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## **Masonic Homes of California**

*A charitable trust for housing and health care*

In 1898, the spirit of Masonic charity and the need to assist the widows and orphans of Masons led to the creation of the Masonic Homes of California.

### **Masonic Home at Union City**

Founded in 1898 and located on 267 acres in Northern California, this unique continuing care retirement community provides independent living, assisted living, and skilled nursing for more than 250 senior Masons and their wives or widows. It is an ideal setting for both singles and married couples, featuring private apartments and an array of amenities, including on-site medical and dental clinics, indoor pool and exercise room, pharmacy, computer learning center, meditation chapel, recreation facilities, and more.

### **Masonic Home at Covina**

Originally established in 1909 as an orphanage called the Masonic Home for Children, the renamed 33-acre Masonic Home at Covina is home today to nearly 80 seniors and as many as 55 children in a neighborhood setting.

The Home operates one of the finest residential childcare programs of its kind in the United States, caring for children who have been abandoned, abused, or neglected. Certified family specialists provide family-centered care for up to seven children in each of the houses designed for this program. More than 1,800 children have thrived in this caring environment, which is open to all deserving children. Senior residents are offered independent and assisted living care in spacious apartments, as well as a wide variety of activities and services.

### **Masonic Outreach Services**

Financial aid is available to Masons and their wives or widows who do not reside in a Masonic Home and need help paying for their living accommodations. The assistance augments any existing financial resources such as Social Security and Medi-Cal, and is available for either a short-term situation or until death. Trained staff are also available to answer questions and provide referrals on local housing options, meal programs, governmental financial aid, in-home care, legal services, and more.

For more information about any of the above programs, visit [www.californiamasons.org](http://www.californiamasons.org) or contact Grand Lodge of California at **800/831-8170**.

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