

Human services-a concept
so all-encompassing it
affects each of us on
countless fronts daily.
Human services- an action
so essential it embraces
virtually every aspect of our
lives. Human services-
a mandate-
a motivation-
a message.

*Empowering people
through increased
personal
responsibility*

Gilpin County is a beautiful place to live and to raise our children. However, the beauty of this County should not blind us to the needs that exist around us. A number of our neighbors need our help.

From the infant to the elderly, the adolescent to the vet, Gilpin County Human Services provides guidance, assistance, and support to those at risk.

Gilpin County Human Services is aware of the needs in this community. We help by providing financial, food, medical, children, youth, adult, senior, and veteran services. We work hard to help those who need our assistance to become more self-sufficient and self-reliant.

We offer these services respectfully and confidentially to members of our community. We are people who help people.

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*Gilpin County
Human Services*
people who help people

People
are...

the
Reason
WE
GET
UP
AND
GO
every day:)

Gilpin County Human Services



PEOPLE
WHO HELP
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Financial and Medical Assistance We are people who HELP

eligible families and individuals with financial and medical needs in the community. We offer assistance until the participants have achieved a point in their life where they no longer require these benefits, usually by increasing their income. Some of the programs available are

- Medicaid
- Child Care Financial Assistance
- Colorado Works
- Old Age Pension
- Food Stamps & Food Bank
- Aid to the Needy Disabled
- LEAP - Energy Assistance
- Home and Community Based Services
- Child Health Plan Plus (CHP+)
- Emergency Assistance
- Income Tax Assistance
- Aid to the Blind

Adult Protective Services We are people who HELP

adults in the community who may be neglected, abused, financially exploited, or unable to care for themselves. We assist these adults and their families in securing necessary services to assure their safety and dignity.

Children, Youth, and Families We are people who HELP

and realize that families often struggle to provide safe and secure homes for their children. We believe that children have a right to be safe and live in an environment that supports that. With the community, we offer services to stabilize and strengthen the abilities of families to protect and care for their own children. If children cannot be safe in the family home, we offer other services to ensure child safety and permanency. Some of the services we provide are:

- Child protection and youth in conflict investigations and assessments
- Family and individual counseling
- Foster and kinship care
- Adoption
- Mental health treatment
- Substance abuse treatment
- Parenting

Veteran's Services We are people who HELP

military veterans and families receive benefits from the state and federal governments to which they are entitled. We also:

- Sponsor ceremonies for Gilpin Vets



- Assist veterans in obtaining High School Diplomas through Project Recognition
- Counsel and refer veterans to appropriate community and health services

Senior Services We are people who HELP

seniors in Gilpin County

access and take part in a number of activities and services to enhance their lives. Services included are:

- Weekly lunches at the Gilpin Community Center
- Grocery shopping
- Medical and dental transportation
- Meals on Wheels for the home bound
- Educational and recreational activities
- General transportation

