

RiverStone Health Connections



Connecting you to a better life®

December marks the heart of the holiday season, a time for reflection, gratitude and giving. At RiverStone Health, we are thankful for the partnerships and collaboration that make our community stronger and healthier. Together, we continue to make a meaningful impact on the well-being of those we serve.

As we close out the year, take a moment to explore the services we offer and celebrate the incredible work of our community partners. Here's to a season of health, hope, and connection.

RiverStone Health Service Spotlight

RiverStone Health offers School-based health centers in three School District 2 schools:

- Orchard Elementary
- Medicine Crow Middle
- Senior High

Our school clinics located inside Medicine Crow Middle School and Orchard Elementary School are open to all students enrolled in Billings School District 2, their family members and District 2 faculty and staff.

Our Billings Senior High clinic provides medical care to Senior High students and staff, with on-site behavioral health services coming soon.

Using a patient-centered approach, our team is available to meet students' and families' needs.

Contact RiverStone Health's School-based health team at 406.247.3210 or visit our website to learn more about our services.

Our school-based health centers offer many services that our main clinic location also offers including:

- Well-child exams with immunizations
- School and sports physicals
- Urgent care – sore throats, tummy aches, colds, fevers
- Care for chronic illnesses – diabetes & asthma
- Limited lab tests
- **Dental education**
- **Behavioral health services – ADHD, anxiety, depression, developmental screenings**
- Referrals to community resources
- **Assistance with health insurance options**
- Nutritional services
- Allergy care
- Teen wellness

[Visit our Website](#)

Please join us Friday, December 20 at 12:15 p.m. on the Yellowstone County courthouse lawn to memorialize those who have passed away while experiencing homelessness.



Partner Spotlight: Tumbleweed

Tumbleweed is a private, non-profit



Tumbleweed
Lasting Change for Vulnerable Youth

Tumbleweed takes a proactive approach to preventing homelessness and school dropouts through school-based services, equipping vulnerable youth with the tools and support they need to succeed.

They also proudly lead the region's Chafee Program, empowering foster youth as they transition to adulthood and providing them with guidance and resources until their 21st birthday, ensuring they don't have to navigate life's challenges alone.

Tumbleweed is one of few organizations in Montana addressing the hidden epidemic of human trafficking among minors. They work to identify victims and connect them with the care and support they desperately need.

organization that has been working to end homelessness among youth and young adults of Billings and its neighboring communities for nearly 50 years.

Every program, service, and effort they undertake is rooted in the belief that every young person deserves a safe place to call home and the opportunity to thrive.

At the heart of Tumbleweed's efforts is the Drop-In Resource Center—a sanctuary where young people can meet their basic needs (e.g., hot meals, food pantry, showers, clothing, etc.) find safety, and take the first steps toward a brighter future. The resource center partners with the Youth Homelessness Demonstration Project to create a lifeline for youth experiencing homelessness.

Together, they ensure that homelessness is not just addressed but transformed into a rare, brief, and non-recurring chapter in their lives.

Contact Tumbleweed at 406.259.2558 to refer someone or to learn more. You can also click the button below to visit the website.

[Learn more](#)

At RiverStone Health, you are at the center of everything we do with a focus on improving life, health and safety of our community. Serving the Yellowstone County community and south-central Montana for nearly 50 years, we are an essential provider of personal and public health services. Health, Education, Leadership and Protection – HELP is what we do.

We offer medical, dental and behavioral health; home care and hospice; public health services like immunizations, WIC, health promotion and restaurant inspections; and educate the next generation of health professionals. Our expertise spans all ages and stages of life.

If you would like to be a future partner spotlight, or learn more about RiverStone Health's work in the community please reach out to our Communications team at Communications@RiverStoneHealth.org or 406.247.3387.



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