

# Toole County Resource Guide

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## Child Services

### **Child and Family Services**

315 South Main Street, Suite F  
Conrad, MT 59425  
(406) 278-5142, (406) 278-5144 (fax)  
*Toole County's response office is Pondera County.*

### **Child Support Enforcement Division**

201 1<sup>st</sup> St. S #1A, Great Falls, MT 59405  
1(800) 346-5437  
<https://dphhs.mt.gov/assets/cssd/Reg2Contact.pdf>

Central Office  
2401 Colonial Drive, 1st Floor  
PO Box 202943  
Helena, MT 59620  
Toll-free: (800) 346-5437

### **Family Connections Montana**

202 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave. S # 201, Great Falls, MT 59405  
(406) 761-6010  
<http://familyconnectionsmt.org>  
*Can help you find a child care provider and they offer the Best Beginnings Scholarship to help cover the costs.*

### **Youth Dynamics**

222 Main St #E  
Shelby MT 59474  
406-434-7028, 406-434-7150 (fax)  
<https://www.youthdynamics.org/contact-us/shelby/>  
Mischelle Chambers, Area Manager  
*Provide mental health treatment for kids with behavioral challenges and offer support and resources to their families.*  
*Youth Dynamics will travel to communities within 60 miles to provide services, including Browning, Bynum, Conrad, Cut Bank, Dupuyer, Galata, Pendroy, Sunburst, and Valier.*

### **The Office of Child and Family Ombudsman (OCFO)**

1-844-25-4453  
<https://dojmt.gov/enforcement/specialservices/ocfo-home/>  
*They value the safety of children and shall provide the resources necessary to train and assist those who protect them. The mission of OCFO is to work to prevent child abuse and neglect and*

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*increase safety, well-being and permanency for Montana's children through fair and just advocacy, education, outreach and investigation.*

## Disabilities

### **Developmental Disabilities Program Region II Office**

201 First Street South, Suite #3, Great Falls, MT, 59405  
(406) 454-6085

### **Vocational Rehabilitation Programs**

201 1<sup>st</sup> Street S, Suite 2, Great Falls, MT 59405  
(406) 454-6060

## Financial

### **Job Service Cut Bank**

1210 East Main Street, Suite C Cut Bank, MT 59427  
Phone: (406) 873-2191 Fax: (406) 873-5393  
CutBankJSC@mt.gov  
Hours: Monday - Friday 8 a.m.-5 p.m.

### **Montana Works**

(406) 444-2840  
TTY: (406) 444-0532  
<https://montanaworks.gov/job-service-montana/>  
*Montana Job Service at the Department of Labor and Industry*

### **Great Falls Field Office- Office of Public Assistance**

201 First Street South Suite #1  
Great Falls MT 59403  
Email: hhshcsopacascade@mt.gov  
Phone: (888) 706-1535  
Hours of Operation: Monday- Friday: 9:00 am – 5:00 pm

### **Montana Department of Public Health and Service**

<https://apply.mt.gov/>

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## **Sagebrush Food Pantry**

669 Park Avenue, Shelby, MT 59474

located in the Shelby Civic Center

406-424-8287

Hours of Operation: Mondays and Thursdays from 4:00pm-6:00pm

<https://mfbn.org/resource/sagebrush-food-pantry/>

## **Health Care**

### **Marias Health Care-Shelby**

Medical and Behavioral Health/Podiatry/Pharmacy

1950 W Roosevelt Hwy, Shelby, MT 59474

(406) 434-3100

### **Marias Healthcare- Shelby**

Dental

865 Oilfield Avenue, Shelby, MT 59474

(406) 434-3142

### **Logan Health-Shelby**

640 Park Ave, Shelby, MT, 59474, United States

(406) 434-3200

*Logan Health-Shelby is a 21-bed 501(c)(3), non-profit community Critical Access Hospital located in Shelby, Montana. The hospital serves Toole County and surrounding communities providing emergency care, acute care, skilled swing bed services, outpatient services, outpatient surgeries, laboratory services, imaging services, MRI, mobile mammography, rehabilitation, sleep studies and more*

## **Housing**

### **Sweet Grass Apartments**

720 St Mary's Ave Shelby, MT 59474

(406) 424-8095

<https://sweetgrass.nwrecc.org/>

## **Legal**

### **Toole County Clerk and Recorder**

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226 1<sup>st</sup> Street. S, Suite 203 Shelby, MT 59474  
(406) 424-8300  
Treva Nelson  
Email: [tnelson@toolecountymt.gov](mailto:tnelson@toolecountymt.gov)

## **Toole County Clerk of Court**

226 1st St South, Suite 301, P.O. Box 850, Shelby, MT 59474  
(406) 424-8330  
Email: [DMunson3@mt.gov](mailto:DMunson3@mt.gov)

## **Toole County Justice Court**

226 1st St South, Suite 104, P.O. Box 738, Shelby, MT 59474  
(406) 424-8315, (406) 424-8316 (Fax)  
[https://toolecountymt.gov/officials\\_justice\\_court.html](https://toolecountymt.gov/officials_justice_court.html)  
Email: [PRapkoch@mt.gov](mailto:PRapkoch@mt.gov)

## **Cascade County Self Help Law Center**

Great Falls Public Library  
301 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave N  
Great Falls, MT 59401  
(406) 899-7109  
[cascadecountyselfhelp@mt.gov](mailto:cascadecountyselfhelp@mt.gov)  
Open M-Th. from Noon- 4 pm.

## **Regional Public Defender's Office**

615 2nd Ave N #3, Great Falls, MT 59403  
Phone: (406) 770-3200  
[OPDGreatFalls@mt.gov](mailto:OPDGreatFalls@mt.gov)

## **County Attorney- Merle Raph**

153 Main Street • P.O. Box 730 • Shelby, MT 59474  
(406) 434-5417  
Toll-free: 1-888-434-5417  
[https://toolecountymt.gov/officials\\_county\\_attorney.html](https://toolecountymt.gov/officials_county_attorney.html)  
[tooleca@3rivers.net](mailto:tooleca@3rivers.net)

## **Toole County Sheriff's Office**

235 Deer Lodge Avenue • P.O. Box 550 • Shelby, MT 59474  
406-434-5585  
Email: [tcsheriff@3rivers.net](mailto:tcsheriff@3rivers.net)  
[https://toolecountymt.gov/sheriffs\\_office.html](https://toolecountymt.gov/sheriffs_office.html)

## **Montana Legal Services Association**

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Website: [www.mtlsa.org](http://www.mtlsa.org)

Eastern Montana: 1-800-999-4941

Western Montana: 1-800-666-6899 or 1-800-926-3144

## **State Law Library of Montana**

<https://courts.mt.gov/library/>

*Legal information, forms, laws and more.*

## **Montana Family Transition Project**

Phone: (406) 543-8343 extension 207

Email: [mediate@mtlsa.org](mailto: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 Innocence Project**

(406) 243-6698

<https://mtinnocenceproject.org/>

*It is the mission of the Montana Innocence Project to free the innocent and unjustly incarcerated, and advocate for systems of Justice that are accurate, accountable, and fair for all. MTIP was founded in 2008 and is based in the Alexander Blewett III School of Law at the University of Montana. MTIP achieves its mission through a combination of advocacy, pro bono legal representation, and education.*

## **Seniors**

### **Shelby Senior Center**

739 Benton Avenue, Shelby, MT 59474

(406) 434-2992

[https://toolecountymt.gov/senior\\_center\\_shelby.html](https://toolecountymt.gov/senior_center_shelby.html)

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Hours of Operation: Monday – Friday 7:00 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.

Email: [shelbysc@toolecountymt.gov](mailto:shelbysc@toolecountymt.gov)

## **Sunburst Senior Center**

122 1st Ave West, Sunburst, MT 59482

406-937-2115

Hours of Operation Monday- Friday: 8:00am-2:00pm

*Evening Meal: 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of each month at 6:00 p.m.*

## **Kevin Senior Citizens Center**

4 1st Street SW, Kevin, MT 59454

(406) 337-2115

Hours of Operation: Monday- Friday: 9:30am-2:00pm

## **Legal Services Developer Program, Aging Services**

(406) 444-7787

*Montana AAA Legal Services in the Office on Aging provides - among other resources - develops pro bono and local legal services referrals, training materials and telephone assistance to seniors on related matters together with legal clinics across the state designed to assist with documents (such as Wills and advanced directives) common in the senior population.*

## **Montana Legal Services Association**

616 Helena Ave #100, Helena, MT 59601

Phone: (800) 666-6899

Website: [www.mtlsa.org](http://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.*

## **Veterans**

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## **American Legion Post 43**

Richard D Clark  
158 Main Street, Shelby, MT 59474  
(406) 450-9829

## **Cut Bank VA Clinic**

8 Second Avenue Southeast  
Cut Bank, MT 59427-2909  
406-873-9047  
Open Monday-Friday 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

## **Women's Resources**

### **Voices of Hope (North Central and North East Montana)**

915 1<sup>st</sup> Ave S, Great Falls, MT 59401  
Crisis Line: 406-453-4357

*We are a non-profit organization committed to empowering individuals in crisis, victims of sexual assault, and our communities through advocacy, education, and confidential emergency services. Voices of Hope is the farthest-reaching crisis center in Montana, serving 43 counties as well as all Native American communities. Voices of Hope supports a 24-hour, 7 days per week crisis line, sexual assault advocacy, emergency assistance, information and referrals, and community education.*

### **Hi-Line's Help for Abused Spouses**

300 N Virginia ST Ste. 307, Conrad, MT 59425  
(406) 278-3342 (Office), 1-800-219-7336 (Crisis Line), (406) 278-5137 (Fax),  
<https://www.hlhas.com/>

*We are an organization of men and women providing services to our communities in the area of domestic violence, sexual assault and victim witnesses of crime. Hi-Line's Help for Abused Spouses believes every person has the right to make their own decisions and our purpose is to provide information, advocacy and/or support regarding those choices. Our service area includes Pondera, Teton, Chouteau, Glacier, Liberty and Toole Counties, approximately 14,207 square miles. Provides a 24-hour crisis line, one-on-one advocacy, and educational presentations.*

## **Others**

### **Montana 211**

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Dial 211

<https://montana211.org/about.php>

*Montana 2-1-1 provides information and connects people to resources for non-emergency needs, via an easy-to-remember phone number (2-1-1) and a website (montana211.org).*

## **Toole County Library**

229 2<sup>nd</sup> Avenue S, Shelby, MT 59474

(406) 424-8345

<https://toolecountylibrary.com/>

Email: [toolelib@yahoo.com](mailto:toolelib@yahoo.com)

Hours of Operation:

Mon., Wed. & Thurs. 1:00pm-5:00pm; 7:00pm-9:00 p.m.

Tues: 10:00am -5:00 pm & 7:00pm-9:00 pm

Friday: 10:00am -12:00pm & 1:00pm-5:00pm

Saturday: 1:00pm-4:00pm

Closed: Sundays and Holidays

## **Toole County Library (Sunburst Branch)**

201 1st St S, Sunburst, MT 59482

(406) 937-6980

Email: [sunbllib@northcentral.net](mailto:sunbllib@northcentral.net)

Hours of Operation:

Monday: 1:00pm-6:00pm

Wednesday: 1:00pm-6:00pm

Friday: 10:00am- 3:00pm

Story Time: Fridays from 10:30-11:30am (September – May)

Lego Club: 1st & 3rd Monday from 3:30-5:00pm

Book Club: 3rd Thursday (September – May)

Summer Reading Program: contact for more info

## **The Shelby Promoter**

Shelby Promoter

301 1st St. S. Suite 6

PO Box 610

Shelby, MT 59474

Phone: (406) 434-5171

Fax: (406) 434-5955

[promoter@3rivers.net](mailto:promoter@3rivers.net)

[https://www.cutbankpioneerpress.com/shelby\\_promoter/](https://www.cutbankpioneerpress.com/shelby_promoter/)

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