READY FOR THE FUTURE
CONNECTING YOUTH WITH COMMUNITY RESOURCES IN OAKLAND

FUTURE PREPARATION

HEALTH & WELLNESS

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Do you need extra help with your homework or want guidance in preparing for college? Are you interested in gaining skills in leadership or public speaking? Would you like to learn how to create a video or play a musical instrument? Do you have questions about health-related issues? **Check out this resource guide for information on these topics, and much more!**

If you’re a young person living in the Oakland area, this guide is designed to help you learn about a wide selection of resources that will assist you in preparing for your future.

This guide is also a useful tool for youth allies, including parents, educators, service providers, and other concerned individuals and organizations.
More about this Resource Guide

Overview: This resource guide is part of a larger effort to develop a new youth center in the Chinatown area of Oakland. The planning for a youth center (a process known as the Chinatown Youth Center Initiative, or CYCI) has been underway since 2007, with involvement from over 20 community based organizations, public agencies, and local elected officials, as well as a youth advisory council. The CYCI is convened by the National Council on Crime and Delinquency.

The youth center’s goal is to provide comprehensive and coordinated youth development and violence prevention services for all youth, with a focus on Asian and Pacific Islander (API) youth. Youth center programming will take a holistic approach to fuel young people’s development so they can lead satisfying, healthy, and productive lives. As with this resource guide, youth center programs will be divided into the following three general categories:

- Arts, Culture, & Heritage
- Future Preparation
- Health & Wellness

This guide focuses on organizations that provide youth services in one or more of the three categories listed above and that have an Oakland location. The guide’s geographic focus is on organizations and programs that operate in the greater downtown, Chinatown, or San Antonio neighborhoods of Oakland, although this publication is not intended to be a comprehensive listing of all youth-serving organizations in these areas. Also, organizations in this guide may have additional locations than those listed here.

Target Group/Age Range: Where available, this guide provides information about the target group and/or age range for an organization’s youth services and programs.

Eligibility and/or Application: Many programs have eligibility requirements for participation. This may include residency requirements (for example, participants must be Oakland residents) or income guidelines. In addition, some programs are application-based, which means interested youth must fill out an application or provide other information (such as a resume) to be considered for the program.

Costs/Fees: While many programs are provided free of charge to eligible participants, some may charge nominal fees or require membership.

Getting More Information: This guide is designed to provide a brief overview of many organizations’ programs and services for youth. For more information about a specific organization, please visit that organization’s website or contact the organization by phone or email.
This section includes organizations and programs that offer training, classes, and other activities to develop and inspire young people’s creativity as well as help them learn about and celebrate their cultural heritage.

AMERICAN INDIAN CHILD RESOURCE CENTER
522 Grand Avenue / Oakland, CA 94610
(510) 208-1870 / aicrc@aicrc.org / rebecca@aicrc.org
www.aicrc.org
A social service agency providing a variety of programs and services for American Indian children and youth and their families. AICRC’s Oakland Indian Education Center offers various youth services, including a Cultural Arts Program that provides opportunities for young people to participate in cultural arts activities and traditional American Indian ceremonies.

Target Group / Age Range: American Indian children and youth living in urban areas, ages 11-18

ASIAN/PACIFIC ISLANDER YOUTH PROMOTING ADVOCACY & LEADERSHIP
310 8th Street, Suite 201 / Oakland, CA 94607
(510) 869-6007 / jay@aypal.org / tiffany@aypal.org
www.aypal.org
Works to transform environmental conditions within Oakland schools and neighborhoods so young people of color can be healthy, safe, and thriving members of their communities. In partnership with Asian Community Mental Health Services, AYPAL uses community organizing, leadership development, and movement building to build low-income youth’s power to advance an agenda for progressive social change. Check website for meeting locations.

Target Group / Age Range: Youth ages 12-20 of any ethnicity can attend AYPAL’s weekly Youth Leadership Organization meetings that run throughout the school year.
ASIAN YOUTH SERVICES COMMITTEE
360A 8th Street / Oakland, CA 94607
(510) 238-7930 / aysc@asianyouth.org
www.asianyouth.org
A community service club for teens, with general meetings held monthly. Though planning events and activities for themselves and their peers, AYSC members learn leadership, organizing, budgeting, and delegation skills. Also has a Lion Dance team, which practices regularly and performs for cultural occasions such as Chinese/Lunar New Year and street festivals.
**Target Group / Age Range:** Middle school and high school students

BANTEAY SREI
c/o East Bay Asian Youth Center
2025 East 12th Street / Oakland, CA 94606
(510) 457-5758 / banteaysrei@gmail.com
www.banteaysrei.org
Provides tools and support for Southeast Asian young women and girls that are at risk of or are being sexually exploited. Programs and services include nutrition and culinary arts (with a focus on traditional Southeast Asian cooking), support groups, photography, outdoor activities, and opportunities to gain skills in leadership and program development. Also offers court advocacy and family services for this population.
**Target Group / Age Range:** Southeast Asian young women and girls, ages 14-19, who live in or around Oakland and are at risk of or are being sexually exploited

BAY AREA VIDEO COALITION
510 16th Street, Suite 500 / Oakland, CA 94612
(415) 861-3282 / nextgen@bavc.org
www.bavc.org
Through its Next Generation programs, helps youth cultivate their artistic talent, gain industry-standard training in new media, and develop soft skills. Programs include Digital Pathways, an afterschool digital media training program with internship opportunities and job skills development; BUMP Records, a music performance, production, and social entrepreneurship program for young adults; and The Factory, an advanced video production collective for young filmmakers.
**Age Range:** For Next Generation programs, ages 14-18
BAY AREA YOUTH ARTS
Malonga Casquelourd Center for the Arts
Mezzanine Floor, Office X / 1428 Alice Street / Oakland, CA 94612
(510) 208-3333 / info@bayyoutharts.org
www.bayyoutharts.org
Provides access to the arts and helps at-risk youth build life skills. Programs foster listening skills, learning skills, creativity, and responsibility. Offers a variety of music, song, and dance classes such as African and jazz percussion, classical and jazz violin, Afro-Brazilian drumming, and Capoeira movement.
Age Range: Ages 2-22 (varies by class)

CAMBODIAN COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT, INC.
1909 International Boulevard / Oakland, CA 94606
(510) 535-5022
www.cambodiancommunity.org
Serves Cambodian Americans in the areas of social services, cultural preservation, social justice, and preventative health. Youth programs include Khmer language and culture classes for non-Khmer speakers and music classes where students learn to play traditional Cambodian musical instruments from master artists.
Target Group / Age Range: Cambodian and Cambodian-American youth, age 12 and above

EAST BAY ASIAN YOUTH CENTER
2025 East 12th Street / Oakland, CA 94606
(510) 533-1092
www.ebayc.org
A multiracial organization that serves all youth, EBAYC partners with several Oakland schools to provide students (3rd-12th grades) with afterschool academic support, summer enrichment education, and internships. Offers intensive case management, employment assistance, and media arts training to hard-to-reach high school age youth (particularly youth who are on probation or parole, gang-involved, or school dropouts). Facilitates leadership groups geared to empower young people with skills, information, and resources.
Target Group / Age Range: Varies by program
EASTSIDE ARTS ALLIANCE
2277 International Boulevard / Oakland, CA 94606
(510) 533-6629 / eastsideculturalcenter@gmail.com
www.eastsideartsalliance.com
Through progressive programming and cultural organizing, provides creative opportunities for youth and adults to share their cultural traditions and innovations. Individuals learn to use art as a way to identify and express their views on issues that affect their community’s life and health. Youth programs include training in graffiti arts, video production, and performing arts.
**Age Range:** For youth programs, ages 12-21 (varies by program)

FILIPINO ADVOCATES FOR JUSTICE
310 8th Street, Suite 306 / Oakland, CA 94607
(510) 465-9876 / lgaledo@filipinos4action.org
www.filipinos4action.org
Works to build a strong, empowered Filipino community by organizing constituents, developing leaders, providing services, and advocating for policies that promote social and economic justice and equity. FAJ’s youth programs focus on cultural grounding, self-esteem building, leadership training, and preventing high-risk behavior.
**Age Range:** For youth programs, ages 13-18

INTERTRIBAL FRIENDSHIP HOUSE
523 International Boulevard / Oakland, CA 94606
(510) 836-1955 / info@ifhurbanrez.org
www.ifhurbanrez.org
Provides social services, cultural events, and a community center for the Bay Area American Indian community. Youth services include afterschool programs, a summer day camp, and opportunities to participate in cultural activities such as dance lessons, drumming, and traditional beadwork classes.
**Target Group / Age Range:** For youth services, American Indian youth

LEADERSHIP EXCELLENCE
1714 Franklin Street, Suite 325 / Oakland, CA 94612
(510) 267-9770 / info@leadershipexcellence.org
www.leadershipexcellence.org
Develops and promotes wellness for African American youth, with programs in areas including employment, leadership, and mental health. Offers Camp Akili, a residential camp that teaches participants about the root causes of social inequality; and Camp Alkebulan, which cultivates self-awareness, global awareness, and leadership skills.
**Target Group / Age Range:** Services are targeted to African American youth. Camp Akili is for ages 14-17; Camp Alkebulan is for ages 18-21
LINCOLN SQUARE RECREATION CENTER
250 10th Street / Oakland, CA 94607
(510) 238-7738
www.oaklandnet.com/parks/facilities/rc_lincolnsquare.asp
An Oakland landmark, Lincoln Square serves the greater Chinatown community. Lincoln Square offers a variety of culturally diverse activities and programs for children, youth, seniors, and families. Activities for youth include arts and crafts, games/sports, cultural programs, a computer lab, and gymnasium facility.

MUSEUM OF CHILDREN’S ART
538 9th Street, Suite 210 / Oakland, CA 94607
(510) 465-8770 / hello@mocha.org
www.mocha.org
Provides hands-on arts learning experiences for children and their families in the museum, in schools and preschools, and in public venues. Programs include drop-in art classes for young children, afterschool art workshops, Saturday stories (linking literacy with art making), and summer and year-round art camps.
**Target Group / Age Range:** Drop-in classes are for children ages 18 months to 7 years; camps are for children and youth ages 6 to 15 years

OAKLAND ASIAN CULTURAL CENTER
388 9th Street, Suite 290 / Oakland, CA 94607
(510) 637-0455 / info@oacc.cc
www.oacc.cc
Builds vibrant communities through Asian and Pacific Islander American arts and culture programs that foster intergenerational and cross-cultural dialogue, cultural identity, collaborations, and social justice. Presents cultural programs including performances, workshops, festivals, school tours/field trips, classes, and exhibitions. Offers varied youth and adult programming including classes in martial arts and dance, artists’ residencies, and school tours.
**Target Group / Age Range:** Asian and Pacific Islanders in the Bay Area, youth through seniors
OAKLAND EAST BAY SYMPHONY
400 29th Street, Suite 501 / Oakland, CA 94609
(510) 444-0801 / admin@oebs.org
www.oebs.org/page/edumain.html
A regional orchestra serving Oakland and the East Bay. Youth programs include Music for Excellence (MUSE), a comprehensive instrumental music program that complements the public school music curriculum and serves students at 18 Oakland public schools. Also sponsors an annual Young Artist Competition, open to all orchestral instruments and piano students who live or study in Alameda or Contra Costa counties.
Target Group / Age Range: Targets public schools in Oakland located in financially challenged areas. Supports the district music programs and tries to target students that would not otherwise have the resources to afford private lessons, coaching, and performance opportunities. For MUSE, grades 3-12; for Young Artist Competition, ages 10-22

OAKLAND GREEN YOUTH ARTS & MEDIA CENTER
2781 Telegraph Avenue / Oakland, CA 94609
(510) 834-0347 / info@artinactionworld.org
www.greenyoutharts.org
A creative empowerment hub that supports young people’s personal, professional, economic, and community development, with a focus on serving youth impacted by violence and poverty. Provides programs in the arts, media production, and environmental sustainability, including classes and other offerings in music, dance, theater, video production, mural creation, and more.
Age Range: Ages 13-24

OAKLAND PUBLIC CONSERVATORY OF MUSIC
1616 Franklin Street / Oakland, CA 94612
(510) 836-4649
http://opcmusic.org
Opens the world of music to all through access to high quality, economical instruction in a nurturing environment. Programs for youth include I Am Me, an early childhood music program; an afterschool music education program; summer performing arts camp; and private music lessons.
Age Range: Varies by program
**OAKLAND YOUTH CHORUS**
655 13th Street, Suite 100 / Oakland, CA 94612
(510) 287-9700 / lanell@oaklandyouthchorus.org
www.oaklandyouthchorus.org
Provides a multicultural music education and performance program for youth. Youth learn and perform a varied repertoire, develop self-confidence, and gain knowledge of the music of several cultures. Programs include All-City Miracle Chorus (grades K-5), Middle School Magic Chorus (grades 6-8), and Concert Chorus (for high school students).
**Age Range:** Ages 5-21 (varies by program)

**OAKLAND YOUTH ORCHESTRA**
Malonga Casquelourd Center for the Arts
1428 Alice Street, Suite 202M / Oakland, CA 94612
(510) 832-7710 / manager@oyo.org
www.oyo.org
Rehearses a wide range of serious and challenging works and presents several classical, pops, and youth outreach concerts each season. Open by audition to all qualified young people. Orchestra members must participate in school music programs when available and receive private instrument instruction. No qualified young musician will be excluded due to financial need.
**Target Group / Age Range:** Orchestral music students from Bay Area schools, ages 12-22

**PACIFIC ISLANDER KIE ASSOCIATION**
428 13th Street, Suite 200 / Oakland, CA 94612
(510) 834-9455, ext. 115
www.arcassociates.org/pika.php
Advocates and promotes the empowerment of Pacific Islander (PI) families and youth through community organizing, education, youth leadership projects, and cultural and contemporary arts. Activities for youth include an annual educational conference, focusing on college counseling, career opportunities, and cultural identity, for PI high school students in Oakland; and Poly Club workshops and events for PI student leaders.
**Target Group / Age Range:** For youth programs, PI high school students in Oakland
VIETNAMESE AMERICAN COMMUNITY CENTER OF THE EAST BAY
106 International Boulevard / Oakland, CA 94606
(510) 663-4681 / vacceb@gmail.com
http://vacceb.net
Serves the needs of Vietnamese Americans through educational, cultural, and social services that promote the well-being, integration, and empowerment of the community. Youth services include a mentoring program that connects UC Berkeley students with younger youth; an afterschool tutoring and college counseling program; and a summer enrichment program for high school students that focuses on cultural enrichment, college readiness, and leadership. **Target Group / Age Range:** Vietnamese American teens and young adults, ages 13-24

YOUTH MOVEMENT RECORDS
The Fox Theater / 530 18th Street / Oakland, CA 94612
(510) 832-4212 / contact@youthmovementrecords.org
www.youthmovementrecords.org
A youth-driven media arts organization inspiring underserved urban youth to engage in learning, leadership, and positive community involvement. Involves youth through music, mentoring, and entrepreneurship in order to reduce violence, develop skills, and create community change. Program offerings include classes in media literacy, DJ’ing, video production, and more; an advanced performance troupe and production crew; and internships. **Target Group / Age Range:** Bay Area youth, ages 13-19

YOUTH RADIO
1701 Broadway / Oakland, CA 94612
(510) 251-1101 / youthradio@youthradio.org
www.youthradio.org
Trains young people from under-resourced public schools, community based organizations, group homes, and juvenile detention centers in broadcast journalism, media production, and cutting-edge technology. Works to strengthen young people’s basic life skills, motivate them to graduate from high school and attend college, and prepare them for careers in multimedia and other fields. **Age Range:** Ages 14-24
This section features organizations and programs that provide training, classes, and other activities to help youth prepare for successful futures. This includes tutoring, college prep, job training, financial literacy, leadership development, and more.

ALAMEDA COUNTY YOUTH LEADERSHIP ACADEMY
1221 Oak Street, Room 555 / Oakland, CA 94612
(510) 272-6510
www.acgov.org/youthleadership/index.htm
For each Fall Academy, accepts 35 high school juniors and seniors from schools throughout Alameda County to learn about Alameda County programs from the people who provide those services. Participants develop leadership skills and meet students from other schools as they discuss County programs such as healthcare, social services, and public protection.  
**Target Group / Age Range:** High school juniors and seniors who live in Alameda County

AMERICAN INDIAN CHILD RESOURCE CENTER
522 Grand Avenue / Oakland, CA 94610
(510) 208-1870 / aicrc@aicrc.org / mary@aicrc.org
www.aicrc.org
A social service agency providing a variety of programs and services for American Indian children and youth and their families. AICRC’s Oakland Indian Education Center and older youth program offers services including homework assistance, SAT prep sessions, financial aid workshops, and college motivation days. Also provides leadership development opportunities. 
**Target Group / Age Range:** American Indian children and youth living in urban areas, ages 11-24
ASIAN COMMUNITIES FOR REPRODUCTIVE JUSTICE
1440 Broadway, Suite 301 / Oakland, CA 94612
(510) 663-8300, ext. 302 / amanda@reproductivejustice.org
www.reproductivejustice.org
Promotes and protects reproductive justice through organizing, building leadership capacity, developing alliances, and providing education to achieve community and systemic change. ACRJ’s SAFIRE youth organizing program trains young Asian women from low-income, immigrant, and refugee families to be leaders in their communities and organizers for reproductive justice. SAFIRE encourages participants to develop self-awareness and claim their inherent power to stand up for themselves, their families, and their communities.
**Target Group / Age Range:** Asian girls, ages 14-18, from low-income, immigrant, and refugee families

ASIAN HEALTH SERVICES
818 Webster Street / Oakland, CA 94607
(510) 986-6800 / Youth Program & Teen Clinic: (510) 986-1024
ahsyouthprogram@gmail.com (Youth Program)
www.asianhealthservices.org
Provides primary medical, dental, and behavioral healthcare services to low-income individuals and families in Alameda County. Services are available in Cambodian, Cantonese, English, Korean, Lao, Mandarin, Mien, Mongolian, Tagalog, and Vietnamese. AHS’s Youth Program (AHSYP) offers free and confidential reproductive health education and services to youth ages 12-21. AHSYP also offers a Peer Leaders program for high school students interested in health and an internship program for college students.
**Target Group / Age Range:** For AHSYP, Alameda County youth ages 12-21

ASIAN IMMIGRANT WOMEN ADVOCATES
310 8th Street, Suite 301 / Oakland, CA 94607
(510) 268-0192 / info@aiwa.org
www.aiwa.org
Empowers low-income, limited English speaking Asian immigrant women and youth to stimulate positive changes in their workplaces, communities, and broader society. AIWA’s Youth Build Immigrant Power (YBIP) Project develops leadership and organizing skills of youth from low-income Asian immigrant families. YBIP programs include the Asian Youth United Training Program, which teaches leadership skills; and the Core Leaders Program, which serves as the youth program’s governing body.
**Target Group / Age Range:** For YBIP, Asian youth ages 14-21
ASIAN PACIFIC ENVIRONMENTAL NETWORK
310 8th Street, Suite 309 / Oakland, CA 94607
(510) 834-8920 / apen@apen4ej.org
www.apen4ej.org
Seeks to empower low-income API communities to achieve environmental and social justice through direct and grassroots organizing and leadership development. Works with young people through intergenerational organizing projects in Richmond’s Laotian refugee and Oakland’s Chinese immigrant populations to fight for green, healthy, and just communities.
**Target Group / Age Range:** Laotian (Mien, Lao) and Chinese individuals, youth to seniors

ASIAN PACIFIC ISLANDER LEGAL OUTREACH
1305 Franklin Street, Suite 410 / Oakland, CA 94612
(510) 251-2846 / info@apilegaloutreach.org
www.apilegaloutreach.org / www.thatsnotlove.org (Youth Program)
Promotes culturally and linguistically appropriate services for the most marginalized segments of the API community. Youth program targets Bay Area API youth, helping them to change their knowledge, attitudes, behaviors, and beliefs relating to domestic violence, dating violence, sexual harassment, and sexual assault. Via a website (www.thatsnotlove.org), the youth program provides online relationship assistance and resources to teens and young adults.
**Target Group / Age Range:** Bay Area API youth

ASIAN/PACIFIC ISLANDER YOUTH PROMOTING ADVOCACY & LEADERSHIP
310 8th Street, Suite 201 / Oakland, CA 94607
(510) 869-6007 / jay@aypal.org / tiffany@aypal.org
www.aypal.org
Works to transform environmental conditions within Oakland schools and neighborhoods so young people of color can be healthy, safe, and thriving members of their communities. In partnership with Asian Community Mental Health Services, AYPAL uses community organizing, leadership development, and movement building to build low-income youth’s power to advance an agenda for progressive social change. Check website for meeting locations.
**Target Group / Age Range:** Youth ages 12-20 of any ethnicity can attend AYPAL’s weekly Youth Leadership Organization meetings that run throughout the school year.
ASIAN YOUTH SERVICES COMMITTEE
360A 8th Street / Oakland, CA 94607
(510) 238-7930 / aysc@asianyouth.org
www.asianyouth.org
A community service club for teens, with general meetings held monthly. Though planning events and activities for themselves and their peers, AYSC members learn leadership, organizing, budgeting, and delegation skills. Also has a Lion Dance team, which practices regularly and performs for cultural occasions such as Chinese/Lunar New Year and street festivals.
**Target Group / Age Range:** Middle school and high school students

BANTEAY SREI
c/o East Bay Asian Youth Center
2025 East 12th Street / Oakland, CA 94606
(510) 457-5758 / banteaysrei@gmail.com
www.banteaysrei.org
Provides tools and support for Southeast Asian young women and girls that are at risk of or are being sexually exploited. Programs and services include nutrition and culinary arts (with a focus on traditional Southeast Asian cooking), support groups, photography, outdoor activities, and opportunities to gain skills in leadership and program development. Also offers court advocacy and family services for this population.
**Target Group / Age Range:** Southeast Asian young women and girls, ages 14-19, who live in or around Oakland and are at risk of or are being sexually exploited

BAY AREA VIDEO COALITION
510 16th Street, Suite 500 / Oakland, CA 94612
(415) 861-3282 / nextgen@bavc.org
www.bavc.org
Through its Next Generation programs, helps youth cultivate their artistic talent, gain industry-standard training in new media, and develop soft skills. Programs include Digital Pathways, an afterschool digital media training program with internship opportunities and job skills development; BUMP Records, a music performance, production, and social entrepreneurship program for young adults; and The Factory, an advanced video production collective for young filmmakers.
**Age Range:** For Next Generation programs, ages 14-18
BUILD
449 15th Street, Suite 401 / Oakland, CA 94612
(510) 271-8244
www.build.org
Uses entrepreneurship to propel disconnected, low-income youth through high school to college. By launching real businesses, BUILD students learn the academic and life skills that make school relevant and motivate them to succeed. Entrepreneurship is the hook; college is the goal. BUILD works with several Oakland schools.
**Target Group / Age Range:** Students begin in the 9th grade and continue through 12th grade

CALIFORNIANS FOR JUSTICE
1611 Telegraph Avenue, Suite 317 / Oakland, CA 94612
(510) 452-2728 / info@caljustice.org
www.caljustice.org
A statewide grassroots organization working for racial justice by building the power of communities that have been pushed to the margins of the political process. CFJ organizes youth, immigrants, low-income people, and communities of color in order to improve their social, economic, and political conditions. Weekly meetings for high school students and community college students are held at the Oakland CFJ office and at selected school sites.
**Target Group / Age Range:** High school and community college students

COLLEGE TRACK OAKLAND
436 14th Street, Suite 500 / Oakland, CA 94612
(510) 835-1770
www.collegetrack.org
An afterschool, college preparatory program that helps students from under-resourced communities graduate from high school and succeed in college. Program includes tutoring, ACT preparation, academic and college advising, community service, internships, study abroad, college tours, financial aid information, and helping students adjust to college life. Services are offered in partnership with Oakland-area high schools; visit website for details and student application form.
**Target Group / Age Range:** Students generally participate from the summer before 9th grade through college graduation
COVENANT HOUSE CALIFORNIA – BAY AREA
200 Harrison Street / Oakland, CA 94607
(510) 379-1010 / info@covdove.org
www.covdove.org
A multiservice agency dedicated to assisting homeless youth. Helps youth resolve crises and attain stable housing and employment. Employment services include educational assessment and assistance, computer skills training, GED preparation, internships, mentoring, job readiness, and job retention assistance.
**Target Group / Age Range:** Homeless youth, ages 18-24

EAST BAY ASIAN LOCAL DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION
310 8th Street, Suite 200 / Oakland, CA 94607
(510) 287-5353 / wpho@ebaldc.org
www.ebaldc.org
A community development corporation that develops affordable housing and community facilities with emphasis on API communities and the East Bay’s diverse low-income populations. Youth services include the Money Savvy Youth (MSY) Program, which provides young people with money management knowledge, skills, and tools. This program works in collaboration with teachers in their classrooms. Students who successfully complete MSY receive a $50 savings bond.
**Target Group / Age Range:** For MSY, 4th grade, 5th grade, and high school students

EAST BAY ASIAN YOUTH CENTER
2025 East 12th Street / Oakland, CA 94606
(510) 533-1092
www.ebayc.org
A multiracial organization that serves all youth, EBAYC partners with several Oakland schools to provide students (3rd-12th grades) with afterschool academic support, summer enrichment education, and internships. Offers intensive case management, employment assistance, and media arts training to hard-to-reach high school age youth (particularly youth who are on probation or parole, gang-involved, or school dropouts). Facilitates leadership groups geared to empower young people with skills, information, and resources.
**Target Group / Age Range:** Varies by program
EAST BAY CONSORTIUM OF EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS
121 East 11th Street, Portable 13B / Oakland, CA 94606
(510) 238-9450 / questions@eastbayconsortium.org
www.eastbayconsortium.org
Works to increase the number of students who finish high school and enroll in postsecondary institutions. Services for students include summer academic enrichment programs for 7th-11th graders; year-round tutoring and mentoring; college and career fairs; financial aid workshops; high school and college advising; and drop-in college/career information centers at various high schools. Most programs are offered in partnership with Oakland-area schools; visit website for details.
**Target Group / Age Range:** Middle school through high school age youth

EASTBAY WORKS/OAKLAND CAREER CENTER
1212 Broadway, Suite 100 / Oakland, CA 94612
1-866-EBWORKS
Oakland Career Center: (510) 622-4315
www.eastbayworks.org
EASTBAY Works is a network of one-stop business and career centers located throughout Alameda and Contra Costa counties. This includes the Oakland Career Center at 1212 Broadway in downtown Oakland. Youth are welcome at EASTBAY Works centers. Free services for young people include information on training and jobs, workshops on job search tools, and other resources for youth job seekers (ages 16-21).
**Age Range:** Age 16 and above

FILIPINO ADVOCATES FOR JUSTICE
310 8th Street, Suite 306 / Oakland, CA 94607
(510) 465-9876 / lgaledo@filipinos4action.org
www.filipinos4action.org
Works to build a strong, empowered Filipino community by organizing constituents, developing leaders, providing services, and advocating for policies that promote social and economic justice and equity. FAJ’s youth programs focus on cultural grounding, self-esteem building, leadership training, and preventing high-risk behavior.
**Age Range:** For youth programs, ages 13-18
FIRST PLACE FOR YOUTH
519 17th Street, Suite 600 / Oakland, CA 94612
(510) 272-0979 / info@firstplaceforyouth.org
www.firstplaceforyouth.org
Helps youth experience a safe, supported transition from foster care. Provides a variety of programs for youth who are either preparing to age out of foster care or who have done so recently. Services include a housing support program, youth resource center, support for high school diploma/GED completion, educational and employment counseling, and job development.
**Target Group / Age Range:** Youth who are preparing to age out of foster care or who have done so recently, ages 16-24

HEP B PROJECT
2501 International Boulevard / Oakland, CA 94601
(510) 859-4372 / hepbproject@gmail.com
www.hepbproject.org
A youth-driven, volunteer-based effort that educates the local API population about Hepatitis B, a disease that disproportionately affects APIs. Services include free Hepatitis B education, screening, and vaccinating, provided with the support of health professionals and clinics. Young people are encouraged to volunteer with the project; tasks include community outreach and assisting with health screenings.
**Target Group / Age Range:** For screenings and vaccinations, low-income uninsured APIs age 18 and above; for Hep B volunteer team, college students

INTERTRIBAL FRIENDSHIP HOUSE
523 International Boulevard / Oakland, CA 94606
(510) 836-1955 / info@ifhurbanrez.org
www.ifhurbanrez.org
Provides social services, cultural events, and a community center for the Bay Area American Indian community. Youth services include afterschool programs, a summer day camp, and opportunities to participate in cultural activities such as dance lessons, drumming, and traditional beadwork classes.
**Target Group / Age Range:** For youth services, American Indian youth
JUMA VENTURES
580 Grand Avenue, Suite 206 / Oakland, CA 94610
(510) 375-5466
www.jumaventures.org
Combines real world employment experience with support services in job skills training, financial literacy and asset building, and college preparation. Youth participants receive part-time jobs in Juma’s concession businesses at professional sports stadiums; youth begin with work readiness training and progress to more advanced training as appropriate. Visit website for application deadlines and instructions.
Target Group / Age Range: Youth apply to Juma during their sophomore year in high school

KIDS FIRST OAKLAND
610 16th Street / Oakland, CA 94612
(510) 452-2043 / info@kidsfirstoakland.org
www.kidsfirstoakland.org
Creates opportunities for young people to transform schools and communities through youth leadership and action. Programs include Representing Educated Active Leaders Having a Righteous Dream (REAL HARD), a multiracial youth leadership development program that provides training and support for students to change their relationship to themselves, their peers, and their education; and Peers Advising Students to Succeed (PASS), which trains high school seniors to mentor freshman.
Target Group / Age Range: High school students, ages 15-18

LANEY COLLEGE
900 Fallon Street / Oakland, CA 94607
(510) 834-5740
www.laney.peralta.edu
Part of the Peralta Community College District, Laney provides students with opportunities to transfer to a four-year college or university; complete a program in career technical education (in fields including culinary arts, green jobs, and machine technology); and improve academic foundation skills. Also offers a variety of programs targeted to high school students; in recent years this has included manufacturing technology and physics for building science.
LAO FAMILY COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT
2325 East 12th Street / Oakland, CA 94601
(510) 533-8850 / ksundara@lfcd.org
www.lfcd.org
Assists Southeast Asian, refugee, diverse immigrant, limited English, and low-income U.S.-born community members in achieving long-term financial and social self-sufficiency. Youth services include a year-round Workforce Investment Act Youth Program, which provides employment and educational services for low-income youth; and a Summer Youth Program.
**Target Group / Age Range:** Low-income Southeast Asian youth, ages 14-21, for year-round youth employment program and ages 14-24 for summer youth program.

LEADERSHIP EXCELLENCE
1714 Franklin Street, Suite 325 / Oakland, CA 94612
(510) 267-9770 / info@leadershipexcellence.org
www.leadershipexcellence.org
Develops and promotes wellness for African American youth, with programs in areas including employment, leadership, and mental health. Programs include Real Employment Access for Determined Youth (READY), which emphasizes job readiness training and job placement in community service-oriented workplaces; Community Organizing and Radical Empowerment (CORE), which trains youth in grassroots community organizing skills; and the Oakland Freedom School, a summer program.
**Target Group / Age Range:** Services are targeted to African American youth. For READY and CORE programs, ages 14-25; for Oakland Freedom School, ages 5-13.

McCULLUM YOUTH COURT
285 17th Street / Oakland, CA 94612
(510) 832-5858
www.youthcourt.org
Offers youth offenders a second chance through restorative justice, peer accountability, and empowering opportunities. Also provides opportunities (such as peer juror, attorney, and bailiff) through the Law & Justice Program for Alameda County youth to learn about and engage in the youth court process. Youth offenders who successfully complete their sentence are encouraged to join the Law & Justice Program.
**Target Group / Age Range:** For Law & Justice Program, Alameda County youth ages 11-17; for youth offenders, ages 10-17, referred by local law enforcement, schools, and probation department.
THE MENTORING CENTER
1221 Preservation Park Way, Suite 200 / Oakland, CA 94612
(510) 891-0427 / tmc@mentor.org
www.mentor.org
Helps transform the lives of highly at-risk youth and the organizations and systems that serve them. Youth programs include the Transition Program, an intensive program for young people incarcerated in the state Division of Juvenile Justice (formerly California Youth Authority) that provides reentry services when they are released; and Positive Minds Group, an Oakland-based group mentoring program that serves highly at-risk youth ages 14-25.
**Target Group / Age Range:** Youth who are involved in the juvenile justice system, are in danger of being expelled from school, or in other ways are extremely high risk; age range varies by program

THE MOSAIC PROJECT
580 Grand Avenue, Suite 303 / Oakland, CA 94610
(510) 452-3377 / info@mosaicproject.org
www.mosaicproject.org
Works towards a peaceful future by reaching children in their formative years. Programs include an outdoor school which addresses issues of difference and builds self-esteem and community, for fourth and fifth graders; a youth leadership project for high school students who serve as mentors at the outdoor school; and school-based projects.
**Target Group / Age Range:** Elementary through high school age youth

OAKLAND DIGITAL ARTS & LITERACY CENTER
1224 Harrison Street / Oakland, CA 94612
(510) 435-2945 / info@odalc.org
www.odalc.org
Works to reduce poverty by inspiring and training low-income communities to enter the digital economy. Teaches digital skills and Internet literacy to underemployed youth and small business owners. Offerings include hands-on digital media workshops, computer training sessions, and mentoring.
**Target Group / Age Range:** Young people, small business owners; ages 18-34, and age 55 and above
OAKLAND GREEN YOUTH ARTS & MEDIA CENTER
2781 Telegraph Ave / Oakland, CA 94609
(510) 834-0347 / info@artinactionworld.org
www.greenyoutharts.org
A creative empowerment hub that supports young people’s personal, professional, economic, and community development, with a focus on serving youth impacted by violence and poverty. Provides programs in the arts, media production, and environmental sustainability, including classes and other offerings in music, dance, theater, video production, and mural creation.
**Age Range:** 13-24

OAKLAND PUBLIC LIBRARY
125 14th Street (location of Main Library) / Oakland, CA 94612
(510) 238-7233
www.oaklandlibrary.org
Youth programs include a drop-in Homework Assistance Program, where teens receive help from experienced volunteer tutors; program locations include the Asian Branch (388 9th Street, Suite 190; 510/238-3400) and Main Library. Also has a Youth Leadership Council; youth members gain skills in public speaking, leadership, and event planning.
**Age Range:** For Homework Assistance Program, ages 12-18; for Youth Leadership Council, ages 13-19

OAKLAND YOUTH LEADERSHIP AND DEVELOPMENT
150 Frank Ogawa Plaza, Suite 4211 / Oakland, CA 94612
(510) 238-3245 / creynolds@oaklandnet.com
www.oaklandhumanservices.org/services/youthyoungadults/yldyac.htm
Generates civic engagement opportunities for youth. Includes the Youth Advisory Commission, which empowers youth to contribute to the City of Oakland. The Commission advises city officials about youth issues (such as health and safety, jobs, and justice) and ensures youth representation in Oakland. Commission members are appointed by the Mayor and City Council.
**Target Group / Age Range:** Youth Advisory Commission applicants, ages 13-21, must live in Oakland
OASES
196 10th Street / Oakland, CA 94607
(510) 891-9928 / info@oases.org
www.oases.org
Empowers students with limited resources through education, mentorship, and service opportunities. Provides afterschool and summer programs for youth from elementary to high school age. Offerings include tutoring, mentoring by UC Berkeley students, computer instruction, English language development and support for language learners and immigrant youth, field trips, and enrichment activities such as diversity education, financial literacy, and arts.
Target Group / Age Range: Oakland students and youth, elementary through high school age

PACIFIC ISLANDER KIE ASSOCIATION
428 13th Street, Suite 200 / Oakland, CA 94612
(510) 834-9455, ext. 115
www.arcassociates.org/pika.php
Advocates and promotes the empowerment of Pacific Islander (PI) families and youth through community organizing, education, youth leadership projects, and cultural and contemporary arts. Activities for youth include an annual educational conference, focusing on college counseling, career opportunities, and cultural identity, for PI high school students in Oakland; and Poly Club workshops and events for PI student leaders.
Target Group / Age Range: For youth programs, PI high school students in Oakland

REFUGEE TRANSITIONS
1212 Broadway, Suite 702 / Oakland, CA 94612
(510) 834-6000 / info@retrans.org
www.retrans.org
Assists refugee and immigrant families in becoming self-sufficient in the U.S. by providing services that help them gain the English language, life, job, and academic skills they need to succeed in their new communities. Offers the Bridge 2-Success Youth Development Program, which matches youth with a volunteer tutor/mentor; and an afterschool program that provides academic and language support to students at Oakland International High School.
Target Group / Age Range: For Bridge 2-Success Youth Development Program, immigrant and refugee youth, ages 6-18
SALVATION ARMY – OAKLAND CHINATOWN
377 12th Street / Oakland, CA 94607
(510) 836-8971
www.salvationarmy.org
Provides a variety of social services and programs for young people, seniors, and families. Programs for youth include a summer day camp for children, with older campers having the opportunity to be trained as junior camp counselors; and afterschool tutoring programs.

STREET LEVEL HEALTH PROJECT
2501 International Boulevard / Oakland, CA 94601
(510) 533-9906 / info@streetlevelhealth.org
www.streetlevelhealth.org / olivia@streetlevelhealth.org (volunteer contact)
Works to improve the health and well-being of underserved urban immigrant and refugee communities in the Bay Area. Services include health screening clinic, referrals to social services, classes (such as mental health, ESL, bike repair, etc.), and social events. Street Level’s Mongolian Health Access Program provides health screening, treatment, education, and information to the immigrant Mongolian community. Youth are encouraged to gain leadership skills and work experience by volunteering with the organization.
**Target Group / Age Range:** Low-income workers; immigrants and refugees, ages 18-64

STUDENT CONSERVATION ASSOCIATION
1230 Preservation Park Way / Oakland, CA 94612
(510) 832-1966 / casw@thesca.org
www.thesca.org
Builds the next generation of conservation leaders and inspires lifelong stewardship of our environment and communities by engaging young people in hands-on service to the land. SCA’s Bay Area Community Programs offer a volunteer school-year program and paid summer program for high school students interested in exploring the local environment. SCA also offers nationwide crews and internships for people age 18 and above.
**Target Group / Age Range:** Students who want to make a difference through environmental work, age 15 and above (varies by program)
VIETNAMESE AMERICAN COMMUNITY CENTER OF THE EAST BAY
106 International Boulevard / Oakland, CA 94606
(510) 663-4681 / vacceb@gmail.com
http://vacceb.net
Serves the needs of Vietnamese Americans through educational, cultural, and social services that promote the well-being, integration, and empowerment of the community. Youth services include a mentoring program that connects UC Berkeley students with younger youth; an afterschool tutoring and college counseling program; and a summer enrichment program for high school students that focuses on cultural enrichment, college readiness, and leadership. **Target Group / Age Range:** Vietnamese American teens and young adults, ages 13-24

WORLD BRIDGES
1230 Preservation Park Way / Oakland, CA 94612
(510) 451-2995 / info@world-bridges.org
www.world-bridges.org
Fosters international cooperation between young adults of color from low-income backgrounds, providing opportunities to gain global perspectives on social justice issues that impact their lives. Programs include the Leadership Exchange Program, which engages young people in eight months of leadership, civic engagement, and cross-cultural training as well as volunteer/internship opportunities outside of the U.S. **Target Group / Age Range:** For Leadership Exchange Program, low-income youth of color, ages 18-26

YOUTH EMPLOYMENT PARTNERSHIP, INC.
2300 International Boulevard / Oakland, CA 94601
(510) 533-3447 / info@yep.org
www.yep.org
Enhances employment and educational opportunities of underserved Oakland youth and young adults by providing training, job placement, access to education, and comprehensive support services. Programs include afterschool jobs (ages 15-18); career try-out opportunities for young adults in areas such as construction and nonprofit work, supplemented by education (ages 18-24); and summer jobs. **Target Group / Age Range:** Varies by program
YOUTH MOVEMENT RECORDS
The Fox Theater / 530 18th Street / Oakland, CA 94612
(510) 832-4212 / contact@youthmovementrecords.org
www.youthmovementrecords.org
A youth-driven media arts organization inspiring underserved urban youth to engage in learning, leadership, and positive community involvement. Involves youth through music, mentoring, and entrepreneurship in order to reduce violence, develop skills, and create community change. Program offerings include classes in media literacy, DJ’ing, video production, and more; an advanced performance troupe and production crew; and internships.
Target Group / Age Range: Bay Area youth, ages 13-19

YOUTH RADIO
1701 Broadway / Oakland, CA 94612
(510) 251-1101 / youthradio@youthradio.org
www.youthradio.org
Trains young people from under-resourced public schools, community based organizations, group homes, and juvenile detention centers in broadcast journalism, media production, and cutting-edge technology. Works to strengthen young people’s basic life skills, motivate them to graduate from high school and attend college, and prepare them for careers in multimedia and other fields.
Age Range: Ages 14-24

YOUTH TOGETHER
449 15th Street, Suite 302 / Oakland, CA 94612
(510) 645-9209 / info@youthtogether.net
www.youthtogether.net
Addresses the root causes of educational inequities by developing multiracial youth leaders and engaging school community allies to promote positive school change. YT programs are located at four East Bay high schools, including Castlemont, Fremont, and Skyline in Oakland. Through youth leadership programming, student centers, and organizing campaigns, YT participants develop positive, long-term solutions to fight social, political, community, and educational inequities in their lives.
Target Group / Age Range: High school students
This section highlights organizations and programs that offer services designed to enhance young people’s mental and physical health and well-being. This includes physical health and safety, counseling, support groups, sports and recreation, nutrition, and more.

**AIDS PROJECT OF THE EAST BAY**
1320 Webster Street / Oakland, CA 94612
(510) 663-7958 / Wellness Center: (510) 422-4057
www.apeb.org
Assists low-income Alameda County residents who are HIV positive or at risk of becoming HIV positive. Youth services include free HIV testing; Positive Peers Project, providing healthcare services and outreach to HIV-positive young men; and LGBT Youth Health Conductors, where youth interested in becoming health ambassadors receive training on various health issues and then work with a team to plan health promotion activities.
**Target Group / Age Range:** For youth services, varies by program

**ALAMEDA COUNTY FAMILY JUSTICE CENTER**
470 27th Street / Oakland, CA 94612
(510) 267-8800
www.acfjc.org
A one-stop center that provides comprehensive and accessible services for victims of domestic violence, sexual assault, child and elder abuse, and sexually exploited minors. Services include crisis intervention, survivor support, victim advocacy, legal assistance services, immigration support, mental health counseling, housing assistance, victim witness assistance, and law enforcement investigation and prosecution of offenders.
**Target Group:** Individuals who are experiencing or have experienced domestic violence, sexual assault, child abuse, or elder abuse; sexually exploited minors
AMERICAN INDIAN CHILD RESOURCE CENTER
522 Grand Avenue / Oakland, CA 94610
(510) 208-1870 / aicrc@aicrc.org / manny@aicrc.org
www.aicrc.org
A social service agency providing a variety of programs and services for American Indian children and youth and their families. AICRC’s Oakland Indian Education Center offers various youth services, including a Sports and Nutrition Program, which features cooking classes and a fitness/recreation club.
**Target Group / Age Range:** American Indian children and youth living in urban areas, ages 11-18

ASIAN COMMUNITIES FOR REPRODUCTIVE JUSTICE
1440 Broadway, Suite 301 / Oakland, CA 94612
(510) 663-8300, ext. 302 / amanda@reproductivejustice.org
www.reproductivejustice.org
Promotes and protects reproductive justice through organizing, building leadership capacity, developing alliances, and providing education to achieve community and systemic change. ACRJ’s SAFIRE youth organizing program trains young Asian women from low-income, immigrant, and refugee families to be leaders in their communities and organizers for reproductive justice. SAFIRE encourages participants to develop self-awareness and claim their inherent power to stand up for themselves, their families, and their communities.
**Target Group / Age Range:** Asian girls, ages 14-18, from low-income, immigrant, and refugee families

ASIAN COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES
310 8th Street, Suite 201 / Oakland, CA 94607
(510) 451-6729 / info@acmhs.org
www.acmhs.org
Provides services targeted to the API community. Includes comprehensive, culturally appropriate behavioral healthcare services; services for developmentally disabled individuals and their families; and family support and youth services for families facing multiple barriers to self-sufficiency. Assistance is available in Cambodian, Cantonese, English, Japanese, Korean, Mandarin, Mien, Tagalog, and Vietnamese. Youth services include Asian/Pacific Islander Youth Promoting Advocacy & Leadership (AYPAL), operated in collaboration with other youth-serving organizations.
**Target Group / Age Range:** API children, youth, and adults; age range varies by program/service
ASIAN HEALTH SERVICES
818 Webster Street / Oakland, CA 94607
(510) 986-6800 / Youth Program & Teen Clinic: (510) 986-1024
ahsyouthprogram@gmail.com (Youth Program)
www.asianhealthservices.org
Provides primary medical, dental, and behavioral healthcare services to low-income individuals and families in Alameda County. Services are available in Cambodian, Cantonese, English, Korean, Lao, Mandarin, Mien, Mongolian, Tagalog, and Vietnamese. AHS’s Youth Program (AHSYP) offers free and confidential reproductive health education and services to youth ages 12-21. AHSYP also offers a Peer Leaders program for high school students interested in health and an internship program for college students.
Target Group / Age Range: For AHSYP, Alameda County youth ages 12-21

ASIAN PACIFIC ISLANDER LEGAL OUTREACH
1305 Franklin Street, Suite 410 / Oakland, CA 94612
(510) 251-2846 / info@apilegaloutreach.org
www.apilegaloutreach.org / www.thatsnotlove.org (Youth Program)
Promotes culturally and linguistically appropriate services for the most marginalized segments of the API community. Youth program targets Bay Area API youth, helping them to change their knowledge, attitudes, behaviors, and beliefs relating to domestic violence, dating violence, sexual harassment, and sexual assault. Via a website (www.thatsnotlove.org), the youth program provides online relationship assistance and resources to young people.
Target Group / Age Range: Bay Area API youth

BANTEAY SREI
c/o East Bay Asian Youth Center
2025 East 12th Street / Oakland, CA 94606
(510) 457-5758 / banteaysrei@gmail.com
www.banteaysrei.org
Provides tools and support for Southeast Asian young women and girls that are at risk of or are being sexually exploited. Programs and services include nutrition and culinary arts (with a focus on traditional Southeast Asian cooking), support groups, photography, outdoor activities, and opportunities to gain skills in leadership and program development. Also offers court advocacy and family services for this population.
Target Group / Age Range: Southeast Asian young women and girls, ages 14-19, who live in or around Oakland and are at risk of or are being sexually exploited
CALIFORNIA PREVENTION AND EDUCATION PROJECT
1504 Franklin Street, Suite 302 / Oakland, CA 94612
(510) 874-7850 / info@calpep.org
www.calpep.org
Works to prevent the spread of HIV/AIDS in Alameda and San Francisco counties, with services including street outreach, HIV testing and counseling, case management, and prevention education. Youth services include a drop-in center, case management, comprehensive HIV risk reduction, and referrals to social services.
**Age Range:** For youth services, ages 15-24

CATHOLIC CHARITIES OF THE EAST BAY
433 Jefferson Street / Oakland, CA 94607
(510) 768-3100
www.cceb.org
Provides social services (including immigrant and refugee services, a crisis response support network, and counseling) to those most in need in Alameda and Contra Costa counties regardless of their religious faith. Youth services include the CARE Collaborative, with case management, mental health counseling, and other services for emancipated foster youth; and the Youth Community Violence Prevention Program, which helps youth offenders develop alternatives to violence.
**Target Group / Age Range:** For CARE Collaborative, services are for emancipated foster youth, ages 18-24, who are referred from Alameda or Contra Costa counties.

CENTER FOR EMPOWERING REFUGEES AND IMMIGRANTS
544 International Boulevard, Suite 9 / Oakland, CA 94606
(510) 444-1671 / ceri2006@yahoo.com
www.cerieastbay.org
Improves the social, psychological, and economic health of refugees affected by war, torture, or other forms of extreme trauma; programs include social services, support groups, and clinical counseling. Youth services include Reviving Our Youths’ Aspirations, a holistic mental health intervention program that is designed for Cambodian teens and young adults and strives to prevent youth violence, gang and crime involvement, and teen pregnancy.
**Target Group / Age Range:** Cambodian teens and young adults
The City of Oakland, Office of Parks and Recreation operates over 20 community based recreation centers spanning the city. Free and low-cost programs are offered in recreation, sports, arts and culture, computers, general learning, afterschool activities, and more; offerings may vary by location.

COMMUNITY HEALTH FOR ASIAN AMERICANS
255 International Boulevard / Oakland, CA 94606
(510) 835-2777 / info@chaaweb.org
www.chaaweb.org
At several East Bay locations, provides culturally and linguistically appropriate behavioral health, youth development, and family support services targeted to the API community. CHAA's Oakland site offers children’s mental health services, co-occurring mental health/alcohol and other drugs treatment for youth, and adult mental health services. Some youth services are provided onsite at various K-12 schools in Oakland; visit the website for details.
Target Group / Age Range: Children, families, and adults, ages 5-65

COVENANT HOUSE CALIFORNIA – BAY AREA
200 Harrison Street / Oakland, CA 94607
(510) 379-1010 / info@covdove.org
www.covdove.org
A multiservice agency dedicated to assisting homeless youth. Helps youth resolve crises and attain stable housing and employment. Health and wellness programs include mental health counseling, substance abuse counseling, HIV/AIDS services, and emergency and primary care medical services.
Target Group / Age Range: Homeless youth, ages 18-24
FAMILY PATHS, INC.
1727 Martin Luther King, Jr. Way, Suite 109 / Oakland, CA 94612
(510) 893-9230 / 24-hour Hotline: (510) 893-5444 / info@familypaths.org
www.familypaths.org
A multicultural agency that provides a variety of mental health, counseling, and therapy services to low-income individuals and families. Services for young people include the Families in Transition program, a flexible and comprehensive model of mental health services aimed at supporting children, adolescents, and their families who are experiencing significant amounts of stress and instability.
Target Group / Age Range: Serves children, youth, and adults

HEP B PROJECT
2501 International Boulevard / Oakland, CA 94601
(510) 859-4372 / hepbproject@gmail.com
www.hepbproject.org
A youth-driven, volunteer-based effort that educates the local API population about Hepatitis B, a disease that disproportionately affects APIs. Services include free Hepatitis B education, screening, and vaccinating, provided with the support of health professionals and clinics. Young people are encouraged to volunteer with the project; tasks include community outreach and assisting with health screenings.
Target Group / Age Range: For screenings and vaccinations, low-income uninsured APIs age 18 and up; for Hep B volunteer team, college students

LA CLINICA DE LA RAZA - SAN ANTONIO NEIGHBORHOOD HEALTH CENTER
1030 International Boulevard / Oakland, CA 94606
(510) 238-5400 / info-laclinica@laclinica.org
www.laclinica.org
Provides comprehensive, affordable health services to low-income families. Services include family medicine, HIV testing, health education, immunizations, pediatrics, social services, and women’s health. Visit website for information about other locations and services.
LEADERSHIP EXCELLENCE
1714 Franklin Street, Suite 325 / Oakland, CA 94612
(510) 267-9770 / info@leadershipexcellence.org
www.leadershipexcellence.org
Develops and promotes wellness for African American youth, with programs in areas including employment, leadership, and mental health. Runs weekly support groups for young men (Men Educating Culturally Conscious Africans, or MECCA) and young women (Sisters Overcoming Life’s Obstacles, or SOLO).
Target Group / Age Range: Services are targeted to African American youth. Support groups (MECCA and SOLO) are for ages 14-21

LINCOLN SQUARE RECREATION CENTER
250 10th Street / Oakland, CA 94607
(510) 238-7738
www.oaklandnet.com/parks/facilities/rc_lincolnsquare.asp
An Oakland landmark, Lincoln Square serves the greater Chinatown community. Lincoln Square offers a variety of culturally diverse activities and programs for children, youth, seniors, and families. Activities for youth include arts and crafts, games/sports, cultural programs, a computer lab, and gymnasium facility.

MISSSEY, INC.
Alameda County Family Justice Center / 470 27th Street / Oakland, CA 94612
(510) 267-8840 / info@misssey.org
www.misssey.org
Responds to the complex needs of sexually exploited children and teens. Committed to the idea that sexually exploited children and teens need specialized services that focus on victimization and recovery, as well as redirection toward empowerment and safety. Provides assessment, advocacy, case management, education, and a safe environment for youth.
Target Group / Age Range: Sexually exploited children and teens, under age 18
A SAFE PLACE
2860 Telegraph Avenue / Oakland, CA 94609
(510) 986-8600 / 24-hour Hotline: (510) 536-7233
shelter@asafeplacedvs.org
www.asafeplacedvs.org
Offers comprehensive domestic violence services for battered women and children. Provides shelter and supportive services (such as counseling, case management, and advocacy) for domestic violence victims. Other services include a children’s program for shelter residents, support groups, assistance with emergency food and clothing, and 24-hour crisis referral and information line. (The shelter is located at a confidential address.)
**Target Group:** Female victims of domestic violence and their children

STREET LEVEL HEALTH PROJECT
2501 International Boulevard / Oakland, CA 94601
(510) 533-9906 / info@streetlevelhealth.org
www.streetlevelhealth.org / olivia@streetlevelhealth.org (volunteer contact)
Works to improve the health and well-being of underserved urban immigrant and refugee communities in the Bay Area. Services include health screening clinic, referrals to social services, classes (such as mental health, ESL, bike repair, etc.), and social events. Street Level’s Mongolian Health Access Program provides health screening, treatment, education, and information to the immigrant Mongolian community. Youth are encouraged to gain leadership skills and work experience by volunteering with the organization.
**Target Group / Age Range:** Low-income workers; immigrants and refugees, ages 18-64

YMCA OF THE EAST BAY - DOWNTOWN OAKLAND
2350 Broadway / Oakland, CA 94612
(510) 451-9622 / doyinfo@ymcaeastbay.org
http://oakland.ymcaeastbay.org
A membership organization that provides a wide range of health resources and fitness programs, including youth and family oriented activities, that benefit the community. Offerings for youth include winter and summer day camps, annual Healthy Kids Day, a variety of field trips, and youth fitness and sports opportunities.
WORKS to ensure that youth in the juvenile justice system receive treatment that is responsive to their individual needs and nurtures their strengths. Offers a variety of services including gender responsive and culturally appropriate individual and group therapy, one-on-one mentoring, court advocacy, and case management for youth who have had contact with or are at risk for involvement with the juvenile justice system.

**Target Group / Age Range:** Services are targeted to youth, ages 11-24, who have had contact with or are at risk for involvement with the juvenile justice system.

**YOUTH RADIO**
1701 Broadway / Oakland, CA 94612
(510) 251-1101 / youthradio@youthradio.org
www.youthradio.org
Trains young people from under-resourced public schools, community based organizations, group homes, and juvenile detention centers in broadcast journalism, media production, and cutting-edge technology. Youth Radio’s Health Department provides mental and physical health services and information for youth, their families, and their communities, including case management and therapy, nutrition education and healthy food access, teen dating violence prevention, and healthy relationship building.

**Age Range:** Ages 14-24
Check out these other local resources that provide a variety of services for youth.

**ALAMEDA COUNTY PROBATION DEPARTMENT**
Probation Center / 400 Broadway / Oakland, CA 94607  
(510) 268-7050  
www.acgov.org/probation/jfs.htm  
The Probation Department’s Juvenile Services aim to serve and protect diverse communities and to offer rehabilitative opportunities to offenders. Services for young people include prevention services for youth who are at risk for entering the juvenile justice system, gender specific programs for offenders, and a community probation program.

**BAY AREA LEGAL AID**
1735 Telegraph Avenue / Oakland, CA 94612  
(510) 663-4744 / Legal Assistance Line: (510) 250-5270  
www.baylegal.org  
Provides free civil legal services to low-income clients in the following areas: 1) housing, including landlord-tenant issues, unlawful evictions, and housing discrimination; 2) domestic violence prevention; 3) public benefits and economic security; 4) health care access; and 5) youth justice, including foster care benefits, minor-only SSI, special education, and school enrollment issues. The organization doesn’t provide help with criminal matters.  
**Target Group / Age Range:** Low-income, clients with disabilities, Limited English Proficient individuals; all ages
OAKLAND UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
Family & Community Office
2111 International Boulevard / Oakland, CA 94601
(510) 434-7750
http://publicportal.ousd.k12.ca.us (Click on Departments, then select Family & Community Office)

OUSD’s Family & Community Office (FCO) is the primary entry point for many to the school district. The FCO’s services include promoting student, family, and community participation in OUSD schools through enrollment and transfer assistance; bilingual testing; translation support; the All-City Student Council; and supplemental services through the Transitional Students & Families Unit for foster youth, families with uncertain or unstable housing, migrant students, and refugee/asylee students.

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