



HOMELESSNESS PREVENTION AND DIVERSION PROGRAMS

What is Homeless Prevention?

Homelessness Prevention provides individuals and families at imminent **risk of homelessness** with:

- Financial assistance & housing stabilization services necessary to maintain their current housing; OR
- Find new housing to avoid becoming homeless and entering the emergency shelter system.

Who is eligible for the Homeless Prevention Program?

Homelessness Prevention may be available to persons who meet at least one of the following criteria AND are screened as having a high risk of becoming homeless:

- Experiencing a financial crisis and at imminent risk of becoming homeless
- Received a court eviction hearing notice or court-ordered eviction
- Received written notice of intent to terminate tenancy from a landlord (includes 3-Day Pay or Quit)
- Lacks family and financial resources, placing one at risk of becoming homeless

What are the required Income eligibility guidelines for Homeless Prevention assistance?

- Must fall below the 50% Area Median Income (AMI)
- Formerly Homeless Section 8 holders with income up to 80% of Area Median Income (AMI)

Los Angeles County, CA								
	Household Size							
Area Median Income*	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
0%-50% Income limits Annual Household Income	\$33,950	\$38,800	\$43,650	\$48,450	\$52,350	\$56,250	\$60,100	\$64,000
51 %-80% Income limits Annual Household Income	\$54,250	\$62,000	\$69,750	\$77,500	\$83,700	\$89,900	\$96,100	\$102,300

**Please note that the federal government adjusts the income thresholds above annually.*

Where can I access the Homeless Prevention Program?

Contact a local services provider:

SERVICE PROVIDERS			
POPULATION	AGENCY	PHONE NUMBER	WEBSITE
Adults and Families 24+	LA Family Housing (LAFH) 7843 Lankershim Blvd N Hollywood, CA, 91605	818-982-4091	www.lafh.org
Youth 18-24	The Village Family Services 6801 Coldwater Canyon Ave N Hollywood, CA, 91605	818-755-8786	www.thevillagefs.org

What resources are available through the Homeless Prevention Program?

Financial Assistance

- Security Deposit & Holding Fee
- Move-in Expenses
- Rental Arrears
- Rental Assistance
- Utility Deposit
- Utilities Assistance
- Utility Arrears

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What is Homeless Diversion?

Homeless diversion is limited case management that helps at-risk households avoid entering shelter if alternatives can be identified and implemented, e.g. remaining in their current housing and/or moving elsewhere, which might include living with family and/or friends.

Where can I access Homeless Diversion Services?

There are multiple diversion services available to help individuals and families who are at-risk of homelessness. These services include landlord mediation & advocacy, reunification assistance, transportation expenses, income and housing stabilization, counseling, and much more.

To access these resources, you can start by visiting the City's Homelessness Webpage – and viewing the Homelessness Prevention and Diversion Resource List.

<https://www.burbankca.gov/residents/homelessness-in-burbank>

For more information or assistance, please contact the City's Homeless Services Liaison, Nick Sundback, at (818) 238-5197.

