

November 21, 2023

City Commission Meeting

Cascade WIC Program Year-end report

FY 23 – October 2022-September 2023

Cascade County has 12 authorized WIC grocery stores. WIC had 1 grocery store join Sept 2023 and another that had no WIC transactions for FY 23.

Cascade WIC has authorized stores at Belt, Cascade, Great Falls and Malström AFB.

Across the 10 WIC authorized stores there were 32,527 WIC purchases by 4, 662 WIC card holders.

Cumulatively, these stores earned \$ 958, 532.45 in WIC purchases.

Cascade WIC program is averaging 1062 clients per month. Cascade WIC helped 12,744 clients for FY 23.

Cascade WIC provides many referrals for our WIC clients in addition to the food benefits. Referrals could be for housing, clothing, medical/dental/mental health, food bank/pantry, Toby's house, and Office of public assistance. CCHD has many great programs to assist parents including Montana Asthma program (MAP), Buckle up (car seats), Parents as Teachers (PAT), Safe Care, and Immunizations.

Where to Go and Who to Call

SPECIAL NEEDS/DISABILITY/DEVELOPMENT

Easter Seals/Goodwill- 425 1st Ave N
406-761-3680
Peace Place Respite Care- 1315 Central Ave
406-453-1412
GF Scottish Rite Childhood Language Disorders- 1304 13th St S
406-727-1088
Benchmark Human Services- 1601 2nd Ave N Ste 349
406-403-0087
GFPS-Special Education- 1100 4th St s
406-268-6000
Quality Life Concepts-215 Smelter Ave NE
406-452-9531

MENTAL HEALTH/Addictions-Substance Use

Many Rivers Whole Health - 915 1st Ave S
406-761-2100
New Directions-621 1st Ave S- 406-761-2104
Rocky Mountain Treatment Center-920 4th Ave N
406-727-8832
Benefis Behavioral Health-500 15th Ave S
406-455-2367
Alcoholics Anon-1225 8th Ave N
406-452-1234 (Call for meetings or just to talk)
Narcotics Anonymous Hotline- 1-800-990-6262
Sober Life- Alliance for Youth- 406-203-0935
Green Apple Counseling- 1500 10th Ave S Ste. 200
406-866-0350

HOUSING- rent/own

GF Housing Authority- 1500 Chowen Springs Loop
406-453-4311
Buchanan Enterprises-100 1st Ave N
406-761-0372
Housing- Opp Inc-905 1st Ave N
406-761-0310
Habitat For Humanity-905 1st Ave N
406-453-5972
Neighborworks-509 1st Ave S
406-761-5861
Community Resource Center-1123 Central Ave
406-216-2300 (Housing list and emergency needs)
~Energy Assistance/Weatherization
Energy Share MT-3117 Cooney Dr Ste 102 (Helena)
406-442-4900
LIHEAP/LIHWAP- 905 1st Ave N
406-761-0310

CHILDCARE/Family Learning

Family Connections (Assistance)-202 2nd Ave S Ste 201
406-761-6010
HANDS- 3800 1st Ave S Rm 8- 406-268-6932
Toby's House-421 5th St N- 406-770-3191 8AM-Midnight
Head Start/Early Head Start- 1220 3rd Ave S- 406-453-5415
Young Parents' Education Center-2400 Central Ave
406-268-6665 (Offers parent classes, also) *
MOPS-www.MOPS.org/about-us/ - 888-910-6677 (Mom Groups)

Family Necessities- SHELTER/FOOD/CLOTHING

Cameron Family Center- 408 2nd Ave S
406-761-2145
Salvation Army Family Services- 527 9th Ave S
406-761-5660
Helping Hands- First English Lutheran Church- 726 2nd Ave N
406-453-9551
First Church of Nazarene- 1727 2nd Ave S
406-453-3941
Set Free Ministries- 216 9th St N
406-453-4479
Emilie Center- St Martin De Porres Mission- 1920 10th Ave S
406-771-6695 (Energy/Rent Assist also)
St. Vincent De Paul (Call OPP INC for voucher-761-0310)
426 Central Ave W- 406-761-0966
Food Bank MT (Call OPP INC for voucher)
1620 12th Ave N- 406-452-3474
Meals on Wheels-1620 12th Ave N
406-454-6993
Family Promise-1019 Central Ave
406-564-5267
Rescue Mission (Women's)- 317 2nd Ave S
406-452-1483

FAMILY VIOLENCE/SEXUAL ASSAULT

Voices of Hope/Rape Victim Advocacy- 406-4357
Child Abuse Hotline- 1-866-820-5437
MT State Dept. of Family Services- 406-727-7746
YWCA-Support groups- 406-452-1315

PARENTING/PRENATAL/BREASTFEEDING EDU/SUPPORT

Healthy Mothers Healthy Babies- 406-268-6762 (Classes)
The Right Connection of MT- 406-454-2796 (Foster/Kinship care)
BENEFIS -Childbirth Prep - 406-455-5553
-Healthcare OB-GYN- 406-731-8017
-Breastfeeding Edu- 406-455-5000/406-731-8755
Le Leche League- www.llli.org - 1-800-525-3243 (Breastfeeding)
March of Dimes- Breastfeeding/Prenatal Helpline- 1-888-4637
-www.marchofdimes.org (Prenatal & Breastfeeding Edu/support)
Medicaid Breast Pump/Maternity Belt- Healthy Babies, Happy Moms
www.healthymbabieshappymoms.com - 401-884-8273

PREGNANCY/STD/HIV/AIDS TESTING*-- Family Planning

Echoz (Pregnancy)-	1323 9 th Ave S-	406-727-1850
Planned Parenthood-	211 9 th St S-	406-454-3431
National HIV/AIDS Hotline--	1-800-232-4636	
ASHA's STD Hotline--	1-919-361-8488	
Gentle Beginnings Family Care & Birth Center-	2517 7 th Ave S Ste A3	406-770-3022
Great Falls OB/GYN- 1400 29 th St S Ste 101		406-761-7924
CCHD- STD/HIV Testing	115 4 th St S	406-454-6950

OFFICE OF PUBLIC ASSISTANCE- SNAP/MEDICAID/TANF

Medicaid/SNAP/TANF-	201 1 st St S	1-888-706-1535
Medicaid Taxi-		1-800-292-7114
Medicaid Travel Reimbursement-		406-444-3182
Medicaid Helpline-		1-800-362-8312
Healthy MT Kids-	www.hmk.mt.gov	1-877-543-7669

HEALTHCARE/DENTAL**-Healthcare**

Alluvion Health- 601 1 st Ave N/115 4 th St S	406-454-6973
Benefis Hospital- 1101 26 th St S (Emergency) West- 500 15 th Ave S	406-455-5000
Benefis Walk-In- 1401 25 th St S	406-731-8300
Benefis Women's Health-	406-731-8017
Missouri River Health- 2300 12 th Ave S #101	406-761-5252
Indian Family Health Clinic- 1220 Central Ave Ste 2B	406-268-1510
Great Falls Clinic NW-1600 Division Rd	406-268-1600

-Dental

Alluvion Dental- 202 2 nd Ave S Ste 203	406-791-9267
Rescue Mission Clinic- 408 2 nd Ave S (Also Provides Medical/Optometyry)	406-761-2653
Alpine Falls Dental- 3920 3 rd Ave S	406-452-5361
Great Falls College MSU Dental Program 2100 16 th Ave S	406-771-4351
Emergency Dental Great Falls	866-503-2669

PEDIATRIC HEALTH/DENTAL**-Healthcare**

GF Clinic Pediatrics- 1400 29 th St S	406-454-2171
GF Clinic NW Pediatrics- 1600 Division Rd	406-268-1600
BMG Pediatrics- 1300 28 th St S, Ste 6	406-731-8865
Premiere Care Pediatrics- 916 13 th Ave S	406-770-3000
Family Health Clinic- 900 6 th St SW, Ste 2	406-727-3242

-Dental

GF Pediatric Dentistry- 1717 4 th St S	406-205-3586
MT Kids Dental GF- 2619 16 th Ave S	406-416-2180
Family Dental Center- 3224 10 th Ave S	406-727-1006
Pediatric Dentistry (Helena)- 3116 Saddle Dr #1	406-449-0189

MALMSTROM AFB

Child Develop Center (childcare)- 6201 Maple Street, Bldg 4100	406-731-2417
MAFB Youth Programs 7317 Goddard Dr., Bldg 1145	406-731-4634
MAFB Parent Support	406-731-4603
Malmstrom Clinic- 7300 N Perimeter Rd	406-731-4633
MAFB Family Advocacy	406-731-2161

FAMILY SAFETY/LAW

American Red Cross (CPR/First Aid)	1-800-272-6668
Montana Poison Control	1-800-525-5042
Cascade County Law	406-452-6269

www.montanalawhelp.org

City of Great Falls	406-771-1180
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YOUTH ACTIVITIES/WORK

Rural Employment Opportunities	406-761-1371
WIOA Youth Employment	406-761-8462
TANF Youth Summer Work Program	406-761-8462
Youth Employment and Engagement	406-761-8462
Alliance for Youth	406-952-0018
Kairos Youth Services	406-727-0076
Boys and Girls Club	406-761-1330
Big Brothers/Big Sisters	406-453-5521

OTHER RESOURCES NOT LISTED

Job Service 1018 7 th St S	406-791-5800
Child Support Enforcement 201 1 st St S Ste 1A	406-727-7449 1-800-346-5437
MT Tobacco QUIT Line	1-800-784-8669
Victim Witness	406-315-1111
Shodair Children's Hospital	1-800-447-6614
Youth Court Service	406-454-6880
My Neighbor in Need www.myneighborinneed.org 525 Central Ave #M4	406-750-2542
Chamber of Commerce	406-761-4434
Social Security Office 2008 23 rd St S	1-800-772-1213
Montana Empowerment Center	406-563-8117
Great Falls Public Schools	406-268-6000
Suicide and Crisis Lifeline	988 (Call, text, chat 24 hours)
LGBTQ+ National Youth Talkline	1-800-246-7743 (up to 25y)
GLBT National Hotline	1-888-843-4564
Parenting Montana Opportunities Incorporated	www.parentingmontana.org 406-761-0310
905 1 st Ave N (housing, bus passes, food vouchers, bill assistance)	
A.W.A.R.E 3360 10 th Ave S	406-563-8117
Ideal Option(Addiction Rehab) 1601 2 nd Ave N, Ste 300W	877-522-1275
MisFits Counseling Services 1111 14 th St S	406-868-7832
Open Door Wellness Center(Mental Health/Medical) 2 5 th St N, Ste 201	406-781-4414