Sova Program Center

**Location:** 904 East California Street, Ontario, CA

**Service hours:** Monday to Thursday, 9:00 am – 3:00 pm.

**Contact:** 909-622-3806 #200

Services offered to no, very low and low income families and individuals at the Sova Program Center include:

- Emergency Food – 5 days of basic staple food for each member of your family
- Utility Assistance – payment of one month of electric and/or gas bill (when funding is available).
- Rental Assistance – payment of one month of rental assistance (when funding is available).
- Motel Vouchers – payment of 3-5 days of motel for a family.
- Information and referral to other social service programs.
- Thanksgiving Food Drive – in collaboration with a group of local business people funds and food is collected to offer 600 families a traditional Thanksgiving Dinner.
- The Sova Program Center serves an average of 3,000 individuals a month, up from 1,800 in 2008.

Additional services are offered at the Sova Program Center through collaboration with Catholic Charities:

- Immigration services
- Utility assistance
- Rental assistance
- Clothing
- Furniture

**To volunteer:** Individual and group volunteers conduct drives for food, hygiene items, books, school supplies, diapers, new socks and new underwear. Volunteers are also needed to interview clients and assist in the food pantry and warehouse.

**To donate:** Donations of unopened, unexpired food are welcome during operating hours at this food site.