

# We...

- Provide cash assistance to approximately 472,000 individuals per month( persons aided for CalWORKS, General Relief (GR), Refugee Resettlement Program (RRP), and Cash Assistance Program for Immigrants (CAPI).
- Offer employment-related services to approximately 51,000 CalWORKs participants and 25,000 General Relief recipients per month.
- Provide Medi-Cal coverage to approximately 1.8 million adults and children each month.
- Provide mental health services to more than 220,000 people with mental illness, and make nearly 9,700 field visits in collaboration with law enforcement.
- Are the conservator to 5,000 persons who have mental illness or are frail elderly adults.
- Care for 19,800 inmates each day at seven county jails.
- Provide child support services to more than 500,000 children monthly, collecting more than \$500 million in child support payments annually.
- Provide grants to more than 60 theaters, 15 museums, 20 orchestras, 15 festivals, and 25 dance companies annually; and produce and broadcast the free Holiday Celebration at the Music Center, highlights of which air on 206 television stations around the nation.



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*Quick Facts:*

*About the  
County of Los Angeles  
Services*

# COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES SERVICES

## We...

- Circulate 14 million books and materials through our 84 libraries and four bookmobiles.
- Answer more than 10 million questions annually at our libraries.
- Inspect 37,000 gas pumps and 15,000 scales annually to ensure their accuracy.
- Welcome more than 14 million persons each year to county parks and facilities and have 19 public golf courses on 17 sites.
- Maintain and operate 31 miles of public beaches and the largest man made small craft harbor, Marina del Rey.
- Responded to 270,661 emergency calls in 12 months, including 10,394 fires and more than 12,071 ocean and boat rescues.
- Conducted 19,837 fire prevention inspections in one year.
- Provide 540,000 immunizations annually to protect the citizens of Los Angeles County against everything from diphtheria to polio.
- Provide 368,000 environmental health inspections annually, including 106,000 inspections of restaurants.
- Provide healthcare services to 715,000 persons annually, including treating 228,000 for emergencies and traumas annually.

## We...

- Update and distribute or replace swift water safety and debris flow safety education materials for approximately 1,900 schools annually.
- Place or return to owners 27,700 animals annually, and respond to more than 117,000 calls for animal control assistance.
- Operate one of the largest flood control systems in the world, including 15 major dams, 2,800 miles of underground storm drains, 78,000 catch basins, and 500 miles of open channel.
- Maintain more than 3,170 miles of major roads and local streets in unincorporated areas and 1,700 miles in 22 cities.
- Own and administer five general aviation airports.
- Issue an average of 65,300 building permits annually for construction valued at \$2 billion and provide construction plan checks for more than 2,000 building projects to ensure safe construction and proper occupancy usage.
- Issued 502,000 copies of birth certificates, 52,705 copies of death certificates and 117,378 copies of marriage certificates in one year. We receive more than 2,000 requests daily for certified copies of birth, death and marriage certificates.
- Issued 57,866 marriage licenses and perform 11,078 marriage ceremonies in one year.
- Maintain more than 200 million deeds, mortgages, liens and other real estate records.

## We...

- Investigate more than 150,000 emergency child abuse and neglect referrals annually.
- Handle the adoptions of more than 2,800 children each year and perform assessments for more than 400 independent adoptions.
- Supervise 39,000 children monthly, approximately 23,000 of whom are placed in foster homes.
- Serve 2.3 million meals to the elderly annually, including \$800,000 in meals to persons who are homebound.
- Assist 3,500 domestic violence victims annually in our 23 domestic violence shelters and respond to 56,000 domestic violence calls.
- Provide 4,500 jobs through the CalWORKS Youth Jobs Program and Workforce Investment Act (WIA) Youth Program.
- Provide services to more than 1.9 million people annually at our community and senior centers, including 332,000 senior citizens.
- Resolved 10,138 dispute resolution cases in 12 months, and assisted 53,915 individuals.
- Investigated 17,525 senior and dependent adult abuse cases in one year.
- Provide in-home supportive services to approximately 148,000 aged, blind and disabled persons per month.