

COMMUNITY RESOURCE GUIDE MAY 16, 2024

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If you would like to make an appointment or need more information, please contact us:

Phone: (509) 684-8421 or (877) 219-5542

Website: www.ruralresources.org Email: info@ruralresources.org

> Don't tell a survivor what they should've done – you don't know what they should've done. Don't tell a survivor what you would've done – you don't know what you would've done.

> > --Paula Goodwin

Helping People, Changing Lives

Explore Rural Resources Programs

For more information about these services or to see if you qualify, please visit our website at ruralresources.org or call 509-684-8421.

BASIC FOOD OUTREACH

BFO has the goal of making sure that people are aware of, and have access to, the Basic Food Assistance Program (SNAP), ultimately reducing hunger and food insecurity in our area.

CAREGIVER COFFEE & SUPPORT GROUPS

These groups are a safe place to meet for people who are taking care of a family member. It is a place to talk about the joys and frustrations that come with providing care for a loved one. It is a judgment-free environment to get support, find resources and new ideas. Coffee and food are provided. Groups are held twice a month and are located in Pullman, Colfax and Malden. All unpaid caregivers are welcome to attend.

SEXUAL ASSAULT

Sexual assault is any form of sexual activity that happens without a person's permission. Sexual assault does not always include sexual intercourse and can include any contact with private body parts that you don't want, don't agree to, or are coerced/forced to do. It can also include showing someone sexual images that they do not wish to see or sharing sexual images of a person without their consent. Our services are free, confidential, and non-judgmental.

HOUSING & ESSENTIAL NEEDS

The Housing and Essential Needs program (HEN) is a referral-based program focused on assisting single adults who are temporarily or permanently disabled and unable to work. This program can provide a hygiene bag, homeless prevention, and rapid rehousing assistance for as long as DSHS determines them to be eligible.

GOLD STAR SHELTER

The Gold Star Shelter is a 7-bed facility set up for communal living. The primary objective of the shelter is to assist clients in becoming stable in their housing. The shelter serves homeless veterans above all other situations, but can also serve general homeless males, provided space is available.

VOLUNTEER RIDES

Volunteer transportation is available, primarily for necessary appointments such as medical and social services, usually to larger communities. **Note:** Dispatch is located in the Colville – Main Office

COMMUTER BUS

We offer a fixed route service at 50 cents per one-way trip between Kettle Falls, Colville and Chewelah for morning and late afternoon commuters. (Passes can be purchased at the Rural Resources main office in \$20 denominations for 40 trips.). Transfers occur in Colville for passengers traveling between Kettle Falls and Chewelah.

SENIOR NUTRITION

Under-nutrition, malnutrition, isolation, and depression are common among elderly hospital patients and residents of long-term care facilities. But they also affect a growing number of independent adults, particularly low-income seniors living alone. For older adults in our community, Rural Resources offers nutrition programs that help combat these issues.

HEAD START & EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION AND ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (ECEAP)

The Northeast Washington Early Childhood Program helps children and families prepare for kindergarten and beyond. Our Head Start, Early Childhood Education and Assistance Program (ECEAP, pronounced e—cap) and Access to Baby & Childhood Dentistry programs help to meet our Mission. Our preschool classrooms support the mental, social, and emotional development of children from age 3 to age 5. Program services are responsive to each child and family's ethnic, cultural, and linguistic heritage. Enrollment is at no cost to a family and includes preschool education, health services coordination, and family support services.

KINSHIP CARE

Our Kinship Navigator provides grandparents and relatives who are raising children, connections with community resources such as health, financial, legal services, support groups, training, and emergency funds. Kinship services help kinship families establish or maintain greater self-sufficiency and long-term stability needed to keep their children out of the foster care system.

VICTIM SERVICES VOLUNTEER PROGRAM WANT TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE? VOLUNTEER!

Volunteers play an essential role in supporting survivors. We provide all necessary training and education to our volunteers. As a new volunteer, you will join a community of supportive people that all have the same goal: supporting survivors, giving hope, and preventing violence.

HEALTH HOME PROGRAM

Services to support participants who have serious chronic conditions and have social service needs. The Health Home Program provides care coordination of medical, behavioral health and long-term services and support for individuals of all ages. It is a Medicaid/Medicare benefit now available at no cost to the participant. The program supports participants in improving their quality of life, helps with post-hospital care, helps manage multiple providers, assist with getting to appointments, identifies helpful community resources, and helps participants get connected to available benefits.

STEVENS COUNTY EMERGENCY SHELTER

The Stevens County Emergency Shelter is a 4-unit facility consisting of 12 beds and one fully ADA accessible unit. The primary objective of the shelter is to assist clients in becoming stable in housing. The shelter serves women with children and female domestic violence victims above all other situations, but can also serve general homeless females, provided space is available.

TAILORED SUPPORT FOR OLDER ADULTS

Provides personalized support at home for individuals over the age of 55 who require assistance with personal care and household tasks and do not have a caregiver. There are functional and financial requirements for program eligibility.

SENIOR LEGAL ASSISTANCE

Legal Assistance is made available to lower-income seniors age 60+. Qualified recipients will receive a one-time consultation with a participating attorney.

CHEWELAH SHUTTLE SERVICE

Mondays and Wednesdays we offer a shuttle in Chewelah, by reservation, from 9:30 am to 11 am for clients who live in the city limits and need to access Chewelah area shopping or appointments. Reservations need to be placed with the dispatch office no later than noon on the business day before the date of the event. i.e., Friday by noon for Monday.

VICTIMS OF CRIME

If you are the victim of a crime, our knowledgeable victim advocates are here for you. We can offer legal advocacy, emergency financial assistance, safety measures and planning, and many other services you may not be aware of. We serve victims of all crime types, including but not limited to:

- Arson
- Assault
- Attempted
- Homicide or a Survivor of a Homicide Victim
- Burglary
- Child Abuse (physical & sexual)
- Domestic Violence
- Elder Abuse
- Fraud
- Harassment
- Hate Crimes
- Human Trafficking
- Identity Theft
- Kidnapping/Missing Persons
- Property Crime
- Sexual Assault
- Vehicular Assault

Our services are free, confidential, and non-judgmental.

TRANSPORTATION DIAL-A-RIDE

We provide Dial-A-Ride (DAR) service for persons of special needs (persons with disabilities, too old or young to operate a vehicle, and low income) in Stevens, Pend Oreille, Ferry counties and support for Veterans and access Veteran services in the Highly Rural areas. Dial-A-Ride also supports remote trips into Colville, Kettle Falls, and Chewelah for basic necessities including fresh food, legal, medical, intermodal, recreation, and other peer and social opportunities. Volunteer transportation is available, primarily for necessary appointments such as medical and social services, usually to larger communities.

TENANT BASED RENTAL ASSISTANCE (TBRA)

The Tenant Based Rental Assistance (TBRA) Program provides very low-income households with rent costs for up to 24 months – if funding allows. TBRA is a referral program. A case worker or an outreach worker who is currently assisting the applicant may refer the person to the program.

CHILDREN'S ADVOCACY CENTER

The Children's Advocacy Center offers community-based, child-friendly, trauma-informed multidisciplinary services for children who have been victims of sexual violence, physical abuse, or neglect.

STATE HEALTH INSURANCE BENEFITS ADVISORS (SHIBA)

SHIBA Volunteers help people with Health Care Fraud issues, errors and abuse in the Medicare Program, Private Insurance, Employer Plans, Prescription Assistance, Medicaid, Medicare Savings Program, Low Income Savings/Extra Help, Medicare Part D, Medicare Fraud, COBRA, Medicare Advantage Plans (Stevens County only), and Medicare Supplement Plans (Ferry, Lincoln, Stevens).

FOUNDATIONAL COMMUNITY SUPPORTS, SUPPORTIVE HOUSING

Provides targeted case management for clients experiencing issues either obtaining or maintaining housing and qualify for the service by having issues with substance abuse, mental health disorders, or chronic illness. Case management addresses both housing and other social supports to assist long term housing stability.

ALLEGIANCE ASSISTED LIVING

Allegiance Assisted Living is a licensed residential facility based in Chewelah which provides care to residents in a home like setting. We provide services to those with Intellectual Disabilities, Mental Health issues, Traumatic brain Injuries, and others with special needs. Our goal is to provide quality care in an environment that promotes dignity, respect, and resources so the individual can achieve their highest level of independence.

WEATHERIZATION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

The Weatherization Assistance Program (WAP) enables low-income families to reduce their energy costs by increasing the energy efficiency of their homes while ensuring their health and safety.

REPRESENTATIVE PAYEE PROGRAM

This program assists those who may need additional assistance managing their Social Security or fixed sources of income. Our financial counselor works directly with clients or their appointed representatives to ensure security in housing, food, and medical needs. Through financial management, our payee services provide protection from financial abuse and victimization. Our clients achieve greater financial stability and independence.

HOMEOWNERSHIP / HOME BUYERS PROGRAM

With Rural Resources, the dream of home ownership is within your reach. We offer education and counseling to connect homebuyers of all income levels to the information and resources you need. We also provide counseling and assistance in linking first-time homebuyers and previous homeowners to a variety of different down-payment assistance programs and home loans.

VICTIM SERVICES TRIBAL PROGRAM

The Tribal Program seeks to provide community-based advocacy and violence, abuse, and crime prevention programming in a culturally responsive manner to Indigenous survivors, Descendants, and their families. The Tribal Program building, located in Inchelium on the Confederated Tribes of the Colville Reservation, is named snxastwilxtn, which translates to "the place where you heal yourself".

EMPLOYMENT TRAINING & SUPPORT

We help you explore training options that lead to a credential and if enrolled, also provide assistance with tuition and training costs. In addition, we may also provide Support Services such as gas vouchers, work clothes, etc. while you're in training. Examples include truck driver training (CDL), Certified Nursing Assistant (CNA), welding and industrial manufacturing technology and phlebotomy. Our programs can pay tuition, books, and other training related expenses. Support Services may include the purchase of work clothes, tools, gas vouchers, auto-insurance, food handler's permit.

INFORMATION AND REFERRAL / OPTIONS COUNSELING

This service provides information and connects individuals to resources within the community to stabilize independence. We help people make informed decisions regarding available resources to help maintain independent living within the community. Through phone calls or in-person meetings with individuals and families, we empower people to plan for their immediate and long-term needs.

ON THE JOB TRAINING

We reimburse employers the costs of training you and you learn an occupation while working and getting paid. Support Services such as gas vouchers, work clothes, etc. while you're participating in on-the-job training.

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE

Domestic Violence (DV) is a pattern of assaultive and coercive behaviors, including physical, sexual, and psychological attacks, as well as economic coercion, that adults and/or adolescents use against their intimate partners to gain and maintain power and control. It involves learned behavior that is intentionally chosen by an abuser. DV occurs in heterosexual, gay, lesbian, bisexual, and trans intimate partner relationships in which the individuals are dating, married, separated, or divorced. Domestic violence knows no boundaries and affects people from all ages, races, socioeconomic levels, religions, cultures, and education levels. Our services are free, confidential, and non-judgmental.

HOMELESS DOCUMENT RECORDING FEES

HB2163 is primarily used to help prevent homelessness for individuals and families facing eviction and rapid rehousing for individuals and families who do not meet CHG requirements. These funds can be utilized to assist with first, last and/or security and rental assistance on a month-to-month basis.

LOW INCOME APARTMENT RENTALS

We have 6 low-income apartment communities in 3 counties. Applications are available at our main office.

SECTION 8 HUD HOUSING

This is a rent subsidy program funded by the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD). This program is designed to assist low-income families, disabled individuals and the elderly to find safe, decent and sanitary housing they can afford.

PAID WORK EXPERIENCE

If you have little or no work history, we can provide temporary paid employment so you can build your resume and develop positive work habits. In addition, we may also provide support services such as gas vouchers, work clothes, etc. while you're participating in the work experience.

HOMEOWNERSHIP FORECLOSURE PREVENTION AND DEFAULT COUNSELING

We offer help for those who are having trouble making their mortgage payments or have already fallen behind. The earlier you reach out for help, the more options you'll have. Homeowners will work on improving their finances and work with a counselor to prepare documents needed for a loan modification. We will assess your financial situation and hardship, we can explain the different workout options, provide budget counseling, assist is submitting loan modification application and facilitate.

CONSOLIDATED HOMELESS GRANT

The Consolidated Homeless Grant (CHG) is an emergency rental assistance program primarily used to rapidly rehouse homeless individuals and families and victims fleeing domestic violence into units that meet Stevens County Fair Market rent. These funds can be utilized to assist with first, last and/or security and rental assistance on a month-to-month basis. It may also be used for homeless prevention by paying past due rent.

ENERGY ASSISTANCE

Home is where the heat is. No one should be forced to decide between paying for food and paying for heat this winter. If you or someone you know is facing this choice or is just having trouble paying their utility bills, Rural Resources Community Action can help. In cooperation with other agencies and with local utilities, we offer a number of different programs to assist:

- Low-income families
- Disabled individuals
- Seniors on low and fixed incomes
- Residents in danger of losing their heat source
- Utility customers in need

We also provide low- to no-cost weatherization help and energy-saving tips and information.

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT DEPARTMENT

The Community Engagement Department is responsible for outreach, education, and prevention activities related to violence, crime, and abuse.

Services We Provide:

- Materials and information about Rural Resources Victim Services for community organizations, system partners, and/or potential clients
- Materials and information about various types of victimization and abuse
- Presentations related to crime victimization information or agency services
- Training that build skills around a variety of topics, including but not limited to victimization, communication strategies, supporting survivors, cultural competency, trauma-informed care, etc.
- Prevention programs that address underlying causes of violence and abuse to prevent first-time perpetration of crimes or abuse.
- Please contact the Community Engagement Program Manager if you are interested in any of these services.

Rental Properties

Landlord / Facility Name	Contact Information	Facility Location	Accepts HUD Voucher?	Housing Type
Cedar Center Apartments (Family Complex)	(509) 935-8987 (541) 398-8968 <u>chew@viridianmgt.com</u>	Chewelah	Yes	Apartments
Chewelah Meadows (Senior / Disabled Housing)	(509) 935-8987 (541) 398-8968 <u>chew@viridianmgt.com</u>	Chewelah	Yes	Apartments
Sunny Acres Senior Housing (Seniors over 62 and/or disabled)	(509) 935-4811 sunny.acres@ad-west.com	Chewelah	Yes	Apartments
Chewelah Manor (Senior/Disabled Housing) Cliff Mackey	(509) 935-6966	Chewelah	Yes	Apartments
Crestmore Apartments	(509) 936-5268	Chewelah	Yes	Apartments
Clayton Meadows (Hunt Rentals)	(509) 951-2727	Clayton	Yes	Mobile Home Court
Columbia Apartments (<i>Disabled Housing</i>) Angie	(509) 601-7369	Colville	Varies	Apartments
Colville Park Apartments	(509) 684-8728	Colville	Yes	Apartments
Highlands Apartments (Senior / Disabled Housing)	(509) 684-4387 hlds@viridianmgt.com	Colville	Yes	Apartments

Landlord / Facility Name	Contact Information	Facility Location	Accepts HUD Voucher?	Housing Type
Rhodena Apartments (Applications available at Colville Catholic Charities office)	(509) 358-4250	Colville	Yes	Apartments
Panorama Mobile Home Park Roger	(509) 675-6088	Colville	Yes	Mobile Home Court
Central Colville Apartments	(509) 684-3932 (877) 219-5542	Colville	Yes	Apartments
Cook's Apartments	(509) 690-2377	Colville	Yes	Apartments
Colville Meadows (Disabled Housing) Angie	(509) 601-7369	Colville	Varies	Apartments
North Hill Apartments (Owned and managed by Rural Resources)	(509) 684-3932 (877) 219-5542	Colville	Yes	Apartments
Valley Breeze (Owned and managed by Rural Resources)	(509) 684-3932 (877) 219-5542	Colville	Yes	Apartments
Hudesman House Angie (Senior Housing 62+)	(509) 601-7369	Colville	No	Apartments

Landlord / Facility Name	Contact Information	Facility Location	Accepts HUD Voucher?	Housing Type
Hunters Senior Apartments (Owned and managed by Rural Resources)	(509) 684-3932 (877) 219-5542	Hunters	Yes	Apartments
The Falls (Senior / Disabled Housing)	(509) 412-0918 Office Hours M-F 10am – 2pm	Kettle Falls	Varies	Apartments
Wood Haven	(509) 738-2126 Office Hours M-F 10am – 2pm	Kettle Falls	Varies	Apartments
Gold Hill Manor (Senior / Disabled Housing)	(509) 738-2113 goldg@centurytel.net	Kettle Falls	No	Apartments
Kaniksu Village Apartments Angie	(509) 601-7369	Metaline Falls	Varies	Apartments
Quail Manor (Owned and managed by Rural Resources)	(509) 684-3932 (877) 219-5542	Newport	Yes	Apartments
Newport Pines Apartments Angie	(509) 601-7369	Newport	Yes	Apartments
Greenwood (Senior/Disabled)	(509) 447-0207	Newport	Yes	Apartments
Mountain View (Senior/ Disabled)	(509) 447-0207	Newport	Yes	Apartments

Landlord / Facility Name	Contact Information	Facility Location	Accepts HUD Voucher?	Housing Type
Pend Orielle West (Senior/ Disabled)	(509) 447-0207	Newport	Yes	Apartments
RiverBend Village	(509) 447-0207	Newport	Yes	Apartments
Willow Glen	(509) 447-0207	Newport	Yes	Apartments
Frontier Springs Apartments	(509) 775-2973	Republic	Yes	Apartments

Washington State Health and Food Benefits

Why would I use these sites?

There are many reasons to use these sites. First, these sites offer you the ability to check for various services and programs that may be available to you. Second, it provides a vast array of information on resources available in the community. Third, you can apply for some programs on these sites - specifically health care and food benefits.

<u>Health Care</u> the Washington Health Plan Finder offers healthcare coverage for children, parents/caretakers with children, pregnant women, or adults age 18 to 64 years old. For information regarding available services or to apply for benefits, visit **www.healthplanfinder.org**

Food Benefits Washington Connection offers a fast and easy way for families and individuals to apply for a variety of services such as Food, Cash, Child-Care, Long-Term Care, and Medicare Savings Programs. Individuals that are age 65 or older, blind, or disabled, may also apply for assistance. Apply for services online at www.washingtonconnection.org

Or visit our Home & Community Services Colville Office at:

1100 S. Main St. Colville, WA. 99114. Or call (509) 563-0140 (Primary Phone), or 888-437-0516 (Alternate Phone).

Who are these sites for?

These sites are designed for anyone who would like to find out what benefits and programs they might qualify for in the state of Washington. The online application is for residents of Washington State to apply for Federal, State, and local benefits.

What qualifies as a Washington State Resident?

A resident is someone who is living in Washington and is not receiving assistance from another state or tribe. A resident under special circumstances for nursing facilities is someone who enters Washington solely for medical care in a nursing facility. A person placed in a nursing facility by another state is considered a resident of the state that placed them. Residency requirements for Temporary Visa Holders must first meet citizenship and alien status as they are stated in:

http://app.leg.wa.gov/wac/default.aspx?cite=388-424

How long will it take to check eligibility and apply?

The See if I Qualify screening may take as little as 15 minutes. The online application, Apply Now can take about an hour to complete. There is no cost to you for the "See if I Qualify" screening or submitting an application.

When will I know which programs, I am eligible for?

When you have entered all of your information in the See if I Qualify screening, a results page displays showing benefits and programs you may qualify for.

Will the online application save my information if my computer browser times out?

The online application automatically saves each time you navigate to a new page. However, if you have not created a SecureAccess Washington (SAW) account, you may not be able to access your application information again.

Now that my application has been submitted, what do I need to do next?

If you are submitting an application online during regular business hours, it is available for processing within just a few minutes. If you are submitting an application online after normal working hours (after 5pm, or on weekends/holidays) it will be dated as received on the next regular business day. Some programs require an interview, others do not. You will receive a letter in the mail notifying you of the next steps. You may be contacted to provide additional information or proof of your circumstances such as: Social Security Numbers if not already provided

Proof of income such as: copies of checks, check stubs, letters, or statements from anyone who gave your household money.

Proof of resources you may have, such as vehicle registration, bank statements, stocks, bonds, or life insurance policies.

Proof of cost of childcare or dependent adult care such as a receipt from your provider. Proof of housing costs such as mortgage payments, property tax payments,

homeowner's insurance, rent receipts, copy of your lease, utility bills, letter from your landlord.

Other proof such as unpaid medical bills, health insurance premiums, pregnancy with due date, changes to your immigration or citizenship status, adoption support or foster care payments.

If you applied for cash, medical, food assistance, or childcare subsidy programs.

Your application will be sent to DSHS for processing; except if you are applying for the Childcare Subsidy Program your information will be sent to the Department of Children, Youth, and Families for processing. To process your application for cash and food assistance faster, call us between 8am and 5pm, Monday through Friday at 1-877-501-2233; or visit us in person at 1100 S. Main St. Colville, WA.

To process your application for childcare, you can call the Department of Children, Youth, and Families between 8am and 5pm Monday through Friday at 1-844-626-8687.



Need Help Getting a Job? Work Source Can Help

Services offered in Stevens, Ferry, and Pend Oreille Counties Main Office 956 S. Main, Colville Contact: 509-685-6158 Toll Free 800-776-2178

Services offered:

- Resource Room free access to computers, copiers, and job search resources.
- Training Assistance Paid On the Job Training, help paying for classes; including CNA and CDL training.
- Support Services such as gas vouchers and work clothes for *participants.
- Veteran Services.
- Workshops including Resume Building, Positive Interviewing, and Skills, Abilities and Job Search.

*Participants must meet eligibility requirements

Strategies for Success Workshops

Class times: 9:00-12:00pm Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, & Thursday

- Learn how to multitask and stay motivated.
- Explore your personal leadership and organization skills.
- Learn to evaluate trauma vs. drama and how to manage the unexpected
- Understand cognitive bias and how it impacts every decision we make
- Develop a solid vision for a professional future



Current Job Postings

For more information go to https://seeker.worksourcewa.com/

Stevens County

Travel Physical Therapist - \$2,097 per week

Fiber Staffing is seeking a travel Physical Therapist for a travel job in Colville, Washington.Job Description & Requirements - Specialty: Physical Therapist - Discipline: Therapy - Start Date: ...

CDL-A Tanker Truck Driver - \$1,400 to \$2,400 per week in Kettle Falls, WA

Tanker CDL Driver Semi-Regional Route, \$1,400.00 – \$2,400.00 per week. Weekly Home Time! YOUR EXPERIENCE MATTERS. DRIVE JAMES J. WILLIAMS Are you an Experienced CDL-A Driver? Drive proudly in ...

Diesel Mechanic (Evening Shift)

Job ID: 497441 Interstate Concrete & Asphalt Co., a CRH company, is a member of the CRH West Division family, values a culture of growth, development, and internal promotion. We are a dynamic,

BRANCH MANAGER

BRANCH MANAGER Job Locations US-WA-COLVILLE Requisition ID 2024-144383 Line of Business: All Ways Caring HomeCare Pay Min USD \$67,724.80/Yr. Pay Max USD \$67,724.80/Yr. Our ...

Certified Nursing Assistant Up to \$900/week

Certified Nursing Assistant Up to \$900/week Tired of staffing agencies that don t put YOU first? Hi! We re MAS Medical Staffing, one of the largest healthcare staffing agencies in the country. ...

Customer Service Rep

Offering \$16.28 - \$23 per hour • work directly with medical professionals and physicians to facilitate patient care • advocate for and work in lockstep with chronic patients ...

<u>Planerman</u>

Columbia Cedar is a cedar sawmill that responsibly harvests, mills, and manufactures select, tightknot western red cedar building products. We offer lumber industry & sawmill career opportunities ...

Dental Hygienist

FULL TIME of PART TIME \$5,000 Sign On Bonus for Full Time Hygienist Committed to bringing healthcare into communities and communities into healthcare since 1978, NEW Health is rural northeast ...

Medical Biller

KYKAMO MEDICAL BILLING Seeking medical billing professional. Must be detail oriented with the ability to multi-task. Medical billing experience preferred but not required. Send resume for ...

Pharmacy Technician

Committed to bringing healthcare into communities and communities into healthcare since 1978, NEW Health is rural northeast Washington's leading non-profit primary care provider. We treat all ...

Part Time Merchandiser

Job Description Description Merchandiser - Flexible, Part time, Start now! Hourly Wage: \$17.00/hr Additional info: Hourly, Variable hours, Non-exempt F ...

Retail Sales Associate - Carryout

To tell the story of North 40 Outfitters is to tell a success story of the people of the Northwest. We do what we love, and love what we do because we're passionate. We're dedicated. We give it all ...

Claims Representative - THERAPY

Description Claims Representative - THERAPY, Providence Mount Carmel Hospital- Colville, WA Under the supervision of the Rehab Services Manager or Assistant Manager, the Insurance Coordinator ...

Crew Member

Position with Taco Bell Franchisee: When you join our team, you'll be working with a Taco Bell franchisee, not directly for Taco Bell Corp. or its affiliates. It's important to note that our ...

Assistant District Wildlife Biologist - Fish and Wildlife Biologist 2 - Permanent - *05749-24

FULL-TIME/PERMANENT ASSISTANT DISTRICT WILDLIFE BIOLOGIST FISH AND WILDLIFE BIOLOGIST 2 (BIO 2) Wildlife Program Colville, Washington – Stevens County This is an opportunity to assist the ...

OPERATIONS ASSISTANT MANAGER

Store Dollar Tree Work where you love to shop! Dollar Tree is hiring in your neighborhood. Avoid long commutes and set your own course to success by applying today. We offer generous benefits, ...

CFWS Social Service Specialist 2-3 In Training (SSS3) - Colville

Our vision is to ensure that "Washington state's children and youth grow up safe and healthy thriving physically, emotionally, and academically, nurtured by family and community." Job Title: ...

General Merchandise

Do you enjoy helping customers figure out and find what they need? From every day needs to special occasions, customers need you to take them to that special product. As a sales associate in Apparel,

DCT Chambers USA Class A Drivers: Chip Hauling - Colville/Kettle Fallsw

NEW DRIVER RATES! Come work for one of the Pacific Northwest's Best Managed Companies! DCT Chambers USA currently has openings for local Class A Truck Drivers for the Kettle Falls and Colville ...

Millwright - Kettle Falls Plywood - MILLW004142

Boise Cascade is looking for a qualified millwright to join our maintenance team. Boise Cascade has been in the business of manufacturing wood products and distributing building materials for over ...

Caregiver-Individual Provider

Now Hiring! Consumer Direct Washington is currently hiring Caregivers! Consumer Direct Care Network is all about caring for people. Care is at our core, and we strive to show it every single day



Rural Resources Current Job Postings

For more in-depth job descriptions or to apply, visit: <u>https://ruralresources.org/job-openings/</u>

TRANSIT DRIVER (CHEWELAH, WA) HIRING INCENTIVE \$1,000

Rural Resources Community Action needs a Transit Driver (Chewelah, WA). This position is part-time w/benefits (26-30 Hours Per Week). As a Transit Driver, you will transport persons to and from scheduled destinations, utilizing specialized equipment. The general duties of the Transit Driver will consist of assisting passengers in and out of the vehicle, providing transfer assistance to non-ambulatory persons by utilizing mobility aids as necessary, i.e., slider boards and lifts, daily vehicle safety and operational inspections, and reporting any defects to a designated individual, maintain emergency information regarding designated passengers, and performs other related duties as assigned. This position is safety sensitive and requires pre-employment, random, and post-accident drug testing in compliance with Federal Transportation Administration (FTA) standards and corporate policy, as a condition of employment. The *full salary range* of \$18.23-\$30.35 per hour represents the low and high end of the total salary range for this position. The *hiring range* for this role is \$18.23-\$21.32 per hour. Actual salaries will vary depending on factors including but not limited to experience & qualifications.

SUBSTITUTE CLASSROOM/KITCHEN AIDE (MULTIPLE LOCATIONS: COLVILLE, KETTLE FALLS, & CHEWELAH, WA)

Rural Resources Community Action is looking for a Substitute Classroom/Kitchen Aide for our Early Childhood Division, located in multiple Head Start locations including Colville, Kettle Falls and Chewelah, WA). This is a part-time (23 hours per week or less) position that does not include benefits. As a Substitute Classroom/Kitchen Aide, you will work under close supervision of education staff to assist in conducting the activities of an early childhood program, implements trauma invested practices that support social-emotional learning and self-regulation in the classroom. This position's main function is food preparation and kitchen duties, which may include shopping, housekeeping, cleaning, and maintenance duties (required). Starting Pay: \$18.06.

PROGRAM DEVELOPMENT MANAGER (ARDEN, WA)

Rural Resources Community Action is looking for a Program Development Manager, this position is full-time (40 hours per week) with benefits and located at our Arden, WA Warehouse. A Program Development Manager will develop, organize, coordinate and expand assigned programs in Nutrition Services, provide supervision to assigned Nutrition Services staff, and maintain an extensive knowledge of community resources and laws and regulations specific to food distribution. \$23.60-\$25.53 per hour.

RECEPTIONIST / NAVIGATOR OF SERVICES

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Rural Resources Community Action is in of a Receptionist / Navigator of Services. This is a full-time position in Davenport, WA. As a Receptionist / Navigator of Services, you will be the first point of contact for Rural Resources and should ensure that all guests are greeted and welcomed positively, in-person and on the telephone. Administrative tasks and customer service should be executed to the highest quality standard. Hiring Range-\$19.87-\$21.49.

caregiver Support Providing a safe space for caregivers to share their joys, frustrations, knowledge and support to others in similar circumstances.

2nd and 4th Mondays via Zoom at **3pm**

Group

Contact Rheva Wren for more information! rwren@ruralresources.org (509)332-0365 ext 8002





ENERGY PROGRAM: 956 S. Main Street • Colville, WA 99114 • Phone (509) 685-6000 • Fax (509) 685-6004

2023-2024 Energy Assistance Information

The Energy season is from October 1, 2023 – September 30, 2024

The first opportunity to apply will be **ONLINE** on Monday, October 2, 2023 at 11am

How to Apply On-line

See below for the dates and times you can access the online application on the Rural Resources website home page at <u>www.ruralresources.org</u>. Click on <u>Apply for Energy Assistance</u> to apply. Link will only be active during day/time stated below and until limit is reached.

How to Apply by Phone

See below for the dates and times to call **509-685-6161** or toll free at **866-260-2729.** - Leave a message with your name, *mailing* address, and a working phone number. <u>Speak slowly and</u> <u>clearly and spell the first and last name.</u> - This is a message line only. No one will be answering this line. Line will only be open during call-in time and until limit is reached.

DATES TO APPLY ON-LINE

www.ruralresources.org

DATES TO APPLY BY PHONE

509-685-6161 or 866-260-2729

Monday, October 2, 2023 at 11 am Thursday, February 1, 2024 at 11 am Monday, June 3, 2024 at 11 am Friday, December 1, 2023 at 11 am Monday, April 1, 2024 at 11am

The on-line application and phone message line will close when all appointment slots are full. Appointments fill up extremely fast. Call in or go online at the above times. If you do not make it on the list, try the next time, or until you do.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

An Energy Specialist will call you for your energy appointment Monday thru Friday between 9:00 am – 4:00 pm. *Depending on the volume of applicants, it could be up to 90 days after leaving your contact info before we contact you for an appointment.* If your contact information changes it is your responsibility to call and update us with your new information. **If the Energy Specialist is not able to reach you by phone after 3 attempts and/or leaving a voicemail with no response, you will lose your appointment and will have to reapply.

Additional Energy Assistance Information

The purpose is to assist qualified, low-income households with a one-time per season subsidy to help in meeting the home heating needs regardless of the heat source (wood, natural gas, electric, propane, oil, or pellets).

Avista's programs are changing! You may be eligible for a monthly discount on your energy bill. Applying is quick and easy and there will be additional details released on how to apply on/after October 1st, 2023 – watch your mail or email for more information from Avista!

Note: The Energy program is a supplement, **NOT** meant to pay all of your winter heating costs, you must continue to pay your energy bills.

APPLYING DOES NOT GUARANTEE ELIGIBILITY OR ASSISTANCE. FUNDS ARE PROVIDED ON A FIRST COME FIRST SERVED BASIS UNTIL EXHAUSTED . FUNDING IS NOT GURANTEED.

Helping People, Changing Lives



Kinship Navigation & Kinship Caregiver Support Program

Kinship Navigation and KCSP provides advocacy, information, and referral services to relative caregivers. Our program provides information about how to access and apply for services as well as problem solve and advocate for Kinship Families when issues arrive.

Call our Kinship Navigator for program details!

509-685-6073

SERVING Ferry County Pend Oreille County and Stevens County

Rural Resources

Community Action



Senior Legal Assistance

Participants must be 60 years of age or older.

Partnering with Local Attorneys to Provide Seniors in Ferry, Pend Oreille, Stevens, and Whitman Counties with:

Give us a call to see how we can assist you! (509)684-3932 Health and Personal Care Wills and Estate Planning Power of Attorney Guardianship Insurance Issues Public Benefits and More!

Stevens County Resources

<u>Colville</u>

Warming Center (American Legion)

103 E. 6th St. Colville, WA Entrance is Main and 7th Doors open at 5 pm when the temperature is 25 degrees.

Hope Street Stop

528 Wynne St. Colville WA (509)-690-8111 Provides showers, laundry, and snacks. Hours: Monday - Friday 8am - 5pm

Colville Volunteer Food and Resource Center

210 S Wynne St, Colville, WA 99114 (509) 684-2971 https://colvillefoodbank.org May help with utilities (shut off notice required) and rent (eviction notice required). No deposits for utilities or rent. Must provide proof of address. Hours: Tuesday, Wednesday, & Friday 9:30am – 12:30pm

Victim Services Center

956 South Main Street, Colville WA 99114 24 hr. Help Line (509) 684-6139 Provides crisis support, referrals to counseling, medical advocacy and legal advocacy for victims. Hours: Monday - Friday 8am – 5pm

Sharing House (Assembly of God Church)

516 E. Glen Ave, Colville, WA 99114 (509) 684-4721 Provides free clothing and household items. Hours: Tuesday 9:30am - 12:00pm

New Family Life Services

144 W 5th Ave, Colville, WA 99114 (509)684-9895 Provides pregnancy testing supportive services, peer counseling and maternity housing with three rooms. These services are free, confidential and the staff is very compassionate. Hours: Tuesday - Thursday 12pm – 4 pm

Stevens County Shelter

956 S Main St, Colville, WA 99114 (509) 684-8421 After hours, call Stevens County Sherriff at 1-800-573-0947 or (509) 684-2555 Provides temporary shelter and referral to other services for individuals and families who are experiencing homelessness. Hours: Monday - Friday 8am – 4pm

Hope Vineyard

184 Degrief Rd, Colville, WA 99114 (509) 685-9272 Provides access to the food bank and prayer ministry. Hours: 1st and 3rd Thursday of every month 1pm-2:30pm with curbside service.

Community Colleges of Spokane - Colville Branch

985 S Elm St. Colville, WA 99114 Community Clothing closet. Provide gently used business/work attire. Call for hours of operation.

Prepares Diaper Distribution – Pregnancy and Parenting Support

Immaculate Conception Catholic Church 320 N Maple St. Colville, WA 99114 Free diaper distribution. All children under the age of 5 are eligible for diapers, pull ups, and wipes. Hours: 3rd Saturday of every month 11:30am -1pm

<u>Addy</u>

Rescue Mission

1390 Addy-Main St, Addy, WA 99101 (509) 935-6633 AAMeetings Monday's at 5pm Food, Clothing, Housewares, Information, and Referral, On-site lunches and Christian Counseling. Hours: Thursday 9am - 3pm

Chewelah

Food Bank

302 E Main Ave, Chewelah, WA 99109 (509) 935-6204 Supplement a three (3) day supply of five food groups, plus many extras. Hours: Thursdays 10am - 2pm

Prepares Diaper Distribution – Pregnancy and Parenting Support

St. Mary of the Rosary Catholic Church 502 E. Main Avenue, Chewelah, WA. 99109 Free diaper distribution. All children under the age of 5 are eligible for diapers, pull ups, and wipes. Hours: 2nd Thursday of every month 10am – 11:30am

<u>Ford</u>

Ford Food Pantry

5227 Main St. Ford, WA. 99013 (509) 258-4366 Hours: 2nd Wednesday of the month 9am – 11am

Hunters

Hunters Food Bank

5061 Lemon Ave, Hunters, WA 99137 (509) 722-3332 or (310) 621-7723 Hours: Wednesdays 10am -12pm (closed 3rd Wednesday)

Kettle Falls

Kettle Falls Community Food Bank

472 Meyers St, Kettle Falls, WA 99141 (509) 738-2326 Provides dry goods, dairy, fresh produce when available, and meat. Hours: Monday - Thursday 9am – 3pm

Kettle Falls Free Clothing Room

Across from Kettle Falls Food Bank in big grey building. Provides clothing, household furniture and household items.

Hours: Tuesdays 9am - 12pm (may not always be open due to volunteer availability)

Loon Lake

Food Pantry

3945 Fir St. Loon Lake, WA.99148 (509) 233-8450 Provides food, referrals, and assistance with emergencies. There is a small resource center available with Medicare Health Insurance information and low-income family referrals. Hours: Mondays and Thursdays 8am – 12:45pm

Northport

Food Bank

111 Center Ave. Northport, WA. 99157 (509) 732-4524 Provides food and resource assistance. Hours: Mondays 8am – 12pm

Springdale

Food Pantry

204 S. 2nd St. Springdale, WA. 99181 (509) 998-9915 Provides food and resource assistance. Hours: Open 3rd Wednesday 3pm – 5pm

<u>Tum Tum</u>

Food Bank

6424 Hwy 291 Nine Mile Falls WA. 99026 (Back side of Tum Tum Community Center) (509) 981-3782 Provides food and resource assistance. Hours: 1st and 3rd Saturday 9am – 12pm

Valley

Food Bank

3130 Church Rd. Valley, WA. 99181 (509) 937-2261 or (509) 939-4001 Provides food and resource assistance. Hours: Mondays 12pm – 3pm

Community Friendship Feast – FREE!

Mondays – Lunch Colville Community Church 11:30am – 12:30 pm 930 S. Elm Street

Tuesdays – Lunch Seventh Day Adventist Church 11:30am – 12:30 pm 138 E. Cedar Loop

Wednesdays – Lunch Free Methodist Church 11:30am -- 12:30 pm 1221 E. Hawthorne Ave

Thursdays – Lunch Immaculate Conception Catholic Church 11:30am – 12:30 pm 320 N. Maple St.

Fridays – Lunch Congregational United Church of Christ 11:30am -12:30 pm 205 N. Maple St.

Sponsored by the Members of the Coville Faith Community



<u>Self-Help</u>

www.washingtonlawhelp.org Washington Law Help

- This website will allow anyone to search about legal issues, needed forms, venue, legal access to justice and much more, in a variety of languages.
- There are subtopic categories including all civil matters and even information about criminal proceedings.
- Clicking on a named topic will bring pages of information including but not limited to, available forms, questions and answers regarding many issues, legal advice, etc.
- This website is linked to NJP which attorneys write and post information that is exactly what is given to a person who talks to the CLEAR line.

www.courts.wa.gov Washington State Courts

- This website will provide court forms for all civil matters.
- Clicking on the Court Forms link will access all state mandated forms available for many legal matters.
- These forms can be printed in a Work document format.
- Access public case records for all counties in Washington, for Superior, and District Court
- Give anyone the ability to name search someone and find all public court filings for that person
- Access local court rules and news and information produced by AOC.

How Do I find a Lawyer?

- Go to washingtonlawhelp.org
- Read the WashingtronLawHelp.org self-help information on choosing a lawyer
- Search for "How to Find a Lawyer"
- Search on the Washington State Bar Association website:
- Go to www.mywsba.org
- Click on "Lawyer Directory"
- Search by area of practice and/or location
- Ask friends & family for a referral
- You can check a lawyer's discipline history, eligibility and other information on the Washington State Bar Associations website
- Go to www.mywsba.org
- Click on "Lawyer Dictionary"
- Search by name
- Click on the lawyer in question's listing to see more information

Legal Resources

Northwest Justice www.nwjustice.org/home 888-201-1014 or (509)684-7652

Northwest Justice Project for Seniors Senior Citizens Only 888-387-7111

Stevens County Court Facilitator Family Law - \$20 (no fee waiver) 509-684-7575

Fulcrum Dispute Resolution Clinic Mediation 509-838-2799

Moderate Means Program Family, Consumer, & Housing issues www.moderatemeanswa.org 800-945-9722

Volunteer Lawyers' Program Spokane County Bar Association www.spokanebar.org/vlp

Center for Justice www.cforjsutice.org 509-835-5211

Unemployment Law Project www.unemploymentlawproject.org 509-624-9178

Washington State Attorney General www.atg.gov

Attorneys for Persons with AIDS www.gaycity.org 206-267-7100 World Relief Immigration (509)484-9829

Washington State Courts www.courts.wa.gov

Washington Law Help www.washingtonlawhelp.org

Sexual Violence Law Center www.svlawcenter.org 844-991-7852

DV/SA Native Coalition www.womenspirit.net

LGBTQ Support 866-427-4747 (24 hour)

DV/SA/Other Crimes 844-509-SAFE (7233)

Disability Rights Washington www.disabilityrightswa.org 800-562-2702 Language Interpreters available

Northwest Justice Project www.nwjustice.org 888-201-1014

Tenant Rights www.tenantsunion.org 206-723-0500

Northwest Immigrant Rights www.nwirp.org

Transportation Services - Rural Resources

- We provide **Dial-A-Ride** (DAR) service for persons of special needs (persons with disabilities, too old or young to operate a vehicle, and low income) in Stevens, Pend Oreille, Ferry counties and support for Veterans and access Veteran services in the Highly Rural areas. Call 1-800-776-9026
- Dial-A-Ride also supports the **remote trips into Colville, Kettle Falls, and Chewelah** for necessities including fresh food, legal, medical, intermodal, recreation, and other peer and social opportunities.
- Volunteer transportation is available, primarily for necessary appointments such as medical and social services usually to larger communities.
- Rural Resources transports passengers to and from outlying areas when it's the closest provider of type.
- We offer **fixed commuter routes** in Northern Stevens County.

Arrive at your stop 10 minutes early, please have your bus fare/ pass ready when boarding Rural Resources Community Action • www.ruralresources.org 509-684-2961 • 800-776-9026



Rural Resources Community Action Commuter Bus Schedule

Colville to Kettle Falls - Morning

6:55 a.m. Safeway 6:58 a.m. Wal-Mart 7:08 a.m. Kettle Falls Foods 7:12 a.m. Kettle Falls Chevron 7:17 a.m. KF Ranger Station

Kettle Falls to Colville

7:30 a.m. Wal-Mart 7:35 a.m. Safeway 7:40 a.m. Community College 7:45 a.m. Rural Resources

Colville to Kettle Falls

7:50 a.m. Courthouse Astor/Oak 7:53 a.m. Safeway 7:56 a.m. Wal-Mart 8:12 a.m. Kettle Falls Foods 8:15 a.m. Kettle Falls Chevron 8:20 a.m. Columbia Academy

Kettle Falls to Colville

8:35 a.m. Wal-Mart 8:38 a.m. Safeway 8:41 a.m. Community College 8:45 a.m. Rural Resources

Colville to Kettle Falls -Afternoon

3:45 p.m. Rural Resources 3:48 p.m. Community College 3:53 p.m. Safeway 3:58 p.m. Wal-Mart 4:08 p.m. Kettle Falls Foods 4:11 p.m. Kettle Falls Chevron 4:15 p.m. KF Ranger Station

Kettle Falls to Colville

4:35 p.m. Wal-Mart 4:38 p.m. Safeway 4:40 p.m. Astor & Main 4:45 p.m. Rural Resources

Colville to Kettle Falls

4:50 p.m. Safeway 4:55 p.m. Wal-Mart 5:10 p.m. Kettle Falls Foods 5:15 p.m. Kettle Falls Chevron

Kettle Falls to Colville

5:25 p.m. Wal-Mart 5:30 p.m. Safeway 5:35 p.m. Community College

Chewelah to Colville - Morning

7:10 a.m. Casino
7:15 a.m. Safeway
7:25 a.m. Blue Creek
7:30 a.m. Addy
7:45 a.m. Rural Resources
8:00 a.m. Depart Rural Resources

Colville to Chewelah

8:15 a.m. Addy 8:20 a.m. Blue Creek 8:25 a.m. Safeway 8:30 a.m. Casino

Chewelah to Colville - Afternoon

4:05 p.m. Casino 4:10 p.m. Safeway 4:20 p.m. Blue Creek 4:25 p.m. Addy 4:40 p.m. Community College 4:45 p.m. Rural Resources

Colville to Chewelah

5:05 p.m. Addy 5:15 p.m. Blue Creek 5:25 p.m. Safeway 5:30 p.m. Casino

It is the goal of Rural Resources Community Action to provide appropriate and adequate services to eligible individuals regardless of race, religion, color, gender, pregnancy, age (including those over 40), national origin (including ancestry), ethnicity, disability (as defined in the federal Americans with Disabilities Act), marital status, veteran status, sexual orientation, income or any other characteristic protected by applicable federal or state law. If you wish to make a discrimination complaint, contact the Rural Resources Community Action Transportation Department

<u>Plan to arrive at your stop 10 minutes early,</u> please have your bus fare/ pass ready when boarding



Gold Line Schedule:

(Gold Line is not owned or operated by RRCA)

IMPORTANT:

Gold Line is a scheduled bus service in Northeastern Washington State, offering two round trips daily between Kettle Falls, WA and Spokane, WA, along U.S. Highway 395. All vehicles are ADA equipped vehicles with wheelchair lifts.

*A pre-paid reservation required for pick up

SOUTHBOUND - Kettle Falls to Spokane Airport

KFA	Kettle Falls	7:30AM	1:45PM
COL	Colville	7:45AM	2:00PM
ARD	Arden	7:55AM	2:10PM
ADD	Addy	8:05AM	2:20PM
CHE	Chewelah	8:20AM	2:35PM
CCA	Chewelah Casino (Res Only)	8:25AM	2:40PM
LLA	Loon Lake	8:45AM	3:00PM
DPA	Deer Park	9:05AM	3:20PM
NSP	North Spokane	9:25AM	3:50PM
SPT	Spokane STA Plaza	9:45AM	4:00PM
SPO	Spokane Intermodal	9:50AM	4:05PM
GEG	Spokane Airport (Res Only) 1	0:05AM	4:20PM

NORTHBOUND – Spokane Airport to Kettle Falls

GEG	Spokane Airport (Res Only)	11:05AM	5:20PM
SPO	Spokane STA Plaza	11:20AM	5:35PM
SPT	Spokane Intermodal	11:35AM	5:45PM
NSP	North Spokane	11:55AM	6:05PM
DPA	Deer Park	12:15PM	6:25PM
LLA	Loon Lake (Res Only)	12:30PM	6:40PM
CCA	Chewelah Casino (Res Only)	12:50PM	7:00PM
CHE	Chewelah	12:55PM	7:05PM
ADD	Addy (Res Only)	1:10PM	7:20PM
ARD	Arden	1:20PM	7:30PM
COL	Colville	1:30PM	7:40PM
KFA	Kettle Falls	1:45PM	7:55PM

www.gold-line.us 1-888-739-5395

For your travel convenience, Gold Line operates 7 days a week. Note: Gold Line operations are closed each year on New Year's Day, Easter, July 4th, Thanksgiving, and Christmas Day.