LANEY COLLEGE



# Student Guide to FREE & LOW-COST RESOURCES at Laney College & Local Community

The Office of Student Activities & Campus Life



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## **IMPORTANT NOTICE**

At the time of publication, the resources listed in this guide were confirmed to be free or low-cost for persons with low income. Please call to confirm costs (if any) prior to using any of the services listed in this guide. The Office of Student Activities and Campus Life at Laney College do not endorse any of the community services listed in this resource guide. The information is collected for the convenience of Laney College students.

# **INTRODUCTION TO THIS GUIDE**

# Dear Laney College Community,

Our students have many responsibilities as they balance personal responsibilities with homework, class schedules, fees and books. Because they are pulled in so many directions with a multitude of obligations, many students experience increased levels of stress or anxiety while they attend college.

This guide is dedicated to providing students with information on free and low-cost services in an effort to ease some of these pressures, while also serving as a resource for college employees to reference when helping students in need.

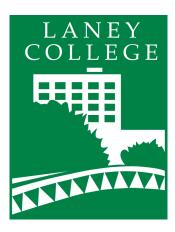
If you come across students who need support services outside of the areas listed in this guide, please have them call the **211 Directory**. This is a confidential service that connects people with free resources, such as food, clothing, shelter, counseling or medical care, in their local area. Simply have the person dial "211" from any phone and let the operator know what area they are in and what services they need.

I look forward to working with everyone in the Laney College family to create a supportive and welcoming environment for all students.

Sincerely,

Gary Albury, Director Student Activities and Campus Life

# Laney College Campus Resources



## **Campus Resources**

#### **Campus Showers**

Currently enrolled students can use the college shower facilities during all academic terms (except when school is not in session). Gymnasium Locker Rooms Monday – Thursday: 10:30 A.M. – 7:00 P.M. Friday: 10:30 A.M. – 5:00 P.M

#### Food Pantries

Eagles Pantry Student Center 4th floor, Room 402 Monday: 10:00 A.M. – 12:00 P.M. Thursday: 5:00 P.M. – 7:00 P.M.

Fresh Produce Laney College Quad or Student Center Every Tuesday of each month 1:00 P.M.- 3:00 P.M. \*\*while supplies last\*\*

#### Health & Wellness Services

Mental Health Counselor Laney Tower Building T-210 (510) 464-3535

Lactation Room Laney Tower Building T-250 (510) 464-3332 Monday - Thursday: 8:30 A.M. - 4:30 P.M.

Meditation & Prayer Room Student Center 4th floor, Room 417 (510) 464–3188 Monday – Friday: 9:00 A.M. – 10:00 P.M.

Wellness Center 1 Laney Tower Building T-250 (510) 464-3332 Monday - Thursday: 8:30 A.M. - 4:30 P.M.

Wellness Center 2 Student Center 4th floor, Room 414 (510) 464–3332 Monday – Thursday: 8:30 A.M. – 4:30 P.M.

#### Transportation

Cashier's Office A- 201 Monday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday: 8:00 A.M. - 4:00 P.M. Tuesday: 8:00 A.M. - 6:00 P.M. Proposition A, which was passed in the May 2009 and May 2016 student elections, requires all Peralta students carrying six or more units to pay an AC Transit EasyPass bus pass fee of \$40.79, thereby making them eligible to receive an AC Transit EasyPass bus pass. With EasyPass you can ride all AC Transit bus lines, including local and Transbay service, at all times. Visit the following website for more information: http:// tinyurl.com/PeraltaACTransitEasyPass

#### Financial Aid& Federal Work study

Building A-201 (510) 464-3414 Monday 8:00 A.M. - 4:30 P.M. Tuesday 8:00 A.M. - 6:30 P.M. Wednesday 8:00 A.M. - 6:30 P.M. Thursday 8:00 A.M. - 4:30 P.M. Friday 8: A.M. - 12:00 P.M.

#### Tutoring

James Öliver Community Writing Center Building B-260 (510) 464-3426 Monday-Thursday: 9:00 A.M. - 8:00 P.M. Friday: 9:00 A.M. - 3:00 P.M. Tutoring Resource Center Eagle Village (EV-1) (510) 834-5740 Monday - Thursday: 12:00 P.M. - 6:00 P.M.

#### EastBay Community Law Center

Eagle Village III 1st Tuesday of each Month: 9:00 A.M. – 1:00 P.M. 3rd Thursday of each Month: 1:00 P.M. – 4:00 P.M. EBCLC Staff Attorneys provides legal representation for undocumented students on a wide variety of immigration matters and broadly disseminate legal information and resources to the campus community.

## **Campus Resources**

#### Free Printing

Technology Center F-170 Monday - Thursday: 8:30 A.M. - 8:50 P.M. Friday: 8:30 P.M. - 4:00 P.M.

Transfer Center T-201 Monday - Friday: 8:00 A.M. - 4:30 P.M.

Welcome Center A-101 Monday & Thursday: 8:00 A.M. - 4:30 P.M. Tuesday & Wednesday: 8:00 A.M. - 6:30 P.M. Friday: 8:00 A.M. - 4:00 P.M.

#### Peralta Foundation & Scholarships

333 East 8th Street Oakland, California (510) 466-7206 Peraltafoundation.org

# Disabled Students Program and Services (DSPS)

Building E, Room 251 (510) 464–3428 Monday – Thursday: 9:00 A.M. – 4:00 P.M. Friday: 9:00 A.M. – 12:00 P.M. https://laney.edu/dsps/

# Extended Opportunity Programs and Services (EOPS)

Building A, Room 106 (510) 464–3423 https://laney.edu/eops=CARE=b2b= CalWORKs/

#### **Employment Services**

T-201 (510) 464-3352 Monday - Friday: 8:00 A.M. - 4:30 P.M. laney.edu/employment

#### **Books & Transportation Assistance**

T-812 (510) 464-3294 Monday - Friday: 8:30 A.M. - 5:00 P.M.

#### **Library Services**

Monday - Thursday: 8:00 A.M. - 8:00 P.M. Friday: 8:00 A.M. - 6:00 P.M. Saturday: 9:00 A.M. - 2:00 P.M. (510) 464-3500

#### **Counseling Department**

T- 301 (510) 464-3152 or (510) 464-3154 Monday - Thursday: 8:00 A.M. - 7:00 P.M.

#### Veteran Services

E-260 (510) 986-6994 Monday 8:00 A.M. - 4:00 P.M. Tuesday 8:00 A.M. - 7:00 P.M. Wednesday - Friday: 8:00 A.M.- 4:00 P.M. https://laney.eduveteranaffairs

#### CalWorks

Welcome Center Building A-101 (510) 986-6946 https://laney.edu/calworks/

#### Gateway to College

Building A, Room 203 (510) 986-6941 Monday - Friday: 9:00 A.M. - 5:00 P.M. https://laney.edu/gateway Gateway to College is a scholarship program that provides academically and economically disenfranchised Alameda County residents 16 to 20 years old with an opportunity to experience success in an academically rigorous, supportive and safe environment as they pursue their high school diplomas and transition into college.

#### Umoja-UBAKA

Eagle Village 2 (510) 464-3104 https://laney.edu/umoja-ubaka The Umoia-UBAKA Student Success Community aims to increase the success. persistence and graduation rates of African, African American and other students through tailored classes, academic counseling, tutorial support and activities. The mission is to serve as a critical resource for enhancing the cultural and educational experiences of African. African American and other students. We deliberately and intentionally recognize student voices, social realities and histories. Umoia-UBAKA promotes self and community empowerment through an affirming atmosphere and culturallyresponsive curriculum specifically focused on the Black experience.

#### **Restoring our Communities**

Building E, Room 203 Monday-Friday 8:00 A.M - 6:00 P.M. www.laney.edu/restoringourcommunities/ Restoring Our Communities (ROC) is a program designed by formerly incarcerated people to serve formerly incarcerated and justice systems impacted students. ROC features a pathways model to support students in career technical education and 4-year transfer pathways.

# Asian/Pacific American Student Success (APASS)

Gym, Room 112 (510) 464–3160 Monday – Friday: 8:30 A.M. – 4:00 P.M. https://laney.edu/apass/ APASS is designed to support Asian/Pacific Americans in pursuit of academic success by promoting individual growth and personal success through a culturally sensitive environment, recognizing the cultural diversity within the Asian and Pacific Islander communities, and fostering unity within the multicultural college community and beyond.

#### LatinX

Eagle Village III (510) 464-3141

The Latinx Cultural Center program assists Chicanx/Latinx students to be successful at Laney College. Some of our services are: Group Study, Tutoring, Indigenous Languages workshops (Mam, Nauatl, & Zapoteco) LCC Club, Soccer Club, ESOL, Empowering Latinx Women, and job opportunities.

#### Puente Program

Eagle Village III (510) 464-3141 lanev.edu/puente

The Laney Puente Program supports students transfer to four-year colleges and universities. We combine accelerated instruction, intensive academic counseling, and community leadership opportunities. While the focus is centered on Latinx literature and topics, the program welcomes students from all ethnic, cultural, and linguistic backgrounds.

#### B2B/CAYFES (Cooperating Agencies Foster Youth Educational Support)

https://laney.edu/b2b-learningcommunity/

CAFYES (Cooperating Agencies Foster Youth Educational Support) serves current and former foster youth. b2b is a two-year program designed to support former foster youth as they enter and succeed at Laney College and prepare for satisfying and rewarding careers.

# Local Community Resources



# Substance Abuse

#### **Teen Challenge**

International (Men) 90th Ave Oakland, CA 94603 (510) 562-1141 Monday-Friday: 8:30 A.M. - 5:30 P.M. Christian Institution that aims to help young men (18 and older) overcome addiction and homelessness. Programs are usually live-in for 12-18 months and there is a \$500 processing fee but applicants can avoid this by joining the work study program.

#### SAMHSA National Helpline 1-800-662-4357

Free confidential referral and information hotline (available in Spanish and English) for individuals and families facing metal and/or substance abuse disorders. Available 24/7.

#### National Drug Helpline

(1844) 289-0879 www.drughelpline.org

#### Alameda County Medical Center

1411 E. 31st street. 1st Floor Oakland, CA 94602 (510) 437-5192 or (510)437-5137 Organization that has different support groups to support pregnant and parenting women. Groups include but aren't limited to: relapse prevention, drug & alcohol education, anger management etc. Oakland, CA 94607 If students don't have Medi-Cal services are free

#### Latino Commission on Alcohol & Drug Abuse of Alameda County

315 International Blvd Oakland, CA 94601 (510) 536-4764 Organization that does counseling (individual, group & family), recovery treatments, parenting classes etc. for pregnant or parenting women and their children: Fees based on sliding scale but students won't be rejected if they are unable to pay.

#### **Options Recovery Services**

610 16th Street Oakland, CA 94612 (510) 836 - 9900Organization that works to help people recover from substance abuse through means of groups. relaxation training, relapse prevention, counseling etc.

#### West Oakland Health Council

700 Adeline Street (510) 835-9610 Non-profit health center that provides services in mental health and substance abuse for residents of West. North and East Oakland, Emervville and Southwest Berkelev





# **Emergency Shelters & Transitional Housing**

#### **Oasis Legal Services**

1330 Broadway Suite 428 Oakland, CA 94612 (510) 666–6687 Monday– Friday: 9:00 A.M.–5:00 P.M. Organization that provides legal services for lower income LGBTQ+ immigrants; services include screening for immigration relief, affirmative asylum, residency, citizenship and family petitions

#### **Community Hotlines**

LGBTQ+ Youth Crisis Hotline: 1-866-488-7386 Suicide Prevention Hotline: 1-800-273-825 LGBTQ+ Elder Hotline: 1-888-234-7243

#### Oakland LGBTQ Resource Center

3207 Lakeshore Ave. Oakland, CA 94610 (510) 882–2286 Monday, Wednesday and Friday: 12:00 P.M.– 5:00 P.M.

#### **Covenant House Oakland**

200 Harrison Street Oakland, CA 94607 (510) 379-1010

#### Causa Justa Just Cause

1419 34th Ave. #203 Oakland, CA 94601 (510) 763–5877

#### Community United AgainstViolence

427 South Van Ness San Francisco, CA 94103 (415) 777–5500 Organization focused on combating hate-crimes and violence by providing support for abuse survivors, training sessions for developing resources for LGBTQ+ community and coal

#### Pacific Center

2712 Telegraph Avenue Berkeley, CA 94705 (510) 548–8283 Organization that offers counseling and support groups

Oakland/East Bay Chapter of Parents, Families and Friends of Lesbians and Gays (PFLAG) Oakland, CA 94601 (510) 562-7692

#### QTY Treehouse

1684 7th St. Oakland, CA 94607 Please email: Simon@hi4youth.org



# Legal Services

#### Family Violence Law Center

470 27th St Oakland, CA 94612 (510) 208–0220 Monday - Friday: 9:00 A.M. - 5:00 P.M. Organization that aims to provide legal services for free to anyone needing help due to domestic violence. Services include crisis counseling, safety planning, helping clients get restraining orders etc. All cases must have occurred in Alameda county

#### Advancing Justice-Asian Law

55 Columbus Ave San Francisco, CA 94111 (415) 896-1701 Monday - Friday: 9:00 A.M.- 5:00 P.M. Organization for Asian and pacific Islander communities that helps in a number of different areas from housing rights to criminal justice reforms and immigrant rights; They also offer programs like Aspire that provides a safe space for undocumented folks to meet and discuss issues and

learn about their rights and have people on their side advocating for them.

#### El Centro Legal de La Raza

3400 E. 12th Street Oakland, CA 94610 (510) 437–1554 Monday – Thursday: 9:00 A.M. – 5:00 P.M. Friday: 9:00 A.M. – 12:00 P.M. & 2:00 P.M. – 4:00 P.M.

#### Alameda County Bar Association

1000 Broadway # 290 Oakland, CA 94607 (510) 302-2222

Monday- Friday: 8:30 A.M.- 5:00 P.M. Organization that offers free legal advice to lowincome communities in areas such as Immigration, Bankruptcy, Family law and Landlord/ Tenant laws; Also assist in giving clients referrals for pro bono lawyers

#### East Bay Community Law Center

2921 Adeline Street Berkeley, CA 94703 (510) 548–4040

Monday- Friday: 9:00 A.M.- 5:00 P.M.

Organization that works with low income clientele to ensure they get representation in count cases as well as free legal advice if they need it. Areas of specialty include : Health and Welfare, Housing and Immigration

#### Homeless Action Center

1432 Franklin St Oakland, CA 94612 (510) 836-3260 Monday, Wednesday & Thursday: 9:00 A.M.- 12:00 P.M. and 1:00 P.M.- 5:00 P.M. Tuesday: 1:00 P.M.- 5:00 P.M. Organization that offers free legal representation for people that are homeless or at risk of becoming homeless, to ensure they have access to social safety net programs such as Supplemental Security Income, Social Security Disability Insurance, and Cal-Fresh etc.

# **Employment Assistance & Referral**

#### Youth Employment Partnership

2300 International Blvd Oakland CA 94601 (510) 533-3447 Monday - Friday: 8:30 A.M.- 6:30 P.M.

#### Center for Employment Opportunities

464 7th Street Oakland CA, 94607 (510) 251–2240 Monday- Friday: 9:00 A.M.- 5:00 P.M.

#### Alameda County Employment Office

1405 Lakeside Dr Oakland, CA 94612 (510) 272-6442 Monday - Friday: 9:00 A.M.- 6:30 P.M. Saturday: 12:30 P.M.- 5:30 P.M.

#### Manpower

750 Terrado Plaza, #43 Covina, CA 91723 (626) 915–6666 www.manpower.com

#### Select Staffing

969 N. Grand Ave. Covina, CA 91724

#### Alameda One Stop Career Center

555 Ralph Appezzato Memorial Pkwy Alameda, CA 94501 (510) 748-2208 Monday, Tuesday & Thursday: 9:00 A.M.- 4:30 P.M. Wednesday & Friday: 9:00 A.M. - 12:00 P.M.



# Mental Health & Healing

#### Alameda County ACCESS 1-800-491-9099

#### Sausal Creek Outpatient Stabilization

2620 26th Avenue Oakland, CA 94601 (510) 437–2362 Monday – Friday: 8:00 A.M. – 8:00 P.M. Saturday: 8:00 A.M. – 4:30 P.M. \*\* Only takes Medi-cal, Medicaid, or those with no insurance\*\*

National Alliance on Mental Illness(NAMI) (1800) 950–6264 www.nami.org

Asian Health Services 310 8th Street, Suite 210 Oakland, CA 94607 (510) 735-3939

Native American Health Center 3124 International Blvd Oakland, CA 94601 (510) 434–5421

La Clinica de la Raza (510) 535-4000

Conscious Voices African American Well Being Center 2700 International Blvd. Suite 22

Oakland, CA 94601 (510) 689–7982

National Domestic Violence Hotline (800) 799-7233

National Sexual Assault Hotline (800) 656-4673

La Clinica Cultura y Bienstar 1415 Fruitvale Ave. Oakland, CA 94601 (510) 535-8400 https://www.laclinica.org/ SankofaHolisticCounseling 401 Grand Avenue, Suite 380 Oakland, CA 94601 (510) 433-0244

**24 hours Crisis line** Alameda: 1–800–309–2131 Nationwide: 1–800– SUICIDE or 1–800–273–TALK

Community Psychiatry 1212 Broadway St., 12th floor Oakland, CA 94612 855-427-2778

Multilingual Counseling Center 638 Webster Street, Suite 358 Oakland, CA 94607 (510) 451–0661

**East Bay Meditation Center** 285 17th Street Oakland, CA 94612

Trans Lifeline Hotline: 877–564–8860 www.translifeline.org

Alipato Project 1743 Alcatraz Ave. Berkeley, CA 94703 (510) 393–2723 https:www.theselc.org

Women's Therapy Center 2105 martin Luther King Jr. Way Berkeley, CA 94704 (510) 524-8288 http://www.womenstherapy.org/

National Suicide Prevention Lifeline (1800) 273-8255 Suicidepreventionlifeline.org

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