Fraud Hotline Fact Sheet

In collaboration with the County of Los Angeles Office of County Investigation (OCI) Fraud Hotline, LAHSA has become a partner to prevent and identify various types of fraud across the Los Angeles Continuum of Care and the Los Angeles Coordinated Entry System. Through the OCI Fraud Hotline LAHSA employees, partnering agencies, and participants within LAHSA-funded programs may anonymously report violations of financial fraud, theft, embezzlement, ethics, and waste of public funds.

The OCI Fraud Hotline has live operators Monday through Thursday from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. and is available 24-hours a day online and via email. The online feature of the Hotline can also be used to get status updates of previously filed complaints.

Allegations may be filed by using any of the following contact methods:

Los Angeles County Fraud Hotline
500 W. Temple Street, Suite 515
Los Angeles, CA 90012
Hotline: (800) 544-6861
Fax: (213) 633-0991
Email: fraud@auditor.lacounty.gov
Web: www.fraud.lacounty.gov

Anyone who believes, or has evidence that, fraud or corruption related to LAHSA or any of its contractors has taken place are encouraged to file a report. Reports may be filed against any LAHSA manager, employee, contractor, or vendor who may be committing fraud, or any practice or act where there has been an observation of any activity that results in the waste or misapplication of LAHSA resources.

Informants may identify themselves or remain anonymous. The Office of County Investigations (OCI) and LAHSA strictly honor confidentiality and will not reveal the identity of an informant or source of information without the informant’s expressed authorization or by order of a court of law. However, anonymous reports may be more difficult to investigate due to the inability to contact the informant if additional questions are necessary.

LAHSA believes the OCI Fraud Hotline partnership adds value to our responsibility of administration and oversight of public funds, while strengthening the continuum of services and programming for persons experiencing homelessness that we create and manage.