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Child Services

CASA of Hill County

2229 5th Ave, Havre, MT 59501

406-265-6743 ext. 1135

casa@hrdc4.org

CASA consists of volunteers who advocate for children who have been removed from their homes for allegation of abuse and neglect.

Child and Family Services

2300 12th Ave S, Ste 211, Great Fall, MT 59405

(406)727-7746

<http://dphhs.mt.gov/CFSD>

The Department of Child and Family Services is the office that investigates and provides protective services to children who are abused or neglected. Their mission is to keep children safe and families strong. They also may provide assistance in referring families to support services to help preserve the family unit.

Child Care Licensing

48 2nd Ave, Box 964, Havre, MT 59501

406-4262-9790

Regulates and monitors child care facility licensing and registration. Surveys facilities and investigates complaints.

Child Support Enforcement Division

201 1st St South, Ste 1A, Great Falls, MT 59405

406-727-7449

<http://dphhs.mt.gov/CSSED>

The division provides federally mandated child support enforcement services. These include locating absent parents; establishing paternity; establishing financial and medical support orders; enforcing current and past due child support; offering medical and spousal support; and modifying child support orders.

Chippewa Cree Human Services – Child Support

31 Agency Square, Box Elder, MT 59521

(406)395-5814

<http://btmolinair.wixsite.com/ccthumanservices/tribal-child-support>

The goal of the Chippewa Cree Child Support Program is to insure that adequate financial support is provided each child under the negotiated child support agreements between the child's parents. If negotiated agreements are attainable, the goal of the CCT CSP is to provide

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services to ensure that each child is financially supported by each parent and has adequate financial resources to live a quality cultural and traditional life.

Northern Montana Child Development Center

1360 Lincoln Ave, Havre MT 59501

(406)265-5810

<http://hrdc4.org/northern-montana-child-development-center/>

Northern Montana Child Development Center (NMCDC) Head Start and Early Head Start is a no-cost, comprehensive program serving primarily low-income expectant families and families with children ages 0 to 5 year old in Hill, Blaine and Liberty Counties.

Disability Services

Blind and Low Vision Services

201 1st St S, Ste 2, Great Falls, MT 59405

1 (888) 279-7527 (toll-free consumer line)

(406) 454-6060 (voice)

<http://dphhs.mt.gov/detd/blvs>

Blind and Low Vision Services provides services to assist individuals in finding or maintaining employment, learning to live with low vision or blindness, and increasing independence.

Development Disability Program

Region II Office

201 First Street South, Suite #3, Great Falls, MT 59405

(406) 454-6085

<http://dphhs.mt.gov/dsd/developmentaldisabilities>

The organization ensures that quality care providers meet state and federal regulations when providing services to people with disabilities.

Disability Rights Montana

1022 Chesnut Street Helena, MT 59601

(406)449-2344 (voice)

(800)245-4743 (toll free)

<http://disabilityrightsmt.org/>

Disability Rights Montana is the federally-mandated civil rights protection and advocacy system for all of Montana. We have the legal authority to represent almost any person with a disability.

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Vocational Rehabilitation and Blind Services

48 2nd Ave, Ste 213 Havre, MT 59501

(406) 265-6933 (voice)

(888)269-1294 (toll-free)

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

Vocational Rehabilitation and Blind Services combines the general and the blind vocational rehabilitation programs in a single unit in order to maximize access to in-demand and high-quality careers by Montanans with disabilities seeking dignity through choice, integration, and self-reliance.

Financial Services

Havre Area Chamber of Commerce

PO Box 308, 130 5th Ave Havre, MT 59501

(406) 265-4383

<http://havrechamber.com/>

The Havre Chamber of Commerce is dedicated to creating a strong local economy. The Chamber of Commerce of Havre is an area Chamber for Hill County. The Chamber promotes the wellbeing of the business and professional community.

Havre Job Service

160 First Ave Havre, MT 59501

(406) 265-5847

<http://jobservices.dli.mt.gov/about-job-services/havre>

Connects local employers with job-seekers and provides training and resources. They have money available to help you get trained in order to improve your job prospects. For example, they could assist with obtaining a CDL or help you get training in welding. Contact them to find out if you qualify and how you can work with them. Veterans have priority of service.

Rural Dynamics, Inc.

2022 Central Ave Great Falls, MT 59401

(406) 761-8622

<http://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.

Food Services

Feed My Sheep Community Soup Kitchen

611 2nd St Havre, MT 59501

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(406) 265-1629

Local soup kitchen providing lunch six days a week for no charge. Also offers a variety of foods including fresh bread, fruits, vegetables, etc. to go.

The Havre Food Bank

453 7th Ave N

(406) 265-2007

<http://hrdc4.org/food-bank/>

Individuals and families are eligible to receive one food basket every two months (January-February, March-April, May-June, July-August, September- October, November-December). Two additional food baskets per year may be distributed to individuals or families with referrals from community agencies. Christmas food baskets are also available for those interested. Produce, bread, and some miscellaneous items are available daily during regular hours. The size of the food basket is determined by the size of the household. There are no income requirements, but proof of household members is required (with Social Security Cards, Birth Certificates, etc.)

Health Services

Bullhook Community Health Center

521 4th St, Havre, MT 59501

(406) 395-4305

<https://bullhook.com/>

Provides reduced cost for uninsured and underinsured based on income and family size with the sliding fee scale; payment plans; Billing to most insurance carriers; assistance to help patients find and apply for needed programs, such as prescription assistance, HMK Healthy Montana Kids, and Medicaid; and access to a voucher system for medical, dental, travel, prescription and mental health assistance.

Center for Mental Health

915 1st Ave S Great Falls, MT 59401

(406) 761-2100

<http://www.center4mh.org/>

Hill County Health Department

302 4th Ave Havre, MT 59501

(406) 265-5481 ext.266

<https://hillcountyhealth.com/>

Promotes physical and emotional health, fosters personal responsibility; prevents disease, injury, and disabilities and protects the environment.

Northern Montana Healthcare

30 13th St Havre, MT 59501

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(406) 265-2211

<http://www.nmhcare.org/>

White Sky Hope Center

535 Clinic Rd., Box Elder, MT 59521

(406)395-4818

<https://www.rbclinic.org/rbhb/white-sky-hope-center.html>

The White Sky Hope Center (WSHC) addresses the recovery needs of our community by providing assessment, consultation, clinical services, and team recommendations for our clients and their family members, as well as community activities for prevention, education and culture.

Housing Services

District 4 Human Resources Development Council

(406) 265-6743

<http://hrdc4.org/housing/>

Housing enables eligible participants to live in safe, decent, and affordable housing. The participating low-income families will not pay more than 30%-40% of their adjusted monthly income for housing costs.

Legal Services

Region 6 Public Defender

PO Box 268, 109 2nd St W, Havre, MT 59501

(406) 625-2199

The Public Defender is Kaydee Snipes

Hill County Attorney

(406) 265-5481

<http://hillcounty.us/departments/attorney/>

The County Attorney is Jessica Cole-Hodgkinson

Hill County Clerk of District Court

(406) 265-5481

<http://hillcounty.us/clerk-of-court/>

The Clerk of Court is Kathie Vigliotti

Hill County Justice Court

315 4th St Havre, MT 59501

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(406) 265-5481

<http://hillcounty.us/justice-court/>

The County Justice of the Peace is Audrey Barger

Montana Legal Services Association (MLSA)

616 Helena Ave, Ste 100 Helena, MT 59601

(800)666-6899

<http://www.mtlsa.org/>

Montana Legal Services Association (MLSA) is a law firm that empowers low-income people by providing legal information, advice, and other services free of charge. MLSA works both on individual cases and under a systemic approach to help low-income people escape domestic violence, keep their housing, preserve their public benefits, protect their finances, and more.

Self Help Law Center – Cascade County (Serves Valley County)

13 6th St South Great Falls, MT 59401

(406)205-0347

<http://courts.mt.gov/selfhelp/ne-region>

The Court Help Program is a free service provided by the Montana Supreme Court to assist people with civil, non-criminal legal problems. Our goal is to give you the information you need to understand your legal rights and responsibilities and to help you resolve your legal problems on your own if you cannot afford an attorney or if you choose not to hire one.

Hours: Monday: 9 am - 5 pm

Tuesday 9 am - 5 pm

Wednesday 9 am - 5 pm & 6 - 7 pm at the YWCA

Thursday 9 am - 5 pm

Closed Friday

Senior Services

Adult Protective Services

201 1st St S Ste 3, Great Falls, MT 59405

(406) 268-7960

<http://dphhs.mt.gov/SLTC/APS>

Adult Protective Services Specialists help 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 X Agency on Aging

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2 W Second St Havre, MT 59501

(406) 265-5464

<http://hillcounty.us/departments/council-on-aging/>

Montana's Area Agencies on Aging are public or private non-profit agencies, designated by the Aging Services Bureau, to address the needs and concerns of older Montanans at the local level.

Veteran's Services

American Legion: Havre Post 11

202 1st St, Havre, MT 59501

(406) 394-2287

Organizes commemorative events, lobbies on behalf of veterans, and provides veteran assistance.

American Legion: Rocky Boy Post 67

46 Veterans Park Rd., Box Elder, MT 59521

(406)395-4181

Organizes commemorative events, lobbies on behalf of veterans, and provides veteran assistance.

Montana Veterans Affairs

(406) 265-4225 (Havre)

<http://montanadma.org/montana-veterans-affairs>

A statewide network of service for discharged veterans and their families that provides services and assistance for all Montana veterans, and surviving spouses and dependents in coordination with associated federal and state agencies, veterans' services organizations, private organizations and individuals.

VA Community Based Outpatient Clinic

130 13th St, Ste 1, Havre, MT 59501

(406)265-4304

<http://www.montana.va.gov/locations/>

Organizes commemorative events, lobbies on behalf of veterans, and provides veteran assistance.

Veteran Crisis Hotline

1-800-273-8255

www.veterancriisisline.net

VFW Post 497 (Bear Paw Post)

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336 2nd St, Havre, MT 59501

(406)265-4917

<http://myvfw.org/montana/>

Serves veterans, military families and their local communities.

Women's Services

District 4 Human Resources Development Council

(406) 265-2222

<http://hrdc4.org/domestic-abuse/>

Operates a shelter for victims of violence who need emergency housing. Also provides violence intervention classes.

Hi-Line's Help for Abused Spouses

300 North Virginia, Ste 307, Conrad, MT 59425

(406)278-3342 (Office)

1-800-219-7336 (Crisis Line)

<http://www.hlhas.com/>

Services include a 24 hour Crisis Line, one-on-one advocacy, child advocacy, victim witness services and an informational referral network.

Other Services

Boys and Girls Club of the Hi-Line

500 1st Ave Havre, MT 59501

(406)265-2606

<http://www.bgchi-line.net/home>

As the premier youth development program of the Hi-Line, we strive to enable all young people, especially those who need us most to reach their full potential as productive, caring, and responsible citizens.

Havre Animal Shelter

195 12th Ave W Havre, MT 59501

(406)265-2959

<https://www.facebook.com/Havre-Animal-Shelter-991142817601515/>

Havre's Helping Haven

419 6th Ave Havre, MT 59501

(406) 390-1393

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<https://www.myneighborinneed.org/sponsors/havres-helping-haven-formerly-community-give-away-house/>

Hill County Extension Office - MSU

315 4th St Havre, MT 59501

(406)265-5481 ext 233

<http://www.msuextension.org/hill/>

Provides unbiased research-based education and information that integrates learning, discovery and engagement to strengthen the social, economic and environmental well-being of individuals, families, and communities.

Hill County Diaster and Emergency Services

(406)265-5481 ext.283

<http://hillcounty.us/departments/disaster-and-emergency-services/>

Emergency Management is the organized analysis, planning, decision making and assignment of available resources to mitigate, prepare for, respond to, and recover from the effects of all hazards. The goal of emergency management is to save lives, prevent injuries, protect property, and the environment if an emergency occurs.

Hill County Office of Public Assistance

48 Second Ave, Ste 200, Havre, MT 59501

(888)706-1535

<http://www.co.chouteau.mt.us/pages/des.htm>

Provides economic and medical assistance to those in need due to lack of income or employment

Salvation Army

322 3rd St, Havre, MT 59501

(406) 265-1101

<https://www.facebook.com/The-Salvation-Army-Retail-Store-Havre-MT-381528001936069/>