
THE

Independent Living Association

OF

FRESNO COUNTY



OFFICE OF INDEPENDENT REVIEW

“To enhance community trust by providing independent and objective review of police complaint investigations that will help strengthen community-police relations.”



FRESNO ILA SHARED HOUSING FORUM & RESOURCE FAIR

This month the Fresno ILA would like to highlight organizations within Fresno, along with other great resources in our community. Our Shared Housing Forum & Resource Fair aims to share information about the ILA, the membership process, as well as information about other great programs/organizations here in Fresno.

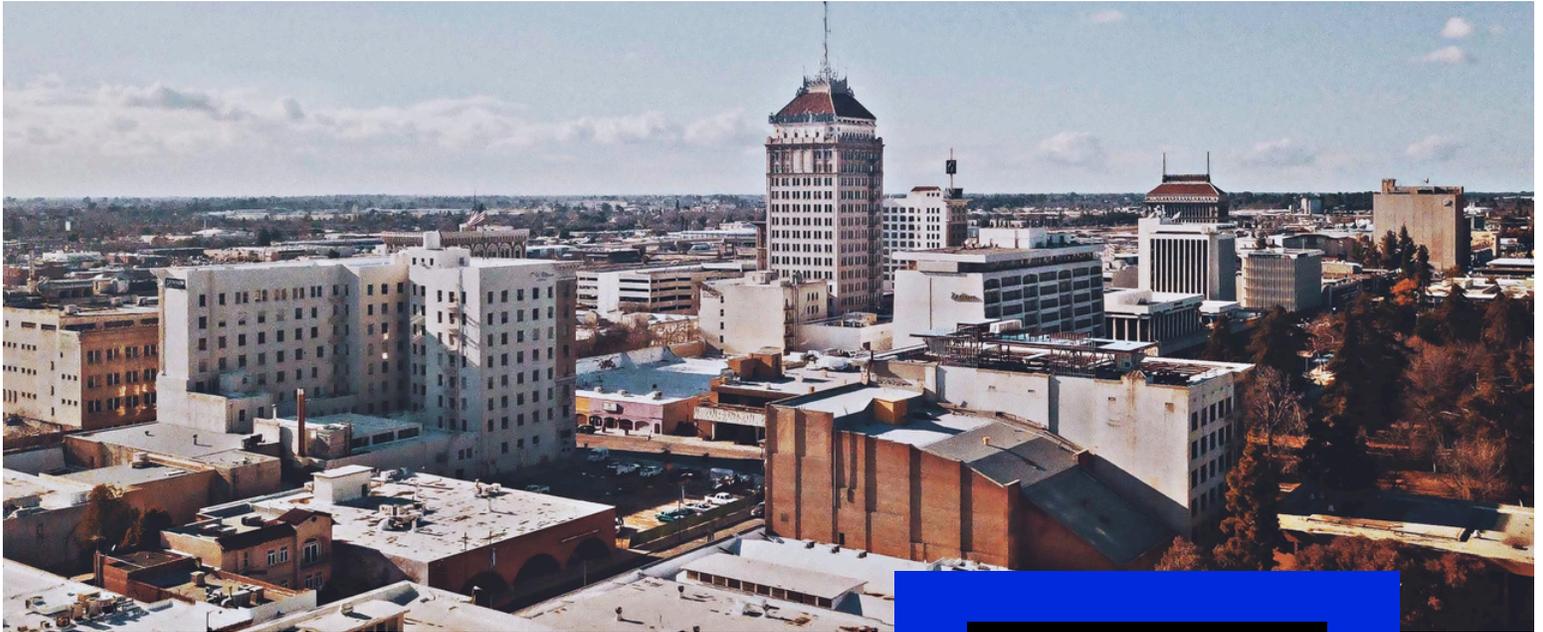
“We have an obligation to give something back to the community that gives so much to us.” -Ray Kroc



MARRY ME CHAPEL

Marry Me Chapel, formerly known as the Ventura Wedding Chapel, is owned by Thalia Arenas who has been a minister since 2012. Thalia is a Wedding Officiant/ Civil Minister that specializes in Bilingual and LGBTQ weddings.

HIGHLIGHTING RESOURCES WITHIN OUR COMMUNITY



MARJAREE MASON CENTER

Marjaree Mason Center supports and empowers adults and their children affected by domestic violence, while striving to prevent and end the cycle of abuse through education and advocacy.



EASTERSEALS CENTRAL CALIFORNIA

Easterseals Central California provides exceptional services, education, outreach, and advocacy so that people living with autism and other disabilities can live, learn, work and play in our communities. Services include early childhood intervention, ABA therapy, family empowerment supports, and recreational overnight camps.



HOPE NOW

Hope Now is a Christian, faith-based emergency rescue team dedicated to transforming the lives of young men aged 16-39 involved in gangs or with criminal records. Rooted by 30 years of experience, Hope Now relies on Christian ethical values and the transformative power of the gospel to guide men towards a hopeful future.

CVRC provides assessments, evaluations, programs, activities, and case management for people who experience intellectual and developmental disabilities.

We coordinate resources and collaborate with other agencies to develop the best services for the individuals we serve and their families.

CVRC partners with agencies and services available in the community to help meet the needs of each individual through existing community resources.



CENTRAL VALLEY REGIONAL CENTER



CA BRIDGE COMMUNITY REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTER

The Bridge program aims to provide medication assisted treatment and referral services to patients with Substance use disorder regardless if they are in the hospital or community. We try to link all patients to a resource even if it's just a conversation sometimes. At this event, we will be handing out Naloxone and provide education on how to use it and overdose awareness.

CALIFORNIA IMMIGRANT YOUTH JUSTICE ALLIANCE

CIYJA creates a space for intersectional, system-impacted undocumented and refugee immigrant youth across California with an emphasis on underserved QTBIPOC communities.

We organize through an abolitionist framework to close down detention centers and build up community power through providing holistic care, transforming communities, and cultivating leadership for liberation.



OMEGA MENTAL HEALTH



Our Mission is to provide a confidential and safe place to help you and your family improve stability within interpersonal relationships and strengthen family bonds.

If you are struggling in your day to day life with difficulty focusing on your work, if you no longer find pleasure in the things that used to bring you joy, if you can't seem to find the energy you used to have, if life just seems dull and you find yourself turning to alcohol or drugs – you may find therapy helpful. for liberation.

The Mayor’s Office of Community Affairs (OCA) offers services and resources for Fresno residents. It engages all members of the Fresno community by serving as the City government’s liaison to key constituent groups associations, multicultural and immigrant populations, faith-based, civic and human service, and other including community benefit organizations. The OCA operates as a division of the Mayor’s Office.

The goal of the OCA is to assist in the practical delivery of the ‘One Fresno Mission’ by fostering unity and equity across the City of Fresno.

CITY OF FRESNO- OFFICE OF COMMUNITY AFFAIRS



»»» MEDMARK TREATMENT CENTERS

”Are you or someone you know grappling with opioid addiction, whether it’s heroin, fentanyl, or prescription pain pills? Look no further than Medmark Treatment Centers for the solution you need. We are committed to empowering individuals and their support networks with the tools and knowledge necessary to conquer opioid use and embrace a future of sobriety. Let us help you reclaim your life today!”

Fresno Building Healthy Communities is a coalition of residents, youth, faith- and community-based organizations working to create One Healthy Fresno, Where all children and families can live healthy, safe, and productive lives.

»»» FRESNO BUILDING HEALTHY COMMUNITIES



For more information visit: FresnoBHC.org



CENTRO LA FAMILIA
ADVOCACY SERVICES
NEIGHBORHOOD RESOURCE CENTER

»»» CENTRO LA FAMILIA

Centro La Familia Advocacy Services offers a broad range of programs designed to assist crime victims, support families and children, promote health and wellness, encourage civic engagement, and more. We prioritize delivering our services in a manner that is respectful and culturally sensitive, with staff members available to provide services in English, Spanish, Hmong, Lao, Thai, Mixteco, and Punjabi.

»»» CITY OF FRESNO LONG RANGE PLANNING



The mission of the City of Fresno Long Range Planning team is to create innovative plans, strategies, and initiatives that are rooted in community to build an equitable, sustainable, and vibrant Fresno. The Climate Adaptation Plan and Environmental Justice Element (CAP-EJ) will help Fresno prepare for more intense weather events and will help reduce local environmental health risks and pollution exposure, but we need to hear from community members to help guide this effort! Please visit our booth to take the survey and share your experiences and ideas.



Cultural-Based Access Navigation Support

The Cultural-Based Access Navigation Support (CBANS) program is a Prevention and Early Intervention Program of Fresno County Behavioral Health operated by The Fresno Center. CBANS serve all age groups of unserved and/or underserved culturally diverse populations in Fresno County. Within the program, CBANS have Peer Support Specialist who acts like a bridge to support clients who may need help in finding the right resources by providing referrals or linkages to different care system services. The overarching goal for the program is to improve timely access to mental health services for individuals from underserved populations, and their respective families.



WAYFINDER
FAMILY SERVICES

Wayfinder Family Services ensures that children, youth and adults facing challenges always have a place to turn.



DreamCatchers Empowerment Network

The philosophy at Dreamcatchers Empowerment Network is a client-centered approach to providing services with respect and dignity, as well as educating the community on the benefits of employing people with limitations. We believe that when an individual achieves meaningful employment, the community benefits from the exposure and contributions of individuals, who are frequently marginalized. Dreamcatchers employment services are key to fighting stigma and discrimination for individuals with limitations.

We strive to create an environment that is participatory, goal-oriented, enjoyable, and holds trustworthiness and loyalty at the core of all we do.



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