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LA County Department Summaries

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In December 2025 the Los Angeles County LGBTQ+ Commission approved an ad hoc subcommittee tasked with providing the Commission general information on the different Los Angeles County departments. The information will be used to decide which department(s) will be prioritized by the Commission in the upcoming year. All information below was found on the departmental website as of January 30, 2026.

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EXECUTIVE OFFICE



BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

*“To enrich lives through
effective and caring service.”*

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1. Aging and Disabilities

Website: <https://ad.lacounty.gov>

Summary:

The Department of Aging and Disabilities seeks to help clients live with dignity and independence. Their mission is to improve lives and support self-determination for older adults, adults with disabilities, and communities. They provide a range of specialized programs and support designed to enrich the lives of seniors and individuals with disabilities. It is estimated that between 200-500 people work for the department.

They provide comprehensive services that promote independence, well-being, and a thriving community for all. The five key services they provide are:

- Older Adult Services, Community and Senior Centers,
- Adult Protective Services,
- Homeless Support Services,
- LA Found (Alzheimer's and dementia support), and
- Transportation

Branches/Divisions/Offices:

- Adult Protective Services
- Area Agency on Aging
- Community & Senior Centers Branch
- Disabilities Branch

Commission/Committees:

- Los Angeles County Commission for Older Adults (LACCOA)
- Los Angeles County Commission on Disabilities (LACCOD)

Organization Chart: <https://ad.lacounty.gov/wp-content/uploads/2025/07/07-09-25-AD-Dept-Org-Chart.pdf>

Strategic Plan: <https://ad.lacounty.gov/wp-content/uploads/2025/07/PSA-19-25-Joint-4-Year-Area-Plan-2024-28-CDA-APPROVED.pdf>

2. Agricultural Commissioner/Weights and Measures

Website: <https://acwm.lacounty.gov/>

Summary:

Established in 1881, their department protects consumers, ensures integrity in the marketplace, guards the health and safety of residents, and improves the quality of the environment through enforcement of federal, state and local laws and regulations. These programs protect the marketplace from unfair competition and diminished consumer confidence, shield consumers from fraud and resulting rises in food prices, protect the environment from unnecessary increases in pesticide applications and pesticide mishandling, and support the agricultural industry through minimizing pest control costs. Four Bureaus, described herein, directly provide these services.

Services:

- Laboratory Services
- Weights and Measures
- Environmental Protection
- Pest Exclusion/Produce Quality
- Weed Hazard / Integrated Pest Management

Branches/Divisions/Offices:

- Business Practice Investigation Division
- Meters Division
- Price Verification Division
- Scale Division

Commission/Committee: N/A

Organization Chart: Unavailable

Strategic Plan: https://file.lacounty.gov/SDSInter/acwm/1176840_ACWM_StratPlan_2019.pdf

3. Alternate Public Defender

Website: <https://apd.lacounty.gov/>

Summary:

The Office of the Alternate Public Defender (APD) was created by the County Board of Supervisors in 1993 to stem the rising costs of indigent defense in cases where the Public Defender had a conflict of interest. APD is made up of highly skilled and trained attorneys, a first-rate support staff, and experienced and dedicated investigators. Although the APD handles every type of misdemeanor and felony case, it distinguishes itself by its representation in the most complex, serious, and otherwise costly cases for the county. At the APD, attorneys work in teams with highly trained investigators and paralegals for maximum efficiency.

The APD has specialty courts whose clients served or eligible for County services who are criminally justice-involved and whose cases are overseen by these specialty courts, where clients who elect to participate in County run programs, will have their cases overseen by APD.

Branches/Divisions/Offices:

- Veteran’s Court
- The Co-occurring Disorders Court
- Community Collaborative Court
- Sentenced Offender Drug Court
- Second Chance Women’s Re-Entry Court
- Office of Diversion and Reentry
- Juvenile Justice/ Juvenile Court

Commission/Committee: N/A

Organization Chart: Unavailable

Strategic Plan: <https://apd.lacounty.gov/wp-content/uploads/2025/02/APD-Strategic-Plan.pdf>

4. Animal Care and Control

Website: <https://animalcare.lacounty.gov/>

Summary:

The County of Los Angeles Department of Animal Care and Control (DACC) is one of the largest and most progressive animal control agencies in the United States. DACC has adopted the philosophy of Socially Conscious Animal Sheltering and incorporates the Five Freedoms of Animal Welfare at their seven animal care centers. They serve unincorporated Los Angeles County and 45 contract cities with a combined total population of over three million residents. DACC provides animal control and rescue services 24 hours a day, 7 days a week and maintains a 24-hour communication center to receive calls from residents. Their animal control officers also conduct humane investigations when animal cruelty is suspected, provide emergency rescues during natural disasters, enforce all State and local animal control laws, enforce animal licensing laws, and inspect and license commercial animal facilities.

Commission/Committee: N/A

Organization Chart: Unavailable

Strategic Plan: Unavailable

5. Arts and Culture

Website: <https://www.lacountyarts.org/>

Summary:

The County of Arts and Culture’s mission is to advance arts, culture, and creativity throughout Los Angeles County. They envision a region in which arts, culture, and creativity are integral to every aspect of civic life for all people and communities. They further our mission by investing in LA County’s cultural life. Their charge is to develop comprehensive programs and policies related to arts and culture throughout the County and foster cultural equity and inclusion for all. They provide leadership, services, and support in areas including grants and technical assistance for nonprofit organizations, countywide arts education initiatives, commissioning and care for civic art collections, research and evaluation, career pathways in the creative economy, professional development, free community programs, and cross sector strategies that address civic issues.

Arts and Culture Experiences

- Civic Art Policy
- Creative Strategist Program

Commissions/Committees:

- The Arts Commission

Cultural Strategic Plan: www.lacountyarts.org/sites/default/files/documents/pdfs/cultural-policy-strategic-plan_7-1-f.pdf

Organization Chart: Unavailable

Strategic Plan: Unavailable

6. Assessor

Website: <https://assessor.lacounty.gov>

Summary:

Mission to produce an accurate and timely assessment roll while delivering exceptional service to the public.

Assessor Responsibilities:

The Assessor's Office has the following four primary responsibilities:

1. Locate all taxable property in the County and identify ownership.
2. Establish a taxable value for all property subject to property taxation.
3. Complete an assessment roll showing the assessed values of all property.
4. Apply all legal exemptions.

Branches/Divisions/Offices:

- Major Appraisals
- District Appraisals
- Roll Services
- Leaps & Training

Commission/Committee: N/A

Organization Chart: https://res.cloudinary.com/los-angeles-countyassessor/image/upload/v1670277167/PA/ASSR_OrgCharts.pdf

Strategic Plan: https://file.lacounty.gov/SDSInter/lac/1147891_Assessor_Strategic_Plan_FINAL.pdf

7. Auditor Controller

Website: <https://auditor.lacounty.gov/>

Summary:

The Auditor Controller is the principal accounting officer, paymaster, and auditor for the County of Los Angeles and its related agencies and districts. It is tasked with providing the County with expert advice and leadership in business and financial practices to promote integrity, accountability, compliance and innovation.

The Auditor-Controller also has an oversight role as the principal auditor and accounting officer for the County of Los Angeles. The Auditor-Controller's Audit Division conducts internal audits of county departments, which can include reviews of the Assessor's office operations, financial procedures, and internal controls. There are about 600 employees in the department.

Branches/Divisions/Offices:

- Countywide Payroll
- Emergent Technology Group
- Shared Services
- Systems Operations
- Audit
- Contract Monitoring
- Office of County Investigations
- Accounting
- Disbursements
- Property Tax Apportionment
- Property Tax Services

Commission/Committee: N/A

Organization Chart: <https://auditor.lacounty.gov/wp-content/uploads/2025/11/A-C-Departmental-Org-Chart-Fiscal-Year-2025-26-November-2025.pdf>

Strategic Plan: Unavailable

8. Beaches and Harbors

Website: <https://beaches.lacounty.gov/>

Summary:

The Los Angeles County Department of Beaches and Harbors (DBH) manages and maintains LA County's 20 beaches and Marina del Rey, ensuring coastal access, public safety, and environmental health by overseeing operations, maintenance, code enforcement, and promoting recreation, while also handling beach nourishment, debris cleanup (like post-wildfire ash), and preserving these premier destinations for residents and visitors.

Key Responsibilities:

- Beach Management
- Marina del Rey
- Coastal Protection & Environment
- Public Access & Recreation
- Safety & Enforcement
- Sustainability

Branches/Divisions/Offices:

- Property Management
- Leasehold Development
- Portfolio Management

Commission/Committee:

- Beach Commission
- Design Control Board
- Small Craft Harbor Commission

Organization Chart: Unavailable

Strategic Plan: https://file.lacounty.gov/SDSInter/dbh/docs/1075533_StrategicPlan.pdf

9. Chief Executive Office

Website: <https://ceo.lacounty.gov>

Summary:

The Chief Executive Office is leading a sweeping transformation of how the County confronts its most challenging issues, breaking down barriers and reaching across departments to advance priorities and initiatives of the Board of Supervisors. The estimate is that 160 people work for the department.

Divisions that the CEO oversees:

- Budget and Operations Management Branch: Prep and management of the County budget
- Asset Management: Management of the County's real property assets
- Policy Implementation and Alignment: Information technology, planning and special projects
- Legislative Affairs and Intergovernmental Relations: Intergovernmental relations, analysis and advocacy
- Countywide Communications: Public affairs, media and online information
- Risk Management: Insurance and loss prevention programs
- Administrative Services: IT operations, contracts, and facilities
- Office of Emergency Management: Disaster and emergency services and planning

Branches/Divisions/Offices:

- Budget and Operations Management
 - Budget
 - Finance
- Asset Management
 - Capital Programs
 - Master Planning
 - Real Estate and Leasing
- Policy Implementation and Alignment
 - Chief Information Office
 - Service Integration
 - Poverty Alleviation Initiative
 - Municipal and Unincorporated Area Services
- Legislative Affairs Intergovernmental Relations
 - Washington D.C.
 - Sacramento
 - Budget and Bill Analysis
 - Government Relations
- Countywide Communications
 - Public Affairs
 - Cable and Multimedia
- Risk Management
- Labor and Compensation Services

- Administrative Services
- Strategic Services
 - Office of Emergency Management
 - Contracts and Procurement
 - Budget and Fiscal, and Homeland Security Grant
 - Information Technology Services
 - HR
- Strategic Initiatives
 - Anti-Racism, Diversity, and Inclusion
 - Community Safety Implementation
 - Center for Strategic Partnerships
 - Homeless Initiative and Affordable Housing
 - Department of Justice, Compliance
- Budget Policy and Revenue Alignment

Commissions/Committees:

- Civil Service Commission
- Quality and Productivity Office and Commission
- Sheriff Civilian Oversight Commission

Organization Chart: <https://ceo.lacounty.gov/wp-content/uploads/2025/06/CEO-Org-Chart.jpg>

Racial Equity Strategic Plan:

https://file.lacounty.gov/SDSInter/lac/1137148_ARDIStratPlan2.8.23_fullreport.pdf

Strategic Plan: https://file.lacounty.gov/SDSInter/lac/1156577_Strat.Plan.Jan.2024.final.pdf or
<https://file.lacounty.gov/SDSInter/bos/supdocs/189036.pdf>

10. Child Support Services

Website: <https://cssd.lacounty.gov>

Summary:

In July 2001, the Los Angeles County Child Support Services Department (CSSD) was established as an independent county department whose responsibility is to manage the child support program in Los Angeles County. It was established to provide services such as establishing and enforcing support orders, finding parents, and resolving child support cases without the need for court involvement. It's estimated that 430 people work for the department.

CSSD provides the following services:

- Locate the Person Paying Support for purposes of establishing and enforcing child support orders
- Establish parentage
- Establish child and medical support orders
- Enforce child, medical, and in some cases spousal support orders
- Modify existing court orders for child and medical support
- Collect and disburse support payments

CSSD does NOT:

- Enforce custody or visitation orders
- Enforce property settlement agreements
- Assist in obtaining a divorce
- Obtain or enforce restraining orders
- Establish spousal support orders

Branches/Divisions/Offices:

- Unknown

Commission/Committee:

- Youth Commission
- Commission for Children and Families

Organization Chart: Unavailable

Strategic Plan: <https://cssd.lacounty.gov/wp-content/uploads/2025/02/CSSD-Strategic-Direction.pdf>

11. Children and Family Services

Website: <https://dcfs.lacounty.gov>

Summary:

As one of the largest county-governed child protective services agencies in the nation, the Los Angeles County Department of Children and Family Services is responsible for ensuring the safety of more than 2 million children across 88 diverse cities in Los Angeles County. DCFS employees about 1,030 people

DCFS operates with three main goals in mind for the children under our care: [Safety](#), [Well-Being](#) and [Permanency](#). We are committed to ensuring that all children have access to loving and safe homes, and that families have what they need to help their children thrive. DCFS is comprised of 20 regional offices to serve the needs of children and families throughout Los Angeles County's geography.

Branches/Divisions/Offices:

- Child Welfare Services
- Programs for Children and Families
- Specialized Response Services
- Workforce Development
- Children and Transition Aged Youth
- Family and Community
- Placement & Permanency

Commission/Committee:

- Youth Commission
- Commission for Children and Families
- Inter-Agency Council on Child Abuse and Neglect

Comprehensive Prevention Plan: <https://dcfs.lacounty.gov/wp-content/uploads/2023/07/Los-Angeles-County-CPP-Final.pdf>

Leadership/Organization Chart: <https://dcfs.lacounty.gov/about/who-we-are/leadership/>

Strategic Plan: Unavailable

12. Consumer and Business Affairs

Website: <https://dcba.lacounty.gov>

Summary:

To create a fair and vibrant marketplace for consumers and businesses.

The Department of Consumer and Business Affairs serves consumers, businesses, and communities through education, advocacy, and complaint resolution.

The department council's consumers and small claims court litigants, investigates complaints, mediates disputes, enforces LA County's minimum wage, educates communities, and provides opportunities for volunteers and interns. The DCBA employs approximately 76 people

The DCBA also includes:

- Office of Cannabis Management
- Office of Immigrant Affairs
- Self Help Legal Access Centers
- Smarter Seniors
- Military Consumer Protection
- DCBA Disaster Response
- Disaster Help Center
- Small Business Info

Branches/Divisions/Offices:

- Office of Cannabis Management
- Office of Immigrant Affairs

Commissions/Committees:

- Consumer Affairs Advisory Commission
- Rental Housing Oversight Commission

Organization Chart: Unavailable

Strategic Plan: Unavailable

13. County Counsel

Website: <https://counsel.lacounty.gov>

Summary:

The Office of County Counsel provides legal representation, advice and counsel to the Board of Supervisors, County departments, special districts, and other public agencies, as mandated and authorized by the County charter and State statutes.

The Office provides a broad range of legal services directed at promoting the public service objectives of the County, while protecting the County from loss and risk. The Office of County Counsel is committed to inclusion, diversity, equity, and antiracism (IDEA), and we believe these principles are necessary to build a culture of belonging for all employees, volunteers, and contractors. Our commitment is to deliberately and intentionally advance IDEA and, by doing so, more effectively serve the County of Los Angeles. The estimate is that 140 people work for the department.

Branches/Divisions/Offices:

- Affirmative Litigation and Consumer Protection Division
- Appeals Division
- Board Liaison Division
- Dependency Division
- Executive Office
- General Litigation Division
- Government Services Division
- Health Services Division
- Justice & Safety Division
- Labor and Employment Division
- Litigation Monitoring Division
- Peace Officer Records Division
- Probate Division
- Property Division
- Public Works Division
- Social Services Division
- Technology & Business Solutions Division
- Transportation Division
- Workers' Compensation Division

Commission/Committee: N/A

Organization Chart: <https://counsel.lacounty.gov/about-us/>

Strategic Plan: <https://counsel.lacounty.gov/wp-content/uploads/2025/02/COCO-Strategic-Plan-PPT-Budget-Presentation-FY-2025-26.pdf>

14. District Attorney

Website: <https://da.lacounty.gov>

Summary:

The Los Angeles County District Attorney's Office is dedicated to protecting and serving our community and safeguarding the rights of crime victims and the accused alike through an unrelenting pursuit of justice. That pursuit of justice will ensure that not just the result, but the process itself reflects the highest standards of fairness, impartiality, and integrity. This Office will seek to be a leader in bringing safety to our community while steadfastly upholding its legal and ethical obligations to each member of our community. The District Attorney employs around 1,000 people.

Branches/Divisions/Offices:

- Grand Jury Advisor
- Legislative Advocates
- Legislative Affairs
- Bureau of Investigation Chief
- Law Enforcement Liaison
- Specialized Prosecutions
- Fraud & Corruption Prosecutions
- Bureau of Victim Services

Commission/Committee:

- Advisory boards, including an LGBTQ+ Advisory Board:
<https://da.lacounty.gov/community/advisory-boards>

Organization Chart: <https://da.lacounty.gov/sites/default/files/pdf/120125-LADA-Organization-Chart.pdf>

Strategic Plan: Unavailable

15. Department of Economic Opportunity

Website: <https://opportunity.lacounty.gov>

Summary:

Mission statement: DEO creates quality jobs, helps small businesses and high-road employers start and grow, and build vibrant communities and spaces.

Vision statement: We strive for a more equitable economy with thriving local communities, inclusive and sustainable growth, and opportunity and mobility for all.

Commission/Committee:

- Small Business Commission
- Economic Policy Development Committee

Organization Chart: Unavailable

Strategic Plan: Unavailable

16. Executive Office

Website: <https://bos.lacounty.gov>

Summary:

The Executive Office performs a multi-functional support role for the Board of Supervisors in administering and managing technology, staffing, procurement and facilities resources, as well as the publication of information for the Board, various County departments and the public. The office also administers and oversees the Office of Inspector General and other County commissions. Executive office oversees 34 Commissions and Oversight Boards and employs approximately 800 people.

As we support the Board in its endeavors, we have a dedicated, exceptional team of staff members that pride themselves on taking ownership of the customer experience, and becoming the cornerstone of public service through innovative solutions and best work practices in an ever-changing environment.

Branches/Divisions/Offices:

- Assessment Appeals Board
- Board Agendas/Meetings
- Commission Services
- Conflict of Interest/Lobbyist
- Records of the Board
- Office of Child Protection
- Office of the Inspector General
- Chief Sustainability Office
- LA County Office of Food Systems
- Office of Protocol (Foreign Consulates)
- Customer Service Center

Commission/Committee:

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|--------------------------------|---|--|---|
| 1. Audit Committee | 2. Commission on Insurance | 3. Los Angeles County Capital Asset Leasing Corporation | 4. San Fernando Valley Council of Governments |
| 5. Business License Commission | 6. Countywide Criminal Justice Coordination Committee | 7. Los Angeles Memorial Coliseum Commission | 8. Sybil Brand Commission for Institutional Inspections |
| 9. City Selection Committee | 10. Economy and Efficiency Commission | 11. Los Angeles Regional Crime Laboratory Facility Authority | 12. Tobacco and Securitization |

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| 13. Civilian Oversight Commission | 14. Employee Relations Commission | 15. LGBTQ+ Commission | 16. West Carson Enhanced Infrastructure Financing District Public Financing Authority |
| 17. Civil Service Commission | 18. Fish and Wildlife Commission | 19. Prevention and Promotion Systems Governing Committee | 20. Youth Commission |
| 21. Commission for Children and Families | 22. Historical Landmarks and Records Commission | 23. Probation Oversight Commission | 24. Youth Climate Commission |
| 25. Commission for Women | 26. Information Systems Advisory Board | 27. Quality and Productivity Commission | 28. Commission on HIV |
| 29. Commission on Human Relations | 30. Los Angeles County Redistricting Commission | 31. Redevelopment Oversight Board | |

Organization Chart: Unavailable

Strategic Plan: https://file.lacounty.gov/SDSInter/lac/1156577_Strat.Plan.Jan.2024.final.pdf

17. Fire Department

Website: <https://fire.lacounty.gov>

Summary:

The Los Angeles County Fire Department is responsible for protecting the lives and property of 4 million residents living in 1.25 million housing units in 60 cities, including the City of La Habra in Orange County, and the unincorporated areas of Los Angeles County.

The Fire Department includes Emergency Operations:

- Air and Wildland
- Dispatch
- Hazardous materials
- Homeland Security
- Lifeguards
- Training and Emergency medical Services
- Urban Search and Rescue

Public education programs includes:

- Community Emergency Response Team training
- Family Instructions for Rapid Escape
- Fire Prevention Month
- Hands on CPR
- Ready! Set! Go!
- Sirens of Silence (Autism)
- Water Watchers

The department runs emergency operations, public education programs, events, and other programs and initiatives. There are approximately 3,600 employees (174 lifeguards) and 177 fire stations.

Branches/Divisions/Offices:

- Emergency Operations
- Business Operations
- Leadership & Professional Standards Bureau

Commission/Committee:

- Fire Department Technical Advisory Group

Organization Chart: <https://fire.lacounty.gov/wp-content/uploads/2025/09/Org-Chart-LaCoFD-Eff-September-19-2025.pdf>

Strategic Plan: <https://lafd.org/about/about-lafd/strategic-plan>

18. Health Services

Website: <https://dhs.lacounty.gov>

Summary:

The Los Angeles County Health Services is an integrated health system. Our mission is to advance the health of our patients and the community by providing extraordinary care.

Operates 23 health centers and four acute care hospitals, in addition to providing health care to youth in the juvenile justice system and inmates in the LA County jails. Across the network of Health Services directly operated clinic sites, Health Services cares for about 500,000 unique patients each year, employs over 23,000 staff, and has an annual operating budget of \$6.2 billion. We are the second largest municipal health system in the nation.

DHS employs about 22,000 staff and partners with the Public Health Commission and the Behavioral Health Commission. The purpose of the Commission is to advise the L.A. County Board of Supervisors, the director of Mental Health, and the director of Substance Abuse Prevention and Control (SAPC) on various aspects of local mental health programs, including the Mental Health Services Act.

Branches/Divisions/Offices:

- Clinical Affairs and Population Health
- Operations
- Equity, Diversity, Inclusion and Anti-Racism
- Ambulatory Care Network
- LA County Hospitals
- Correctional Health Services
- Community Programs

Commission/Committees:

- Emergency Medical Services Commission
- Hospital and Health Care Delivery Commission

Organization Chart: Unavailable

Strategic Plan: Unavailable

19. Homeless Services and Housing

Website: <https://homeless.lacounty.gov>

Summary:

Together with our partners, our mission is to lead a unified countrywide response to homelessness that combines housing, health, and social services. Our vision is a just and compassionate system of care that prevents and ends homelessness in Los Angeles County.

The Department of Homeless Services and Housing (HSH) consolidates our countywide response to homelessness. The driving force behind HSH is increasing accountability and transparency, improving care for people experiencing or at risk of homelessness, and streamlining collaboration with partners including services providers, the County's 88 cities, and unincorporated areas to deliver high-quality, life-saving care. The department was formed following a motion passed by the Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors in April 2025 and was officially launched January 1, 2026.

Programs:

- Unsheltered Response and Interim Housing
- Housing Strategy and Solutions
- Support Services
- Clinical Services
- System Planning and Coordination

Initiatives

- Skid Row Action Plan
- Skid Row Care Campus
- Capital projects
- Homelessness Prevention Unit

Commissions/Committees:

- There is an **Executive Committee for Regional Homeless Alignment (ECHRA)** that developed one plan to address homelessness, establish a common set of performance indicators, align resources, and provide oversight. The ECRHA works closely with the Leadership Table for Regional Homeless Alignment (LTRHA) to identify effective strategies, scale solutions, align private and public funding, and communicate a vision.
- The **Leadership Table for Regional Homeless Alignment (LTRHA)** is an advisory body supporting the work of the Executive Committee with the goal of uniting the region around one unified effort, guiding public education on the issue of homelessness, and aligning private funding in support of a regional plan. The LTRHA includes private funders, regional governments, advocacy groups, people with lived expertise, faith leaders, and the business community.

Organization Chart: Unavailable

Strategies: <https://homeless.lacounty.gov/strategies/>

20. Human Resources

Website: <https://hr.lacounty.gov>

Summary:

Attract, develop, and retain a talented, engaged, and diverse workforce passionate about public service. The Department of Human Resources provides quality service to our customers through Talent Management, Performance Management, and Health & Wellness. We are guided by a strong executive leadership team, strengthened by a progressive information technology team, and supported by an agile administrative services team. DHR employs around 2,056 people.

Branches/Divisions/Offices:

- Talent Management
- Performance Management
 - Advocacy & Mediation
 - Equity Investigations
 - HR Departmental Support
 - Impact & Compliance
- Health & Wellness

Commission/Committee: N/A

Organization Chart: <https://hr.lacounty.gov/organization/>

Strategic Plan: <https://hr.lacounty.gov/strategic-plan-2024-2028/>

21. Internal Services

Website: <https://isd.lacounty.gov/>

Summary:

Internal Services Department (ISD) of Los Angeles County is the county’s central support services organization. Its main role is to provide a wide range of internal administrative, operational, and technical services that help other county departments function effectively so they can deliver public services.

Services and Departments:

1. Purchasing & Contract Service [Purchasing & Contract Service | ISD](#)
2. Operations Service [Operations Service | ISD](#)
3. Information Technology (IT) Services [Information-technology-service | ISD](#)
4. Administrative & Finance Support Services [Administration & Finance Service | ISD](#)
5. Energy & Environmental Service [Energy & Environmental Service | ISD](#)

ISD provides maintenance and repair services for approximately 4,400 county facilities and employs approximately 2,150 – 2,200 county-budgeted staff, with over 5,000 additional contracted workers supporting its operations.

Branches/Divisions/Offices:

- Enterprise Performance & Accountability Office
- Office of Major Programs & Initiatives

Commission/Committee: N/A

Organization Chart: <https://isd.lacounty.gov/wp-content/uploads/2024/04/ISD-Org-Chart--ISD-Internet-April-2024.pdf>

Strategic Plan: Unavailable

22. Justice Care and Opportunities

Website: <https://jcod.lacounty.gov/>

Summary:

The Justice, Care and Opportunities Department (JCOD) is a county government agency created by the Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors in November 2022 to centralize and expand services for justice-impacted individuals and communities under the County’s “Care First, Jails Last” vision. It serves as the lead coordinating agency for planning, implementing, and evaluating programs that reduce reliance on incarceration and promote safety, wellbeing, and equitable justice. It is estimated that 150 people work for JCOD.

- Pretrial services to help people navigate the justice system and connect to services instead of pretrial incarceration.
- Diversion & Care management that steer eligible individuals away from prosecution and into community-based care and services for individuals returning to the community.
- Workforce and Housing Programs addressing housing, employment, education, and other barriers.
- Community Capacity Building
- CFCI Advisory Committee Meetings [Justice Care And Opportunities](#)
- Care First Community Investment [Justice Care And Opportunities](#)
- Incubation Academy [Justice Care And Opportunities](#)
- Site-Based Programs
- Warm Landing Place
- Los Angeles County Training Center
- Developing Opportunities and Offering Reentry Solutions
- Communications and Outreach
- LA Free the Vote
- Justice Involved Panel
- LA County Care Connect

Branches/Divisions/Offices:

- Office of ATI and Strategic Planning
- Office of the Jail Closure Implementation Team
- Office of Adult Programs

Commission/Committee:

- Care First Community Initiative Advisory Committee
- Justice Involved Panel

Organization Chart: Unavailable

Strategic Plan: Unavailable

23. Library Department

Website: <https://lacountylibrary.org/>

Summary:

Founded in 1912, LA County Library is one of the largest and most innovative library systems in the US. It provides community responsive and dynamic collections, programs, and services to meet the literacy, information, personal enrichment, and entertainment needs of all residents across Los Angeles County. Dedicated to reducing barriers and increasing access for all, LA County Library serves 3.4 million residents across 3,000 square miles through its [86 libraries](#), 4 Cultural Resource Centers, and mobile fleet of 15 vehicles, including 4 Bookmobiles, 6 [MākMō](#) (maker mobiles), 3 [Reading Machines](#) (early literacy vehicles), and 2 mobile outreach vehicles. The Library Department employs approximately 1,300 people.

Branches/Divisions/Offices:

- Library Administration
- Emerging Technology & Collections
- Engagement & Learning Division
- Information Technology Division
- Public Relations

Commissions/Committee:

- Public Library Council
- Library Commission

Organization Chart: Unavailable

Strategic Plan: https://lacountylibrary.org/wp-content/uploads/2025/02/LACL25_Strategic-Plan_Final.pdf

24. Medical Examiner

Website: <https://me.lacounty.gov/>

Summary:

The purpose of the Los Angeles County Medical Examiner Department (ME) is to investigate deaths that are sudden, violent, unexpected, or suspicious and to determine the cause and manner of death in those cases, in accordance with California law. Estimated 260 people working directly for ME.

Services Provided:

- Death Investigation
- Autopsies & Medical Examinations
- Forensic Science Support
- Legal & Public Health Role
- Identification & Family Assistance
- LA County Care Connect

Branches/Divisions/Offices:

- Forensic Medicine Division
- Forensic Sciences Laboratories Division
- Investigations Division
- Public Services Division
- Administrative Services

Commissions/Committee: N/A

Organization Chart: Unavailable

Strategic Plan: Unavailable

25. Mental Health

Website: <https://dmh.lacounty.gov>

Summary:

As the nation's largest public mental health department, LACDMH ensures access to care and treatment for our most vulnerable residents in a region with more than 10 million people. With an annual budget exceeding \$4.4 billion and over 7,600 budgeted positions, LACDMH is dedicated to hope, recovery, and wellbeing for everyone across the County.

- 180+ Directly Operated Sites
- 750 Co-located sites
- 1000 contracted organizations
- Over 250,000 people served

Mission: Our mission is to optimize the hope, wellbeing and life trajectory of Los Angeles County's most vulnerable through access to care and resources that promote not only independence and personal recovery but also connectedness and community reintegration.

Services: Mental health services provided include assessments, case management, crisis intervention, medication support, peer support, psychotherapy and other rehabilitative services. Services are provided in a variety of settings including residential facilities, clinics, schools, hospitals, juvenile halls and camps, mental health courts, board and care homes, in the field and in people's homes. We also provide counseling to victims of natural and man-made disasters, their families and emergency first responders. No one will be denied access to services due to inability to pay, and there is a discounted/sliding fee schedule available based on family size and income.

Our services to adults and older adults are focused on those who are functionally disabled by severe and persistent mental illness, including those who are low-income, uninsured, temporarily impaired, or in situational crises. Services to children and youth are focused on those who are emotionally disturbed and diagnosed with a mental disorder. They include wards or dependents of the juvenile court, children in psychiatric inpatient facilities, seriously emotionally disturbed youth in the community, and special education students referred by educational institutions.

Branches/Divisions/Offices:

- Outpatient Special Programs and Projects
- Inter-Govt & Legislation
- Outpatient Care Services
 - Service Areas
 - Hospital Liaison Program
 - Peer Services
- Prevention and Child Wellbeing Services
- Nursing
- Psychology Services

- Pharmacy and Laboratory
- Reentry Services
 - Countywide Engagement
 - Public Guardian
 - Forensics
 - Housing and Job Development
- Health Access And Integration Services
 - Crisis Response
 - Alternative Crisis Response
 - MHS Administration and Oversight
 - Quality, Outcomes and Training
 - Manages Care Operations
- Administration
 - HR
 - Contracts Administration
 - Admin Services and Capitol Projects
 - Chief Information Office
 - Contract Monitoring
- Financial Services

Commission/Committee:

- Behavioral Health Commission
- Human Subjects Research Committee (HSRC)

Organization Chart: https://file.lacounty.gov/SDSInter/dmh/1165741_LACDMHHighLevelOrgChart.pdf

Strategic Plan: <https://dmh.lacounty.gov/about/lacdmh-strategic-plan-2020-2030/>

26. Military and Veterans Affairs

Website: <https://mva.lacounty.gov/>

Summary:

The Los Angeles County Military and Veterans Affairs Department is tasked with supporting military service members, veterans, and their families across the county. Its mission is to connect veterans to benefits, services, and resources, advocate for their needs, and ensure they receive the support they earned through military service.

Services Provided:

- Advocacy and Outreach for Disability Compensation and Veteran Pension
- Acts as a liaison between veterans and government agencies.
- Represents veterans' interests in county, state, and federal policy discussions.
- Conducts community outreach to ensure veterans know about available programs and services.
- Education & training - Coordinates events, ceremonies, and programs honoring veterans and military service members. Promotes awareness of military history and veteran contributions within the community
- Healthcare Locations – Also Partners with nonprofits and community organizations to deliver comprehensive support.
- Death and Burial Benefits
- Benefits for Survivors

Estimated 100-200 people working directly for the department of Veteran Affairs. One main facility with multiple satellite offices.

Branches/Divisions/Offices:

- Homeless Services Division
- Veterans Service Division
- Justice-Involved Services Division
- Supervisorial Districts

Commissions/Committee:

- Veterans Advisory Commission

Organization Chart: Unavailable

Strategic Plan: Unavailable

27. Museum of Art

Website: <https://www.lacma.org/>

Summary:

LACMA's mission is to serve the public through the collection, conservation, exhibition, and interpretation of significant works of art from a broad range of cultures and historical periods, and through the translation of these collections into meaningful educational, aesthetic, intellectual, and cultural experiences for the widest array of audiences.

Museum of Art collect, preserve, exhibit, and interpret works of art from a wide range of cultures and historical periods, making them accessible to the public for education, inspiration, and enjoyment.

LACMA's mission is to enrich lives through art, offering experiences that educate, inspire, and promote cultural dialogue, while being the largest art museum in the western United States. LACMA employees over 600-700 employees. Some Sources indicate 500-100 Volunteers included

Commission/Committee:

- LA County Arts Commission

Organization Chart: Unavailable

Strategic Plan: Unavailable

28. Natural History Museum

Website: <https://nhmlac.org/>

Summary:

The Natural History Museum of Los Angeles County (NHM) exists to explore, preserve, and share knowledge about the natural and cultural world, using its extensive collections and research to educate the public, inspire curiosity, and promote conservation. LA Natural History Museum estimates to employ 200-500 employees.

Commission/Committee:

- Board of Trustees

Organization Chart: <https://nhmlac.org/about-us/leadership-board-trustees>

Strategic Plan: https://live-nhm.nhmlac.org/sites/default/files/2019-05/nhm_strategic_framework_executive_summary_brandrefresh.pdf?_gl=1*_o6dwyr*_gcl_au*OTI2ODI0NDQuMTc2NzgxNzY4MQ..*_ga*MjA4Njk3MDg3OS4xNzY3ODE3Njgy*_ga_L3TKCL8EXG*_czE3Njc4MTc2ODEkbzEkZzAkdDE3Njc4MTc2ODEkajYwJGwwJGgw

29. Parks and Recreation

Website: <https://parks.lacounty.gov>

Summary:

The **County of Los Angeles Department of Parks and Recreation** was officially established on **July 1, 1944**, merging the Parks Division and the Department of Recreation, Camps and Playgrounds. Since then, it has provided recreational opportunities through programs, facilities, land acquisition, and environmental stewardship. It is estimated that 2,500 people work for the department.

Mission: to deliver **social, cultural, and recreational opportunities for all**, supported by partnerships, volunteers, and dedicated staff who believe **“Parks Make Life Better!”**

Today, the Department:

- Manages **182 parks**, including natural areas, wildlife sanctuaries, lakes, trails, arboreta, and gardens.
- Operates the **largest municipal golf system** with 20 courses at 18 locations.
- Owns cultural venues like the **John Anson Ford Amphitheatre** and the **Hollywood Bowl**.
- Offers creative programming and hosts annual community events.

Annual Report: <https://parks.lacounty.gov/wp-content/uploads/2024/09/HI-L-REPORT-web.pdf>

Branches/Divisions/Offices:

- Planning & Development

Commission/Committee:

- Parks and Recreation Commission

Organization Chart: Unavailable

Strategic Plan: <https://parks.lacounty.gov/strategicplan/>

30. Probation

Website: <https://probation.lacounty.gov>

Summary:

The Los Angeles County Probation Department (LACPD), the largest probation services agency in the U.S., oversees adult probationers and state parolees under California’s AB 109 plan, as well as youth through at-home programs, foster care, group homes, and juvenile facilities. With two-thirds of its staff as sworn officers, LACPD provides rehabilitative services in juvenile halls and camps, including the innovative “L.A. Model” at Campus Kilpatrick, while reducing facility populations by focusing on high-risk youth and expanding community-based supervision. Through programs like Camp-to-Community Transition, proactive public engagement, and partnerships with stakeholders, LACPD strives to enhance public safety, rebuild lives, and support healthy families across Los Angeles County. The Probation Department has about 5,200 employees.

Mission: Our mission is to rebuild lives. Our goal is to do this with integrity and the highest standards. We hire only the best of the best in order to achieve our mission and goals.

Branches/Divisions/Offices:

- Operations
- Juvenile Field Operations
- Juvenile Institution Operations
- Adult Services
- Internal Affairs
- Campus Safety and Security Operations

Commission/Committee:

- Youth Commission
- Probation Oversight Commission

Organization Chart: Unavailable

Strategic Plan: Unavailable

31. Public Defender

Website: <https://pubdef.lacounty.gov/>

Summary:

The Los Angeles County Public Defender's Office is committed to advancing legal and social justice through high-quality indigent criminal defense. As the oldest, largest, and one of the nation's leading public defender agencies, the Office provides dedicated legal representation to individuals who cannot afford private counsel, while working to ensure fairness, equity, and systemic improvement within the criminal justice system.

Services and Departments Under the Jurisdiction of the Public Defender's Office:

- [Criminal Defense – Los Angeles County Public Defender](#)
- [Treatment Courts – Los Angeles County Public Defender](#)
- [Juvenile Advocacy – Los Angeles County Public Defender](#)
- [Immigration – Los Angeles County Public Defender](#)
- [Mental Health – Los Angeles County Public Defender](#)
- [Racial Justice – Los Angeles County Public Defender](#)
- [In House Social Workers – Los Angeles County Public Defender](#)
- [Partners For Justice Client Advocates – Los Angeles County Public Defender](#)

The Public Defender's Office supports client rehabilitation and systemic reform through integrated social services, community outreach, policy advocacy, and participation in collaborative courts that prioritize recovery over punishment. The Public Defender's Office operates 32 locations throughout Los Angeles County and employs over 1,200 professionals, including more than 700 attorneys, along with paralegals, investigators, social workers, and administrative and support staff.

Branches/Divisions/Offices:

- Communications
- Juvenile Division
- Training Division
- Strategic Communications Division

Commissions/Committees:

- Partners for Justice Client Advocates

Organization Chart: Unavailable

Strategic Plan: <https://pubdef.lacounty.gov/wp-content/uploads/2020/01/Strategic-Plan-2020.pdf> or https://pubdef.lacounty.gov/wp-content/uploads/2025/02/Strategic-Plan-2020-2025.PD_.pdf

32. Public Health

Website: <https://publichealth.lacounty.gov>

Summary:

Provide public health services to LA County Residents. There are 39 programs and 14 public health centers serving 10 million residents. Until 2006 all public health services were assumed by the Department of Health Services, however the DPH was founded in 2006

Public Health programming includes:

- Environmental health: operates [restaurant rating](#) system and grading systems for apartments and rental homes; inspects sewage treatment and water plants; enforces state and local environmental laws
- Chronic disease and [injury prevention](#); including [tobacco control](#) and prevention, [nutrition](#), senior health, [physical activity](#) promotion, and injury and violence prevention
- Communicable disease control and prevention; including acute communicable disease, [immunizations](#), [veterinary](#) public health, [tuberculosis control](#), and public health laboratory
- [Substance abuse](#) prevention and control
- [HIV](#) & [STD](#) programs
- Community health services
- Health assessment & [epidemiology](#)
- Health facilities inspection
- Children's medical services
- Maternal, child, and adolescent health
- [Emergency preparedness and response](#)

DPH employs around 2,056 people and has the Public Health Commission. The Department of Public Health (DPH) operates 40 programs that serve the residents of Los Angeles County. The breadth of these programs and services is far-reaching and vast. From Environmental Health services such as restaurant inspections and evaluating toxic threats, to AIDS and HIV services, Maternal, Child & Adolescent Health programs, Chronic Disease interventions, immunizations and tuberculosis treatment, DPH's work touches many lives every day.

Branches/Divisions/Offices:

- Division of Chronic Disease and Injury Prevention
 - Office of Senior Health
 - Health & Aging Services
 - Research & Evaluation
 - Policy, Community Liaison & Outreach
- Emergency Prep & Disease Prevention Division
- Environmental Health
- Individual & Family Services
- Community Wellness

- Finance
- Office of Violence Prevention
- Trauma Prevention Initiative

Commissions/Committees:

- Public Health Commission
- Commission on HIV

Organization Chart: <https://stories.opengov.com/monocountyca/published/QzvL4H57P>

Strategic Plan:

http://www.publichealth.lacounty.gov/pie/planning/docs/DPHStrategicPlan2025_2030%20DRAFT.pdf

33. Public Social Services

Website: <https://dpss.lacounty.gov>

Summary:

With a workforce of nearly 14,000 employees and a \$5 billion budget, Los Angeles County DPSS is the largest social services agency in the United States. We serve over 4.2 million customers, which includes 1.1 million children. It's estimated that 14,000 people work for DPSS.

Mission: We are here to help low-income families and individuals.

History: Los Angeles County Social Services began their origin in the Office of Superintendent of Children's and Women's Work, formed in 1891, to care for destitute women and their children under the guidelines of the 1851 Poor Law.

Programs and Services

- Cash assistance
- Food and nutrition
- Health care
- Job services and opportunities
- Homeless services
- Seniors and Persons with Disabilities
- Your Civil Rights, Appeals, and State Hearings
- Other Resources

Branches/Divisions/Offices:

- Children's and Families Offices
- In-Home Supportive Services
- CA Work Opportunity and Responsibility to Kids (CalWORKs)
- General Relief (GR)
- Cash Assistance Program for Immigrants (CAPI)
- Refugee Cash Assistance (RCA)
- Countywide Benefits Entitlement Services Team (CBEST)
- CalFresh
- Greater Avenues for Independence (GAIN)
- Skills and Training to Achieve Readiness for Tomorrow (START)
- Refugee Employment Program (REP)
- Long Term Care
- Homeless Services
- Management Information and Evaluation (MIE)
- Intergovernmental Relations (IGR)
- Management and Research Services (MRS)
- Appeals & State Hearings (ASH)

- Welfare Fraud Prevention & Investigation (WFP&I)

Commissions and Committees:

- Public Social Services Commission
- Personal Assistance Services Council
- Youth Commission
- Commission for Children and Families
- Welfare Advisory Committee (WAC)

Organization Chart: Unavailable

Strategic Plan: <https://dpss.lacounty.gov/en/about/strategic-plan.html>

34. Public Works

Website: <https://dpw.lacounty.gov/>

Summary:

Public Works plans, designs, builds, operates, maintains, and repairs a wide range of essential public infrastructure and services that support daily life and safety.

Services and Departments Under the Jurisdiction of the Public Works' Office:

- Construction Management [Construction Management - LA County Public Works](#)
- Environmental Services [Environmental Services - LA County Public Works](#)
- Municipal Services [Municipal Services - LA County Public Works](#)
- Transportation [Transportation - LA County Public Works](#)
- Water Resources [Explore Public Works - LA County Public Works](#)

Recent Strategic Plan: In alignment with the County's overarching mission to enhance the quality of life for the residents and communities of Los Angeles County, several new Focus Areas have been identified to address current regional needs and future challenges.

These Focus Areas; Sustainability, Resiliency, Equity, Customer Experience, and Financial Health, establish a strategic framework to guide ongoing efforts. In addition, the Strategic Plan introduces two new core values, Cultural Awareness and Human Health, which are essential to fostering an inclusive organizational culture and promoting the well-being of all communities throughout Los Angeles County.

The DPW operates 78 locations throughout Los Angeles County with approximately 4,000 employees in nearly 500 job classifications, including professional, technical, clerical, and skilled crafts.

Branches/Divisions/Offices:

- Municipal Services
- Transportation
- Public Contracting & Asset Management
- Administrative Services
- Water Resources
- Construction Management
- Environmental Services

Commissions and Committees: Unavailable

Organization Chart: <https://pw.lacounty.gov/landing/PWorgChart.pdf?v=0.6412989560533172>

Strategic Plan: <https://pw.lacounty.gov/strategicplan/>

35. Regional Planning

Website: <https://dpw.lacounty.gov/>

Summary:

The Los Angeles County Department of Regional Planning (DRP) is responsible for guiding how land is used and developed in unincorporated areas of the County and for supporting long-term, sustainable growth countywide.

Services and Departments Under the Jurisdiction of the Regional Planning Office:

- Disaster Recovery [Disaster Recovery - LA County Planning](#)
- Concierge Services: help streamline the application process [Concierge - LA County Planning](#)
- Planning Permits [Planning Permits - LA County Planning](#)
- Environmental Review [Environmental Review - LA County Planning](#)
- Public Hearings and Meetings [Public Hearings and Meetings - LA County Planning](#)
- Zoning Enforcement [Enforcement - LA County Planning](#)
- Language Access [Language Access - LA County Planning](#)

Their current work consists of 17 Long Range Planning for approved Ordinances and Bills, Climate Action and Sustainability, Coastal Planning, Equity, Airport Land Use Planning, Historic Preservation, Housing and Technology. The DRP operates 8 locations throughout Los Angeles County with approximately 138 employees.

Branches/Divisions/Offices:

- Advance Planning
- Current Planning
- Info & Fiscal Services
- Land Use Regulation

Commissions and Committees: Unavailable

Organization Chart: <https://planning.lacounty.gov/staff-directory/>

Strategic Plan: <https://planning.lacounty.gov/strategic-plan/>

36. Registrar-Recorder/County Clerk

Website: <https://dpw.lacounty.gov/>

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Their current work consists of 17 Long Range Planning for approved Ordinances and Bills, Climate Action and Sustainability, Coastal Planning, Equity, Airport Land Use Planning, Historic Preservation, Housing and Technology.

Branches/Divisions/Offices:

- Registrar of Voters
- Recorder
- County Clerk

Commissions/Committees:

- Historical Landmark and Records Commission
- County-wide Citizens Planning Commission

Organization Chart: Unavailable

Strategic Plan: <https://content.lavote.gov/docs/rccc/documents/rccc-24-26-strategic-plan.pdf>

37. Sheriff Department

Website: <https://lasd.org>

Summary:

The Mission of the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department is to partner with the community. To proactively Prevent Crime, enforce the law fairly and enhance the public's trust through transparency and accountability. The Sheriff's Department employs about 18,000 sworn and professional staff and the Civilian Oversight Commission is comprised of nine members.

The five core work areas are:

- Custody operations
- Patrol stations – 22 stations throughout the county + one for rail safety
- Court Services
- Records and Identification
- Transparency

Branches/Divisions/Offices:

- Financial and Administration Office
- Custody Operations
- Patrol Operations
- Countywide Operations
- Professional Standards Division
- Administrative Services Division
- Custody Services Division
- Custody Services Division Specialized Prog.
- Patrol Divisions (North, Central, South, East)
- Technology and Support Division
- Detective Division
- Court Services Division
- Countywide Services Division
- Special Operations Division

Commissions or Committees:

- Sheriff Civilian Oversight Commission

Organization Chart: Unavailable

Strategic Plan:

<https://lapdonlinestrgeacc.blob.core.usgovcloudapi.net/lapdonlinemedia/2021/12/Strategic-Plan-2021-to-2023.pdf>

38. Treasurer & Tax Collector

Website: <https://ttc.lacounty.gov/>

Summary:

The Los Angeles County Treasurer and Tax Collector (TTC) is the official agency responsible for billing, collecting, investing, and safeguarding public funds on behalf of the County, its departments, and other public agencies. The TTC manages the billing and collection of secured and unsecured property taxes, offering services to taxpayers, businesses, and residents. Operates 3 locations throughout Los Angeles County with approximately 200 employees.

Key services include:

- Property Tax Collection: The TTC manages the billing and collection of secured and unsecured property taxes, with annual secured property tax bills issued by November 1, and payments due in two installments.
- Business Licensing: The department issues business licenses for unincorporated areas of Los Angeles County.
- Public Auctions: The TTC conducts public auctions of tax-defaulted properties, providing opportunities for investors and the public to purchase properties with delinquent taxes.
- Estates: The County of Los Angeles Public Administrator has a staff of deputies to provide administration for decedent estates.
- Collections: Responsible for the collection of delinquent accounts owed to County departments for services provided for which the County has not received payments, including Non-Sufficient Funds (NSF) checks.

Branches/Divisions/Offices:

- Public Administrative
- Collection Services

Commission/Committee:

- Treasury Oversight Committee

Organization Chart: Unavailable

Strategic Plan: Unavailable

39. Youth Development

Website: <https://dyd.lacounty.gov/>

Summary:

DYD's mission is to be a catalyst for transformation by providing innovative pathways to youth development through intersectional, anti-racist, youth-centered strategies so that all young people can access resources that nurture their growth, wellbeing, and connection to community.

DYD focuses on strengthening collaborative problem-solving in three key areas:

Promoting strengths-based youth development among agencies, organizations, and communities, including culturally and developmentally responsive models for youth engagement, leadership, and co-design. Supporting youth with complex, intersectional needs who fall through existing systems, by increasing access to resources and collaborating on structural solutions. Addressing the legacy of youth incarceration in Los Angeles County and its effects on intergenerational wellbeing and safety. DYD employs approximately 40 employees

Key Services/Programs:

- Youth Development Networks
- Bloom Program
- Youth Diversion
- Youth Justice Support & Services
- Credible Messenger Program
- Programming and Care Coordination in Facilities
- Decarceration

Branches/Divisions/Offices:

- Executive Office
- Administrative Services
- Youth Development and Diversion
- Reentry, Housing, Employment
- Coordination and Innovation

Commission/Committee:

- Delinquency and Crime Commission
- Youth Commission

Organization Chart: <https://dyd.lacounty.gov/team/>

Strategic Plan: https://dyd.lacounty.gov/wp-content/uploads/2025/02/DYD-Full-Strategic-Plan-v6-12_9_24.pdf