

Home Safety Assessment and Modification Resources San Francisco Bay Area

Assessing your home and making minor modifications are important steps towards reducing the risk of falling and maintaining one's independence. A **Home Assessment** will identify hazards and solutions, and is ideally performed by an Occupational Therapist or safety professional. **Home Modifications** include the installation of safety devices and the removal of hazards, both of which can make a big difference. Services from which you may benefit include the installation of grab bars, stair railings, walker steps, wheel chair ramps, commode rails and non-slip surfaces, removal of clutter and enhancement of lighting.

The organizations below are experienced in performing home safety assessments and modifications. In addition to the resources listed below, many cities have grants and low-interest loans available to assist homeowners with repairs and modifications. Contact your city of residence directly for more information.

Alameda County	Service Area	Payment		Services	
		Private Pay	No Cost / Sliding Scale	Home Assessment	Home Modifications
BERKELEY HOME REPAIR PROGRAM www.ebenergy.org 510.981.7762	Berkeley		√	√	√
CENTER FOR INDEPENDENT LIVING www.cilberkeley.org 510.841.4776	Berkeley		√	√	√
HOME SAFETY SERVICES www.homesafety.net 510.338.0222	Entire County	√		√	√
LIFE ELDER CARE www.lifeeldercare.org 510.574.2090	Fremont Newark Union City		√	√	√
REBUILDING TOGETHER – BERKELEY www.rebuildingtogetherabe.org 510.644.8979	Albany Berkeley Emeryville		√	√	√
REBUILDING TOGETHER – OAKLAND www.rebuildingtogetheroakland.org 510.625.0316	Oakland		√	√	√
Contra Costa County	Service Area	Payment		Services	
		Private Pay	No Cost / Sliding Scale	Home Assessment	Home Modifications
FALL PREVENTION PROGRAM OF CCC www.mowsos.org 925.937.8311 ext. 110	Entire County		√	√	√
HOME SAFETY SERVICES www.homesafety.net 888.388.3811	Entire County	√		√	√
REHAB. SERVICES OF NOR. CAL. (MSSP) www.rsnc-centers.org 925.682.6330	Entire County		√	√	√

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Marin County	Service Area	Payment		Services	
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HOME SAFETY SERVICES www.homesafety.net 888.388.3811	South County	√		√	√
JFCS – SENIORS AT HOME www.seniorsathome.org 415.449.3777	Entire County		√	√	√
MARIN CTR. FOR INDEPENDENT LIVING www.marincil.org 415.459.6245	Entire County		√	√	√
REBUILDING TOGETHER – MARIN www.rebuildingtogethermarin.org 415.408.3492	Entire County		√		√
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HOME SAFETY SERVICES www.homesafety.net 888.388.3811	Entire County	√		√	√
INSTITUTE ON AGING (MSSP) www.ioaging.org 415.750.4150	Entire County		√	√	√
REBUILDING TOGETHER – S.F. www.rebuildingtogethersf.org 415.905.1611	Entire County		√		√
San Mateo County	Service Area	Payment		Services	
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AVENIDAS SENIOR CENTER www.avenidas.org 650.289.5400	South County	√			√
CENTER FOR IND. OF THE DISABLED www.cidсанmateo.org 650.645.1780	Entire County		√	√	√
FAREWELL TO FALLS www.stanfordhospital.org 650.724.9369	Entire County		√	√	√
HOME SAFETY SERVICES www.homesafety.net 650.571.7774	Entire County	√		√	√

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NORTH PEN. NEIGHBORHOOD SRVCS. www.neighborhoodservices.org 650.583.3373	Entire County		√		√
REBUILDING TOGETHER www.rebuildingtogetherpeninsula.org 650.366.6597	Entire County		√		√
SAN MATEO DEPT. OF HEALTH SRVCS. www.co.sanmateo.ca.us 650.573.3900	Entire County		√	√	
Santa Clara County	Service Area	Payment		Services	
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CITY OF MORGAN HILL www.morganhil.ca.gov 408.776.7373	Morgan Hill		√		√
CITY OF SUNNYVALE www.sunnyvale.ca.gov 408.730.7250	Sunnyvale		√		√
FAREWELL TO FALLS www.stanfordhospital.org 650.724.9369	North County		√	√	√
HOME SAFETY SERVICES www.homesafety.net 650.571.7774	Entire County	√		√	√
REBUILDING TOGETHER – S.V. www.rebuildingtogether-sv.org 408.578.9519	Entire County		√	√	√
CITY OF SANTA CLARA www.santaclaraca.gov 408.615.2490	Entire County		√	√	√