

PEDIATRIC HIV SERVICES

Children with HIV have special needs that may not apply to adults. Several HIV service providers in Los Angeles County specialize in serving children with HIV.

In order for you to fulfill your obligations to care for your child, you must be familiar with the resources available to you and your family. In most cases, your child cannot gain services on his or her own, you must give your knowledge and consent.

[Am I Eligible for Pediatric HIV Services?](#)

Pediatric HIV services are provided to children 12 years or younger. Other youth and young adults, as well as family members, may also be eligible for services.

[Where are Pediatric HIV Services Delivered?](#)

Many HIV service providers in Los Angeles County deliver services to children, but not all are staffed to do so.

If you are the parent or guardian of a child with HIV, you must learn where your child can access HIV services. A case manager familiar with services in Los Angeles County will be able to help you.

Several sites in Los Angeles County specialize in pediatric medical care, including:

- Cedars-Sinai Medical Center
- Children's Hospital Los Angeles
- Harbor UCLA Medical Center
- Kaiser Permanente Hospital
- Long Beach Memorial: Miller Children's Hospital
- Los Angeles County-University of Southern California (USC) Medical Center
- Martin Luther King Jr. /Drew Medical Center
- University of California at Los Angeles (UCLA)

[What Other Services are Available?](#)

As the parent of a child with HIV, you must advocate for your own needs as well as those of your child.

There are many services available in Los Angeles County to support people in your situation. In order for you to care for your child, you need to know where to seek help for yourself or for the siblings or other family members of a child with HIV.

A case manager who is familiar with services in Los Angeles County can help you.

FOR MORE INFORMATION

-For the most up-to-date Youth Services listing visit www.hivla.org

-For the most up-to-date Women's Services listing visit www.hivla.org

