



C.B.E.S.T.

COUNTYWIDE BENEFITS ENTITLEMENTS SERVICES TEAM



WHO IS ELIGIBLE FOR SERVICES?

Individuals experiencing homelessness or at risk of homelessness who are:

- Blind
- Disabled
- Elderly (65+)
- Veterans

C.B.E.S.T. IS A PROGRAM OF:

Los Angeles County Department of Health Services (DHS)

- Housing for Health (HFH)
- Whole Person Care - Los Angeles (WPC-LA)



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The Los Angeles County Homeless Initiative and Measure H



WHAT IS C.B.E.S.T.?

THE COUNTYWIDE BENEFITS ENTITLEMENTS SERVICES TEAM

is a Department of Health Services (DHS) program, comprised of eight (8) community based organizations with dedicated benefits advocates that can assist individuals to apply for the following disability programs:

- Supplemental Security Income (SSI)
- Social Security Disability Insurance (SSDI)
- Cash Assistance Program for Immigrants (CAPI)
- Veteran's Benefits (VA)

HOW DO WE SEND REFERRALS TO C.B.E.S.T.?

ELECTRONIC REFERRALS

DHS contracted providers can send an electronic referral through the CHAMP database.

FAX REFERRALS

Community organizations can refer potential applicants via a faxed referral form. Please contact the agency in the appropriate region (see back side of this sheet) for instructions.

APPOINTMENTS & WALK-INS

Call to schedule an appointment or walk-into the community based locations during walk-in hours. Please contact the agency in the appropriate region (see back side of this sheet) for instructions.

IF YOU ARE NOT SURE WHICH NUMBER TO CALL

Please call the WHOLE PERSON CARE - LA Referral Line: **844-804-5200**

OR go to our website: <https://dhs.lacounty.gov/wps/portal/dhs/wpc>



SPA 6 – LEAD AGENCY: SSG-HOPICS

Special Service for Groups – Homeless Outreach Program

Integrated Care Service (SSGHOPICS) is a multi-service agency committed to the needs of the community by providing services and linkages to make lives better including behavioral and physical health, housing, employment, substance use services and benefits advocacy. HOPICS provides these programs using our Core Values: Commitment to Employees, Communication, Honesty and Integrity, Integration and Innovation, Respect and Dignity and Teamwork.

C.B.E.S.T. COMMUNITY LOCATION

5849 Crocker St., Unit X
Los Angeles, CA 90003
Phone: 323-432-4399
Fax: 323-432-4393
Walk-in Hours: M-F 8:30am-4:00pm



SPA 6 – PARTNER AGENCY: WLCAC

The Watts Labor Community Action Committee (WLCAC) is a non-profit, community-based, human social services organization, founded in 1965, dedicated to improving the quality of life for South Central Los Angeles residents. This is achieved through Cultural Programming; Community Investment and Social Services including Senior Services, Work Source; Youth Source; Family Source; Gang Prevention; and Homeless/Housing Services. Over 15,000 people participate in WLCAC's programs annually.

C.B.E.S.T. COMMUNITY LOCATION

WLCAC Access Center

958 E. 108th Street
Los Angeles, CA 90059
Phone: 323-563-4734
Fax: 323-563-4734
Walk-in Hours: M,W,F 9am-12pm & 1:30-4:30pm

