MidPen Housing and Abode Services partnered to develop Laguna Commons, which provides much needed supportive housing for individuals and families, including veterans and formerly homeless households, in Fremont’s Irvington District. Laguna Commons began construction in spring 2015 and welcomed residents in summer 2016.

To best support residents with supportive needs, services are well integrated into the fabric of the community at Laguna Commons. Supportive Services staff are onsite to help all residents access a wide range of programs, including case management, life skills training, job counseling and placement, mental health services, and substance abuse recovery therapy. These services promote self-sufficiency and assist supportive needs residents in overcoming barriers that may interfere with their ability to maintain housing.

In addition to the services provided specifically for formerly homeless residents and veterans, there are health and wellness programs offered to all residents. These programs include health education workshops, healthy cooking classes, financial literacy courses, and an after school program for youth. Residents also enjoy Laguna Commons’ convenient location near grocery stores, a public park, pharmacies and transit lines.