

*Thank you for allowing
our **dreams** to come true
and **believing** in us.*

*You have made things **easier**
for me and my **family**
and we couldn't have done this
without you.*

***Overcoming** homelessness
is not easy to do alone
and it feels great to have
support.*

— Bianca and family



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L.A. FAMILY HOUSING
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FOUNDED IN 1983 by a group of concerned citizens in the San Fernando Valley, **L.A. Family Housing** (LAFH) is a private, nonprofit, community-based organization.

MISSION STATEMENT

L.A. Family Housing helps homeless families and individuals rebuild their lives through an integrated system of temporary shelter, affordable housing development and comprehensive social services.



LAFH currently owns and operates 21 properties totaling 439 units and more than 2,000 beds of service-enriched emergency and transitional shelter and permanent affordable housing. We serve 500,000 meals annually. Since our inception, we have provided housing and social services to approximately 100,000 homeless and low-income families and individuals.

Few nonprofit agencies in Southern California provide such a broad continuum of housing assistance and social service delivery.



TEMPORARY SHELTER

LAFH operates a total of 177 units representing over 650 beds of temporary housing for homeless children and adults. Our emergency and transitional shelters are located in North Hollywood and Boyle Heights. They include:

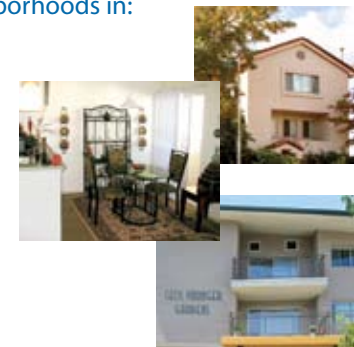
- Trudy and Norman Louis Valley Shelter
- Sydney M. Irmis Transitional Living Center
- Comunidad Cesar Chavez Family Shelter



PERMANENT AFFORDABLE HOUSING

LAFH's 18 permanent affordable housing developments offer 262 rental units priced significantly below market rate for low-income families. Our properties are located throughout Los Angeles, including neighborhoods in:

- Canoga Park
- North Hollywood
- South Los Angeles
- Sun Valley
- Van Nuys
- West Adams District
- Westlake District



COMPREHENSIVE SOCIAL SERVICES

One of the unique characteristics of LAFH is the wide range of housing and social services we offer, both through our own programs and in partnership with other organizations. They include:

- employment search and job training
- case management/life skills training
- money management/budgeting and a mandatory savings program
- parenting classes
- family reading program
- after-school tutoring and homework assistance
- assistance in securing child care
- school enrollment and reintegration services
- healthy, balanced meals
- medical and mental health services
- drug and alcohol counseling
- permanent housing placement
- homebuyer education
- professional and casual clothing
- transportation assistance
- information and referrals



OPPORTUNITIES FOR GIVING

One of the best ways to help the families and individuals we serve is by making a financial contribution. All donations are tax deductible as allowed by law. Your thoughtful gift will be used where the need is the greatest.

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