



HIV ACCESS and EBAC: Linkage Contact List
Alameda County Expanded HIV Testing Project
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Clinic contacts listed and confirmed, in alphabetical order:

Asian Health Services, Oakland

La Clinica de la Raza, Oakland

East Bay AIDS Center (EBAC) and Downtown Youth Clinic, Oakland

Highland and Fairmont HIV Clinics (ACMC) Oakland and San Leandro

Lifelong Medical Center, Berkeley and East Oakland

Tri-City Health Center, Fremont

Asian Health Services

- **Main contact for linkage and access: Koji Sakakibara, HIV Program Coordinator**
- **Phone (direct work cell): 510-984-8660; ksakakibara@ahschc.org**
- 818 Webster St. between 8th and 9th Streets in Oakland Chinatown, Oakland, CA 94607
- <http://www.asianhealthservices.org/handler.php?p=services-HIVAIDS>
- Services prioritized for Asian and Pacific Islanders, especially with limited English proficiency
- Accepting: uninsured; undocumented; Medi-Cal: plain, Alameda Alliance, Blue Cross; Medi-Care
- New patient intake appointments within 2 weeks
- New patient provider appointments within 4 weeks
- Additional services: API language on-site interpretation, dental clinic and limited API-language behavioral health counseling, ADAP enrollment, HIV rapid testing and counseling
- Limitations: very limited case management access
- Required information for referrals: letter or documentation of HIV+ test result (or notify Koji and patient can be re-tested on-site if documentation not available); any other medical information

La Clinica de la Raza

- **Main contact for linkage and access: Marco Partida, Case Manager**
- **Phone: 510-535-3714; mpartida@laclinica.org**
- 3451 East 12th Street Oakland, CA 94601; Transit Village clinic at Fruitvale BART station
- <http://www.laclinica.org>
- Accepting: uninsured, Medi-cal (straight, Alameda Alliance, Blue Cross), Medi-Care, HealthPAC
- New patient (case management) intake appointment within 1 week.
- New patient (medical) provider appointment within 2 weeks.
- Services: Available to all, with focus on Latino community (including monolingual Spanish speaking).
- Additional services: Dental care, vision care, ADAP enrollment, case management, social work, on-site interpretation, housing and other emergency assistance funding.
- Required information for referrals: Confirmatory test result or diagnosis letter.
- Required documentation for establishing care at La Clínica: Last month's pay stub (proof of income), photo ID, utility bill (proof of address)

East Bay AIDS Center (EBAC)

- **Main clinic contact person: Hazel Wesson, EBAC Administrative Manager, direct line: 510-869-8488; wessonh@sutterhealth.org**
- **Back Up: Tony Sillem, Psy. D., MSW; direct line: 510-869-8485; SillemT@sutterhealth.org**
- **Other intake and referral contact: Colleen Timpane, MSW; phone: 510-869-8494; TimpanC@sutterhealth.org**
- 1300 Summit St. 2nd Floor. Oakland, CA 94609
- <http://www.eastbayaids.org>
- Accepting: uninsured and most insurance plans (confirm when calling)
- New patient intake appointments within 1 week
- New patient provider appointments within 2 weeks
- Additional services: ADAP enrollment, case management, social work, interpretation services, psychiatric providers, access to substance abuse counseling and treatment, nutritional counseling, housing, support groups, education and prevention counseling, transportation assistance, on-site pharmacy, and other benefits counseling
- Required information for referrals: lab documentation or letter documenting HIV+ test result (confirmatory testing can be done at EBAC)

EBAC Downtown Youth Clinic (DYC)

- **Main contact for linkage and access: Alex Williams, (Peer Advocate)**
- **Cell (510) 501-3724; alex@downtownyouth.org**
- Back-up contact for linkage and access: Yamini Bhatnager, yamini@downtownyouth.org
- 1300 Summit St. 2nd floor. Oakland, CA 94609
- <http://www.downtownyouth.org/>
- Main clinic number: 510.921.6680, or (510) 501-3724 or (510) 965-5926
- See above for EBAC intake details

Highland and Fairmont HIV Clinics, Alameda County Medical Center

- **Main contact for linkage and access: Caitlin McCarthy, RN**
- **Phone: (510) 535-7616 direct line and (510) 437-8387 (includes voice mail option); cmcarthy@acmedctr.org**
- Direct scheduling questions: Martha Garcia at (510) 437-4792; magarcia@acmedctr.org
- Koret Critical Care and Clinical Center, 7th floor, 1411 East 31st Street, Oakland CA 94602
- http://www.acmedctr.org/HIV_clinics.cfm?M1=2&M2=4&M3=0&P=2310
- Accepting: all patients, all insurances and un-insured patients, except Kaiser plans.
- New patient intake appointments within: 1 week (can be same week depending on urgency)
- New patient provider appointments within: 2 weeks (sick patients can be seen sooner)
- Additional services: case management, ADAP, HIV testing, mental health services.
- Limitations to certain service: rapid HIV testing from 1-4 pm daily only at the Highland site.
- Required information for referrals: Name, letter of diagnosis, release of information from previous provider, past labs if available, list of meds if possible. Newly diagnosed- confirmatory test results.

Lifelong Medical Center, Berkeley

Lifelong Medical Center, East Oakland

- **Main contact for linkage and access at Lifelong Berkeley: Erin McCourt, CHW**
- **Phone (HIV ACCESS number): 510-204-1532**
- Email: emccourt@lifelongmedical.org
- **East Oakland site has small but growing clinical HIV services: contact David Greenberg, RN, HIV nurse case manager; 510-932-1034 (direct cell number), 510- 563-4300 (clinic message line- ask for David in East Oakland), dgreenberg@lifelongmedical.org; new patient appointments are available the same week, and David will help the patient with intake and registration in the Lifelong system**
- Berkeley: 2001 Dwight Way, inside Alta Bates/ Herrick campus, Berkeley, CA 94704
- East Oakland: 10700 MacArthur Blvd. (Foothill Square) Oakland, CA 94605
- <http://lifelongmedical.org/>
- Accepting: uninsured; undocumented; Medi-Cal: plain, Alameda Alliance, Blue Cross; Medi-Care, Alta Bates Medical Group, United Healthcare
- New patient intake appointments within: 2 weeks - typically it is sooner
- New patient provider appointments within: 3 weeks - typically it is sooner
- Additional services: Medical Case Management, ADAP enrollment, Nutrition, Dental (not on site), housing assistance through AIDS Housing and Information Project (representative here once a month), monthly educational group meetings
- Limitations: (staff still deciding on this)
- Required information for referrals: recommended information: any past medical records, lab work, medication lists, immunization lists, insurance documentation etc. are very helpful

Tri-City Health Center

- **Main contact person for linkage and access: Lanika Johnson, Linkage Case Manager**
- **Phone: 510-456-3508; Cell phone (work) 510) 290-5691**
- **Hayward office number 510-727-9232; I am in Hayward Tuesdays and Thursdays, full days.**
- Email: ljohnson@tri-cityhealth.org
- Back-up contact for linkage and access: Roy Coleman and Dan Herrera, part of our new Red Carpet Program to help connect newly diagnosed patients, and those who have been out of care for >1 year, to medical care. Their contact info is rcoleman@tri-cityhealth.org 510-456-3507. Dan's info is dherrera@tri-cityhealth.org and his number is 510-456-3502.
- 39184 State Street, Fremont, CA 94538
- <http://tri-cityhealth.org/>
- Accepting: We take everything. It's OK not to have insurance.
- New patient intake appointments within a couple of days!
- New patient provider appointments within the same day as the intake! I try to make sure everything is done the same day. Examples: ADAP if needed, housing, etc.
- Services prioritized for particular populations: Not really. We prioritize low income and no income. We only work with Alameda county residents or those moving to Alameda County.
- Additional services: ADAP, case management, counseling therapy, interpretation, housing, legal help, IV drug use, groups, transgender services.
- Required information for referrals: please fill out the Tri-City HIV referral form