

ICLC Teams up with HOPICS and OPCC/LAMP To Rapidly Re-House People Who Have Recently Become Homeless



Inner City Law Center announces the launch of exciting new rapid re-housing partnerships with Special Service for Groups/Housing Outreach Program Integrated Care System ([SSG/HOPICS](#)) and ([OPCC/ LAMP](#)) Community. These new programs will help to house veterans, adults, and transition age youth who are experiencing homelessness. Through combined efforts, ICLC, SSG/HOPICS, and OPCC & LAMP will provide short-term rental subsidies and supportive services to almost 1,000 people over the next six months.

ICLC Supervising Attorney Lorraine Lopez and Staff Attorney Melody Osuna will lead our efforts to review and negotiate lease agreements, help clients to access public benefits, and assist with landlord-tenant disputes.

We are proud to have three OPCC & LAMP staff located in our office. Christopher Huberty and Carlos Morales, along with their supervisor Terence Lau, will focus on interviewing, enrolling, and locating housing for homeless individuals living in downtown Los Angeles and the surrounding communities, including Boyle Heights, Central City, Downtown LA, Echo Park, El Sereno, Hollywood, Mid-City Wilshire, Monterey Hills, Mount Washington, Silverlake, West Hollywood, and Westlake. From HOPICS, Veronica Lewis Division Director and Cristina Nieto Senior Manger of Housing Services are facilitating operations and meetings and will work with homeless individuals living in the South Los Angeles neighborhoods of Compton, Crenshaw, Florence, Lynwood, Paramount, Rosewood, Watts, West Adams, Willowbrook, and Windsor Hills.

Working collaboratively and in partnership with other participating organizations, these teams will help people who are currently homeless to obtain and maintain stable housing. These unique partnerships will expedite temporary housing subsidies, eliminate housing gaps, and help hundreds of our most vulnerable neighbors find their way out of homelessness and into stable housing.