



Updates on the new LA County Department of Homeless Services and Housing



Frequently Asked Questions: Employees

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Q: When and where will employment opportunities within the Department of Homeless Services and Housing (HSH) be posted? What positions will be available, and how can we apply?

Opportunities for employment within HSH and application instructions will be posted through the County's job opportunities website at <https://hr.lacounty.gov/> and <https://www.governmentjobs.com/careers/lacounty>. Employment opportunities within HSH will also be posted on a dedicated landing page once available roles are determined. While we cannot currently provide an exact timeline, we will continue to provide frequent updates as recruitment efforts move forward.

Q: How do I set up notifications for positions within the new department that I'm interested in?

You can set up a job interest card by visiting <http://hr.lacounty.gov> and clicking on the menu at the top left of the screen. Click "[job interest card](#)" and select your desired categories. Once you have selected all desired categories, click "Subscribe" and "Submit" to complete your job interest card.

Q: What is the timeline of developing the organizational structure of HSH?

The organizational structure of HSH is still being determined. We will share further information when it becomes available.

We are in Phase I of this transition. By January 1, 2026, the County's new homeless department will be officially established. This includes the complete integration of the Chief Executive Office Homeless Initiative (CEO-HI) and Affordable Housing and Department of Health Services Housing for Health, and the core administrative infrastructure of the new department.

By July 1, 2026, the new department will complete the integration of specified County-funded programs and services currently administered by LAHSA into the new department.

Q: What is the anticipated timeline and process to incorporate LAHSA staff and functions into HSH?

Specified County-funded programs and services currently administered by LAHSA will be integrated into HSH by July 1, 2026. Our current focus is on integrating the CEO-Homeless Initiative (CEO-HI) and DHS-Housing for Health (HFH), as well as building an administrative infrastructure. We anticipate having more information and timeline on LAHSA staff and functions by year-end 2025.

As directed by the Board of Supervisors, we have begun conducting a fiscal and budgetary landscape analysis of LAHSA functions that will transition to HSH. As we move forward in this transition, it is important that LAHSA continues to be able to perform its core functions as a required lead of the Greater Los Angeles Continuum of Care.

We will work to mitigate uncertainty as much as possible by hosting regular feedback sessions and providing updates as they become available.

Q: Will HSH provide options to work a hybrid schedule including but not limited to telework and 9/80 schedule?

Work schedule options, including the possibility of 9/80 schedules, will be determined by HSH management. LA County currently provides its departments with the option to offer employees a variety of scheduling options depending on what works best for staff and the needs of the department.

Q: Where will HSH be located?

The County is assessing location options and will share further information when it becomes available.

Q: Will there be opportunities to volunteer with HSH?

Thank you for your interest in volunteering! The County depends on and encourages volunteers to support the missions of its various departments. If volunteer opportunities with HSH are available when the department officially launches on January 1, 2026, you can learn more about those opportunities by visiting the department's official website and the County's volunteer website at <http://volunteer.lacounty.gov>.

Q: Where can I share concerns or questions related to the new department?

You can share feedback, comments, or questions with the Implementation Team any time through this [Microsoft Form](#).