Child Services

Child & Family Services
108 Pinckney Street, Hamilton, MT 59840
Phone (406) 363-1961
Fax: (406) 363-7553
24-Hour Child Abuse Hotline: (866) 820-5437
Website: [http://dphhs.mt.gov/CFSD/childfamilyservicescontacts](http://dphhs.mt.gov/CFSD/childfamilyservicescontacts)
Keeping children safe and families strong.

Emma’s House - Children’s Advocacy Center
P.O. Box 2034, Hamilton, MT 59840
800 N. 2nd St., Hamilton, MT 59840
Phone: (406) 363-7216
Fax: (406) 363-4036
Website: [http://www.emmashousecac.org/](http://www.emmashousecac.org/)
At Emma’s House our primary concern is a child’s safety. We work together to ensure that children feel safe and comfortable. We strive to reduce trauma and promote healing for children and their families.

Linda Massa Youth Home
196 Providence Way, Hamilton, MT 59840
Phone: (406) 363-0619
Email: agrreen@youthhomesmtn.org
Website: [http://youthhomesmtn.org/group_homes/the-linda-massa-youth-home/](http://youthhomesmtn.org/group_homes/the-linda-massa-youth-home/)
Contact person: Anna Green, Program Director
The Linda Massa Youth Home (formerly known as the Bitterroot Youth Home) is an eight-bed group home that is dually licensed to provide short-term crisis intervention and longer-term group care for youth, ages 10 to 18.
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Ravalli Head Start (Ages 3 and 4)
81 Kurtz Lane, Hamilton, MT 59840
Phone: (406) 363-1217
Fax: (406) 363-1627
Email: rhs@ravalliheadstart.org
Website ravalliheadstart.org
81 Kurtz Lane, Hamilton, MT 59840
Ravalli Head Start is a federally funded program provided at NO COST to low income families living in Ravalli and Missoula Counties.

Ravalli Early Head Start (Ages newborn to 3)
103 S 9th St, Suite 106, Hamilton, MT 59840
Phone: (406) 363-7412
Fax: (406) 363-7287
Email: rehs@ravalliheadstart.org
Website: ravalliheadstart.org
Ravalli Head Start is a federally funded program provided at NO COST to low income families living in Ravalli and Missoula Counties.

WIC
205 Bedford St. Suite P, Hamilton, MT 59840
Phone: (406) 375-6685
Fax: (406) 375-6690
Website: http://ravalli.us/211/Women-Infants-Children-WIC
WIC is a nutrition program that provides nutrition and health education, breastfeeding support, access to healthy foods and referrals to other services. We serve families with infants and children up to age 5, and pregnant and postpartum moms. We welcome moms, dads, grandparents and foster families. Please see the eligibility guidelines below or call us with questions or to set up an appointment.

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Youth Court Services
220 S. 3rd St, Hamilton, MT 59840
Phone: (406) 375-6805
Fax: (406) 375-6806
Website: [http://ravalli.us/277/Youth-Court](http://ravalli.us/277/Youth-Court)

*Under the Montana Youth Court Act, the Youth Court Juvenile Probation is a mandated function of county government directed by the District Court Judge.*

Alcoholics Anonymous
24-Hour Hotline: (406) 443-0438
For AA meetings in your area: 1-888-607-2000
Preferred method of communication: By phone or visit [https://www.aa-montana.org/](https://www.aa-montana.org/)
For A.A. members to “share their experience, strength and hope with each other that they may solve their common problem and help others to recover from alcoholism.”

Office of Public Assistance
2677 Palmer, Suite 100, Missoula, MT 59808
HelpLine Phone: 1-888-706-1535
Email: hhscsoparnissoula@mt.gov
To provide respectful, prompt, and accurate services for our clients.

Disabilities

Developmental Disabilities Program - Region 5 Office
2675 Palmer St Suite B, Missoula, MT 59808
Phone: (406) 329-5415
Fax: (406) 329-5490
Contact person:
Preferred method of communication:
*Create a system that coordinates resources, supports and services for people to have meaningful lives in their communities.*
Ravalli Services Corporation
219 Pennsylvania Ave, Hamilton, MT 59840
(406) 363-5400
*Helps individuals with developmental and intellectual disabilities find inclusion and integration within their communities by providing a broad base of professional support for the home, work, and community environments in order that each individual thrives.*

Summit Independent Living Center
299 Fairgrounds Road, #4, Hamilton, MT 59840

*Mission statement or summary of service provided (not necessary but a best practice)*

**Financial**

Rural Dynamics
Phone: (877) 275-2227
Website: ruraldynamics.org
*Helping people achieve financial security is at the heart of all we do. We utilize both direct service programs such as counseling, coaching, lending, and tax preparation as well as indirect strategies such as coalition building and policy advocacy. We are licensed in Montana, Wyoming, Idaho, Washington, Oregon, and Minnesota and with branch locations in Montana and Idaho.*

**Food**

Bitterroot Valley Calvary Chapel
700 N 4th St., Hamilton, MT 59840
Phone: (406) 363-3431
*Calvary Chapel Bitterroot Valley Food Bank hours are Monday and Thursday 9 A.M. to noon.*
Haven House Food Bank
316 N 3rd St #162, Hamilton, MT 59840
Phone: (406) 363-2450

Haven House Food Bank is a food pantry. Food pantry service hours: 10 to 2 Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.

Pantry Partners
3614 ALC Way, Stevensville, MT 59870
Phone: (406) 777-0351

Salvation Army
126 W. Main St., Hamilton, MT 59840
Phone: (406) 210-1453

Ravalli Public Health Department
205 Bedford St Suite L, Hamilton, MT 50840
Phone: (406) 375-6670
Fax: (406) 375-6680
website: ravalli.us/207/Public-Health

Health

Bitterroot Valley Counseling & Educational Center
217 N 3rd St., Hamilton, MT 59840
Phone: (406) 363-3882

Bitterroot Valley Counseling & Educational Center is a Psychologist office located in Hamilton, MT. A psychologist focuses on the evaluation, prevention, diagnosis, and treatment of mental, emotional and behavioral health issues. A clinical psychologist uses psychotherapy and other counseling skills to improve emotional and mental health.
Genesis House
Phone: (406) 777-3751
116 College St., Stevensville, MT 59870
Substance abuse clinic.

Ravalli Public Health Department
205 Bedford St Suite L, Hamilton, MT 50840
Phone: (406) 375-6670
Fax: (406) 375-6680
Website: ravalli.us/207/Public-Health

Riverfront Mental Health Center
209 N 10th St., Hamilton, MT 59840
Phone: (406) 532-9101

Western Montana Addiction Services
209 N 10th Suite C, Hamilton, MT 59804
Phone: (406) 532-9140
Fax: (406) 363-3061
Website: http://www.westernmontanaaddictionservices.org/
Email: missoulaaddiction@wmmhc.org
WMAS provides prevention, intervention, outpatient and residential services to adults and adolescents and their families in Lake, Mineral, Missoula, and Ravalli counties in Western Montana.

Housing

Big Sky Christian Center Homeless Shelter
116 Bowman Rd., Hamilton, MT 59840
Phone: (406) 363-500
The Big Sky Christian Center is a dormitory style shelter with rooms for individual and roommate living arrangements. The goal of our program is to help participants become self sufficient. Our program offers help in finding employment by helping with job search, applications, writing a resume, writing a cover letter, and preparing for interviews. We also help participants in applying for state assistance, such as TANF as well as SSI and SSDI.
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District XI Human Resource Development Council
303 N. Third, Hamilton, MT 59840
Phone: (406) 363-6101
Email: info@hrcxi.org
Website: http://www.humanresourcecouncil.org/

The Human Resource Council (HRC) is a non-profit corporation established as a result of the Economic Opportunity Act of 1964. We are one of ten Human Resource Development Councils who partner together to serve the entire state of Montana in twelve districts. We are District Eleven which is made up of Mineral, Missoula and Ravalli Counties. Each year almost 10,000 low-income individuals in these three counties are positively impacted by our efforts.

Hotel/Motel Emergency Shelter - Salvation Army
126 W. Main St., Hamilton, MT 59840
Phone: (406) 210-1453

Legal

Bitterroot CASA
127 W Main St #9, Hamilton, MT 59840
Phone: (406) 961-4535

Bitterroot CASA advocates for the best interests of children who are under the protection of the district court, seeking to assure safe, permanent families for them as quickly as possible. Bitterroot CASA is committed to providing all abused, neglected, and exploited children a voice in the court process.

Clerk of the District Court
205 Bedford St, Suite D, Hamilton, MT 59840
Phone: (406) 375-6701
Fax: (406) 375-6721
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Public Defender’s Office - Hamilton
300 S. 2nd St., Hamilton, MT 59840
Phone: (406) 363-7999
Fax: (406) 375-6105

Bitterroot Valley Chamber of Commerce
105 E Main St., Hamilton, MT 59840
Phone: (406) 363-2400
Fax: (406) 363-2402
Email: localinfo@bvchamber.com
Website: http://bitterrootchamber.com
The Bitterroot Valley Chamber of Commerce is a non-profit organization, dedicated to representing each and every one of its members while amplifying the collective voice of business in an effort to advocate economic vitality, quality of life and the preservation of the competitive enterprise system.

Ravalli County Sheriff’s Office
205 Bedford St Suite G, Hamilton, MT 59840
Phone: (406) 375-4060
Fax: (406) 375-4065
Website: http://www.ravalli.us/245/Sheriff
Contact person: Chris Hoffman, Ravalli County Sheriff

Seniors

Hamilton Senior Center
820 N 4th St, Hamilton, MT 59840
Phone: (406) 363-5181
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Missoula Ravalli Transportation Management Association
2820 S Higgins, Missoula, MT 59801
Phone: (406) 327-8707
Fax: (406) 327-8711
iRide Vanpool/Carpool: (406) 327-8515
TTY: 1-800-335-7592
Website: mrtma.org
Contact person: Lyn Hellegaard, Executive Director

Missoula Ravalli Transportation Management Association helps Western Montana residents make better transportation choices today and in the future by developing comprehensive transportation alternatives designed to: minimize traffic, reduce parking congestion, protect our environment, and improve our quality of life.

Ravalli County Council on Aging
310 Old Corvallis Rd., Hamilton, MT 59840
Phone: (406) 363-5690
Fax: (406) 363-0401
Email: info@ravalliccoa.org
Website: ravalliccoa.org
By providing essential services for seniors, our communities become stronger, provide better stability and reinforce our belief that Ravalli County is one of the best place to live!

Retired Seniors Volunteer Program (RSVP)
401 W Main, Suite B, Hamilton, MT 59840
Phone: (406) 363-1102
Email: RSVPRavalli@montana.com
Website: rsvpmontana.org
Contact person: Colleen Gilligan Dahlstrom, Volunteer Coordinator

The Retired & Senior Volunteer Program, RSVP, provides persons 55 and older the opportunity to apply their life experiences to meet critical community needs.
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**Stevensville Senior Care**
100 Mission Street, Stevensville, MT 59870  
Phone: 406-777-5681  
Preferred method of communication:  
*Serving Lunch Mon thru Fri 11:30 am.*

**Victor Senior Center**
243 5th St., Victor, MT 59875  
Mailing address: P.O. Box 35, Victor, MT 59875  
Phone: (406) 642-3320  
*Serving Lunch Monday thru Friday at 11:30am.*

**Veterans**

**Valley Veterans Services Center**
217 N 3rd St I, Hamilton, MT 59840  
Phone: (406) 363-9838  
*Provides dignified, confidential and empowering advocacy for the Bitterroot Valley's veterans.*

**Women’s Resources**

**Missoula YWCA**
1130 W. Broadway, Missoula, MT 59802  
Crisis Line: (406) 542-1944  
Phone: (406) 543-6691  
Fax: (406) 543-6777  
Email: ywca@ywcaormissoula.org  
*The YWCA’s Pathways Program offers shelter, crisis counseling and support for survivors of domestic and sexual violence, including the 24-hour crisis hotline; safe shelter for women, men and children fleeing abusive situations; walk-in peer counseling; weekly support groups; in-house short-term therapy; referrals to community resources; and legal, personal and medical advocacy.*
Ravalli County Victim Witness
Phone: (406) 363-4007

Provides support and assistance for victims of and witnesses to violent crime.

S.A.F.E.
Hotline (24/7): (406) 363-4600
Phone: (406) 363-2793
Email: safe@safeinthebitterroot.org
Contact person: Rachael Shea, Shelter Advocate

SAFE’s mission is to address the fundamental need in our community to decrease domestic and sexual violence and its impact in Ravalli County, Montana through the provision of direct services to survivors and their children and by working to minimize those conditions that support violence against women.

Other

Bitterroot Humane Association
262 Fairgrounds Rd, Hamilton, MT 59840
Phone: (406) 363-5311
Website: http://bitterroothumane.org/

Provide caring, compassionate shelter and enrichment for homeless companion animals, find loving lifelong homes, reunite pets and owners, promote population control, and advocate for all animals.
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Office of Emergency Management
205 Bedford St, Suite J, Hamilton, MT 59840
Phone: (406) 375-6655
Fax: (406) 375-6648

The Office of Emergency Management (OEM) is a division of our Sheriff’s Office and is the local agency responsible for emergency and disaster prevention and preparedness and coordination of response and recovery (10-3-201, MCA).

Hamilton Job Service
274 Old Corvallis Rd, Suite D, Hamilton, MT 59840
Phone: (406) 363-1822
Fax: (406) 363-1823
Email: HamiltonJSC@mt.gov

Montana’s One-Stop Centers make up a statewide system of workforce development partners that collaborate to provide customer focused employment and training opportunities that prepares, trains, and connects a highly skilled workforce to the business community striving to enhance and improve long term employment outcomes for job seekers and business.

Trapper Creek Job Corps Center
5139 West Fork Rd, Darby, MT 59829
Phone: (406) 821-3286
Fax: (406) 821-3290
Website: [http://trappercreek.jobcorps.gov/](http://trappercreek.jobcorps.gov/)

Job Corps is a no-cost education and career technical training program administered by the U.S. Department of Labor that helps young people ages 16 through 24 improve the quality of their lives through career technical and academic training.