

SENIOR RESOURCE GUIDE

Non-Profit and Public Agencies Serving



CENTRAL ALAMEDA COUNTY – Castro Valley • Hayward • San Leandro • San Lorenzo

Senior Information & Assistance Program – Alameda County Area Agency on Aging

6955 Foothill Blvd, Suite 143 (1st Floor), Oakland, CA 94605; 1-800-510-2020 / 510-577-3530; <http://seniorinfo.acgov.org>

Office Hours : 8:30am - 5:00pm, Monday - Friday



ADULT DAY CARE/RESPIRE (useful website: www.daybreakcenters.org)

Centers for Elders Independence - CEI, (PACE - Program of All-inclusive Care for the Elderly); www.cei.elders.org 844-319-1150 / TDD: 510-433-1165

DayBreak Adult Care Centers, (personalized referrals & community education); <http://daybreakcenters.org> 510-834-8314 / TDD: 510-433-1165

ALCOHOLISM & DRUG ABUSE PREVENTION PROGRAMS

Alameda County Behavioral Health Care Services - BHCS, ACCESS; (referrals to substance abuse services in Alameda County); www.acbhcs.org

..... 844-682-7215

Alcoholics Anonymous, (free 24-Hour A.A. hotline, confidential); <http://eastbayaa.org> 510-839-8900

Al-Anon Family Groups, (help for families and friends of alcoholics); <https://al-anon.org> 888-429-2537

CA Dept. of Public Health, Office of Problem Gambling; www.cdph.ca.gov 800-426-2537

ALZHEIMER’S SERVICES

Alzheimer's Association, Helpline; (24-hour); www.alz.org 800-272-3900

Ethnic Elders Care Network, (website that focuses on ethnic elders with Alzheimer's and dementia related disorders); www.ethnicelderscarenetwork.net

Family Caregiver Alliance, Bay Area Resource Center; (free to low-cost services for family caregivers); www.caregiver.org 800-445-8106

UC Davis Health Alzheimer's Disease Center, East Bay Office; (basic and clinical research, including clinical trials and evaluations);

www.health.ucdavis.edu/alzheimers 925-357-6515

CAREGIVER SUPPORT PROGRAMS

(Note: for support group information, also contact adult day care programs and local hospitals)

Alzheimer's Association of Northern California, www.alz.org/norcal 925-284-7942

DayBreak Adult Care Centers, <http://daybreakcenters.org> 510-834-8314

Family Caregiver Alliance, California Caregiver Resource Center; (offers information and support services to family caregivers);

<https://www.caregiver.org/californias-caregiver-resource-centers> 800-445-8106

CAREGIVER SUPPORT PROGRAMS *continued*

Family Education and Resource Center, Oakland, *(support for family/caregiver of people with mental illness)*; www.askferc.org 888-896-3372
Family Support Services of the Bay Area, *(kinship support for grandparents/relative caregivers of children)*; www.fssba.org 510-834-2443
Lincoln Child Center, Hayward, Kinship Support Program; *(grandparent & relative caregivers of children)*; <http://lincolnfamilies.org> 510-273-4700 ext. 0

CASE MANAGEMENT/COORDINATION OF SERVICES FOR HOMEBOUND SENIORS

LIFE ElderCare, *(persons aged 60+)*; www.lifeeldercare.org 510-894-0370 ext. 2
Multipurpose Senior Services Program - MSSP, City of Fremont; *(residents on Medi-Cal; serves Hayward, Fremont, Newark, Union City)*; www.fremont.gov
..... 510-574-2041

CHRONIC ILLNESS & DISEASE SUPPORT SERVICES/PROGRAMS

Alameda Public Health Department, Diabetes Program; *(free classes for Alameda County residents with Type-2 Diabetes)*; www.acphd.org 510-383-5185
American Cancer Society, www.cancer.org 800-227-2345
American Diabetes Association, Oakland, www.diabetes.org 510-654-4499
American Heart Association, American Stroke Association; www.heart.org/ www.strokeassociation.org 510-903-4050
Aphasia Center of California, *(help for persons suffering from loss of language, typically as a result of a stroke)*; <http://aphasiacenter.net> 510-336-0112
Arthritis Foundation, www.arthritis.org 415-356-1230
Multiple Sclerosis (MS) Friends Support Line, *(peer helpline)*; 866-673-7436
National Multiple Sclerosis Society, www.nationalmssociety.org 800-344-4867/ 415-230-6677
Parkinson's Institute, www.theipi.org 800-655-2273
Women's Cancer Research Center, Berkeley, www.wcrc.org 510-420-7900

DISABLED ADULT SERVICES/PROGRAMS

Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), Pacific ADA Center; www.adapacific.org 800-949-4232 (Voice and TTY)
Braille & Talking Book Library - BTBL, <http://www.library.ca.gov/btbl/> 800-952-5666
California Telephone Access Program - CTAP, *(accessible phone products/services)*; www.californiaphones.org 800-806-1191 / TTY: 800-806-4474
Community Resources for Independent Living - CRIL, Hayward, www.crilhayward.org 510-881-5743 / TTY: 510-881-0218
Deaf Counseling Advocacy and Referral Agency - DCARA, www.dcara.org 510-343-6670
Disability Rights California, Oakland, www.disabilityrightsca.org 510-267-1200
Hearing and Speech Center of Northern California, San Francisco, www.hearingspeech.org 415-921-7658 / TTY: 415-921-8990
Lighthouse for the Blind and Visually Impaired, www.lighthouse-sf.org 415-431-1481
Regional Center of the East Bay, *(services for individuals with developmental disabilities)*; www.rceb.org 510-618-6100

EDUCATION *(also see Senior Centers)*

- Castro Valley Adult & Career Education, www.cvadult.org 510-886-1000
- Hayward Center for Education & Careers, Adult School; www.has.edu 510-293-8595
- San Leandro Adult School, www.sanleandroadultschool.org 510-667-6287
- San Lorenzo Adult School, www.adu.slzusd.org 510-317-4200
- U.C. Berkeley Osher Lifelong Learning Institute, *(community of learning for adults 50+)*; www.oli.berkeley.edu 510-642-9934

ELDER ABUSE PREVENTION

- Adult Protective Services - APS, Alameda County; www.alamedasocialservices.org 510-577-3500 / 866-225-5277
- District Attorney - Consumer & Environmental Protection Unit, <http://www.alcoda.org/cewpd/> 510-383-8600
- District Attorney - Elder Protection Unit, http://www.alcoda.org/victim_witness/elderdependent_adult 510-267-8800
- District Attorney - Victim/Witness Assistance Division, http://www.alcoda.org/victim_witness/ 510-272-6180
- Legal Assistance for Seniors, *(elder abuse representation for Alameda County residents 65+)*; www.lashicap.org 510-832-3040

EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS PROGRAMS

(Note: Contact your local Fire Departments and Offices of Emergency Services)

- American Red Cross, Alameda County, *(preparedness training for groups)*; www.redcross.org 510-595-4400
- Senior Injury Prevention Program - SIPP, *(emergency preparedness classes for Older Adults)*; www.acphd.org 510-618-2050

EMPLOYMENT PROGRAMS

- SER-Jobs for Progress, Service, Employment, Redevelopment; *(employment program, low income seniors 55+)*; www.ser-national.org 510-265-8267

END-OF-LIFE PLANNING & ARRANGEMENTS

- Alameda County Bar Association, *(lawyer referral service - \$35 for 30-minute consultation, estate planning, wills & trusts)*; www.acbanet.org
..... 510-302-2222 Opt. 4
- Alameda County Care Partners, *(advance directive, POLST and additional support for IHSS recipients)*; <http://gettingthemostoutoflife.org/ihss-pilot>
..... 510-577-3517
- Alameda County Coroner, *(burial/cremation in case of no next of kin or financial means, eligibility determined by application)*; www.alamedacountysheriff.org
..... 510-268-7300
- Alameda County Long-Term Care Ombudsman Program, *(witnesses Advance Health Care Directives for residents in Skilled Nursing Facilities)*;
www.alamedasocialservices.org 510-638-6878
- Alameda County Public Administrator, *(administers estates of decedents who have no next of kin or executor)*; www.alamedasocialservices.org
..... 510-577-3539 or 510-777-4270
- Bay Area Funeral Consumers' Alliance (BA-FCA, *(consumer education)*); <http://www.ba-fca.org> 650-321-2109

END-OF-LIFE PLANNING & ARRANGEMENTS *continued*

- California Advocates for Nursing Home Reform - CANHR, (*elder law attorney referral services and information on Medi-Cal estate recovery*); www.canhr.org
 800-474-1116 /415-974-5171
- California Department of Consumer Affairs' Cemetery and Funeral Bureau, (*licenses funeral agencies, publishes consumer guide*); www.cfb.ca.gov
 800-952-5210
- Getting the Most Out of Life, Alameda County Hospice Project; (*education and utilization of advance care planning and hospice services*);
<http://gettingthemostoutoflife.org> 510-667-3099

ETHNIC / CULTURALLY SPECIFIC PROGRAMS

- East Bay Korean-American Senior Services Center, <http://eastbaykoreanamericanseniorcenter.org> 510-763-1879
- Ethiopian Community and Cultural Center, www.ethiopianccc.org 510-268-4770
- Ethnic Elders Care Network, www.ethnicelderscarenetwork.net
- Filipino Advocates for Justice, (*naturalization and immigration assistance*); www.filipino4justice.org 510-465-9876
- International Institute of the Bay Area, Oakland; (*immigration legal services*); www.iibayarea.org 510-451-2846
- Jewish Family & Children's Services of the East Bay, Older Adult Services; www.jfcs-eastbay.org 510-558-7800
- Korean Community Center of the East Bay, (*Korean Info Line: 1-844-828-2254*); <http://kcceb.org> 510-547-2662
- Lavender Seniors of the East Bay, (*support services for LGBTQ elders*); www.lavenderseniors.org 510-736-LGBT (5428)
- Pacific Center for Human Growth, (*peer groups for LGBTQ seniors*); www.pacificcenter.org 510-548-8283

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

- Alameda County Social Services Agency:
 - Eden Area Multi-Service Center; (*24100 Amador St., Hayward 94544*); <http://alamedasocialservices.org> 510-670-6000
- Alameda County Veterans' Service Office, Oakland; <http://alamedasocialservices.org> 510-577-1926
- Cash Assistance Program Immigrants - CAPI, (*provides benefits for legal non-citizens in financial need that are ineligible for federal Supplemental Security Income - SSI*); <http://alamedasocialservices.org> 800-648-0954/ 510-268-2332
- Social Security Administration, SSI; www.ssa.gov 800-772-1213

FOOD & NUTRITION

- Alameda County Community Food Bank, www.accfb.org 510-635-FOOD (3663)
- CalFresh (California's Food Stamp Program):
 - Eden Area Multi-Service Center; (*24100 Amador St., Hayward 94544*); <http://alamedasocialservices.org> 510-670-6000
- Mercy Brown Bag Program, (*supplemental groceries twice a month to eligible low-income seniors*); <https://mercybrownbag.org/> 510-534-8540 ext. 369

FOOD & NUTRITION (Home Delivered Meals)

SOS Meals on Wheels, Oakland, Piedmont; www.sosmow.org 510-460-5855

FOOD & NUTRITION (Senior Group Dining)

Spectrum Community Services, Castro Valley, Hayward, San Leandro, San Lorenzo; *(senior community dining; call for a list of sites)*; www.spectrumcs.org
..... 510-881-0300 ext. 222

FRIENDLY VISITORS / TELEPHONE REASSURANCE PROGRAMS

Covia, Well Connected; *(formerly Senior Center Without Walls; group activities and friendly conversation for homebound seniors thru FREE phone conference calls)*;
<https://covia.org> 877-797-7299

Covia, Social Call; *(social phone calls for people who are homebound or isolated)*; <http://covia.org> 877-797-7299

Crisis Support Services of Alameda County, *(In-home counseling for homebound adults aged 60+)*; www.crisissupport.org 510-420-2460

Lavender Seniors of the East Bay, *(support services for LGBTQ - Lesbian, Gay, Bi-Sexual, Transgendered and Queer elders)*; www.lavenderseniors.org
..... 510-736-LGBT (5428)

LIFE ElderCare, www.lifeeldercare.org 510-894-0370 ext. 2

HEALTH INSURANCE PROGRAMS

Alameda County Social Services Agency, Workforce Benefits Administration:

Medi-Cal Unit; www.alamedasocialservices.org 800-698-1118 / 510-777-2300

Medi-Cal Long-Term Care; www.alamedasocialservices.org 510-383-8735

Medicare Savings Programs; *(QMB - Qualified Medicare Beneficiary Program, SLMB - Specified Low-Income Medicare Beneficiary, QI - Qualified Individual)*; www.alamedasocialservices.org 800-698-1118 / 510-777-2300

Covered California, *(affordable healthcare for Californians)*; www.coveredca.com 800-300-1506

HealthPAC, *(for persons not eligible for Medi-Cal with income at or below 200% Federal Poverty Level)*; www.achealthcare.org 877-879-9633

HICAP - Health Insurance Counseling and Advocacy Program, www.lashicap.org 510-832-3040

Medicare, Social Security Administration; www.ssa.gov 800-633-4227

HOME IMPROVEMENT PROGRAMS FOR LOW TO MODERATE INCOME HOUSEHOLDS

Alameda County Healthy Homes Department, Housing Rehabilitation Program; *(minor home repair grants and rehabilitation grants)*; www.achhd.org
..... 510-567-8280

City of Hayward, Housing Rehabilitation Program; *(Hayward residents only, minor home repairs grants available also available)*; www.hayward-ca.gov
..... 510-583-4225

Renew Alameda County, Habitat for Humanity; *(affordable home renovation loans-simple 1% interest with payment deferred until the sell of the home)*;
www.renewac.org 510-803-3388

HOME IMPROVEMENT PROGRAMS FOR LOW TO MODERATE INCOME HOUSEHOLDS *continued*

Spectrum Community Services, Low Income Weatherization Assistance Program; *(federally funded program that provides free energy efficiency improvements in homes of qualified homeowners or renters); www.spectrumcs.org 510-881-0300 ext. 272*

HOUSING ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS

Alameda (County) Housing Authority, www.haca.net 510-538-8876
CRIL - Community Resources for Independent Living, *(disabled housing assistance); www.crilhayward.org 510-881-5743/ TTY: 510-881-0218*
ECHO Housing, *(information on fair housing laws, illegal housing discrimination and tenant/landlord services); www.echofairhousing.org 510-581-9380*
Eden Information & Referral, *(rental housing information and emergency shelter referrals); www.edenir.org 2-1-1/ 888-886-9660*
HERA - Housing and Economic Rights Advocates, *(mortgage and financial counseling programs); www.heraca.org 510-271-8443*
NID Housing Counseling Agency, *(HUD-Approved Intermediary, assisting with reverse mortgage education, foreclosure prevention, rental housing and financial management); www.nidhousing.com 510-268-9792*

IN-HOME SERVICES

Alameda County In-Home Supportive Services- IHSS, *(client information and to apply); www.alamedasocialservices.org 510-577-1800*
Alameda County In-Home Supportive Services- IHSS, *(provider information and to apply); www.alamedasocialservices.org 510-577-1877*
Community Resources for Independent Living - CRIL, *(private pay referrals); www.crilhayward.org 510-881-5743/ TTY: 510-881-0218*
Public Authority for IHSS, *(provider registry list for IHSS clients); www.ac-pa4ihss.org 510-577-1980*
Public Authority for IHSS, *(provider registry); www.ac-pa4ihss.org 510-577-5694*

INJURY PREVENTION

DayBreak Adult Care Centers, <http://daybreakcenters.org> 510-834-8314
LIFE ElderCare, Fall Prevention Program; www.lifeeldercare.org 510-894-0370 ext. 2
Senior Injury Prevention Partnership - SIPP, *(fall prevention programs and older driver safety); www.acphd.org 510-618-2050*
Spectrum Community Services, Fall Prevention Program; *(multiple locations throughout the County, contact for a location); www.spectrumcs.org 510-881-0300 ext. 270*

LEGAL SERVICES

Alameda County Bar Association, Lawyer Referral Services; www.acbanet.org 510-302-2222
Alameda County Bar Association, Volunteer Legal Services; www.acbanet.org 510-302-2222
Bay Area Legal Aid, www.baylegal.org 800-551-5554
CANHR - California Advocates for Nursing Home Reform, *(elder law attorney referral services and information on Medi-Cal estate recovery); www.canhr.org 800-474-1116*
Centro Legal de la Raza, *(low-cost immigration legal services); www.centrolegal.org 510-437-1554*

LEGAL SERVICES *continued*

East Bay Community Law Center, <i>(for low-income persons needing legal advice/counsel)</i> ; www.ebclc.org	510-548-4040
Eviction Defense Center, <i>(provides free and low-cost legal services to Alameda County tenants who are facing eviction)</i> ; www.evictiondefensecenteroakland.org	510-452-4541
HERA - Housing and Economic Rights Advocates, <i>(low-income and moderate income residents with special focus to vulnerable groups and key issues)</i> ; www.heraca.org	510-271-8443
International Institute of the Bay Area, <i>(immigration legal services)</i> ; www.iibayarea.org	510-451-2846
Legal Assistance for Seniors, <i>(serves persons aged 60+)</i> ; www.lashicap.org	510-832-3040
SEEDS Community Resolution Center, <i>(community mediation services)</i> ; www.seedscrc.org	510-548-2377

MEDICAL/DENTAL CLINICS & SERVICES

Alameda County Dental Society, <i>(Low-cost dental options)</i> ; www.alamedacds.org	510-547-7188
Alameda Health System, Hayward Wellness; www.alamedahealthsystem.org	510-266-1700
Alameda-Contra Costa Medical Association, <i>(doctor referrals)</i> ; www.accma.org	510-654-5383
Chabot College Dental Hygiene, www.chabotcollege.edu	510-723-6900
Davis Street Family Resource Center, Medical / Dental Clinic; www.davisstreet.org	510-347-4620
Denti-Cal, Medi-Cal Dental Program; <i>(information on Medi-Cal dental benefits)</i> ; www.denti-cal.ca.gov	800-322-6384
Southern Alameda County Dental Society, <i>(referrals)</i> ; www.sacds.org	510-782-5316
Tiburcio Vasquez Health Center, www.tvhc.org	510-471-5907
U.C. Berkeley School of Optometry Eye Clinic, www.cal-eye-care.org	510-642-2020
University of Pacific - Dental Care Center, www.dental.pacific.edu	510-489-5200

MENTAL HEALTH / COUNSELING PROGRAMS

Alameda County Behavioral Health Care, ACCESS; <i>(Medi-Cal referrals to mental health services in Alameda County)</i> ; www.acbhcs.org	800-491-9099
Asian Community Mental Health Services, www.acmhs.org	510-869-6000
Crisis Support Services of Alameda County, <i>(senior in-home counseling, grief counseling, support groups)</i> ; www.crisissupport.org	510-420-2460 / 24-Hour Crisis Line: 800-273-8255
Davis Street Primary Care Clinic, <i>(affordable counseling and mental health services)</i> ; www.davisstreet.org	510-347-4620 ext. 140
Family Education and Resource Center, Oakland, <i>(support for family/caregiver of people with mental illness)</i> ; www.askferc.org	888-896-3372 / 510-746-1700
Geriatric Assessment & Response Team, <i>(consultation services, short-term case management for Alameda County residents 60+ with serious mental health, alcohol or drug concerns)</i> ; www.acbhcs.org	510-891-5650
Mental Health Association of Alameda County, www.mhaac.org	510-835-5010
Pacific Center for Human Growth, <i>(mental health services and peer support groups for LGBTQ folks)</i> ; www.pacificcenter.org	510-548-8283

MENTAL HEALTH / COUNSELING PROGRAMS *continued*

Suicide Prevention / Crisis Support, www.crisissupport.org 800-273-8255

NURSING HOME ASSISTANCE / LONG-TERM CARE FACILITIES (useful website: www.calqualitycare.org)

Alameda County Long-Term Care Ombudsman Program, (*licensed care facility resolution & advocacy; list RCFE - Residential Care Facilities for the Elderly and SNF- Skilled Nursing Facilities*); www.alamedasocialservices.org 510-638-6878

California Community Transitions, Center for Independent Living, East Bay Innovations; (*assistance for eligible Medi-Cal beneficiaries who are in a state licensed health care facility for 90-days or longer move back into their own home*); www.eastbayinnovations.org 510-618-1580

CANHR - California Advocates for Nursing Home Reform, (*advice on nursing home selection; resident's right advocates*); www.canhr.org 800-474-1116 / 415-974-5171

State of California Community Care Licensing, Adult and Senior Care Regional Office; (*Residential Care Facilities for the Elderly – RCFE questions and complaints*); www.cdss.ca.gov 510-286-4201

State of California Department of Public Health, (*questions or complaints about hospital, skilled nursing facility-SNF or any other healthcare facility*); www.cdph.ca.gov 866-247-9100

PUBLIC GUARDIAN’S OFFICE

Alameda County Public Guardian - Conservator, Probate Conservatorship; (*court-appointed conservatorship*); www.alamedasocialservices.org 510-577-3585

Alameda County Public Guardian - Conservator, Mental Health (LPS) Conservatorship; (*referrals are made by mental health professionals from an approved locked acute psychiatric facility*); www.alamedasocialservices.org 510-577-7045

SENIOR CENTERS (also see *Ethnic /Culturally Specific Senior Programs*)

Castro Valley, Kenneth C. Aitken Senior & Community Center, (*17800 Redwood Road, Castro Valley, CA 94546*); www.haywardrec.org 510-881-6738

Hayward, Hayward Area Senior Center, (*22325 North Third Street, Hayward, CA 94546*); www.haywardrec.org 510-881-6766

San Leandro, Korean Community Center of the East Bay, (*101 Callan Avenue, #400, San Leandro, CA 94577*); www.kcceb.org English: 510-547-2662 / Korean: 510-547-3258

San Leandro, San Leandro Senior Community Center, (*13909 East 14th Street, San Leandro, CA 94578*); www.sanleandro.org 510-577-7990

Well Connected, *formerly Senior Center Without Walls*; (*group activities and friendly conversation for homebound seniors through FREE phone conference calls*); www.covia.org 877-797-7299

TRANSPORTATION PROGRAMS & SERVICES

5-1-1.org, (*travel information for the Bay Area*); www.511.org 5-1-1

AC Transit, (*senior and disabled discounted passes*); www.actransit.org 510-891-4777

American Cancer Society, Road to Recovery; (*provides transportation to and from treatments for cancer patients*); www.cancer.org 800-227-2345

TRANSPORTATION PROGRAMS & SERVICES *continued*

BART, (<i>senior and disabled discounted passes</i>); www.bart.gov	510-464-7134
DMV Parking Placard for Disabled Drivers, www.dmv.ca.gov	800-777-0133
Drivers for Survivors, (<i>free transportation and supportive companionship for cancer patients</i>); www.driversforsurvivors.org	510-579-0535
East Bay Paratransit Service - EBPT, (<i>transportation for those that meet the Americans with Disabilities Act - ADA criteria</i>); www.eastbayparatransit.org	800-555-8085
Taxi and City Transportation Programs:	
Hayward; (<i>taxi program and door-to-door service, also serves Castro Valley residents</i>); www.haywardca.gov	510-583-4230
San Leandro; (<i>taxi program and FLEX Shuttle</i>); www.sanleandro.org	510-577-7985
Travel Training:	
Community Resources for Independent Living (CRIL) and City of Hayward; (<i>individual and group training for people with disabilities and seniors</i>); www.crilhayward.org	510-881-5743 ext. 5938
Lighthouse for the Blind; (<i>individual and group training for people with disabilities and seniors with visual impairments</i>); www.lighthouse-sf.org	415-694-7357
Through the Looking Glass; (<i>training for families with disability issues in Alameda County</i>); www.lookingglass.org	510-848-1112 ext. 8156
United Seniors of Oakland and Alameda County (USOAC); (<i>group training for seniors aged 55+ and people with disabilities</i>); www.usoac.org	510-729-0851
VIP Rides, LIFE ElderCare; (<i>assisted rides for seniors and people with disabilities</i>); www.lifeeldercare.org	510-856-9010

UTILITIES ASSISTANCE

California LifeLine Program, (<i>provides discounts on home phone and cell phone services</i>); www.cpuc.ca.gov/lifeline	866-272-0349
California Telephone Access Program - CTAP, (<i>accessible phone products/services</i>); www.californiaphones.org	800-806-1191 / TTY: 800-806-4474
EBMUD - East Bay Municipal Utility District, Customer Assistance Program; (<i>discount program for low-income customers</i>); www.ebmud.com	866-403-2683
Heat Energy Assistance Program (HEAP) & Weatherization Program, Spectrum Community Services; (<i>energy assistance for low-income households; attic insulation, weather-stripping, and related conservation measures</i>); www.spectrumcs.org	510-881-0300
PG&E - Pacific Gas & Electric; www.pge.com :	
CARE - California Alternative Rates for Energy Program; (<i>discount on gas/electric bills for qualified low-income households</i>); .	866-743-2273
Energy Savings Assistance Program; (<i>weatherization, energy-efficient appliances for qualified low-income households</i>);	800-933-9555
Medical Baseline Program; (<i>energy at the lowest, baseline price for residential customers with qualifying medical conditions</i>);	800-743-5000
Relief for Energy Assistance through Community Help -REACH; (<i>one-time energy assistance administered through Salvation Army</i>);	822-933-9677
RHA Delivering Solutions, Moderate Income Direct Install Program - MIDI; (<i>no cost energy efficient upgrades for moderate income households</i>);	866-455-0898

VETERANS SERVICES

Alameda County Veterans' Service Office, www.alamedasocialservices.org 510-577-1926
U.S. Department of Veteran's Affairs, www.va.gov 800-827-1000

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

Alameda County Long-Term Care Ombudsman Program, (*volunteer advocates for persons in long-term care facilities*); www.alamedasocialservices.org
..... 510-638-6878
Pacific Center for Human Growth, (*volunteer opportunities available, outreach, front desk and/or skill based teams*); www.pacificcenter.org
..... 510-548-8283 ext. 221
Stagebridge, (*senior actors and storytellers*); <http://stagebridge.org> 510-444-4755
Volunteer Match, (*volunteers are matched with organizations with need for volunteers*); www.volunteermatch.org 415-241-6868

IMPORTANT NUMBERS

AARP Driver Safety Program, <i>(online and classroom courses available)</i> ; www.aarp.org	800-350-7025
Alameda County Area Agency on Aging, Senior Information & Assistance; <i>(provides information on senior resources within Alameda County)</i> ; http://seniorinfo.acgov.org	800-510-2020 /510-577-3530
Alameda County Library Foundation, Older Adults Programs; <i>(Homeward Bound, Library Computer Training, and more)</i> ; www.aclf2.org	510-505-7077
Alameda County In-Home Supportive Services- IHSS, <i>(client information and to apply)</i> ; www.alamedasocialservices.org	510-577-1800
Alameda County In-Home Supportive Services- IHSS, <i>(provider information and to apply)</i> ; www.alamedasocialservices.org	510-577-1877
Alameda County Social Services Agency, Eden Area Multi-Service Center; <i>(24100 Amador St., Hayward 94544)</i> ; http://alamedasocialservices.org	510-670-6000
Contra Costa County, Senior Information & Assistance; http://ehsd.org	925-229-8434
Eden Information & Referral, www.edenir.org	2-1-1 / 888-886-9660
Eldercare Locator, <i>(information services outside Alameda County/California)</i> ; http://eldercare.acl.gov	800-677-1116
Immigration Questions, International Institute of the East Bay; http://iibayarea.org	510-451-2846
Public Authority for In-Home Supportive Services, Registry Information Line - Provider Application and Orientation; www.ac-pa4ihss.org	510-577-5694
Public Authority for In-Home Supportive Services, IHSS Registry Referral - Clients to find a Provider; www.ac-pa4ihss.org	510-577-1980
Senior Injury Prevention Program - SIPP, <i>(fall prevention programs)</i> ; www.acphd.org	510-618-2050
Social Security Administration / SSI, www.ssa.gov	800-772-1213
Tax Assistance, AARP Tax-Aide Program; <i>(free filing assistance)</i> ; www.aarp.org	888-687-2277
Tax Assistance, Internal Revenue Service (IRS); <i>(general information)</i> ; www.irs.gov	510-907-5000
Tax Assistance, Volunteer Income Tax Assistance / Tax Counseling for the Elderly; www.irs.gov	800-906-9887

Other guides available from the Area Agency on Aging by request:

- Senior Housing Guide • Retirement Residences & Continuing Care Retirement Communities • Emergency Response Programs • Fall Prevention
- Food & Nutrition Resources Guide • Home Health Care, Home Care & Hospice Agencies • Placement Agencies • SSI/CAPI

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