The East Los Angeles Women’s Center is a private nonprofit organization based in Los Angeles, California; the organization has been providing crisis intervention and comprehensive services to underserved women and their children impacted by trauma, violence and HIV/AIDS since 1976.

Embajadora de Paz

EVERY WOMAN is entitled to a peaceful, safe home and to be treated with honor, respect and equality

March
- INTERNATIONAL WOMEN’S DAY
  - International Women’s Day ………… March 8
  - International Women & Girls ………… March 10
  - HIV Awareness Day
  - Mujeres de Paz Annual Awards Dinner … March-May

April
- SEXUAL ASSAULT AWARENESS MONTH
  - Awareness Activities throughout April

October
- DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AWARENESS MONTH
  - Mujeres de Paz Candlelight Vigil ………… 1st Thursday in October

December
- AIDS AWARENESS MONTH
  - World AIDS DAY ……………………… December 1

STAND WITH US.
Become an Embajadora de Paz
Add your voice to our numbers

Art by Yolanda Gonzalez
Advocacy, education, and compassionate support are essential for women who have encountered violence. For 40 years, women throughout the Los Angeles region have relied on the East Los Angeles Women’s Center (ELAWC) to empower and transform their lives. You can be a part of our transformative work by becoming an Embajadora de Paz, an Ambassador for Peace.

BEING AN EMBAJADORA
Embajadoras are committed volunteers from all walks of life who come together with ELAWC to make a real and lasting impact on the future of the center and the women we serve. This dynamic community of women envisions and advocates for a community where women lead safe and healthy lives.

Embajadoras:
• Share skills, resources, and experiences
• Develop innovative events and campaigns to help achieve our mission
• Attend social and educational events sponsored by the center
• Advocate to federal, state, and local governments to support programs and legislative issues that impact women and their children
• Extend our impact with an annual membership contribution of $100.00
• Help grow our numbers by encouraging others to join the Embajadora de Paz Network

The Rewards are Many
• Network with active, influential, and inspiring women in your community
• Join forces with others — to make a bigger difference
• Share talents and develop new skills in a supportive atmosphere
• Receive quarterly updates about ELAWC’s work in Greater Los Angeles
• Receive priority invitations to events and policy making opportunities
• Most importantly — put your voice to work improving the world for women impacted by HIV and sexual violence

MORE THAN NUMBERS. LIVES.
According to the World Health Organization — interpersonal violence is the third leading cause of death among people 10-29 years.
Latinas and African Americans make up 82 percent of women living with AIDS, according to the CDC.

OPPORTUNITIES TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE.
Build awareness through education, outreach and events.
Support legislation and policy that helps improve the system and advocates for survivors.
Increase funding for services in the areas of sexual assault, domestic violence, Human Trafficking and HIV/AIDS.

Join us! Please contact us at the numbers listed, or register by mailing in the membership card. Our Coordinator will contact you and welcome you into the network.