

RiverStone Health Connections



As Thanksgiving approaches, we're reminded of the importance of gratitude, connection and community.

At RiverStone Health, we're thankful for the incredible partners, patients and team members who help us make a difference every day.

Together, we continue to strengthen the health and well-being of our community especially as we head into the busy holiday season.

RiverStone Health Service Spotlight: Home Health and Hospice

RiverStone Health Hospice and Home Health has served the Yellowstone County community for more than 40 years. Our locally owned and operated services were the first in Montana to be recognized for excellence by the Community Health Accreditation Program (CHAP) and continue to meet their standards of excellence.

For eligible patients, both services are covered by Medicare, Medicaid, VA or private insurance.

RiverStone Health Home Health services may be requested by physicians, the patient or family member, or a hospital discharge planner. Our team of caring and skilled professionals develop a plan of care to meet the individual's healthcare needs.

RiverStone Health Hospice care treats the person, not the disease. It emphasizes the quality of life, not length of life. As we care for the person, we are especially sensitive to treating physical symptoms as quickly as possible to decrease psychological, social, emotional, or spiritual distress of patients and caregivers. Our Hospice team continues to achieve a 4-star rating by Medicare.

Contact RiverStone Health's Home Health and Hospice team at 406.651.6500 or click the button below to visit our website to learn more about our services.

[Click to learn more](#)

Donate for Tree of Warmth with the RiverStone Health Foundation...

As the weather turns and you are upgrading your family's winter wear, consider donating your gently used coats, gloves, hats and scarves to the RiverStone Health Foundation office for the year's Tree of Warmth. All donations are given right back to our communities.



Homeless Persons' Memorial Candlelight Vigil



Monday, December 22 at 12:15
Yellowstone County
Courthouse Lawn

Partner Spotlight: Allies in Aging



Senior Services • Lifelong Support

Services include:

Resource & Education Center

- Medicare advocacy and assistance
- Notary services
- Minor home repair program
- Medical transportation
- Information and assistance with:
Housing, In-Home Care, Transportation,
Financial Support

Meals on Wheels

Senior Lunch Program

Representative Payee & Financial Case
Management

In-Home Care

Support Groups

- Care Partners - A space for caregivers to connect, learn, and share experiences related to caring for senior loved ones. Meets at 1 p.m. on the second Wednesday and fourth Tuesday of each month.

Allies in Aging is a community-driven nonprofit (unified between the Adult Resource Alliance of Yellowstone County and Big Sky Senior Services) helping older adults across Yellowstone County live with dignity, independence and connection. Allies in Aging unites decades of local experience and compassionate care with innovative programs that make aging better for everyone—today and for generations to come. From a hot meal and a safe home environment to companionship and advocacy, their mission is to create a network of services that strengthens independence, builds community and ensures that no one has to face the challenges of aging alone.

Allies in Aging appreciate their Community Allies, you, who make referrals. Please be sure you are working with the person the referral is for to ensure they are seeking support. Below is a link to an online webpage where referral forms or links for our program and services are located. Please call us with any questions or if you do not know where to start. A link to referral forms and more information is below.

[Referral Information](#)

- Memory Cafe - Adults experiencing memory loss and their care partners are invited to visit the Billings Public Library to socialize and enjoy an activity together every first Tuesday of the month at 10:30 a.m.

Dementia Friendly Billings Volunteer-Based Programs

- AmeriCorps Senior Companions Program
- Yellowstone County Guardianship Council
- Rides Transportation
- Bookkeeping Assistance
- Pantry Pals
- Friend Companion
- Meals on Wheels
- Chore Corps

For Community Services, call [406-259-5212](tel:406-259-5212).
For Payee/Prevention of Elder Abuse, call [406-896-9696](tel:406-896-9696).
For Development/Marketing, call [406-294-1588](tel:406-294-1588).
For Volunteer, call [406-294-1590](tel:406-294-1590).
For all other inquiries, call [406-259-9666](tel:406-259-9666).

Locations:

Midtown – 1505 Avenue D, Billings, MT 59102

Heights – 935 Lake Elmo Drive, Billings, MT 59105

For more information about Allies in Aging, please click the button below.

[Visit their Website](#)

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 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 health 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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