

Gallatin County Resource Guide

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Child Services

Big Brother Big Sisters of Gallatin County

15 South 8th Ave. Bozeman, MT 59715

(406) 587-1216

Big Brothers Big Sisters matches children with an individual adult mentor. The pair meets once a week to help the child build relationships and meet their full potential.

Big Sky Youth Empowerment Project

225 East Mendenhall Bozeman, MT 59715

(406) 551-9660

BYEP believes growth comes from being outside and learning about yourself in a special place like southwest Montana. Youth can apply to engage with others their age and learn skills together through outdoor activities.

Boys and Girls Club of Southwest Montana

3864 Baxter Ln. Bozeman, MT 59718

(406) 587-8442

<http://www.bgcswmt.org>

The Boys & Girls Club of Southwest Montana nurtures young people's self-esteem by instilling in them a sense of belonging, usefulness, influence, and competence, providing young people with one-on-one relationships with caring adult professionals and fun, age-appropriate, well-rounded programming.

Child Care Connections

2415 West Main Street, Ste 1 Bozeman, MT 59718

(406) 587-7786 or 1(800) 962-0418

<http://bozemanccc.org>

They offer a resource and referral agency to families looking for daycare and preschool and financial assistance through funding Montana best beginnings. Child Care Connections is the only resource and referral agency in Gallatin, Park, Meagher, Broadwater, Jefferson, and Lewis and Clark Counties.

Greater Gallatin United Way

945 Technology Blvd. Suite 101 F, Bozeman, MT 59718

(406) 587-2194

Community based nonprofit serving Gallatin, Park, and Meagher Counties run by local volunteers. They offer human health education and financial stability, fund programs, administer after school programs, and assist with the Help Center.

Greater Gallatin Homeless Action Coalition

gghacmontana@gmail.com

Community-Connect is a one day event in Bozeman that brings together community volunteers to provide families and individuals access to a variety of services. It is an annual event held at the Bozeman public library.

Head Start

32 South Tracy, Bozeman, MT 59715

Program Coordinator – (406) 582-1767

HRDC – (406) 587-4486

Email: headstart@thehrdc.org

HDRC Head Start is a high-quality preschool program for children & families, promoting the development of the whole child, and forming a foundation for school readiness & lifelong learning. They offer low-cost and no-cost preschool for families in Bozeman, Belgrade, and Livingston.

Thrive

407 S Ferguson Ave, Bozeman, MT 59718

(406) 587-3840

<http://allthrive.org>

Thrive provides several programs for family development such as Child Advancement Project (CAP) Mentors, Parent Liaisons to support parents, and Parent Place which provides free classes, activities, and support.

Youth Dynamics

1609 West Babcock, Suite A, Bozeman, MT 59715

(406) 585-9402

<http://youthdynamics.org>

Youth Dynamics is a non-profit organization that works throughout the state of Montana to provide mental health treatment to children and support to their families. Some of their services include therapy, case management, family education and support, foster and respite care, mentoring, therapeutic youth home care, equine-assisted therapy, substance abuse treatment, and independent living skills.

Disabilities

A.W.A.R.E

1811 West Koch, Bozeman, MT 59715

(406) 587-1181

<http://www.aware-inc.org>

This is a nonprofit human services agency that serves those with disabilities through case management, counseling, early childhood services, group homes, etc.

Eagle Mount

6901 Goldenstein Ln. Bozeman, MT 59715

(406) 586-1781

<http://www.eaglemount.org>

Through therapeutic recreational programs, Eagle Mount assists those with physical or mental disabilities and cancer.

Family Outreach

1315 East Main, Bozeman, MT 59715

(406) 587-2477

<http://www.familyoutreach.org>

Family Outreach supports families with child or adults with disabilities through case management, budget management, early childhood services, adult development, etc.

Reach, Inc.

322 Gallatin Park Dr. Bozeman, MT 59715

(406) 587-1271

<http://www.reachinc.org>

Reach provides group homes and supported living along with vocational opportunities such as finding a job and workshops to learn/enhance skills for those with developmental disabilities and Reach assists with transportation as well.

Education and Employment

Bozeman Job Service

121 North Wilson Ave. Bozeman, MT 59715

(406)582-9200

Email- BozemanJSC@mt.gov

<https://montanaworks.gov/job-service-montana>

Training/education, veteran services, unemployment, and disability services are some of the ways that employers and those seeking employment can be served by Bozeman Job Service.

Bozeman Public Schools, Adult Basic & Literacy Education (ABLE)

Bozeman Adult Learning Center

404. West Main St. Room 227, Bozeman, MT 59715

(406) 522-6012

Offer daytime and evening classes such as HiSET prep classes, college prep classes, and English Language classes.

https://www.bsd7.org/teaching_and_learning/adulted

Career Transitions

189 Arden Dr. Belgrade, MT 59714

(406) 388-6701

Career transitions provides job training, career counseling, education programs, and case management services to single parents, low income families, single woman, pregnant woman, people with disabilities, veterans, and many others.

<http://www.careertransitions.com>

Montana Vocational Rehabilitation

220 West Lamme St. Suite 1C, Bozeman, MT 59715

(406) 587-0601

<http://www.dphhs.mt.gov/detd/vocrehab/>

Puts social and rehabilitation services in place to help eligible individuals with disabilities find and maintain employment.

MSU GED Testing and Information Center

Rm 19 Renne Library, Montana State University

(406) 994-6984

<http://www.montana.edu/testing/index.html>

All testing is done by appointment. Call to make an appointment. Tests include, but are not limited to, GRE, MCAT, ACT, CPA, NRET, etc.

Financial

Rural Dynamics, Inc.

410 Central Avenue, Suite 401 Great Falls Mt, 59403

<http://ruraldynamics.org/>

406-454-5709

Bozeman location closed, but can call number listed for Great Falls assistance. Assists clients in achieving financial independence by providing a resolution for financial problems through confidential counseling, education, debt management services, and intervention between clients and creditors.

Food

Fork and Spoon

206 E Griffin Dr, Bozeman, MT 59715

(406) 587-4225

A “pay what you can” sit-down restaurant that serves healthy, family-friendly meals from 5pm-7pm Sunday-Friday.

Gallatin Valley Food Bank

206 E Griffin Dr, Bozeman, MT, 59715

(406) 587-4486

<http://www.gallatinvalleyfoodbank.org>

The Gallatin Valley Food Bank offers a grocery store (interview process and can shop once a month), bread and produce room (overflow with no limit on visits), Senior Nutrition, kids meals, and the Fork and Spoon “pay what you can” restaurant. Satellite sites available in Big Sky and Three Forks.

Health

Adolescent Resource Center (Alcohol and Drug Services of Gallatin County)

2310 N 7th Ave, Bozeman, MT 59715

(406) 586-5908

<https://www.rehab.com/adolescent-resource-center/5162803-r#contact>

The Adolescent Resource Center is a division of Alcohol and Drug Services of Gallatin County. It provides outpatient adolescent treatment, prevention programs and education on parenting adolescents.

Insight- Alcohol and Drug Assistance Center

1106 S. 6th Ave. Bozeman, MT 59715

(406) 994-5937

<http://www.montana.edu/oha/insight/>

The Insight/MIP program is a three level alcohol and drug assistance program that is open to all MSU students. The center provides confidential treatment and resources for all students who are either directly or indirectly affected by chemical or alcohol abuse. The center provides referrals, pre-assessment support, offers workshops, provides information on local treatment and recovery programs, gives support to friends and family that are/were affected by chemical and alcohol abuse, and many other resources.

Bozeman Health Belgrade Clinic

206 Alaska Frontage Rd. Belgrade, MT 59714

(406) 414-3334

<https://www.bozemanhealth.org/locations/bozeman-health-belgrade-clinic/>

Provide family medicine, urgent care, Pediatrics, physical therapy, and more.

Bozeman Urgent Care

1006 West Main St. Bozeman, MT 59715

(406) 414-4800

<https://www.bozemanhealth.org/services/urgent-care/>

Provides urgent, micro, emergency, and virtual care.

Bridgercare

1288 N. 14th Ave 2nd floor Bozeman, MT 59715

(406) 587-0681

<http://www.bridgercare.org>

Bridgercare is a nonprofit reproductive healthcare facility for women and men. Bridgercare accepts private insurance, Medicaid, and Medicare; fees are based on patient income and family size (services are provided regardless of ability to pay).

Community Health Partners

1695 Tschache Ln, Bozeman, MT 59718

(406) 585-1360

19 East Main St. Belgrade, MT 59714

(406) 924-5754

112 W Lewis St. Livingston, Mt 59047

(406) 222-1111

11 S Electric St

(406) 646-9441

<http://www.chphealthymt.org>

Community Health Partners is a private, nonprofit organization that covers many forms of medicine from pediatrics to adult. All forms of insurance are accepted; private, Medicaid/care, Healthy Montana Kids, and sliding scales.

Gallatin Mental Health Center (GMHC)

699 Farmhouse Ln. Bozeman, MT 59715

(406) 556-6500

<https://wmmhc.org/who-we-are/>

bozeman@wmmhc.org

GMHC has multiple services for both adults and youth when it comes to dealing with mental health. Services include a suicide prevention hotline, full continuum of care including crisis response teams in the major population centers, crisis stabilization facilities, adult and youth group homes, day treatment, drop in centers, vocational services, outpatient, medical outpatient, independent living and chemical dependency outpatient treatment. GMHC also has school based programs for youth. GMHC does not deny care based on ability to pay, as all insurance and sliding scale fee programs can be accepted.

Hope House (Part of GMHC)

(406) 586-3333

Hope House is a crisis stabilization center that offers 24-hour monitoring of persons 18 years + suffering from a mental health crisis.

Help Center

421 East Peach St. Bozeman, MT 59715

(406) 586-3333

<http://www.bozemanhelpcenter.org>

The Help Center has a 24 hour phone line (211) for crisis intervention (suicide). They also provide human services, crisis counseling, information, and referrals.

Housing

HRDC Warming Center

2015 Wheat Dr, Bozeman, MT 59715

406-556-1123

<https://thehrdc.org/how-we-help/emergency-assistance/emergency-housing/>

The Warming Center is a community funded seasonal shelter available to anyone in need; families with children, single adults, and couples are welcome. Separate sleeping areas are provided. Trained staff and volunteers are on-site at all times during operating hours.

Family Promise

1603 Tschache Ln, Bozeman, MT 59715

(406) 582-7388

<http://familypromisegv.org>

info@familypromisegv.org

This is the only non-profit network of diverse faith organizations working together to help Gallatin Valley's homeless families with children. Each congregation provides shelter and meals, while each family is assisted by their professional social workers in finding and implementing lasting solutions to their unique situation. Based on a national program, FPGV is over 80% successful in getting families into stable housing and effective employment.

Legal

Gallatin Co. Self Help Law Center

615 South 16th Ave. Bozeman, MT 59715

(406) 582-2158

<http://www.courts.mt.gov>

The SHLC provides legal information about civil legal matters, focusing primarily on family law and landlord tenant information. Cannot provide legal advice

Gallatin Legal Assistance Clinic

(406) 543-8343 x 207

This is Family law clinic is staffed by attorneys who volunteer their time to help guide and answer questions. Eligibility is based on income; call to make an appointment. People can visit the self-help law center first to find appropriate paperwork before attending a clinic.

Gallatin Co. Victim Witness Assistance Program

615 South 16th Ave. Suite 313 Bozeman, MT 59715

Victim Assistance – (406) 582-2075

HAVEN Legal Advocate – (406) 582-2038

Guardian Ad Litem/CASA – (406) 582-2051

<https://gallatincomt.virtualltownhall.net/victim-witness>

The Victim Services Center combines 3 programs to provide comprehensive services to victims in Gallatin County. Located in the Law and Justice Center, the center is a warm, caring environment where victims can be safe and receive the assistance needed. The center is a joint effort of Gallatin County, the City of Bozeman, the private non-profit Network Against Sexual and Domestic Violence and the private, non-profit Gallatin County Guardian Ad Litem/CASA Program.

Montana Family Transition Project

Phone: (406) 543-8343 extension 207

Email: mediate@mtlsa.org

The Montana Family Transition Project offers you the chance to decide what's next for your family, instead of going to court and having a judge decide. A trained professional mediator will help you and your co-parent talk through the issues and make a plan that will work for your lives. You can also get legal advice from an attorney and help calculating child support, all at no cost to you. Both parties need to participate.

To qualify, you and the other party must:

- need a parenting plan or divorce*
- Have at least one child*
- Have a case in a Montana court or be planning to file in Montana*

At least one of you must

- Not have a lawyer*
- Meet certain income requirements*

Senior

Belgrade Senior Center

92 East Cameron Ave. Belgrade, MT 59714

(406) 388-4711

<http://www.belgradeseniorcenter.com/home/html>

The Belgrade Senior Center is dedicated to promoting friendship and serving people 50 years or older through nutritional, social, recreational, and health and education services.

Bozeman Senior Social Center

807 North Tracy Ave. Bozeman, MT 59715

(406) 586-2421

<http://www.bozemanseniorcenter.org>

A non-profit that provides educational, recreational, fitness, and supportive services for individuals 50 and older in southwestern Montana.

Meals on Wheels Program

807 North Tracy Ave. Bozeman, MT 59715

(406) 586-2421

Montana Legal Services Association

616 Helena Ave #100, Helena, MT 59601

Phone: (800) 666-6899

Website: www.mtlsa.org

MLSA is a federally and privately funded nonprofit organization that provides non-criminal legal aid to low-income people throughout Montana. Residents seeking civil legal help can contact MLSA via phone, online, or walk-in to request free information, advice, and/or representation.

Thanks to a grant from the federal Administration for Community Living (ACL), Montana Legal Services Association (MLSA) currently has more resources to address the civil legal needs of elderly Montanans. MLSA civil legal assistance helps vulnerable elderly people address a wide range of civil legal problems, including financial exploitation, debt and consumer issues housing issues, and abuse.

Transportation

Galavan

1812 North Rouse, Bozeman, MT 59715

(406) 587-2434 – Call (by 3:00 p.m. the day before your trip) to schedule a ride

<https://thehrdc.org/how-we-help/transportation/door-to-door/>

Galavan provides transportation to those over 59 and persons with disabilities. A suggested donation of \$2 helps support this service. The van is wheelchair accessible. Services primarily in town, but also make trips to Three Forks Monday-Saturday from 7:00 a.m. through 6:00 p.m. and Belgrade on Tuesdays and Fridays from 8:00 a.m. through 3:30 p.m.

Streamline Bus Service

1812 North Rouse Ave. Bozeman, MT 59715

(406) 587.2434

<http://www.streamlinebus.com>

The Streamline is a free service that provides transportation to and from Bozeman, Belgrade, Four Corners, Livingston, and Bridger Bowl, Big Sky (connects with the skyline bus system).

Veterans

American Legion

Gallatin Post-14

225 East Main St. Bozeman, MT 59771

(406) 586-8400

Veteran Services at Montana State University

Montana State University, Strand Union Building, Room 185, Bozeman, MT 59717

(406) 994-3661

<http://www.montana.edu/veteran/>

Our offices are here to assist students with veteran educational benefits. Offers a Veteran Support Center where students can meet other veterans and study alongside them or seek the assistance of a tutor, provides information on all state and federal benefit programs for veterans, and provides a variety of other services to veterans attending MSU.

VA-Based Outpatient Clinic

300 North Wilson, Suite 703G, Bozeman, MT 59715

(406) 582-5300

Women's Resources

Department of Family Services

220 West Lamme, Suite 2B, Bozeman, MT 59715

(406) 585-9984

<https://dphhs.mt.gov/cfsd/childfamilyservices>

This agency offers child protection services and family resources and investigates suspected cases of abuse and/or neglect; offers foster home training and licensing, day care certification, and special needs adoptions.

HAVEN

132 Pond Row, Bozeman, MT 59718

Crisis line - (406) 586-4111

Business office – (406) 586-7689

Legal advocate – (406) 582-2038

Haven has a 24hour Support Line, a temporary confidential domestic shelter, legal assistance and advocacy, support and education for battered women and their children, community education. Haven also provides information and referrals for temporary restraining orders.

La Leche League

(406) 624-9388

<https://www.llli.org/la-leche-league-montana/>

This is an international, nonprofit, nonsectarian organization that offers free breastfeeding information/ support group staffed by Certified Lactation Counselors. Sponsored by Gallatin City-County Health Department, The Cozy Nest, and Bozeman Deaconess Hospital, this meeting gives mothers an opportunity to meet with other mothers in the community, share experiences, and get the support that new mothers need.

The VOICE Center (at Montana State University)

751 W Grant St, Bozeman, MT 59715

24hr Confidential Support Line – (406) 994-7069

Main office – (406) 994-7069

<http://www.montana.edu/voice/>

The Montana State University VOICE Center helps students who have been impacted by sexual assault, relationship violence, or stalking through legal advocacy, confidential support line (can text), and navigation of MSU.

WIC (Women, Infants, and Children)

215 West Mendenhall, Bozeman, MT 59715

(406) 582-3115

wic@gallatin.mt.gov

<https://www.healthygallatin.org/family-health/wic/>

The Women, Infants and Children (WIC) program is a supplemental nutrition program providing healthy food, breastfeeding support, and nutrition education. WIC is available to income eligible moms who are pregnant, breastfeeding, and postpartum along with dads, foster parents and grandparents, or any guardian of a child under 5 years old. SNAP and Head Start participants automatically qualify.

Other**Bozeman Public Library**

626 E. Main St. Bozeman, MT 59715

(406) 582-2400

[Http://www.bozemanlibrary.org](http://www.bozemanlibrary.org)