

COUNTYWIDE YOUTH RESOURCE FAIR

WORKSHOPS

The Center for Healthy Communities at The California Endowment
July 16, 2019



How to Access Benefits and Services for Health, Employment and Economic Independence (Medi-Cal, CalFresh & General Relief)

Set yourself up for success! Learn how to apply for benefits such as Medi-Cal, CalFresh and General Relief. You will also receive an overview of employment and support services offered by General Relief Opportunities for Work (GROW). Department of Public Social Services (DPSS) staff will be at the fair to accept applications for Medi-Cal and CalFresh.



Times: 10:00-10:30 a.m., 11:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m., and 1:00-1:30 p.m

Room: Mojave

Presenter: Department of Public Social Services



Housing Options After Exiting Foster Care

Know before you go: learn about the various housing options available after exiting foster care. This includes the Transitional Housing Program-Plus (THP+), Independent Living Program (ILP), Los Angeles Homeless Services Authority (LAHSA) Transitional Housing, Rapid Re-Housing, and Permanent Supportive Housing. This workshop will also include a brief overview of housing options for foster youth ages 18 to 21.

Times: 10:45-11:15 a.m., 12:15-12:45 p.m., and 1:45-2:15 p.m.

Room: Mojave

Presenters: Youth Development Services Division, Los Angeles County Department of Children & Family Services and Los Angeles Homeless Services Authority



How to Get a Job...What Employers Really Look for in You

Let's get you paid! Learn about how and where to find job opportunities and useful tips for job applications, interview skills, and social media. This workshop will help you obtain knowledge and build the confidence needed to get a job and keep it.

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Room: Cabrillo

Presenter: Los Angeles County Department Of Workforce Development, Aging and Community Services



Financial Aid for College and Non-Traditional Pathways to Education

College is possible! Learn about special tips for foster youth to access the maximum financial aid possible. Postsecondary education doesn't have to be the traditional 4-year university. This workshop will also include information on non-traditional pathways to post-secondary education, including career & technical education and apprenticeship programs.

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Room: Cabrillo

Presenter: California College Pathways

Closing Juvenile Delinquency Records and Removing Adult Criminal Records



Sealing (closing) your juvenile records and expunging (removing) any convictions that would be seen as adult crimes is important for getting a job, housing, and benefits. Learn more about why sealing your records is important and leave with resources and a checklist to help you choose the best way to seal or expunge your records.

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Room: Mammoth

Presenter: LAW Project of Los Angeles

Managing Your Money



Learn about how to balance spending and saving (budgeting), where your money is going, and what to look for when opening a bank or credit union account. The workshop will also include information on good and bad debts and how to protect yourself from identity theft.

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Room: Mammoth

Presenter: Children's Institute, Inc. Individualized Transition Skills Program



Countywide Youth Resource Fair

9:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

The Center for Health Communities

The California Endowment

1000 North Alameda Street

Los Angeles, CA 90012

The Resource Fair is for youth ages 0 to 24 who are or were under the care of the Los Angeles County Department of Children and Family Services or Probation Department and their caregivers. You'll find important information and resources provided by various County and community agencies.

We welcome you to join us!

Please RSVP online at: www.achsa.net/fair

or call (213) 259-3743

Questions about the Countywide Youth Resource Fair?

Contact Abby Hays at (213) 250-5030 or by email at ahays@achsa.net