

# Employment

## **ABILITY NOW BAY AREA (Oakland)**

Program offers participants the opportunity to develop employment skills and engage in paid work opportunities.

Website: <https://www.abilitynowbayarea.org/>

Address: 4500 Lincoln Ave., Oakland, CA 94602

Phone: 510-531-3323

## **CALIFORNIA AUTISM FOUNDATION (Richmond)**

Program designed to provide consumers with vocational skills and paid work experience that will enable them to work productively and independently through the ABC Work Activity Program. Website: [www.calautism.org](http://www.calautism.org)

Address: 4138 Lakeside Dr., Richmond, CA 94806

Phone: 510-758-0433

## **CENTER FOR INDEPENDENT LIVING (Berkeley, Oakland, Alameda, Concord)**

Organization is run by and for people with disabilities. Provide counseling to job seekers with how to set goals, enhance skills, and develop resume writing and interviewing techniques. Website: <http://www.thecil.org/>

### **Berkeley:**

Address: 3075 Adeline Street, Suite 100, Berkeley, CA 94703

Phone: 510-841-4776

### **Oakland:**

Address: 1470 Fruitvale Ave, Oakland, CA 94601

Phone: 510-536-2271

### **Alameda:**

Address: 2201 Shoreline Drive, Alameda, CA. 94501

Phone: 510-841-4776

### **Concord:**

Address: 1850 Gateway Blvd. suite 120, Concord CA 94520

Phone: 925.363.7293

## **CLAUSEN HOUSE (Oakland)**

Helps clients choose, obtain, and retain integrated employment in a variety of workplaces. Provide situational assessments, job development and placement, and ongoing training or coaching tailored to the individual's needs.

Website: [www.clausenhouse.org](http://www.clausenhouse.org)

Address: 88 Vernon St., Oakland, CA 94610

Phone: 510-763-3598

## **COLLEGE INTERNSHIP PROGRAM (CIP) (Berkeley)**

A comprehensive transition program for young adults on the Autism Spectrum and with Learning Differences that offers internships, job development and placement, and other career supports, in addition to services in many other areas. Website: <https://cipworldwide.org/cip-berkeley/berkeley-overview/>

Address: CIP Berkeley, 2150 Shattuck Ave., Suite 250, Berkeley, CA 94704

Phone: 510-704-4476

## **COMMERCIAL SUPPORT SERVICES (Antioch, Concord, Richmond)**

Purpose is to help individuals live and work as independently as possible. Website: [www.contracostaarc.com](http://www.contracostaarc.com)

### **Antioch:**

Address: 2505 West Tenth St., Antioch, CA 94509

Phone: 925-755-4925

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## **COMMERCIAL SUPPORT SERVICES (Antioch, Concord, Richmond) *cont'd***

### **Concord:**

Address: 185 Mason Circle, Suite F, Concord, CA 94520

Phone: 925-825-5665

### **Richmond:**

Address: 1420 Regatta Blvd., Richmond, CA 94804

Phone: 510-233-7303

## **COMMUNITY INTEGRATED SUPPORT SERVICES (CISS) (Antioch, Brentwood)**

Program goal is to build self-esteem and skill development for those people who are ready to develop the responsibility of working a paid position. Website: [www.cissinc.org](http://www.cissinc.org)

### **Antioch:**

Address: 1600 A Street, Antioch, CA 94509

Phone: 925-777-0696

### **Brentwood:**

Address: 151 Sand Creek Road, Suite F, Brentwood, CA 94513

Phone: 925-420-6683

## **COMMUNITY INTEGRATED WORK PROGRAM (C.I.W.P.) (Antioch)**

Provides training on a lifestyle that includes paid work, full use of community resources, attainment of the necessary skills to develop and maintain the social relationships which make life meaning and the development of a strong and confident personality. Website: [www.ciwp.org](http://www.ciwp.org)

Antioch: 925.778.2905

[antioch@ciwp.org](mailto:antioch@ciwp.org)

## **CREATIVE GROWTH ART CENTER (Oakland)**

Serve adults artists with developmental and physical disabilities, providing a stimulating environment for artistic instruction, gallery promotion and personal growth. Website: [www.creativegrowth.org](http://www.creativegrowth.org)

Address: 355 24<sup>th</sup> St., Oakland, CA 94612

Phone: 510-836-2340

## **CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF REHABILITATION (DOR) (Concord, Antioch, Richmond)**

Provides individualized employment services and programs including counseling, career assessment and training, assistive technology and accommodations, and supported employment. Youth Services department serves students, youth, and young adults with job exploration, counseling, work readiness and other transition related services.

Website: [www.dor.ca.gov](http://www.dor.ca.gov)

**Antioch** - 3656 Delta Fair Blvd., Antioch, CA 94509

Phone: (925) 754-7700

**Richmond** - 1003 W. Cutting Blvd., Ste. 100, Richmond, CA 94804

Phone: (510) 232-7062 TTY: (844) 729-2800

## **EAST BAY WORKS (Alameda County, Contra Costa County, City of Oakland, City of Richmond)**

Program aligned with federal and state mandates (WIOA) designed to provide individualized career services including case management, career exploration, work-based learning opportunities (paid and unpaid), internships, vocational skill building and training, and supportive services that will enable youth and adults to work productively and independently in the community. Website: [www.eastbayworks.com](http://www.eastbayworks.com)

**Concord AJCC (America's Job Center of California)** Website: <http://www.eastbayworks.com>

Address: 4071 Port Chicago Highway, Concord, CA 94520

Phone: 925- 671-4500

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## **Lao Family Community Development**

Address: 1865 Rummill, Suite B, San Pablo, CA 94806  
Phone: 510.215.1220

Website: <http://www.lfcd.org>

## **Richmond YouthWORKS AJCC**

Address: 330 25<sup>th</sup> St., Richmond, CA 94804  
Phone: 510-412-2044

Website: <https://www.ci.richmond.ca.us/662/YouthWORKS>

## **RichmondWORKS AJCC**

Address: 330 25<sup>th</sup> St., Richmond, CA 94804  
Phone: 510-307-8014 Fax: 510-307-8061

Website: <http://www.ci.richmond.ca.us/661/RichmondWORKS>

## **FOOTHILL COLLEGE: Transition to Work Program (Los Altos Hills)**

The Transition to Work Program is a 12-month vocational program designed for people with disabilities who can function independently on a college campus but may not have the ability to succeed in a traditional college classroom. All TTW classes are taught by Foothill College faculty. Website: <https://foothill.edu/drc/ttw.php>  
Address: 12345 El Monte Rd., Los Altos Hills, CA 94022  
Phone: 650.949.7777  
Email: [ttw@fhda.edu](mailto:ttw@fhda.edu)

## **FUTURES EXPLORED (Concord)**

Provides an intensive interview and appropriate job search process to motivated and capable individuals in order to obtain and maintain employment. Provide programs in advanced vocational training/job readiness, vocation training and social adjustment, mobility training service, and supported employment. Website: [www.futures-explored.org](http://www.futures-explored.org)  
Address: 2150 John Glenn Drive, Suite 300 Concord, CA 94520  
Phone: (925) 332-7183

## **NIAD CENTER FOR ART AND DISABILITIES (Richmond)**

The National Institute of Art and Disabilities is an innovative visual arts center serving adults with developmental and physical disabilities. Provide a professional art gallery and other exhibition opportunities for consumers' work. Website: [www.niadart.org](http://www.niadart.org)  
Address: 551 23<sup>rd</sup> Street, Richmond, CA 94804  
Phone: 510-620-0290

## **POMEROY RECREATION & REHABILITATION CENTER (San Francisco)**

Explore your career interests, and access to all appropriate services and support you'll need to fulfill your dreams of employment or volunteer work. These include training, resume preparation, job search support, peer counseling, on-the-job coaching, and more.  
Web site: [www.prrcsf.org/vocational-programs](http://www.prrcsf.org/vocational-programs)  
Address: 207 Skyline Blvd. (Herbst Road), San Francisco, CA 94132  
Phone: 415-665-4100

## **RUBICON PROGRAMS, INC. (Richmond, Oakland, Berkeley, Concord)**

Provides a broad array of job training, career development, job placement, and retention programs including economic empowerment, one-stop career centers and mental health and wellness. Website: [www.rubiconprograms.org](http://www.rubiconprograms.org)

### **Richmond (General Inquiries):**

Address: 2500 Bissell Ave., Richmond, CA 94804  
Phone: 510-235-1516

### **Richmond (Economic Empowerment):**

Address: 101 Broadway, Richmond, CA 94804  
Phone: 510-412-1725

### **Oakland (Economic Empowerment):**

Address: 2464 East 15<sup>th</sup> Street. Oakland, CA 94601  
Phone: 510-470-9911

### **Concord**

Address: 4071 Port Chicago Hwy, suite 250, Concord CA 94520  
Phone: 925.671.4500

## **SOCIAL VOCATIONAL SERVICES (SVS) (Antioch)**

Provides training and support to live and work in the community successfully. SVS is able to meet the needs of clients with a broad range of needs. Serves clients ages 18 to 65 years of age.

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Phone: 925.331.3116

## **STEPPING STONES GROWTH CENTER (San Leandro)**

Provides job coaching support for individuals in many different situations. Also provides a job development services for those individuals who are deemed "job ready." Website: [www.stepsstonesgrowth.org](http://www.stepsstonesgrowth.org)

Address: 311 MacArthur Blvd., San Leandro, CA 94577

Phone: 510-568-3331

## **TAILORED DAY SERVICES - GEORGE MILLER CENTER (Concord, Richmond)**

Provides clients with highly customizable vocational discovery activities to promote long-term independence, including support for employment, volunteering, internships, self-advocacy, self-regulation, financial literacy, social communication, emergency planning, assistive technology, and mobility training. Web site: [www.contracostaarc.org](http://www.contracostaarc.org)

### **CONCORD:**

Address: 3020 Grant St., Concord, CA 94520

Phone: 925-646-5710

### **RICHMOND:**

Address: 801 Robert Miller Drive, Richmond, CA 94806

Phone: 510-374-3981

## **TOOLWORKS (Concord)**

Provides support to consumers in the areas of deciding what kind of work to do, interviewing and getting a job, and supporting people while on the job. Website: [www.toolworks.org](http://www.toolworks.org)

Address: 2095 Pacheco Street, #C, Concord, CA 94520

Phone: 925-915-9506

## **WORKABILITY I (Sacramento)**

Provides comprehensive pre-employment skills training, employment, placement and follow-up for high school students in special education who are making the transition from school to work, independent living and post secondary education or training. Website: [www.cde.ca.gov/sp/se/sr/wrkabltI.asp](http://www.cde.ca.gov/sp/se/sr/wrkabltI.asp)

Address: California Department of Education, 1430 N Street, Sacramento, CA 95814

Phone: 916-445-1056; 916.319.0800