

Enhancing the IHSS Experience Since 1993

The Public Authority for IHSS is a Public Service and Advocacy Organization that specializes in promoting independent living and supporting high-quality homecare services for IHSS Consumers and Providers in Alameda County.

Our Vision is to maximize independent living and promote quality homecare services for IHSS Consumers and Providers in Alameda County.

Our Mission is to give IHSS Consumers a voice in how services are provided, to improve the availability and quality of IHSS and to support services that enhance the lives of seniors and persons with disabilities who choose to live independently and with dignity in their homes.

Did You Know?

- Interpretation assistance is available upon request for Public Authority services.
- Public Authority services are provided at no cost to IHSS Consumers and Providers.

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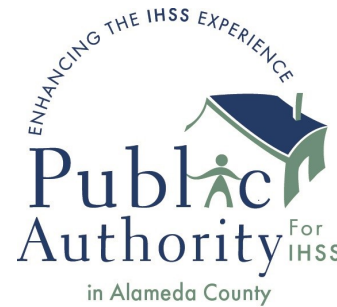
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Registry IHSS Consumers **Phone:** (510) 577-1980

Registry Providers **Phone:** (510) 577-5694

Provider Health Benefits **Phone:** (510) 577-3551

Training & Outreach **Phone:** (510) 577-3554



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**Are you an IHSS Consumer
Looking for an IHSS Provider?**



**Looking for a job as
an IHSS Provider?**

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Registry Services

IHSS Consumers in need of a Provider may contact the Public Authority Registry for assistance in finding an IHSS Provider. All Registry Providers are screened and required to pass a criminal background check. IHSS Providers are available for various schedules throughout the day. To request a list of Providers tailored to a Consumer's specific needs, call the **Consumer Registry**: 510-577-1980. IHSS Providers seeking work may apply to be on the Registry, however are not required to be on the Registry to work as an IHSS Provider. Providers listed on the Registry are screened and referred to IHSS Consumers whose needs and preferences match the Providers skills and availability.

Being an IHSS Provider requires responsibility, reliability and respect for seniors and people with disabilities, while offering varied work schedules and rewarding relationships. IHSS Providers earn \$14.25*/hour plus benefits, assisting people with domestic chores and personal care.

For more information, or to apply to be on the Registry, please call the **Provider Registry**: 510-577-5694.

*(*Wage subject to change)*

"Workers are an extension of our bodies. They are our arms and our legs, eyes and ears." ~ IHSS Consumer

Training & Outreach

The Public Authority is pleased to offer a variety of free trainings and workshops, for Consumers and Providers throughout Alameda County. For more information or for a current class schedule, call **Training & Outreach**: (510) 577-3554 or check our website at: **www.ac-pa4ihss.org**.

Provider Health Benefits

The Public Authority offers eligible IHSS Providers a low-cost health plan that includes medical, dental & vision coverage. **For more information**, call (510) 577-3551.

Advocacy

The Advisory Committee on IHSS supports public policy that improves services and the quality of life for IHSS Consumers. If you are interested in learning more, or would like to attend a meeting, please check our website for the meeting schedule: **www.ac-pa4ihss.org**

In-Home Supportive Services (IHSS)

IHSS is a County-administered program that pays Providers to do **personal care**, such as help with *bathing and getting dressed*, and **household tasks** such as *cooking, shopping and housecleaning*, for MediCal eligible seniors, and people with disabilities who need assistance to remain safely in their homes.

Residents of Alameda county can call (510) 577-1800 to see if they meet the income and disability requirements and **to apply for IHSS**.