## Wayfinder Family Services THE COTTAGE (Transitional Shelter Care)





Children who have been removed from their families because of maltreatment or disruption find safe, temporary shelter at the **Cottage at Wayfinder Family Services**. This transitional shelter care program nurtures and stabilizes children in short-term emergency placements. Working hand-in-hand with the Los Angeles County Department of Children and Family Services, our services ease trauma for children and families. Our 24-hour nursing services and experienced team of professionals care for displaced children with medical challenges.

## **AT A GLANCE**

- Our state-of-the-art facility and supportive, therapeutic environment address trauma
- 24-hour intake program for short-term, immediate crisis and case management
- 1:3 staff-to-child ratio, with a capacity to serve up to 26 children at a time
- Ample space for engaging children in leisure and recreational activities
- · Community activities to develop socialization skills
- On-site nursing services to meet children's medical needs
- County child-welfare staff on-site to coordinate individualized services, including placement and contingency planning

## REFERRAL PROCEDURE

This unique partnership between
Wayfinder Family Services and the
Los Angeles County Department of
Children and Family Services supports
a commitment towards safety,
permanency and well-being, while also
promoting the growth, development and
prosperity of children and families.

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Junior Blind has a new name!



We're so proud of Junior Blind's long history of serving children, youth and adults who are visually impaired and those with developmental disabilities. It's an exciting time in our history as we extend our hands to help children and families facing different challenges. Wayfinder Family Services embraces everyone we serve.