APLAHealth

Ever since AIDS Project Los Angeles first opened its doors in 1983, we have been committed to delivering care to the people who need us most. Today as APLA Health, we help those living with HIV lead the healthiest and fullest lives possible.



We offer a variety of services primarily for low-income people living with HIV.

Linking individuals to proper health care and support services is a vital component in improving health outcomes for those affected by HIV/AIDS and lowering rates of HIV transmission.

Registration Forms

Available for download at aplahealth.org/registration-forms

Services are available for low-income individuals living with HIV.

For more specific details on eligibility, please call us.

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APLA Health's mission is to achieve health care equity and promote well-being for the LGBT and other underserved communities and people living with and affected by HIV.



BENEFITS COUNSELING

- Application assistance for all public benefits programs for which a client is eligible, including: Social Security Disability Insurance (SSDI), Supplemental Security Income (SSI), Medicare, Medi-Cal, General Relief, and food stamps
- AIDS Drug Assistance Program (ADAP)
- Health care (Medi Cal, Covered California, and OA HIPP)

VANCE NORTH NECESSITIES OF LIFE PROGRAM (NOLP)

- Free bags of groceries, including: fresh fruit, vegetables, meats, eggs, cheese, yogurt, milk, canned and dry goods, and personal care products
- Individualized nutrition counseling
- Nutrition workshops and cooking demonstrations

HEALTH CARE SERVICES

- Assistance getting and paying for HIV medications
- Access to dental care and counseling services
- Assistance with medication adherence, information about changing medicines, possible side effects, and more
- Information about and access to Pre-Exposure Prophylaxis (PrEP) and other HIV prevention methods for HIV-negative partners, friends, and family members
- Routine check-ups and monitoring of other chronic health conditions, such as diabetes and heart disease
- Bilingual assistance

HOUSING SUPPORT SERVICES

- Assistance acquiring, financing, and maintaining affordable and appropriate housing
- Financial assistance moving into a new home or apartment
- Resource referrals—linking clients to programs that will provide assistance paying utility bills and/or rent or mortgage
- Education about tenants' rights and responsibilities
- Acting as an ongoing liaison between clients, property owners, and case managers
- Financial management and employment assistance

HOME HEALTH PROGRAM

- Personal and comfort care, including bathing, grooming, etc.
- Services from a homemaker who will assist with general household activities and in the maintenance of independent living
- In-home therapy to assist clients with emotional and mental health needs related to living with HIV/AIDS
- Medical case management, client education, and assistance with treatment adherence
- Assistance with psychosocial, financial, housing, and related concerns from a registered social worker

CASE MANAGEMENT

- Registration for eligible services within APLA Health
- Referrals to HIV medical services offered within APLA Health, as well as other HIV services offered in L.A. County
- Transportation for APLA
 Health clients, such as free
 taxi rides to and from medical
 appointments and assistance
 with public transportation
 needs
- Risk reduction counseling and support



FUERZA POSITIVA

Fuerza Positiva helps Latino men who have tested HIV positive by connecting them to medical care and treatment, as well as help with adherence and social support services. Call or text 323.540.2844 for more information, or visit

www.fuerzapositiva.org.

CLIENTLINE

Clientline provides information and referrals to clients and community members in need of assistance via telephone. A trained intern, volunteer, or employee is available to answer questions and provide information about accessing services at APLA Health and throughout L.A. County.

Contact Clientline at 213.201.1500 or toll-free at 866.772.2365.