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Child Services

Baby Bistro

Glendive Medical Center 202 Prospect Dr. Glendive, MT 59330

(800) 660-4325 | (406) 345-3306 | www.gmc.org

Held every Tuesday from 4pm-6pm in the Acute Care waiting room. For babies up to 1 year-old. Opportunity to meet and speak with a certified lactation counselor; have your baby weighed and measured by a RN; receive breastfeeding support and get expert advice about positioning, latching, establishing or managing milk supply, pumping, weaning, etc.; meet other moms and babies in the community. The last Tuesday of every month a physical or occupational therapist is available to provide free developmental assessments. No appointment necessary and services are free.

Boys and Girls Clubs of Richland County

111 W. Bell St.

P.O. Box 875

Glendive, MT 59330

(406) 377-7999 http://www.boysandgirlsclubofdawsoncounty.com/

Provides mentoring and after-school activities for school-age children and teens. Also provides homework assistance and educational assistance for suspended students as well as a summer food program. Cost of services: Fees apply but scholarships are available.

Child and Family Ombudsman

P.O. Box 201417

Helena, MT 59620

(844) 252-4453 | dojombudsman@mt.gov | dojmt.gov/enforcement/childrensjustice Independent and impartial state official tasked with investigating issues within DPHHS. Works with agencies and providers across the state which care for children at risk of abuse or neglect.

Child Protective Services

708 Palmer

P.O. Box 880

Miles City, MT 59301

24-Hour Child Abuse Hotline: (866) 820-5437 | (406) 234-1385 | Fax: (406) 234-6755 Protects children who have been or are at substantial risk of abuse, neglect, or abandonment by receiving and investigating reports of child abuse and neglect, working to prevent domestic violence, helping families to stay together or reunite, and finding placements in foster or adoptive homes. Also recruits and licenses foster parents.

Child Safety Seat Program

Dawson County Health Department 207 W. Bell St.

Glendive, MT 59330 (406) 377-5213

Provides child safety seats at no cost to families that meet eligibility requirements to ensure children are in the best child seat for their height and weight. Appointments are scheduled with certified car seat technicians.

Child Support Services Division

1500 Poly Drive, Suite 200 Billings, MT 59102 406-655-5545 406-655-5545 (Fax)

https://dphhs.mt.gov/csed

Provides services in the establishment, administration of, and compliance with child support orders including paternity testing and locating absent parents.

Children's Special Health Services

P.O. Box 202951 Helena, MT 59620

(800) 762-9891 | Fax: (406) 444-2750 | cshs@mt.gov | dphhs.mt.gov/publichealth/cshs *Provides information and financial assistance for genetic testing and some medical care for disabling conditions for children under 21.*

Developmental Educational Assistance Program (DEAP)

2200 Box Elder Miles City, MT 59301 406-234-6034 1-800-224-6034

www.deapmt.org

The Developmental Educational Assistance Program (DEAP) is a not for profit organization that provides a variety of family education, support, childcare, health nutrition and residential services to families, children and adults.

Developmental Screening

Dawson County High School Special Services 900 N. Merrill Ave. P.O. Box 701

Glendive, MT 59330

(406) 377-4629 | Fax: (406) 377-6212

Screening done in March or April every year for children ages 0-5. Tests to discover possible developmental delays; refers to other agencies if needed.

National Runaway Safeline

(800) 786-2929 | Text: 66008 | 1800RUNAWAY.org

Free and confidential 24-hour helpline which provides crisis intervention assistance and support.

National Center for Missing and Exploited Children

(800) 843-5678 | www.missingkids.com

Takes reports and offers 24-hour advocacy and support related to the prevention of and recovery from child abduction and victimization. Provides victim and family support services such as immediate crisis intervention, peer support, Hope Bags for victims with basic items needed in first days after recovery, referrals to appropriate agencies and mental health professionals, reunification assistance, legal resources and technical assistance.

The Nurturing Tree

200 S. Kendrick Ave.

Glendive, MT 59330

(406) 377-7515 | thenurturingtree@yahoo.com

Provides information and resources on raising children from infant to teen years. Open enrollment Parenting Classes are offered biannually. Parent/Child groups meet every Tuesday at 11am in the basement of the Glendive library. All parent/child groups, classes and resources are free.

Prenatal Classes

Glendive Medical Center 202 Prospect Dr. Glendive, MT 59330 (406) 345-3364 | www.gmc.org

Open to expecting mothers & their support person. Scheduled once per quarter on the 3rd Tuesday, class is a one night commitment of approx. 3 hours and includes hands-on practice with bathing your baby and swaddling; labor and delivery; postpartum cares; how to care for you baby the first few weeks; and breastfeeding.

Youth Dynamics

1200 Pleasant Street Miles City, MT 59301 406-232-4233 406-232-4166 (Fax)

https://www.youthdynamics.org

Non-profit children's behavioral health agency which provides evidence-based treatment for children or teens needing help with behavioral problems. Services include therapy, case management, family education and support, supervised visits, alternative education day treatment, foster and respite care, mentoring, therapeutic group home care, equine-assisted therapy, substance abuse treatment, independent living skills, as well as services in Boulder, MT,

for children with highly sexualized behaviors and/or who have committed sexual offenses. Youth Dynamics will travel to communities within 60 miles to provide services.

Disabilities

Disability Rights Montana

1022 Chestnut St.

Helena, MT 59601-0820

Voice/TDD: (406) 449-2344 | (800) 245-4743 | Fax: 406-449-2418 | www.disabilityrightsmt.org Protects and advocates for the rights of Montanans with mental and physical disabilities; provides advocates and attorneys for disability-related issues including access to care; services for which one is legally qualified, such as Assistive Technology, Medicaid, SSI/SSDI, transportation, and public access; reasonable accommodations for and discrimination-free employment; and assistance with individualized educational programs.

Eastern Montana Industries

306 N. Kendrick Ave. Glendive, MT 59330 (406) 377-1458

Provides vocational and residential services to people with mental disabilities.

Extension Services MSU

10 W Fallon Ave PO Box 850 Baker, MT 59313 406-778-7110 406-778-3431 (Fax)

https://falloncarter.msuextension.org/4h.html

The Fallon/Carter County Extension Program extends University knowledge to the people who need it, even if they never set foot on a campus. It gives every Montanan access to useful information and expert help via workshops, demonstrations, community meetings, publications, videos, the Internet and other sources.

Living Independently for Today and Tomorrow (LIFTT)

1201 Grand Ave Billings, MT 59102 406-259-5181 800-669-6319 (Toll free)

https://liftt.org/

Not-for-profit agency that provides consumer and advocacy services to residents in Eastern Montana. LIFFT provides referral information for employment services, public assistance, affordable, transportation services and other community resources. LIFTT can assist in providing

independent living services in several areas and skills training to teach persons with disabilities useful skills so they can advocate for themselves in the community and workplace.

Montana Youth Leadership Forum

1617 Euclid, Ste. 1 Helena, MT 59601

(406) 442-2576 | Fax: (406) 443-3796 | montanaylf.org

Provides leadership training for high school youth with disabilities.

Montana Youth Transitions Program

111 N. Last Chance Gulch, Ste. 4C P.O. Box 4210 Helena, MT 59604-4210

(406) 444-2590 | (877) 296-1197 | Fax: (406) 444-3632 | VRInfo@mt.gov

Assists youth with disabilities with job shadowing and career counseling to transition from high school to employment and post-secondary education. For specific local school counselor contacts, visit: dphhs.mt.gov/detd/youthtransitions/contacts

Parents, Let's Unite for Kids - PLUK

2345 King Ave. W., Ste. B Billings, MT 59102

(800) 222-7585 | (406) 255-0540 | Fax: (406) 255-0523 | info@pluk.org | www.pluk.org Supports families of children with disabilities, special health care needs, sex/gender or other medical or behavioral issues. Provides early intervention (information, screening, evaluation, and assessment), support groups, and parent training to assist with advocating for children; keeping children in school; navigating education, health, mental health systems and preparing for life after high school. No eligibility requirements and no cost.

Prairie View Special Services

30 Hwy. 200S

Glendive, MT 59330

(406) 377-5446 | Fax: (406) 377-8928 | https://www.pvssmt.org/

Offers special education services to member schools including special education instruction, speech therapy, developmental evaluation, technical assistance, and other special education support services.

Social Security Administration

2900 4th Ave. N., Ste. 304 Billings, MT 59101

(866) 895-1795 | TTY: (800) 325-0778 | www.ssa.gov

Sky Reach Youth Home

306 Georgetown Dr.

Glendive, MT 59330

(406) 377-8600 | deapmontana.org/skyreach-youth-home

Licensed residential facility for individuals with severe disabilities. Provides physical care and training in self-help skills and social and community integration. Also coordinates with the public school system, medical professionals, and other community agencies to provide necessary services.

Vocational Rehabilitation Program

114 N 7th St

PO Box 880

Miles City, MT 59301

406-232-0583

1-877-296-1198 (Toll Free)

406-232-0885 (Fax)

Provides a broad range of services to assist find or maintain employment for eligible individuals with disabilities. You are eligible for Vocational Rehabilitation if you have a physical or mental disability, your disability prevents you from getting or keeping a job, and you want to work and you need VR services to help you get or keep a job.

Financial

Department of Revenue

10 West Fallon

P.O. Box 499

Baker, MT 59313

406-778-7172

406-778-2048 (Fax)

dorprop3e@mt.gov (Email)

https://mtrevenue.gov/

Provide information about tax laws, alcoholic beverage laws, uphold the Taxpayer Bill of Rights, review business processes, and distribute unclaimed property to rightful owners and a simple process for business registration and licensing. For a more a comprehensive list of services, visit their website or call your local office.

Department of Revenue – Low-Income Property Tax Assistance Program

P.O. Box 5805

Helena, MT 59604-5805

(406) 444-6900

Helps citizens on a fixed or limited income by reducing the property tax rate on their home. The benefit only applies to the first \$200,000 of primary residence's market value. Must have

Federal Adjusted Gross Income (FAGI), excluding capital and income losses, less than \$21,607 if single or \$28,810 if married or head of household.

Internal Revenue Service (IRS)

2900 4th Ave. N.

Billings, MT 59101

(406) 247-7446 | Appointments: (844) 545-5640 | <u>www.irs.gov</u>

Can help with account inquiries, adjustments, assistance with Affordable Care Act tax provision questions, basic tax law assistance, payment arrangements, payments, procedural inquiries, solutions to tax issues, and tax forms. Virtual assistance is available in Glasgow by appointment only on Wednesdays and Thursdays from 9:30am-3:30pm.

Glendive Job Service Workforce Center

211 South Kendrick Ave.

Glendive, MT 59330

(406) 377-3314

(406) 377-5831 (Fax)

GlendiveJSC@mt.gov

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

Hours: 8 a.m. - 5 p.m. - Monday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday

10 a.m. - 5 p.m. - Tuesday

Service that assists Montanans with finding a career, filing for unemployment and other labor related activities.

Miles City Job Service Workforce Center

12 North 10th Street

Miles City, MT 59301

(406) 232-8340

(406) 232-6270 (Fax)

MilesCityJSC@mt.gov

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

Hours: 8 a.m. - 5 p.m. – Monday-Friday

Service that assists Montanans with finding a career, filing for unemployment and other labor related activities.

Office of Public Assistance

219 North Merriam Ave Miles City, MT 59301 406-874-3334

Provides information about public assistance programs. People are able to apply at their offices for public assistance such as SNAP, Cash Assistance, Healthcare, Housing, and Medicare/Medicaid at this office. Regional offices located across the state

Rural Dynamics

410 Central Avenue, Suite 401 P.O. Box 2326 Great Falls, MT 59403 406-454-5709 1-877-275-2227 (Toll Free)

http://ruraldynamics.org/contact/

Their mission is to help individuals and families achieve financial security and pursue economic opportunities. They offer financial coaching, lending, educating and tax preparation.

Rural Employment Opportunities

Billings Job Service
2121 Rosebud Dr., Ste. B
Billings, MT 59102
800-546-1140 | (406) 437-2382 | Fax: (406) 652-0444 | info@reomontana.org
Supports agricultural workers and their families with job search, employment security and wage advancement, and funding for tuition, books, and other related training costs. Also have programs for migrant labor education.

Rural Dynamics Consumer Credit Counseling

2022 Central Ave. P.O. Box 2326 Great Falls, MT 59401 (877) 275-2227 | ruraldynamics.org

Helps individuals and families achieve financial security. Provides credit counseling, free and low-cost tax assistance, debt management, financial education, housing counseling, bankruptcy counseling, and education services. Initial counseling is free; fees of \$15-35 apply to some bankruptcy and credit counseling services. Can apply for fee waiver based on hardship.

Taxpayer Advocate Service and VITA Tax Assistance

10 W. 15th St., Ste. 2319 Helena, MT 59626 (877) 777-4778 | (406) 444-8612 | Fax: (406) 441-1045 | taxpayeradvocate.irs.gov

HRDC District 7

7 N. 31st St.
Billings, MT 59101
(406) 247-4710 | (406) 247-4760 | info@hrdc7.org
Assists with filings taxes and resolving tax problems.

Food

Dawson County Food Bank

112 W. Benham Glendive, MT 59330 (406) 941-0202

https://mfbn.org/resource/compassionate-ministries/

Provides food Monday through Friday from 10am-1pm.

Fallon/Baker Senior Center

420 W Montana Ave Baker, MT 59313 406-778-2600

They provide nutritious noon meals for those who visit the congregate mean site and for those who are unable to come, they can deliver the meals to their homes.

Wibaux Food Bank

203 1st Ave. SW Wibaux, MT 59353 (406) 796-2645

Provides food from 2pm-4pm on the 2nd Thursday each month.

WIC Services

Dawson County Health Department 207 W. Bell Glendive, MT 59330

(800) 433-4298 | (406) 377-5213 | Fax: (406) 377-2022

A nutrition program for women, infants, and children. Provides benefits to buy healthy foods, breastfeeding support, nutrition information, and referrals for healthcare and community resources. Available to pregnant women, new moms for up to six months after delivery, breastfeeding moms for up to one year after delivery, infants, and children under the age of five. Must live in Montana and meet income guidelines.

Health

AIDS/HIV Information Hotline

(800) 232-4636 | TTY: (888) 232-6348 | www.cdc.gov/cdc-info

CDC's national health information hotline, providing answers to questions regarding HIV, how to protect yourself, and where to get an HIV test.

Alcoholics Anonymous

https://www.aa-montana.org/ Statewide Hotline: 1-888-607-2000

Baker – 315 E Kewaunee Ave, Baker, MT. Tuesdays 7pm. – Open Meeting and Non-Smoking

Church Telephone: 406-778-2612

Offer closed meetings for individuals who "have a desire to stop drinking." Offer open meetings anyone interested in attending a meeting. Their website offers people the ability to search for meetings in their local area, providing the location, day and time of the meeting.

Baker Mental Health Clinical Office

10 W Fallon Ave

Baker, MT 59313

406-234-1687 – Clinical Office and Substance Abuse & Dependency Services Office (After hours calls will be transferred to the Crisis Line)

406-234-1698 (Fax)

For an appointment, contact them at 406-234-1687

https://www.emcmhc.com/baker/

Baker Substance Abuse and Dependency Services

Fallon County Courthouse

10 W Fallon Ave

Baker, MT 59313

Clinician travels from Miles City once a week (Wednesdays, normally) and does chemical dependency evaluations, CDLs, and monthly monitoring.

District II Alcohol and Drug Program

119 S. Kendrick Ave.

Glendive, MT 59330

(406) 377-5942 | Fax: (406) 377-3050 | https://sobernation.com/listing/district-ii-alcohol-and-drug-program-glendive-mt/

Provides outpatient counseling, evaluations and assessments, prevention and treatment services, domestic violence treatment, family counseling, GPS and other monitoring, marriage and family counseling, case management, and recovery groups. Outpatient services to Wibaux available. Fees apply but Medicaid accepted and sliding scale available.

Fallon County Family Planning

Community Health 225 South 3rd Street West P.O. Box 820 (Mailing) Baker, MT 59313 406-778-2824

https://falloncounty.net/publichealth.html

Provide birth control supplies, emergency contraception, pregnancy tests and counseling, tests and treatments for sexually transmitted diseases, free and confidential HIV testing, Hepatitis C testing, breast and cervical cancer screening, sterilization counseling and information, and referrals and information regarding adoption services. Clinics are Mondays and Tuesdays from 1pm-5pm, Wednesdays from 8am-12pm and 1pm-5pm, and Fridays from 10am-12pm and

1pm-3pm. Services are available at low cost or not cost. Accept Medicaid, Plan First for women ages 19-44, and offer a sliding scale.

Fallon County Public Health Department

225 S 3rd St. W P.O. Box 820 Baker, MT 59313 406-778-2824

fchd1@midrivers.com

Office Hours: Monday-Friday 8am-12pm, 1pm-5pm

Provide a variety of services for people of all ages and income. Can provide immunizations, family planning, blood pressure clinics, WIC, equipment loans and medication setup. Also offers certified Lactation Counseling. Call or visit their office for additional information.

Fallon Medical Complex

202 S 4th St W, PO Box 820, Baker, MT 59313 406-778-3331

fmc@fallonmedical.org (email)

http://www.fallonmedical.org/Contact Us.html

Sole community health care provider for Fallon County. Provides family practice, preventative health, routine hospital and fully digital diagnostic services, 24-hour emergency services, longterm care, dental services, home-based skilled and personal care, and physical and occupational therapy. Any escalation of care would require a referral to Billings, MT, Bismarck, ND and Rapid City, SD.

Mental Health Ombudsman

P.O. Box 200804

Helena, MT 59620-0804

(406) 444-9669 | Fax: (406) 444-3543 | govmhombudsman@mt.gov | mhombudsman.mt.gov | Provides information and assistance to individuals receiving mental health services including investigating issues and concerns raised about access to mental health care and adequacy of care provided. Open Monday to Friday 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM.

Montana Migrant and Seasonal Farmworkers Council

3318 3rd Ave. N., Ste. 200 Billings, MT 59101

(406) 248-3149 | (800) 813-4492 | Fax: (406) 245-6636 | www.mtmigrantcouncil.org
Provides healthcare and services to eligible agricultural workers and their immediate family
members. Primary care includes diagnostic testing, 24-hour urgent care, HIV and STD testing,
immunizations, well checks, OB/GYN care, prenatal and postpartum care, TB therapy,
behavioral and mental health services, developmental screenings, substance abuse education &
prevention, hearing and vision screening, nutritional assistance, occupational and physical

therapy, dental screenings and cleanings, and medical case management. English / Spanish interpretation, without cost, is available as well as limited transport to the clinics. Via the 1-800 number, can request assistance with questions about health insurance available through the federal marketplace. This service is available to the community at large, regardless of occupation.

Montana Tobacco Quit Line

PO Box 202951 1400 Broadway Helena, MT 59620-2951

1-800-QUIT-NOW | 1 (800) 784-8669 | https://montana.quitlogix.org/en-US/

Provides free cessation coaching sessions, free nicotine replacement therapy (gum, patches or lozenges), and some free and reduced cost cessation prescriptions. Special assistance for pregnant and postpartum callers including extended coaching calls with cash incentives, free Nicotine Replacement Therapy during pregnancy and additional weeks of Nicotine Replacement Therapy postpartum. If you are pregnant, this program does require prior approval from your doctor. American Indian Commercial Tobacco Quit Line is specifically for those who identify as American Indian- offers access to all other free benefits mentioned above as well. Dawson County Contact, Lindsey Sadorf: (406) 377-5213.

Montana Warm Line

(877) 688-3377 | info@mhaofmt.org | www.montanawarmline.org Support line for people with a mental illness who want to talk to a peer (those who are also in recovery for their mental illness.) This is NOT a crisis line. Services are available Monday- Friday 4:00 PM to 9:00 PM and Saturday 3:00 PM to 6:00 PM.

Mountain Pacific Quality Health Foundation

3404 Cooney Dr.

Helena, MT 59602

(406) 443-4020 | (800) 497-8232 | Fax: (406) 513-1920 | mpqhf.com/QIO/montana Mountain Pacific Quality Health Foundation is a medical quality control organization that provides education on Medicare rights and protections, and receives complaints about the quality of care provided by healthcare providers, hospitals, nursing homes, rehabilitation facilities, home health agencies, or hospices. This program also provides Medicaid utilization review to assist patients with authorization of healthcare services. Their services extend across the state of Montana as well as, Alaska, Hawaii, and Wyoming.

National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI) - Billings

3333 2nd Ave. N., Ste. 150

Billings, MT 59101

HelpLine: (800) 950-6264 | (406) 256-2001 | info@namibillings.org | www.namibillings.org | Provides support groups, classes, and advocacy for people with mental illnesses and their family members.

National Substance Abuse Hotline

Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration

(800) 662-4357 | www.samhsa.gov

Free, confidential, 24/7, 365-day-a-year treatment referral and information service (in English and Spanish) for individuals and families facing mental and/or substance use disorders.

National Suicide Prevention Lifeline

(800) 273-8255 | suicidepreventionlifeline.org

Provides free and confidential support for people in distress 24 hours a day, 7 days a week as well as prevention and crisis resources for friends and families.

Nurse First Advice Line

(800) 330-7847

https://dphhs.mt.gov/montanahealthcareprograms/NurseFirst#150051354-are-you-a-montana-medicaid-or-healthy-montana-kids-member

"The advice line is a 24 hour a day, 7 days a week, 365 days a year toll-free and confidential nurse triage line staffed by licensed-registered nurses."

Narcotics Anonymous

315 Kewanee Ave, Baker (American Lutheran Church), MT. Wednesdays 7pm Online Meetings on Sundays at 8 PM MST

http://www.namontana.com/index.php

12th Step Contact: Kyle G. 406-891-0610

Housing

Action for Eastern Montana

PO Box 1309 2030 N Merrill Ave Glendive, MT 59330 406-377-3564 1-800-227-0703 406-377-3570 (Fax)

www.aemt.org

AEM Offers housing counseling for first time homebuyers, Section 8 Rental Assistance, Section 8 Homebuyer Program, Family Self-Sufficiency Program, and emergency services which can help with utility deposits, past due rent and utilities of one month and only on a one-time basis.

Prairie Manor

200 Montana Ave

Baker, MT 59313

Contact Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD): 303-672-5470 Subsidized, low-rent apartments for the elderly. One and two bedroom apartments available.

Legal

Citizen Advocate Office

(800) 332-2272 (406) 444-3468

http://citizensadvocate.mt.gov/

Assist Montanans in their interactions with executive branch agencies. Advocates on the behalf of Montanans and offers direction and assistance within state government. Citizens advocate cannot intervene in jurisdiction issues and disputes between private citizens and businesses.

Clerk of District Court – Jeraldine A Newell

10 W Fallon Ave

PO Box 1521

Baker, MT 59313

406-778-8114; <u>inewell@mt.gov</u>

Provides for the filing of civil lawsuits, criminal actions, probate, adoptions, marriage licenses, dissolution records and passports. The Clerk of Court also is responsible for the disbursement of court ordered child support.

Clerk and Recorder – Brenda Wood

10 W Fallon Ave

PO Box 846, Baker

MT 59313

406-778-7106

406-778-2048 (Fax)

woodb@falloncounty.net

The Clerk & Recorder Office is responsible for county accounts payable, payroll, elections and document records/recordings (birth, deaths, mortgages, land transfers, etc). The office also provides secretarial services for the Fallon County Commission.

Office of Consumer Protection

555 Fuller Ave. PO Box 200151 Helena, MT 59620-0151 (800) 481-6896

(406) 444-4500

https://dojmt.gov/consumer/

Office of Consumer Protection seeks to protect and educate Montanans about harmful and unfair retail business practices. Provide information to consumers about the Consumer Protection Act, enforce consumer laws designed to protect the consumer and investigate false and misleading trade practices.

Court Help Connect

1 S 10th St Miles City, MT 59301 (406) 444-9300

Video Chat is available by appointment only. Call between 8-5 Monday through Friday to schedule.

The workstations, which include a laptop, printer, and mobile cart, are part of a renewed effort to provide legal services to rural Montanans who cannot reach a self-help law center or MLSA office. Through these workstations, individuals will be able to video chat with a trained staff member and receive assistance with legal forms and information, just as they would if they had an appointment in-person with a Court Help Program AmeriCorps.

Fallon County Sheriff Department

Sheriff: Trenton Harbaugh 10 W Fallon Ave PO Box 899 Baker, MT 59313 406-778-2879 406-778-2880 (Fax)

Crime Stoppers Tip Line: 406-778-2222

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

Montana Legal Services Association (MLSA)

(800) 666-6899

www.montanalawhelp.org

MLSA is a federally and privately funded nonprofit organization that provides legal services to low-income people throughout Montana for civil legal issues. For more information, visit www.mtlsa.org.

Office of Disciplinary Counsel

24 West Sixth Ave, 5th Floor P.O. Box 1099 Helena, MT 59624 406-442-1648 406-442-2685 (Fax)

www.montanaodc.org

Investigates claims of ethical violations by lawyers. Montanans can file grievances online that allege violations of the Montana Rules of Professional Conduct.

Public Defender's Office (Regional Office #11)

11 S 7th St, Suite 100 Miles City, MT 59301 406-234-1702 406-234-1708 (Fax) 1-866-902-2137 (Toll-free)

http://publicdefender.mt.gov/

Provides legal services for clients unable to afford attorneys, often through client-centered representation. Provide legal services for criminal cases.

Self Help Law Station

Clerk of District Court, Fallon County Courthouse 10 W Fallon Ave Baker, MT 59313

Self Help Law Stations (SHLS) interact with regional Self Help Law Centers. SHLSs contain self representation forms along with directions to assist customers in obtaining the correct forms, review documents before filing, and answer questions.

Senior

Adult Protective Services Regional Office

212 Rosebud DR STE D Billings, MT 59102 Pamela Goldammer

Regional Office: (406) 655-7640 Elder Abuse Hotline: 1 (844) 277-9300

https://dphhs.mt.gov/SLTC/APS

Adult Protective Services helps to protect vulnerable adults from abuse, neglect and exploitation. They help end abuse by matching the needs of the person, with community partners in their area. Partners like mental health, public health, law enforcement, the courts, the aging network, community groups and the public.

Area I Agency on Aging

Action for Eastern Montana
2030 N Merrill
PO Box 1309
Glendive, MT 59330
800-551-3191
406-377-3570 (Fax)
406-377-3564 – Heather Handran: Area I Agency on Aging Program Director 1-800-551-3191 (Toll-free)

https://aemt.org/our-services/area-1-agency-on-aging/

Services available to anyone sixty years of age or older and their spouse regardless of age. Provide a variety of services such transportation, skill nurse, senior centers, legal services, home delivered meals and personal care. See their website for a more comprehensive list of services provided.

Fallon County Senior Center

Senior Administrator: Carla Brown 406-778-3595

420 W Montana Ave Baker, MT 59313

General Phone: 406-778-2600

https://www.falloncounty.net/councilonaging.html#gsc.tab=0

Provides services for persons over the age of 60 such as transportation, meal deliveries, housekeeping, foot clinics, blood pressure clinics, legal services, and more.

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.

Retired Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP)

VA Center Room 226 210 S Winchester Avenue Miles City, MT 59301 406-234-0505 406-234-0554 (Fax)

RSVP's mission is to engage person 55 years and older in volunteer service. Volunteers assist with Meals on Wheels, Food Banks, Veteran Transportation, Rural Veteran Support and Capacity building.

Transportation

Fallon County Public Transportation

406-778-3595

Hours: Local Service 8:00am – 4:00pm Monday – Saturday; Out-of-town Service: Hours change to meet demands.

Routes and Schedules: Demand responsive, primarily within Baker city limits with occasional service to and from Plevna when requested. Out-of-town to Miles City -1st Wednesday of each month; to Dickerson ND -3rd Wednesday of each month.

Veterans

American Legion-Baker Post 035

19 1st St W PO Box 734 Baker, MT 59313 406-778-3160

VA Regional Office

3633 Veterans Dr, Ste 110B Fort Harrison MT 59636 (406) 495-2089

https://www.montana.va.gov/

Department of Veteran Affairs Office in Montana. Offers a variety of health services to meet the needs of Veterans. Visit their website for more information about services or call their office.

Veterans Transportation Program (VTP)

https://www.va.gov/healthbenefits/vtp/

Offers Veterans multiple travel solutions to and from their VA health care facilities. The program partners with local communities in order to best serve Veteran's transportation needs. The Highly Rural Transportation Grant provides some facilities with transportation services for Veterans seeking VA and non-VA approved care in highly-rural areas.

Women's Resources

Custer County Attorney's Crime Victim and Witness Assistant

Courthouse basement

1010 Main St

Miles City, MT 59301

Sheri Cain: 406-874-3305

Assists victims and witnesses to crime. Assists with filing Orders of Protection and can provide moral support to victims in Order of Protection hearings.

Custer Network Against Domestic Abuse and Sexual Assault

2000 Clark St

Miles City, MT 59301

Director: Caroline Fleming, 406-234-0542

24-hour crisis line: 406-951-0475

toll-free: 1-888-799-0542

endomesticviolence.wix.com/cnada

Provides networking and support to people suffering from domestic and sexual violence.

WIC Clinic at Fallon County Health Department

225 S 3rd St

Baker, MT 59313

406-778-2824

Special Supplemental Program for Women, Infants, and Children, Nutrition information, Breastfeeding promotion and support, Health and Social Services Referral, Benefits to purchase healthy foods.

Other

Disaster and Emergency Services

10 W Fallon Ave

PO Box 1061
Baker, MT 59313
Chuck Lee, DES Director, 406-778-7121
clee@midrivers.com

Provide detailed forecast online, primarily through Facebook for Fallon County Residents.

Fallon County Fair

406-778-2451 <u>falcofair@midrivers.com</u> <u>www.falloncounty.net/fair/fair.html</u>

Fallon County Job Openings

http://falloncounty.net Click on "Job Openings" on the right of the page.