

## RiverStone Health Connections



June is a time of growth, of nurturing, and of forging connections that strengthen the fabric of our community. We are delighted to create a collaborative space to support the well-being of our community.

In honor of this collaboration, take a moment to explore the services we offer and the incredible work of our community partners.

Together, we are shaping a community that cares, supports and uplifts each other. Thank you for being a crucial part of this journey.

## RiverStone Health Service Spotlight



We are celebrating 50 years of WIC (Women, Infants, & Children) services in Montana! RiverStone Health houses WIC services available to:

- Caregivers with children under age 5
- Pregnant women
- New moms, for up to six months after delivery
- Breastfeeding moms, for up to one year after delivery

WIC offers families:

- Benefits to buy healthy food, including at farmers' markets
- Breastfeeding support
- Tips for eating well
- Referrals for healthcare and to other community resources

Families must live in Montana and meet the income guidelines to qualify for WIC.

New income guidelines are on their way - make sure to check them out in next month's newsletter to see if you or your clients qualify.

We serve Carbon, Musselshell, Stillwater and Yellowstone counties.

Contact RiverStone Health WIC at 406.247.3370 or [WIC@RiverStoneHealth.org](mailto:WIC@RiverStoneHealth.org).

Visit our Website

## Partner Spotlight: AWARE Early Childhood



AWARE Early Head Start provides services for 151 low-income families with infants and toddlers. They promote the development of children ages birth to three in a safe and nurturing environment. AWARE Early Head Start provides full day educational care (10 hour) and center based (7.25 hr) care in the communities of Yellowstone, Jefferson, Park, Lewis & Clark, Silver Bow and Gallatin County. AWARE Early Head Start partners with private child care providers in the communities of Billings, Butte, Helena and Whitehall as well as AWARE Early Head Start centers in Belgrade, Billings, Butte and Helena.

Eligibility:

Children ages birth to three

Automatic eligibility for:

- families receiving SNAP, TANF, SSI,
- children in foster care, or experiencing homelessness
- children with a diagnosed disability

For more information about AWARE or to apply click the button below or call 406.652.5345

Benefits:

- Small ratios – eight children with two teachers.
- Children receive daily breakfast, lunch, and a snack.
- Diapers, wipes, and formula are provided.
- Services to children with special needs
- Family support and community referrals
- Child may be able to receive Early Head Start services in current childcare facility
- No cost to eligible families

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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