VA Veteran Family Wellness Center	310.478.3711, ext 42793 info@vfwc.ucla.edu vfwc.ucla.edu	Veteran Group discussions, therapy, life skills resources
USC Center for Innovation & Research on Veterans & Military Families	213.821.3600 (phone) 213.821.7735 (fax) cir@usc.edu	Through education and training, innovation, research and partnerships, CIR bridges the gap between military and civilian communities. The center guides behavioral health practitioners, develops new technologies, informs policymakers, builds community networks and produces research with real-world applications.
County of LA Military & Veteran Affairs	877-452-8387 http://mva.lacounty.gov/	Veteran supportive services, community engagement, life skills resources, Veteran employment, housing, education, job training, skills workshop, resume support, job placement, recruitments, work-related assistance, veteran benefits, medical/health/mental services, counseling, life skills resources
OTHER		
5 Keys Charter School	https://www.fivekeyscharter.org/school-locations Phone: (323) 685-2782	High School Diploma, GED
Employment Development Department (EDD)	edd.ca.gov 310-762-1101	Veteran and non-veteran skills workshop, resume support, job placement, recruitments, work-related assistance, veteran benefits, medical/health/mental services, counseling life skills resources, unemployment benefits,
Los Angeles Trade Tech College (LATTC)	Phone: (213) 763-7000 www.lattc.edu	Veteran and non-veteran educational and vocational training, job placement, work-related assistance
Compton College	www.compton.edu	Veteran and non-veteran educational and vocational training, job placement, work-related assistance
TELACU Upward Bound	T 323.721.1655 F 323.728.3517 https://telacu.com/telacu-education-foundation/college-readiness-programs/veterans-upward-bound/	Veteran free college preparatory courses in Computer Science, English, Math, Typing and Rosetta Stone.
PACES	Tel: 213-353-9400 Fax: 213-353-4665	Energy, employment, education and business support services.

Federal Public Resources

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JOB PREPARATION	
American Job Centers	Find a location near you.
https://www.careeronestop.org/LocalHelp/service-locator.aspx	
Department of Labor	More information about finding a job.
https://www.dol.gov/general/audience/aud-unemployed	
HOUSING	
Find a Housing Counselor	For advice on buying a home, renting, defaults, foreclosures, and credit issues.
https://www.consumerfinance.gov/find-a-housing-counselor/	
Public Housing	Find out about public housing and eligibility.
https://www.hud.gov/	
National Fair Housing Alliance	The only national organization dedicated solely to ending discrimination in housing. Find local help.
https://nationalfairhousing.org/ https://nationalfairhousing.org/get-local-help/	
EMERGENCY SERVICES	
Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA)	If you're the victim of a natural disaster, the Disaster Survivor Assistance Program can help you access programs to help you recover.
https://www.fema.gov/disaster-survivor-assistance-program	
American Red Cross	Disaster relief and recovery. Find open shelters during an emergency. Post-emergency recovery. Offers military and Veteran services such as emergency communication and financial assistance. Find your local chapter.
https://www.redcross.org/get-help.html https://www.redcross.org/find-your-local-chapter.html	
US Department of Agriculture	Child and Adult Care Food Program (CACFP). Find emergency shelters and resources.
https://www.fns.usda.gov/cacfp/emergency-shelters https://www.fns.usda.gov/cacfp/cacfp-contacts	
ALTERNATIVE SERVICES TO FINANCIAL COACHING	
Consumer Financial Protection Bureau: What is Credit Counseling?	Locate a reputable credit counseling organization.
https://www.consumerfinance.gov/ask-cfpb/what-is-credit-counseling-en-1451/	

National Foundation for Credit Counseling (NFCC)	The National Foundation for Credit Counseling (NFCC) is an American nonprofit organization that provides access to financial counseling services for consumers.
https://www.nfcc.org/our-services/	
Financial Counseling Association of America (FCAA)	An FCAA member agency can help with multiple financial issues that may be causing stress to you and your loved ones. Explore financial topics and find a local credit counselor.
https://fcaa.org/consumer-advice/ https://fcaa.org/find-a-credit-counselor/	
Association of Financial Counseling & Planning Education (AFCPE®)	Find an Accredited Financial Counselor (AFC®)
https://www.afcpe.org/find-an-afc	
VETERAN ADVOCACY	
National Archives: Veteran's Service Records	Request your Military Service records online, by mail, or by fax.
https://www.archives.gov/veterans/military-service-records	
US Department of Veteran Affairs: Explore VA	Explore benefits that help Veterans thrive
https://explore.va.gov/?utm_source=govdelivery&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=november-veteransday-monthly_11.1&utm_term=header-image-page&utm_content=homepage-application-all-null	
Disabled American Veterans	Resources for job searching, assistance for Veterans' benefits claims, rides for Veterans attending medical appointments
www.Dav.org	
Iraq and Afghanistan Veterans of America	Veteran non-profit and advocacy organization that services Veterans of Iraq and Afghanistan.
https://iava.org/	
Vietnam Veterans of America	Veteran non-profit and advocacy organization that services Vietnam Veterans.
https://vva.org/	