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## HOMELESS AND EMERGENCY SERVICES

### HOMELESS OUTREACH PROJECT (HOP)

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The Homeless Outreach Project (HOP) began in 1988 to provide street outreach, case management, and information and referral services in Skid Row. HOP's target population are the individuals and families who are living in homelessness, poverty, crime, and violence and who lack the resources to solve their problems and to achieve stability. The project now also provides assessment and referral for substance abuse and mental health services, substance abuse treatment, and youth services – both residential and non-residential. In addition, HOP leads a community-based managed care organization, the Integrated Care System (ICS), which includes over 25 different providers in a variety of coordinated programs.