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## COMMUNITY RESOURCES

Please visit the following links for additional resources and information:

### HEALTH SERVICES

™ [Health Way LA](#) is a no cost health care program operated by Los Angeles County. If approved you will receive full health coverage, that includes doctor visits from one of their various clinics around the Los Angeles Area, hospital services and access to specialists. Eligibility Check list :

- ¾ You are a Los Angeles County Resident
- ¾ You are between 19 and 64 years old
- ¾ Not pregnant
- ¾ You currently do NOT have health coverage
- ¾ You have been a legal resident for at LEAST 5 years OR You are a United States citizen
- ¾ You must meet monthly income limits

™ [Alma Family Services](#) has provided quality services to families for over thirty -five years. These services include but are not limited to coping with today's needs in a time of stress, substance abuse, integrated care program, family resource centers, and professional seminars.

™ [Bienvenidos Family Services](#) provides trauma -focused cognitive behavioral



™ [Neighborhood Legal Services of Los Angeles](#) (NLSLA) This program has legal services regarding Housing, Health, Economic security, and Justice. Their housing services help people prevent unlawful evictions, foreclosures, preserve affordable housing, rent control, and fight discrimination in Section 8 and other government housing programs. They provide assistance in resolving problems with health care plans and assist in implementing the Affordable Care Act for those who need it and qualify. This program also provides various [self-help centers](#) depending on the area in which you live. Feel free to contact them at (800) 433-6251.

- El Monte Office:  
9354 Telstar Ave.  
El Monte, CA91731
  
- Glendale Office:  
1104 E. Chevy Chase Drive,  
Glendale, CA 91205

**Fostering Educational Opportunities Foundation Scholarship Program** is a scholarship for former foster youth up to the age of 26 with a 2.0 minimum GPA. In order to apply for the scholarship, you would need to fill out the needed information on the website as well as turning in/uploading all necessary documents.

### **Foster Care to Success Scholarship**

Is a Scholarship for former foster youth entering an undergraduate program. Applicant must be under the age of 25 on March of the year being applied for. Must have been in foster care while living in the United States. Also must have been in public or private foster care for 12 consecutive months leading up to and including their 18<sup>th</sup> birthday. Applications are yearly from January 1<sup>st</sup> up until March 31<sup>st</sup>.

### **Nsoro Foundation Scholarship Program**

Applicants must be able to certify that they are currently placed in foster care, a ward of the state and/or be eligible for ILP for having aged out of the system as a young adult. Student must be planning to attend school as a full-time student, be under the age of 25 on March of the year on which they are applying, and be a US citizen or Permanent Resident of the US. Must be accepted into a Pell-eligible college or other post-secondary

Empowering foster youth ages 14 -24 to build leadership skills and forge supportive relationships while simultaneously being able to advocate for child welfare reforms that impact their lives.

**™ Information on Extended Foster Care** provides an opportunity for young adults who were previously in former foster care the ability to continue receiving foster care services after the age of 18. Eligible youth who do not want to participate in the program have until the age of 19 to voluntarily request to participate. Services include case management, transitional living services, medical, dental, foster care placement or supervised independent living setting placement.

**™ The Chafee Grant** is an educational grant specifically for former foster youth attending college.

**™ United Friends of the Children** is a program that does its best to support its students in as many ways as they can. They offer a variety of resources such as one-on-one support from a college counselor, fun bonding events and activities, career discovery and development, persistence grants to assist with unforeseen financial emergencies, and post-graduation planning assistance.

**™ Youth Center on Highland: Los Angeles LGBT Center** assist with housing, breakfast, lunch, dinner, snacks, showers, clothing and laundry services, education program, HIV testing and counseling, employment program, computer lab, housing referrals, recreational activities, art/music groups and counseling and support groups. Feel free to contact them at (323) 993-7400.

**™ The Village Family Services : TAY Drop-In Center** provides vocational support, education support, art and fitness classes, life-skills training, counseling services, peer and support groups, anger management groups, LGBTQ support, housing referral, substance abuse recovery referral and supportive services for homeless youth. Feel free to contact them at (818) 755-8786.

**™ CalFresh** Former foster youth living with food insecurity may qualify to

receive benefits from the Department of P1 (or)-4 (rf)4 (i29 (t)19 g)3 (,)7 (h f)48(i29 ( ins (h f)i0



™ **Food Net -Centro Maravilla** provides food to low income families and individuals, no eligibility is required. The food pantry is open once a month on the days listed below, call prior to avoid discrepancies. Every Thursday they hold a food bank that begins at 1:00pm, please take at least four grocery bags. For emergency food please call 211.

- o **Location:** 4716 E. Cesar Chavez Avenue Los Angeles, CA 90022
- o **Contact:** (323) 260-2804
- o **Hours:** Monday, Tuesday, and Friday 8:00am – 4:00 pm

™ **God Provides Food Bank** assist families and individuals who live in South El Monte area will be provid (t)-1 (T2( (t).n12 (i)-4.6 (t)4.1 (h)3.3 561 rg J EMC /SS9.5 ( pEMC /SS9.5 ( pE2 561

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