

## **California Department of Fair Employment and Housing (DFEH)**

### **Fair Housing**

Renters are protected under California Law! Laws enforced by the Department of Fair Employment and Housing (DFEH) protect renters from illegal discrimination and harassment in housing based on:

- Race
- Color
- Religion
- Sex
- Gender
- Gender identity
- Gender expression
- Sexual orientation
- Marital status
- National origin (including language use restrictions)
- Ancestry
- Familial status (households with children under age 18)
- Source of income
- Disability (mental and physical, including HIV/AIDS, cancer, and genetic characteristics)
- Genetic information
- Age