

ABOUT LAS

Legal Assistance for Seniors (LAS) was founded in 1976 by three local women who identified a significant community need for free legal services for low-income older adults. LAS still exists because older adults continue to face financial fraud, elder abuse, unfair housing practices, or other legal matters.

LEGAL SERVICES



Through community support, our legal team advocates for and supports the rights of older adults. The legal assistance provided to each client is customized to best meet individual needs.







26% ELDER ABUSE
24% HOUSING
24% CONSERVATORSHIP
9% GUARDIANSHIP OF MINORS

^{*}Last Fiscal Year (July 2023 – June 2024)

Read the full Impact Report at www.lashican.org/

HEALTH INSURANCE COUNSELING & ADVOCACY PROGRAM

Our Health Insurance Counseling & Advocacy Program (HICAP) helps adults navigate the Medicare maze through free, one-on-one counseling from certified HICAP Counselors.







LAS staff and Carol Sandoval, a HICAP volunteer



What would be the real economic burden on a person, on a community, if [LAS] weren't around? What would happen to all these people, like me?

— Mr. Roth, HICAP client*



* Read Mr. Roth's story in the full Impact Report at: www.lashicap.org/2024/11/18/impact2024

COMMUNITY EDUCATION PROGRAM

Through deep partnerships with senior centers, houses of worship, senior residences, and community centers, our Community Education (CE) team provides educational opportunities to older adults across Alameda County.







TOP SUBJECTS

51% MEDICARE
26% ELDER ABUSE
PREVENTION
9% HOUSING RIGHTS



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