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DAILY UPDATE

September 14, 2020

'STAY HOUSED L.A. COUNTY', EMERGENCY COOLING CENTERS REMAIN OPEN, NEW \$5M CHILDCARE PROVIDER GRANT PROGRAM, AND INCIDENT REPORT

The County of Los Angeles is regularly updating resources on COVID-19 and offers today's update in an effort to keep you and yours informed. Please share the following up-to-date information:

Heard of 'Stay Housed L.A. County'?



LA County has launched **Stay Housed L.A. County**, a new program which connects tenants facing eviction with legal assistance, and virtual educational workshops, to help keep county residents in their homes amid the COVID-19 pandemic. The new program is a partnership between the County of LA, legal aid groups, and community-based organizations to provide emergency support to tenants in need.

Today's launch included the release of the StayHousedLA.org website, which offers tenants with:

- useful information about their rights
- workshops for residents who need legal assistance
- as well as other support, including case management support

Stay Housed L.A. County serves as an important resource for tenants who are facing housing uncertainty — including bilingual residents and those with undocumented status — about their rights and who need legal support navigating their interactions with their landlord and the legal system. When tenants have legal representation, a family's chance of avoiding homelessness due to eviction increases by over 70 percent. Learn more about **Stay Housed L.A. County**, by watching this short [video](#) or visiting StayHousedLA.org.

Emergency Cooling Centers Remain Open

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Visit ready.lacounty.gov/heat
for more information

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Emergency Cooling Centers in LA County remain open for residents seeking relief from triple digit weather. If you or a loved one lacks air conditioning at home, please consider visiting a Center near you. All Centers are free of charge, and operate in compliance with current COVID-19 safety protocols.

For a full list of Emergency Cooling Centers (including dates & hours of operation), to view a map of these sites, or for tips on staying safe during hot weather, visit ready.lacounty.gov/heat or dial 2-1-1.

New \$5 Million Childcare Provider Grant Program



LA County's new \$5 million Childcare Provider Grant Program opened today for eligible licensed childcare operators in LA County who have been impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic. This new program is funded by Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security (CARES) Act funds.

Childcare operators in LA County (with the exception of those operating in the City of Los Angeles, as the City received its own allocation of CARES Act funds & has its own programs for City childcare operators) may visit childcaregrant.lacda.org for:

- Eligibility requirements;
- A video tutorial on how to complete the online application;
- And the Application Portal

The application period opened today - and will remain open **through Friday, September 25, 2020 at 12 p.m.** Applications will be ranked via a lottery and applicants will be selected in the order ranked per lottery process.

Great Plates Delivered



Great Plates Delivered has been extended through **October 9th**! LA County's meal assistance program offers eligible seniors with three (3) home-delivered meals a day. Seniors over 65, seniors 60-64 years of age who have been diagnosed or exposed to COVID-19 or those at high-risk for COVID-19 may qualify. When you help a senior connect to Great Plates Delivered, you're also helping your local restaurant, hospitality and transportation community get back to work.

To learn more or apply, [click here](#).

Incident Report

Our daily report is a high-level summary of L.A. County Emergency Operations Center's response to the COVID-19 health emergency. [Click here](#) to view.

COVID-19 Digital Communications Guide & Toolkit

[View](#) our updated COVID-19 Digital Communications Guide, and get tips on Best Practices, Do's and Don'ts, Key Messaging, and our Social Media Toolkit - with multi-lingual graphics and messages like the ones seen below.

Access our Social Media Toolkit [here](#).

For locations, visit ready.lacounty.gov/heat or call 211

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S-Chinese: 有關位置，請瀏覽ready.lacounty.gov/heat或致電 211

Korean: 위치는 ready.lacounty.gov/heat를 방문하거나 211로 전화하십시오.

Spanish: Para conocer las ubicaciones, visite ready.lacounty.gov/heat o llame al 211



Additional Information

The County of Los Angeles appreciates your continued partnership in responding to COVID-19 questions and needs of residents. For additional information, please visit:

- County of Los Angeles: covid19.lacounty.gov
- County of Los Angeles Public Health: publichealth.lacounty.gov
- California Department of Public Health: cdph.ca.gov
- Centers for Disease Control and Prevention: cdc.gov
- Los Angeles County residents can also dial 2-1-1