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**COLORADO
Directory of
Resources**

Hep Cconnection

Our mission is to educate the general public about hepatitis C and to provide resources and support for those affected by the virus.

This Resource Directory is a continuous work in progress.

Please help us make it more comprehensive
by emailing additions to **info@hepc-connection.org**
or by calling **(720) 917-3960**. Thank you.



Helpline: 1-800-522-HEPC (4372)

www.hepc-connection.org

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Welcome to the Hep C Connection Resource Guide

2010 – 2011 Update



We hope that this Resource Guide will be helpful to you in your ongoing search for the latest information and resources. Please remember that resources are constantly changing and it is impossible to include every listing and to keep all the information accurate. Please help us to make this directory more comprehensive by submitting additions

or corrections to: 720-917-3960 or info@hepc-connection.org. Also check our website for the latest updates: www.hepc-connection.org.

Any agency or service listed here is not necessarily endorsed by Hep C Connection but is provided solely as helpful information. Hep C Connection assumes no liability for the use of any service or product mentioned. Always consult your physician for medical advice.

You are welcome to call our office and ask for assistance in locating resources. Keep in mind:

- **Be prepared.** Get your information together before you place a call or schedule an appointment.
- **Stay organized.** Develop a notebook or file and keep everything together in one spot. (A shoebox is better than nothing!)
- **Keep good records.** Write down names, phone numbers, dates and what information you receive. Keep copies of everything: letters, insurance forms, and applications that you fill out.
- **Stay positive.** The system can be difficult. You may encounter delays, wrong information, unhelpful people, etc. Keep trying and find people who know the system and can help you. Learn to speak up for yourself and express your needs calmly and clearly.
- And finally, remember, **you are not alone.** There are people here to help and support you.

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HEP C CONNECTION

Hep C Connection HelpLine: 1-800-522-HEPC (4372)

www.hepc-connection.org or info@hepc-connection.org

Hep C Connection is a nationally recognized organization. The mission of Hep C Connection is to educate the general public about hepatitis C and to provide resources and support for those affected by the virus.

SERVICES

- HelpLine – offers confidential information, support, and referrals
- Monthly e-newsletter; website; information packets
- Educational trainings; community outreach; advocacy
- Support groups
- Free and confidential testing

SUPPORT GROUPS

Call the contact person listed for exact meeting times and locations. All groups are free of charge.

Aurora Kim303-343-3894

Boulder Carrie.....303-875-2568

Colorado Springs Dave719-440-0025

Englewood Deidrea.....805-444-0046

Fort Collins Jerry970-214-2912

HIV/HCV Co-Infected Kim.....303-862-0407

Lakewood Betsy303-237-1150

Pueblo Dave719-440-0025

HEPATITIS C INFORMATION

CLINICAL TRIALS

For additional nationwide and statewide listings, see Clinical Trials under the Websites section.

Rocky Mountain Clinical Research303-279-1550

South Denver Gastroenterologists303-788-8888

www.southdenvergi.com

University of Colorado Hospital – Hepatology.....303-724-1861

*Contact: Jennifer DeSanto, Hepatology Research Lead Coordinator

CDPHE-VIRAL HEPATITIS PROGRAM

Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment (CDPHE)

VIRAL HEPATITIS PROGRAM303-692-2780

www.cdphe.state.co.us/dc/hepatitis

4300 Cherry Creek Drive South (DCEED-HEP-A3)

Denver, Colorado 80246-1530

The Viral Hepatitis Program seeks to prevent the spread of viral hepatitis in Colorado, limit the progression and complications of viral hepatitis-related liver disease, and advocate for viral hepatitis policies and resources. Current activities in the Program include:

- surveillance for acute and chronic hepatitis B and hepatitis C,
- perinatal hepatitis B case management,
- hepatitis immunization for high-risk populations,
- hepatitis C testing for high-risk populations,
- professional and public education, and
- referral services for persons currently infected.

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ORGANIZATIONS

For additional hepatitis C information, see Hepatitis C under the Websites section.

African American Council on Liver Awareness (AACLA).....816-767-8472
www.aacla-national.org

American Liver Foundation800-GO-LIVER (465-4837)
www.liverfoundation.org

Caring Ambassadors Hep C Program503-632-9032
www.hepcchallenge.org

Centers for Disease Control & Prevention (CDC).....404-718-8596
www.cdc.gov/hepatitis 800-CDC-INFO (232-4636)
www.cdc.gov

Colorado Clinical Guidelines Collaborative
www.coloradoguidelines.org

The Children’s Hospital, Pediatric Gastroenterology, Hepatology and Nutrition Department (Aurora)720-777-6669
www.thechildrenshospital.org

Hepatitis B Foundation215-489-4900
www.hepb.org

Hep C Alert!877-HELP4HEP (435-7443)
 co-infection: 866-4HEPHIV (443-7448)
www.hep-c-alert.org

Hep C Support Project

www.hcvadvocate.org

www.hbvadvocate.org

Hepatitis Foundation International.....301-622-4200

www.hepfi.org.....800-891-0707

Hepatitis HelpLine – Hep C Connection800-522-HEPC (4372)

www.hepc-connection.org

National Hepatitis C Institute866-902-HEPC (4372)

www.nationalhepatitiscinstitute.org

Parents of Kids with Infectious Diseases (PKIDS).....877-557-5437

www.pkids.org

RMC (Rocky Mountain Center) Health –

Prevention Information Center303-239-8633

www.preventioncolorado.org888-251-4772

PHARMACUETICAL COMPANY PROGRAMS

Provides treatment assistance for people with no insurance and/or low income. Also have educational materials and healthcare professionals to answer questions.

Infergen (a.k.a. Interferon) Aspire Patient Support.....888-668-3393

http://www.infergen.com/5-Aspire/1-About_Aspire.html

Pegasys Resource Center (Roche)877-734-2797

<http://www.pegassist.com>

Genentech/Roche Patient Assistance Program.....877-75ROCHE (877-757-6243)

<http://www.gene.com/gene/products/access/roche>

Schering Commitment to Care800-521-7157

Schering Be In Charge Program

<http://www.beincharge.com/bic/application>

TRANSPLANT ORGANIZATIONS

For additional transplant information, see Transplants under the Websites section.

American Transplant Foundation303-757-0959

www.americantransplantfoundation.org888-757-0959

Raises awareness and seeks better policy through legislative reform.

Donor Awareness303-388-8605

www.donor-awareness.org888-388-8605

Promotes awareness and education in Colorado.

National Foundation for Transplants901-684-1697

www.transplants.org800-489-3863

Raises funds for operations, provides help with travel and drugs, and negotiates with healthcare providers on patients' behalf.

National Transplant Assistance Fund800-642-8399

www.transplantfund.org

Fundraising assistance for uninsured medical expenses.

Transplant Recipient International Organization202-293-0980

www.trioweb.org800-TRIO-386 (874-6386)

Nationwide and international support network for patients and families.

United Network for Organ Sharing (UNOS)888-894-6361

www.unos.org

Advance organ availability and transplantation by uniting and supporting our communities for the benefit of patients.

US Department of Health & Human Services301-443-7577

www.organdonor.gov

Division of Transplantation provides information and referral.

TESTING SITES FOR HEPATITIS C

These sites only offer antibody testing. Free testing is available if one or more of the following “risk factors” are reported:

- injection drug use
- sex and/or needle sharing partner of a hepatitis C-positive person
- receipt of blood transfusion, blood products, or organ transplant before 1992
- long-term hemodialysis

If you are at risk, please call one of the following sites for more information or to schedule an appointment for testing.

Boulder County Health Department303-413-7500

www.bouldercountyhealth.org

Sundquist Site
3482 Broadway
Boulder, CO 80304

Denver Health303-436-7463

www.denverhealth.org

605 Bannock Street, Room 162
Denver, CO 80204

The Empowerment Program303-320-1989 x213

www.empowermentprogram.org

1600 York Street
Denver, CO 80206

Harm Reduction Action Center303-572-7800

www.harmreductionactioncenter.org

775 Lipan Street
Denver, CO 80204

Hep C Connection800-522-HEPC (4372)

www.hepc-connection.org

1325 South Colorado Boulevard, B-302
Denver, CO 80222

Jefferson County Health Department303-239-7171

<http://co.jefferson.co.us/health/index.htm>

260 South Kipling
Lakewood, CO 80226

Mesa County Health Department970-248-6906

www.health.mesacounty.us800-464-4611

510 29 ½ Road
Grand Junction, CO 81504

Northern Colorado AIDS Project (NCAP)970-484-4469
www.ncaids.org
 400 Remington, Suite 100
 Ft. Collins, CO 80524

Southern Colorado AIDs Project.....719-578-9092
www.s-cap.org800-241-5468
 1301 South 8th Street, Suite 200
 Colorado Springs, CO 80905

Sisters of Colorado United for Education.....303-446-8800
www.socue.com
 2895 West 8th Ave.
 Denver, CO 80204

Summit County Care Clinic.....970-668-4040
www.summitclinic.org
 360 Peak One Drive, Suite 100
 Frisco, CO 80443

Urban Peak Denver303-974-2900
www.surbanpeak.org
 730 21st Street
 Denver, CO 80205

Western Colorado AIDS Project (WCAP)970-243-2437
www.westcap.info800-765-8594
 805 Main St.
 Grand Junction, CO 81501

ASSISTANCE

The listings below are mostly for the Denver Metro area.

FINANCIAL

Colorado Attorney General Consumer Resource Guide, Credit and Lending

http://www.coloradoattorneygeneral.gov/initiatives/consumer_resource_guide/credit_lending

Consumer Credit Counseling

Colorado Office:800-388-2227

Denver Office:303-632-2227

www.cccsdenver.org

Northern Colorado Office: 970-229-0695

www.cccsnc.org/

Southern Colorado Office:719-576-0909

www.cccs.net

Consumer Credit Counseling Services is a nationwide non-profit organization providing financial education, quality credit counseling, and debt management services. For information outside of the state of Colorado, visit the National Foundation for Credit Counseling at www.nfcc.org/.

Help with budgeting, bankruptcy, and financial counseling.

County Departments of Social Services

Offices statewide/nationwide

Financial and emergency help for low-income people. Offers cash assistance, food stamps, and Medicaid programs to people who meet the eligibility requirements. Check your phone book for listings under "County." For website listings of offices by county visit www.cdhs.state.co.us/servicebycounty.htm.

Denver Urban Renewal303-534-3872

www.renewdenver.org

Low interest loans for home modification and repairs. For other counties, check listings under county services.

FOOD

Aurora Family Assistance Center303-363-9543

Aurora Interchurch Task Force 303-360-0260

Catholic Charities303-742-0828

www.ccdenver.org

- Denver Indian Center**303-937-0401
www.denverindiancenter.org
 Must show proof of tribal ID and Certificate of Degree of Indian Blood (CDIB).
- Denver Indian Family Resource Center**303-871-8035
www.difrc.org
 Provides resource and referral services for food, clothing, healthcare, housing, and employment.
- Denver Rescue Mission – Food Bank**303-297-1815
www.denverrescuemission.org
- Food Bank of the Rockies**303-371-9250
www.foodbankrockies.org
- Food Share America**303-428-0400
www.foodshareamerica.com
 Discount food for purchase (20-50% off grocery store prices); food stamps accepted.
- Food Stamps** Offices statewide
 The Colorado State Food Stamps or Assistance Program assists low-income individuals and families who need assistance purchasing food. Call your local county social service office.
- Good Shepherd Catholic Church** 303-322-7706 x1020
- Growing Home – Food Bank**303-426-0430
www.growinghome.org
 Other projects include: housing the homeless, caring for children, and a wellness project.
- Inter-Faith Community Services (Arapahoe County)**303-789-0501
www.ifcs.org
- JeffCo Action Center (Jefferson County)**303-237-7704
www.jeffcoac.org
- Lutheran Family Services**303-922-3433
- Meals on Wheels (Denver)**303-866-3851
www.mealcall.org
 Nationwide senior nutrition program.
- Metropolitan Community Church of the Rockies (MCCR)**303-860-1819
www.mccrockies.org
 Food pantry which is open to all.

Project Angel Heart 303-830-0202
Home delivers meals for people too ill to cook for themselves.

Salvation Army – Family Services Division.....303-295-3366
www.salvationarmy.org
Need picture ID and proof of current address to receive food.

Volunteers of America

www.voacolorado.org
Denver303-295-2165
Southwest Colorado970-259-1021
Provides food and clothing.

GENERAL BENEFITS

Benefits Check Up

www.benefitscheckup.org
To find out what state & national programs you are eligible for. Online application only.

Colorado Program Eligibility and Application Kit (PEAK)

www.colorado.gov/benefits
Online self service system in which you can find out if you're eligible for food, medical, and cash program assistance and check the status of your benefits.

MISCELLANEOUS ASSISTANCE RESOURCES

Heat Help Line866-432-8435
Utility assistance.

Low Income Energy Assistance Program (LEAP)

Help with utility bills. Call your local county social service office.

Metro CareRing303-860-7200
www.metrocarering.org

Provides help with utilities, toiletries, and other social services.

Mile High United Way Helpline2-1-1 or 303-561-2111

www.unitedwaydenver.org
United Way Information and Referral Search
www.211.org

This telephone service provides information and referral to a wide variety of community services in Colorado.

Seniors Answers and Services 303-333-3482

Provides a variety of assistance services to seniors.

Social Security Administration..... 800-772-1213

Offers two types of disability income, Social Security Disability (SSDI) and Supplemental Security Income (SSI) for people who can no longer work and who meet Social Security guidelines. Call your local Bar Association for attorneys who specialize in Social Security Disability cases. You can now apply on-line at www.ssa.gov.

DISABILITY SERVICES

The listings below are ONLY for Colorado. For nationwide listings type “Statewide Independent Living Councils (SILCs), [name of state]” into google.com.

Assistive Technology Partners (Denver)800-255-3477

www.uchsc.edu/atp

Provides information for people with disabilities on finding funding and offers classes to learn computer skills, adaptive computing, internet, etc. Also provides wheel chair assessments and workplace evaluations.

Atlantis Community (Denver) 303-733-9324

Advocacy and information and referral services related to housing, employment, transportation, recreation, etc. for people with disabilities.

Center for People with Disabilities (Boulder, Longmont)303-772-3250

www.cpwd.org

Offers advocacy, peer counseling, independent living skills training, employment, financial issues, and information and referral.

The Center for Disabilities (Pueblo)719-546-1271

Connections for Independent Living (Greeley)970-352-8682

www.coloradosilc.com

Voice and TTY: 800-887-5828

Connections for Independent Living (CIL) are regional organizations that provide services to help people with disabilities stay in the community.

1 of 10 centers statewide via the Statewide Independent Living Council, Colorado.

Colorado Springs Independence Center719-471-8181

www.csicindliving.org

To empower persons with disabilities to maximize their independence within the community and to remove barriers which impact their quality of life, while encouraging them to live independently in their community.

Disability Center for Independent Living (Denver)303-320-1345

www.dcilwebsite.org

Denver agency that seeks to help people with disabilities achieve greater independence to enhance their quality of life and increase employment options, offers information, referral, and advocacy services.

Easter Seals Colorado (Lakewood).....303-233-1666

Easter Seals offers a wide variety of programs & services such as the Center for Adaptive Technology, supported employment services, equipment purchase assistance, exercise classes, and information and referral.

Fort Collins and Loveland Disabled Resource Services970-482-2700

Provides a variety of services in areas of advocacy, awareness, and access such as employment, independent living, equipment loan, and information and referral.

Mesa County Center for Independence (Grand Junction)..... 970-241-0315

www.cfigj.org

A non-profit, non-residential, grassroots, State-of-Colorado certified independent living center, assisting people with disabilities since 1982.

Moffat County Independent Life Center (Craig)970-826-0833

Rocky Mountain ADA Center800-949-4232

Answers questions related to the Americans with Disabilities Act.

Southwest Center for Independence (SWCI) (Durango).....970-259-1672

SWCI is a Colorado-certified independent living center and offers information and referral, housing, advocacy, peer support, independent living skills development, and help for visually-impaired and blind senior citizens services.

U.S. Department of Justice, Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) Information Line800-514-0301

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE/ABUSE SERVICES

If you are experiencing violence/abuse in a relationship, these agencies can provide counseling and crisis intervention. Violence/abuse can take on many forms, including but not limited to: verbal, mental, emotional, physical, spiritual, and financial.

Colorado Coalition Against Domestic Violence303-831-9632

www.ccadv.org or www.ccadv.org/numbers.htm

Provides list of crisis lines and domestic violence agencies located throughout Colorado – look up by region and county.

National Domestic Violence Hotline.....800-799-SAFE (7233)

National Teen Dating Abuse Helpline..... 866-331-9474

DENVER METRO

Anti-Violence Program303-852-5094

www.coavp.org

Serving the LGBTQ community in the Denver metro region.

Coalition for Elder Rights and Adult Protection800-773-1366

www.ccerap.org

Domestic Violence Initiatives for Women with Disabilities.....303-839-5510

www.dviforwomen.org

Provides crisis intervention, court accompaniment, advocacy, and helps victims/survivors to get into a local shelter.

Project Safeguard303-863-7233

www.psghelps.org/HomePage.asp

Safehouse Denver

Crisis Hotline:303-318-9989

Counseling:303-830-2660

www.safehouse-denver.org

*Bilingual – services in Spanish and English

NON-METRO

A Woman's Place (Greeley) 970-356-4226

www.awpdv.org

Advocates for Victims of Assault (Frisco).....970-668-3906

www.summitadvocates.org

Domestic violence and sexual assault services.

- Advocates of Lake County** (Leadville).....719-486-3530
Provides assistance to all victims of crime (including but not limited to domestic violence).
- Advocate Safe House Project** (Glenwood Springs)970-945-4439
www.advocatesafehouse.org
- Alternatives to Violence** (Loveland).....970-669-5150
<http://www.alternativestoviolence.org>
- Alliance Against Domestic Violence** (Salida).....719-539-7347
www.salidaalliance.org
Works with women and children.
- Arkansas Valley Resource Center** (La Junta).....719-384-7764
Works with victims of all types of crime (including but not limited to domestic violence).
- Bright Future Foundation** (Avon/Vail)970-949-7086
www.brightfuturefoundation-ec.org
Domestic violence and sexual assault services.
- Catholic Charities** (Pueblo)719-544-4233
- Crossroads Safehouse** (Fort Collins)970-482-3502
www.crossroadssafehouse.org
- Family Crisis Service** (Canon City).....719-275-2429
www.familycrisisonline.com
Domestic violence and sexual assault services.
- Help for Abused Partners** (Sterling)970-522-2307
Provides 24-hour crisis line, emergency shelter, and counseling for women and children. *Bilingual – services in Spanish and English
- Latimer House** (Grand Junction).....970-241-6704
- Response: Help for Battered Women** (Aspen) 970-925-SAFE (7233)
- Tu Casa, (Your House) Inc.** (Alamosa)719-589-2465
- TESSA** (Colorado Springs).....719-633-3819
www.tessacs.org
- YWCA Family Crisis Shelter** (Pueblo)719-545-8195
Works with women and children experiencing domestic violence and/or homelessness. Provides domestic violence counseling.

EMPLOYMENT

Center for Work Education & Employment (CWEE)303-892-8444

www.cwee.org

Helps low income adults prepare, find, and keep jobs.

Colorado Department of Labor & Employment.....303-318-8000

<http://www.colorado.gov/cs/Satellite/CDLEMain/CDLE/1240336821467>

Division of Labor303-318-8040

Assists with wage topics, pay disputes, use labor laws, certain union issues, labor standards, and state immigration laws related to employment eligibility.

Division of Employment & Training - Workforce Centers (Offices Statewide)

<http://www.colorado.gov/cs/Satellite/CDLEEmployTrain/CDLE/1248095319014>

To find additional offices go to website and click on “find a workforce center.”

Adams County303-453-8600

Boulder County303-301-2900

Denver County720-865-5700

Denver720-865-5619

Tri-County (includes Jefferson).....303-271-4700

Colorado Vocational Rehabilitation Services(Offices Statewide)

www.cdhs.state.co.us/dvr/

Provides vocational assessments, training, and placement for people with disabilities. Able to pay for training and equipment that will help people to become employed.

Denver 303-866-4150

Durango970-247-3161

Fort Collins970-223-9823

Glenwood Springs.....970-945-9174

Grand Junction.....970-248-7103

Montrose970-249-4468

Curtis Park Community Center303-295-2399

www.curtispark.org

Provides job training and services, as well as food and clothing bank, victim, emergency, and senior services for people in Metro Denver.

Denver Workforce Center.....720-865-5619

Denver Works.....303-433-0300

www.denverworks.org

Provides job counseling, preparation, online job board, etc.

- Denver Urban Ministries**303-355-4896
www.denum.org
 Job counseling, placement, referrals, emergency services, food pantry, legal advice, rent, and utility assistance.
- Disability Center for Independent Living**303-320-1345
www.dcilwebsite.org
 Offers vocational counseling, job development, and job placement for Metro Denver residents with disabilities.
- Easter Seals Colorado**
 Denver303-233-1666
 Colorado Springs719-574-9002
www.co.easterseals.com
 Supported employment services, training in computers, and adaptive equipment for people with disabilities.
- Equal Employment Opportunity Commission**800-669-4000
www.eeoc.gov
 Investigates allegations of discrimination.
- Jewish Family Services**303-597-5000
www.jewishfamilyservice.org
 Provides a variety of health, counseling, and employment services. Services are available only to Denver County residents.
- Job Accommodation Network**800-526-7234
 Assistance with reasonable accommodations and the Americans with Disabilities Act.
- Mi Casa (My House) Resource Center**303-573-1302
www.micasaresourcecenter.org
 Offering entrepreneurial training and small business planning; job training, placement, and career counseling; GED and English as a Second Language classes; education, wellness, and youth leadership activities; community development.
- Stride**303-238-3580
www.stride-co.org
 Works with low-income families with children to help them become self sufficient and independent of government programs.
- Urban League of Metropolitan Denver**303-377-2790
www.denverurbanleague.org
 To help African American and other residents of metro Denver attain social and economic equality and self-reliance. Hosts a jobs database at www.denverurbanleague.org/programs-careercenter.html.

Westside (Denver).....720-944-1615

www.denvergov.org

Provides various employment related services to public assistance recipients.

Work Options for Women.....720-944-1917

www.workoptions.org

Provides education and training for women for employment in the food service industry.

9to5 National Association of Working Women

www.9to5.org

Colorado Chapter:303-628-0925

National Office:414-274-0925

National Job Survival Hotline:800-522-0925

Employment counseling, job leads, access to computers, fax, classes. Hotline helps with employment discrimination and various workplace and employment issues.

HIV/AIDS RESOURCES

AIDS Coalition for Education (ACE)303-830-0706
www.acecolorado.org

Publishes a comprehensive Colorado resource directory of HIV services

AIDS Projects

Boulder County AIDS Project303-444-6121
www.bcap.org

Colorado AIDS Project303-837-0166
www.coloradoaidsproject.org

Southern Colorado AIDS Project719-578-9092
www.s-cap.org800-241-5468

Northern Colorado AIDS Project970-484-4469
www.ncaids.org800-464-4611

Western Colorado AIDS Project970-243-2437
www.westcap.info800-765-8594

HOUSING

The listings below are mostly for the Denver Metro area. Call your county housing authority or county human services for information on subsidized or low-cost housing.

DAY SHELTER

The Gathering Place303-321-4198

www.the-gatheringplace.org

Provides day time refuge and resources for self-sufficiency for homeless women and children.

Harm Reduction Action Center303-572-7800

www.harmreductionactioncenter.org

Day shelter for injection drug users. Also provides free syringe disposal and health education classes with incentives.

Senior Support Services 303-832-1622

www.seniorsupportservices.org

Serves low-income and homeless seniors (ages 55 years and older). Provides day center, housing and utility help, and bus tokens/passes.

St. Francis Center (Men and Women).....303-297-1576

www.sfcdenver.org

Provides day center, hot meals, clothing, storage department and mail room, and showers.

MISCELLANEOUS HOUSING RESOURCES

Arch Diocesan Housing303-830-0215

www.archdiocesanhousing.org

Helps to provide affordable housing for families and individuals; associated with Catholic Charities.

Community Housing Services, Inc. (Denver)303-831-1935

www.chsico.org

Offers information and referrals on housing, home ownership programs, legal resources.

Landlord Tenant Disputes.....303-831-1935 x203

Senior Housing.....303-831-1935 x 202

Colorado Housing & Financial Authority.....303-297-2432

www.chfainfo.com

First time home buyer assistance, tax credits subsidized, Section 8 housing.

- Habitat for Humanity**303-454-8965
www.habitatcolorado.org888-834-5830
 Help with affordable housing.
- Rocky Mountain Communities**303-863-8651
 Subsidized housing and counseling.

OVERNIGHT & TRANSITIONAL

- Access Housing**303-289-7078
www.acchouse.org
 Shelter (up to 60 days) for homeless families with children; support services for families in transition.
- Almost Home (Adams County only)**303-659-6199
www.almosthomeonline.org
 Homeless shelter (30 days) for families with kids; rent and utility assistance.
- Boulder Shelter for the Homeless**303-442-4646
www.bouldershelter.org
 Homeless shelter (90 day increments from October 1- April 30). Also have transitional housing program.
- Catholic Charities - Samaritan House**.....303-294-0241
 Shelter for families, single men/women.
- Colfax Community Network**303-360-9175
www.colfaxcommunitynetwork.org
 Works with people staying in hotels or transitional housing on Colfax Avenue. Also provides emergency food and clothing.
- Colorado Coalition for the Homeless**303-293-2217
www.coloradocoalition.org
 Provides shelter referral, job assistance, and food and clothing.
- The Council at Fitzsimons** 303-343-9890
 Transitional housing, shelter.
- Delores Project** 303-534-5411
www.thedeloresproject.org
 A shelter for single women over 18.
- Denver Rescue Mission** 303-297-1815
www.denverrescuemission.org

Family Homestead	303-623-6514
Emergency housing for families with kids under 18 years of age for up to 90-days.	
Family Tree - House of Hope	303-762-9525
www.thefamilytree.org	
A shelter for women and children.	
Growing Home	303-426-0430
www.growinghome.org	
Shelter (60 days) for families with children.	
Interfaith Hospitality Network of Denver	303-675-0713
www.interfaithhospitality.org	
A shelter for families.	
Jeffco Action Center	303-237-7704
www.jeffcoac.org	
A shelter for families	
New Genesis	303-831-4910
www.new-genesis.net	
303-881-0953	
Transitional community for the homeless.	
Sacred Heart House	303-296-6686
www.sacredhearthouse.org	
Shelter (30 days) for mothers and children, and single women.	
Salvation Army - Lambuth Family Center (Denver)	303-477-3758
www.salvationarmy.org	
Transitional housing for families.	
Step 13	303-295-7837
www.step13.org	
Transitional housing for men only.	
Stride	303-238-3580
www.stride-co.org	
Transitional housing.	
United Way Call Center	303-561-2222
Provides shelter referral.	

Volunteers of America – Brandon Center & Theodora House303-620-9190

www.voacolorado.org

Provides emergency shelter. Brandon Center works with women with children. Theodora House works with single women. Check website or call 303-397-0408 for participant qualifications for other housing programs – Housing for the Homeless, and Affordable Housing.

YOUTH SHELTER

Comitis Crisis Center.....303-343-9890

www.comitis.org

24 hour emergency, housing, food and clothing services.

Gemini House (11-17 years).....303-235-0630

GLBT Community Center of Colorado – Anti Violence Project.....303-852-5094

www.coavp.org888-852-5094

Helps youth in crisis

Sox Place303-296-3443

www.soxplace.com

Standup for Kids (Nationwide)800-365-4543

www.standupforkids.org

Housing for youth. Sites in Denver, Boulder, and Colorado Springs.

Urban Peak (youth shelter – under 21).....303-974-2908

www.urbanpeak.org

INJECTION DRUG USER (IDU) SERVICES

SYRINGES

The listings below are ONLY for the Denver Metro area and are considered “friendly pharmacies.”

Capitol Heights Pharmacy	1200 Madison Street, 80206
Cornell Prescription Pharmacy	2190 East 18th Avenue, 80206
King Soopers	890 South Monaco, 80224
King Soopers	13th and Speer (1331 N Speer Blvd., 80204)
King Soopers	3100 South Sheridan, 80227
Rite Aid	750 16th Street, 80202
Walgreens	950 South Quebec Street, 80247
Walgreens	1st Ave and Broadway (120 Broadway, 80203)
Wal-Mart	1st Ave and Wadsworth (440 Wadsworth, 80226)
Wal-Mart	Commerce City (5990 Dahlia St., 80022)
Windsor Gardens and Pharmacy Gifts	9660 East Alameda Avenue, 80247

BLEACH KITS

Boulder Needle Exchange aka “The Works”	303-413-7522
3305 Broadway (Boulder)	
Underground syringe exchange.	
Harm Reduction Action Center	303-572-7800

LEGAL HELP

American Civil Liberties Union (Nationwide).....Main Office: 212-549-2500
www.aclu.org

Colorado Office:303-777-5482
www.aclu-co.org

Boulder County Legal Services303-449-7575

Call a Lawyer303-698-0999

Law Line 9, Channel 9; every Wednesday 4:00 to 6:30 p.m.

Catholic Charities - Immigration Services.....303-742-4971

www.ccdenver.org

Colorado Bar Association (Statewide)800-332-6736

www.cobar.org

Pro bono programs are located across the state.

Colorado Civil Rights Division303-894-2997

Colorado Consumer Line.....800-222-4444

*Agency is connected to Better Business Bureau and AARP.

Colorado Legal Services (Statewide) Denver Office: 303-837-1313

www.coloradolegalservices.org

Formerly Legal Aid Society of Metro Denver.

Denver County Child Support Customer Service 720-944-2960

Family & Medical Leave Act.....720-264-3250

U.S. Department of Labor Information Line.

**GLBT Community Center of Colorado -
Center's Legal Initiatives Project (CLIP)**.....303-282-6524

www.glbtcolorado.org

Offers legal advocacy and referrals for the GLBT community and those with HIV.

Guardianship Alliance of Colorado 303-228-5382

Help for adults who have guardianship questions.

Legal Center for People with Disabilities and Older People

www.thelegalcenter.org

Denver Office: 303-722-0300 or 800-288-1376

Grand Junction Office:..... 970-241-6371 or 800-531-2105

*Two offices but serves statewide. Includes the HIV Legal Project

Metropolitan Lawyer Referral Service.....303-831-8000

U.S. Better Business Bureau

www.bbb.org

MEDICAL SERVICES

(Low Income/No Insurance)

For hepatitis C services:

If you live in Denver County – go to Denver Health Community Services

If you live outside of Denver County – go to University of Colorado Hospital

NOTE: Call your County Department of Public Health for current clinic information or your closest hospital.

Colorado Community Health Network303-861-5165

www.cchn.org.

Offers federally funded clinics with a sliding fee scale to low-income residents. Clinics are located statewide. Check their website for more information and locations above.

DENVER METRO

The Children’s Hospital720-777-1234 or 800-624-6553

www.thechildrenshospital.org TTY: 720-777-6050

Clinica Family Health Services..... Denver 303-650-4460

www.clinica.org Thornton 720-929-1655

*Bilingual – services in Spanish and English

Clinica Tepeyac.....303-458-5302

www.clinicatepeyac.org

Provides culturally competent health care and preventative services for the medically underserved in the Latino community.

*Bilingual – services in Spanish and English

Colorado Coalition for the Homeless – Stout St. Clinic303-293-2220

www.coloradocoalition.org

Denver Health Community Services..... Main number: 303-436-6000

<http://denverhealth.org/portal/Services/GastroenterologyandHepatology.aspx>

Getting Hepatitis C Care at Denver Health: A Step-by-Step Guide

Step 1: Live in Denver.

Step 2: If you do not have insurance, you must be financially screened for CICIP by Denver Health. Call 303-436-6000 for financial and enrollment services.

Step3: Schedule and attend an appointment with a primary care physician. The primary care physician has to refer you to the hepatitis clinic, which is in the Davis Pavilion.

Directory of Clinics:

www.denverhealth.org/portal/Directories/ClinicDirectory.aspx

Primary Care Clinics:

Denver Health Medical Plan Clinic	303-602-8270
Gipson Eastside Clinic	303-436-4600
Kids Care Pediatric Clinic	303-602-8340
La Casa/Quigg Newton Clinic	303-436-8700
Lowry Clinic	303-436-4545
Montbello Clinic	720-956-2730
Park Hill Clinic	303-602-3720
Sandos Westside Clinic	303-436-4200
Webb Center for Primary Care	303-602-8070
Westwood Clinic	720-956-2900

Denver Indian Health and Family Service	303-781-4050
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www.dihfs.org

Provides emergency vouchers for dental, optical, mental health, medical, bus tokens, etc. Proof of tribal membership and photo ID required.

Denver Rescue Mission (homeless)	303-297-1815
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www.denverrescuemission.org

Offers medical, dental, optical, and chiropractic services.

Doctors Care	303-730-1313
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www.drscare.org

For people with no health insurance or with Medicaid or CHP+ under or over 30 years of age living in Douglas, Elbert, and Arapahoe Counties. Must complete an application and meet financial guidelines.

Inner City Health Center	303-296-1767
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www.innercityhealth.com

Provides medical, dental, OB/GYN, and counseling services on a sliding fee scale.

Metro Community Provider Network (MCPN) Clinics ... Main number: 303-360-6276	
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www.mcpn.com..... Teen (11-19 years) Clinic Information Line: 303-762-6540

MCPN provides health care through primary care physicians for people who have no other access to healthcare. Serves the Denver Metro area.

Primary Care Clinics:

Alameda High School Clinic (Lakewood)	303-985-4832 x3400
Arvada Clinic	303-431-0844
Englewood Clinic	303-788-0782
Estes Street Community Clinic (Lakewood)	303-202-2911

Jeffco Clinic (Lakewood)	303-239-9964
Jefferson High School Clinic (Edgewater)	303-237-2764
North Aurora Family Health Services	303-360-6276
Potomac Street Health Center (Aurora).....	303-360-3712
South Aurora Family Health Service	303-762-6546
Stein Kids Clinic (Lakewood)	303-238-4662

Sheridan Health Services.....303-781-1636

St. Joseph’s Hospital Caritas Community Clinic..... 303-318-2250

Resident-run clinic that provides various medical services and counseling. Residents are supervised by an attending physician. Sliding fee scale available.

University of Colorado Hospital Main number: 720-848-0000

www.uch.edu

Getting Hepatitis C Care at University of Colorado Hospital: A Step-by-Step Guide

Step 1: Live somewhere outside of Denver.

Step 2: Call 303-724-1861 for information and eligibility requirements about clinical trials for hepatitis C treatment. If you are ineligible for treatment OR if you do not want treatment and just need other hepatitis C medical services, go to Step 3.

Step 3: If you have private insurance or prefer to self-pay, you can receive services at the Hepatology Department 720-848-2245. If you have Colorado Indigent Care Program (CICP) you can receive services at the Gastroenterology Department 720-848-2777. If you do not have CICP, go to Step 4.

Step 4: To get CICP and be seen at the Gastroenterology Department, you first need to go to Metro Community Provider Network (MCPN). MCPN provides medical services to people living in and outside of the Denver Metro area. Through MCPN, you must apply for and become enrolled in CICP. For more information on getting CICP through MCPN, call the MCPN main number 303-360-6276.

Step 5: Once you have CICP you must be seen by a primary care physician at a MCPN clinic. For a list of clinics, see MCPN under the Medical Services section on page 31. You must then get a referral, for University of Colorado Hospital, by this physician to get hepatitis C services.

University of Colorado Hospital – Financial Counseling & Benefits.....720-848-1025

For CICP, Medicaid, and CHP+ individual program contact information, see Insurance section.

NON-METRO

Hepatitis C Resources:

Due to the high number of people being co-infected with hepatitis C and HIV/AIDS, your regional branch of Colorado AIDS Project knows hepatitis C resources in your area. For regional branch contact information, see the HIV/AIDS section on page 22.

Clinica Family Health Services.....Boulder 303-449-6050

www.clinica.orgLafayette 303-665-9310

*Bilingual – services in Spanish and English

Colorado Plains Medical Center (Morgan County)970-867-3391

www.coloradoplainsmedicalcenter.com

Dolores County Medical Behavioral Services Community Health Clinic

(Dove Creek).....970-677-2291

Dental:970-677-3644

Family Health Center (Divide)719-687-4460

Family Health Center (Fountain)719-322-0777

Family Health Center – Union (Colorado Springs) 719-632-5700

Family Health Center – Myron Stratton (Colorado Springs)719-329-7176

The Family Practice of Holyoke (Phillips County)..... 970-854-2500

www.melissamemorial.org

*Part of Melissa Memorial Hospital

Ft. Collins Family Medicine Center & Poudre Valley Prenatal Clinic.....970-495-8800

Heart of the Rockies Regional Medical Center

Salida (Main Hospital)719-530-2200

Buena Vista Clinic719-395-5782

Hexxon Family Medicine Center (Logan County) 970-886-2092

High Plains Community Health (Lamar & Prowers Counties).....719-336-0261

www.highplainschc.net

Homeless Health Center (Colorado Springs).....719-471-2789

Mountain Family Health Centers (Black Hawk)303-582-5276

Glenwood Springs303-582-5276

www.mountainfamily.org

Parke Health Center (Burlington).....719-346-9481

Comprehensive medical services.

Park Health (Kit Carson County).....	719-348-4650
Peak Vista Community Health Centers (El Paso and Teller Counties).....	719-632-5700
www.peakvista.org	
Serves Pikes Peak region	
People’s Clinic (Boulder).....	303-449-6050
Plains Medical Centers (Eastern Colorado)	719-775-2367 or 888-322-2367
www.plainsmedicalcenter.org	
Serves Adams, Arapahoe, Elbert, Kit Carson and Lincoln counties.	
Flagler	719-765-4777
Kiowa	303-621-3137
Limon.....	719-775-2367
Strasberg	303-622-9237
Pueblo Community Health Centers	719-543-8711
www.pueblochc.org	
Four clinics in Pueblo and one in Avondale.	
Salud Family Health Centers	303-892-6401
www.saludclinic.org	
Brighton Salud Clinic.....	800-388-4325
Commerce City Salud Clinic	303-659-4000
Estes Park Salud Clinic	303-286-8900, Dental: 303-286-6755
Frederick Salud Clinic	970-586-9230, Dental: 970-586-3850
Ft. Collins Salud Clinic.....	303-833-2050, Dental: 303-833-3135
Ft. Collins Salud Clinic.....	970-494-4040, Dental: 720-322-9470
Ft. Lupton Salud Clinic.....	303-857-2771
Ft. Morgan Salud Clinic	970-867-0300, Dental: 970-542-9243
Longmont Salud Clinic	303-776-3250, Dental: 303-772-1906
Sterling Salud Clinic.....	970-526-2589, Dental: 970-526-2589 x 4918
Sedgwick County Health Center	970-474-3323
Senior Health – South (Colorado Springs).....	719-329-7169
Senior Health – Union & Vickers (Colorado Springs).....	719-329-7100
South Park Medical Group (Fairplay)	719-836-1900
Spanish Peaks Regional Health Center (Huerfano County).....	719-738-5100
www.sprhc.org	
Family Clinic	719-738-4590
Women’s Clinic	719-738-2718

St. Mary's Family Practice (Mesa County).....	970-244-2800
Sunrise Loveland Community Health Center	970-669-4855
Sunrise Monfort Family Clinic (Evans)	970-353-9403
Tri-County Family Care Center (Rocky Ford).....	719-254-7776
www.tricountyfamilycarecenter.org	
Serves Otero, Bent, and Crowley Counties.	
Uncompahgre Medical Center (San Miguel County).....	970-327-4233
www.umclinic.org	
Valley-Wide Health Systems (Southern Colorado)	Main number: 719-589-5161
www.vvhs.org	
Medical and dental services. Serves multiple counties.	
Womens Health Center (Colorado Springs)	719-442-2027
<i>Clinics/Centers:</i>	
Alamosa:	
Sierra Blanca Medical Center	719-589-3658
Alamosa Family Medical Center	719-589-3658
Alamosa Dental Clinic	719-589-9691
Alamosa Rehabilitation and Physical Therapy Services	719-589-5149
Antonito	719-376-5426
Burlington	719-346-7158
Cheyenne Wells	719-767-5616
Durango Dental Clinic	970-385-5930
Fremont Family Clinic	719-275-2301
Grand Junction	970-255-1782
La Junta	719-383-5900
Las Animas	719-456-2653
Mancos	970-533-9125
Moffat Family Center	719-256-4025
Olathe Medical Clinic	970-323-6141
Palisade	970-464-5862
Rio Grande:	
Rio Grande Medical Center	719-852-2512
Rio Grande Rehabilitation and Physical Therapy Services	719-852-7081
Rocky Ford	719-254-7623
Saguache	719-754-2778

San Luis:

- San Luis Health Center**719-672-3352
- Ernesto Pacheco Dental Clinic**719-672-3352
- Washington County Clinic**970-345-2262

DENTAL

Also see dental listings for individual clinics under Medical Services section.

- Akron Dental Clinic** **970-345-2677**

Denver Health – Dental Department

- Wellington Webb Center for Primary Care303-436-6440
- Westside Family Health Center Dental Clinic303-436-4345
- Eastside Family Health Center Dental Clinic.....303-436-4741

- Howard Dental Clinic (Denver)** 303-863-0772

www.howarddental.org

Provides comprehensive oral health care for men, women, and children living with HIV/AIDS.

- Kids in Need of Dentistry (KIND) – United Way**.....303-733-3710
(Commerce City)

- University of Colorado – School of Dental Medicine** 303-724-6942

Dental treatment provided by dental students under supervision.

HOSPITALS

Colorado

- Denver Health Community Services**.....303-436-6000

www.denverhealth.org

- University of Colorado Hospital**720-848-0000

www.uch.edu

www.coloradolinks.net/Colorado_Hospitals.htm

List of all hospitals in Colorado. Look-up by city.

United States

www.ushospital.info

List of all hospitals nationwide. Look-up by state.

INSURANCE

Child Health Plan Plus (CHP+).....800-359-1991

www.cchp.org

Child Health Plan Plus is public health low-cost insurance coverage for uninsured children under 18 years of age and pregnant women age 19 and over, who are Colorado residents and not eligible for Medicaid, and whose families have incomes at or below 200% of the Federal Poverty Level.

Colorado Foundation for Medical Care Hotline 800-727-7086

www.cfmcc.org

Colorado Indigent Care Program (CICP) (Statewide program)303-866-3513

or800-221-3943

TTY: 800-659-2656

www.colorado.gov/cs/Satellite/HCPF/HCPF/1214299805914

Provides care to people who meet the financial requirements based on a sliding fee scale. The program requires co-pays from enrolled individuals and families and currently covers families up to 250% of the Federal Poverty Level. Only certain hospitals and clinics provide services for CICP. You must apply and be denied for Medicaid if you appear to be eligible for Medicaid to be eligible for CICP. You may still be eligible for CICP if you have Medicare and other health insurance. If approved, services may include emergency care, inpatient care, outpatient care and prescription drugs but services differ by provider. You never have to pay more than 10% of your income in a year for care. This is not an insurance program but a way that providers get reimbursed for providing care.

Colorado Medicaid.....800-283-3221

Nurse advice line.

Cover Colorado303-863-1960

www.covercolorado.org

Uninsurable health insurance program. Provides high-deductible insurance to people who cannot get insurance from commercial insurers because they have pre-existing conditions.

Department of Human Services720-944-2545

Medicaid Only Information Line (Denver)

Department of Regulatory Agencies (DORA)..... 800-930-3745

Colorado Division of Insurance

www.dora.state.co.us/Insurance/

For questions about insurance laws and regulations.

Family Health Line (Colorado statewide service) 303-692-2229

Helps find free or low cost health care, eligibility guidelines apply. Also helps connect people to WIC, CHP+, Medicaid, and food stamps.

Medicaid Customer Service/ Benefits Information Line Denver 303-866-3513

Outside Denver800-221-3943

*Must call from home phone. Does not connect calls from cell phones.

Medicare Health Insurance Hotline800-633-4227

Ombudsman for Medicaid Managed Care877-435-7123

Resolves complaints with Medicaid issues, however patient must be under one of the following Medicaid plans: Colorado Access Rocky Mountain Health Plan, Denver Health Medicare Choice, or Primary Care Physician Program (PCPP). Also resolves complaints about mental health issues regardless of the Medicaid plan.

Patient Advocate Foundation (Nationwide)800-532-5274

www.patientadvocate.org

Provides legal and managed care consulting services.

Patient Services, Inc. (PSI) (Nationwide)800-366-7741

www.uneedpsi.org

Non-profit assistance for chronic conditions.

Senior Health Insurance Assistance Program at Centura Health800-544-9181

For seniors or people on Social Security Disability Insurance (SSDI).

PRESCRIPTION HELP

Free Medicine (Nationwide patient advocate group)573-996-3333

www.freemedicine.com888-812-5152

Help in finding free or low-cost prescriptions for people who have no insurance, are underinsured, don't qualify for public assistance, or have maxed out their annual prescription coverage.

Partnership for Prescription Assistance (Nationwide program)888-477-2669

www.pparx.org

Helps patients without prescription drug coverage get free or low-cost medicines.

VACCINES

Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment (CDPHE) Immunization Program 303-692-2650

<http://www.cdphe.state.co.us/dc/Immunization/index.html>

Provides a list of travel clinics in Colorado and information on adult immunization schedules.

Immunization Action Coalition

<http://www.immunize.org/states/index.htm>

Provides information on all vaccines including schedules, safety, and recommendations. Provides health department listings and information for all states.

The National Immunization Program (NIP) at the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

www.cdc.gov/vaccines/

Provides a variety of information on all vaccines.

MENTAL HEALTH/COUNSELING

National Alliance for the Mentally Ill (NAMI)303-321-3104
www.nami.org/888-566-6264

Provides education and advocacy for persons with mental health illnesses and their families.

National Suicide Prevention Lifeline 800-273-TALK (8255)
www.suicidepreventionlifeline.org800-SUICIDE (784-2433)

BILINGUAL MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES (Spanish and English)

Catholic Charities (Denver)303-742-0828
www.ccdenver.org

Clinica Family Health Services (Denver)303-650-4460
www.clinica.org

La Clinica Esperanza (Denver)303-480-1920
<http://www.elcentroesperanza.org/Services-La-Clinica-Esperanza.asp>

Servicios De La Raza (Denver)303-458-5851
www.serviciosdelaraza.org

Offers counseling/mental health, basic emergency, DV, HIV case management, youth, minority AIDS initiative services.

COMMUNITY-BASED COUNSELING

The Center303-733-7743
www.glbtcOLORADO.org

Helps gay, lesbian, bisexual, transgender persons to access and connect to counselors in the area

El Centro Esperanza - El Futuro720-904-7125
<http://www.elcentroesperanza.org/Services-La-Clinica-Esperanza.asp>

Drop-in center for gay and bisexual Latino men.

Families First Support Line.....303-695-7996

It Takes a Village (Aurora).....303-367-4747
www.ittakesavillagecolorado.org

Sisters of Color United for Education (Denver)303-446-8800
www.socue.org

Urban Peak Denver 303-974-2900
www.urbanpeak.org Colorado Springs 719-630-3223
 Offers counseling for youth ages 14-24.

MENTAL HEALTH CENTERS

Adams Community Reach Center303-853-3500
www.communityreachcenter.org

Arapahoe/Douglas Mental Health Network303-797-9346
 24-hour Emergency Services303-795-6187
 (Note: Service area does not include Aurora)
www.admhn.org

Asian Pacific Development Center (Denver)303-393-0304
www.apdc.org

Aurora Mental Health303-617-2300
www.aumhc.org

Centennial Mental Health Center (Sterling)970-522-4392
www.centennialmhc.org

The Center for Mental Health (Montrose)970-249-9694
www.midwestmhc.org

CENTUS Center (Lakewood)303-639-5240
www.centus.org

**Colorado Department of Human Services
 Division of Behavioral Health (DBH)**303-866-7400
www.colorado.gov/TreatmentDirectory/interview1.jsf

For a list of licensed programs, call the number above. To find a mental health treatment provider near you, visit the website above. Please note: DBH houses the divisions formerly known as the Division of Mental Health and the Alcohol and Drug Abuse Division.

Colorado Help Line (Pueblo)719-544-1133

Colorado West Regional (Glenwood Springs)970-945-2241
www.cwrmmhc.org

The Colorado West Mental Health Crisis Line..... 970-241-6022
 (Grand Junction) Main number:970-241-6023

- The Denver Center for Crime Victim**303-894-8000
 Provides 1-6 weeks of trauma recovery counseling for victims of any type of crime (includes but is not limited to domestic violence). No shelter. Also provides bus tickets.
- Jefferson Center for Mental Health**.....303-425-0300
www.jeffersonmentalhealth.org
- Larimer County Mental Health**970-494-4300
www.larimercenter.org
- Maria Droste Services (MDS) Counseling Center (Denver)**303-756-9052
www.mdscounseling.org
- Mental Health Center of Boulder County**.....303-443-8500
www.mhcbc.org
- Mental Health Center of Denver**303-504-1250
www.mhcd.org
- North Range Behavioral Health (Greeley)**970-353-3686
www.northrange.org
- Pikes Peak Behavioral Health Group (Colorado Springs)**.....719-572-6100
www.ppbhg.org
- San Luis Valley Mental Health Center (Alamosa)**.....719-589-3673
www.slvnhc.org

PRISONER RE-ENTRY SERVICES

The listings below are mostly for the Denver Metro area. The following organizations provide help to individuals who have recently been released from prison.

Community Education Centers – Cheyenne Mountain

Re-Entry Center (Colorado Springs).....719-390-0125

www.cecintl.com

Department of Corrections (Denver)719-226-4481

Faith and Citizen Program Division of Adult Parole,

Community Corrections.....303-763-2420

Denver Works – 2nd Chance Program.....303-433-0300

www.denverworks.org

The Empowerment Program – Prisoner Re-Entry Project (PREP).....303-320-1989

www.empowermentprogram.org

One of the Employment Programs under The Empowerment Program.

Greater Denver Interfaith Alliance - Project Redemption.....303-297-8010

www.greaterdenverinterfaithalliance.org

The Road Called STRATE.....303-360-9176

www.theroadcalledstrate.com

Turnabout, Inc......303-813-0005

www.turnaboutprogram.org

SUBSTANCE ABUSE

The listings below provide counseling, support, and/or treatment for alcohol and other drugs, mostly within the Denver Metro area.

Addiction Research and Treatment Services (ARTS).....303-761-6703

www.artstreatment.com

Nine treatment facilities.

Al-Anon/Alateen.....888-425-2666

www.al-anon-co.org

Alcoholics Anonymous (Nationwide) Colorado Office303-322-4440

www.daccaa.org (Colorado) / www.aa.org (National)

Call the Colorado office to access information and group meetings within the state.

Operators can also help to find out-of-state groups.

Arapahoe House.....303-657-3700

www.arapahoehouse.org

Twelve treatment facilities.

Aurora Center for Treatment.....303-340-8990

www.auroracenterfortreatment.com

Boulder Clinic.....303-245-0123

Outpatient narcotic treatment program.

Cocaine Anonymous

Nationwide866-273-1625

www.ca.org

Denver303-421-5120

www.cacolorado.org www.ca.org

National Meeting Referral Line:800-347-8998

Colorado Department of Human Services

Division of Behavioral Health (DBH)303-866-7400

www.colorado.gov/TreatmentDirectory/interview1.jsf

For a list of licensed programs, call the number above. To find a treatment program near you, visit the website above. Please note: DBH houses the divisions formerly known as the Division of Mental Health and the Alcohol and Drug Abuse Division.

Community Alcohol, Drug, Rehabilitation

and Education (C.A.D.R.E.C.).....303-295-2521

www.cadrec.org

Comprehensive Addiction Treatment Services (CATS)303-394-2714
Private outpatient clinic for heroin addicts.

Crystal Meth Anonymous720-364-6384
www.crystalmeth.org

The Council on Substance Abuse and Mental Health.....303-825-8113
www.milehighcouncil.org
Multiple adult and youth treatment programs.

Denver Area Youth Services (DAYS) – Family Services & Prevention Program – Project SELF (Self Exploration of Life and Future).....303-698-2300
www.denveryouth.org
Group-based outpatient treatment program for youth ages 14-18 who are engaged in the legal system.

Denver Behavioral Health Center303-629-5293
Methadone clinic.

Denver Cares Detox Facility303-436-3500
www.denverhealth.org/portal/Services/BehavioralHealthServices.aspx

Denver Health Outpatient Behavioral Health Services.....303-436-5690

The Empowerment Program (Denver).....303-320-1989
www.empowermentprogram.org

Harm Reduction Action Center303-572-7800
www.harmreductionactioncenter.org
Outreach, overdose prevention, free syringe disposal, day center, health education classes with incentives.

Ideas Directed at Eliminating Abuse (IDEA)

www.ideacares.com

A center that provides counseling, education, therapy and referral services to prevent and eliminate all forms of abuse (including but not limited to substance abuse).

Denver.....303-477-8280

Aurora.....720-858-9111

Brighton.....303-659-9440

Thornton.....303-996-9966

LifeRing (Nationwide).....800-811-4142

www.lifering.org

A network of support groups for people who want to live free of alcohol and other drugs.

- Narcotics Anonymous**.....303-832-3784
www.nacolorado.org (Colorado)
www.na.org (National)
- Nationwide Addiction Assistance Help Line (24 hours)**800-559-9503
www.holisticdrugrehab.com
- North Denver Behavioral Health**303-487-7776
 Methadone clinic.
- Project Safe**.....800-429-9240
www.projectsafedenver.org
 Alcohol and other drug treatment and research; risk education supplies.
- Salvation Army – Rehabilitation Center (Denver)**303-294-0827
- Stout Street Foundation (SSF)**303-321-2533
www.stoutstreet.org
 Inpatient addiction rehabilitation.
- Urban Peak**303-974-2945
www.urbanpeak.org
 Starting Transition and Recovery (STAR) Program – treatment programs for youth.
- U.S. No Drugs (Nationwide) Drug Free Help Line:**866-395-1680
www.usnodrugs.com
 Provides counseling and helps to find treatment facilities in your area.
- Veteran’s Administration**303-393-2882
 Substance abuse outpatient treatment program.

TATTOO REMOVAL

Check with your local dermatologist for tattoo removal clinics in your area.

Expert Laser Clinic303-355-7550
www.expertlaserclinic.com

Ink-B-Gone
Central Denver.....303-777-5795
North Denver303-280-5795
www.ink-b-gone.com

Redrock Laser Clinic (Grand Junction)970-241-9208
www.redrocklaserclinic.com877-241-9208

Rocky Mountain Laser Aesthetics303-985-8520
www.rockymountainlaser.com

Tattoo Must GO
Denver303-781-8181
Loveland970-613-9191
www.tattoomustgo.com

TRANSPORTATION

To search for Colorado public transportation options by county, visit www.publictransportation.org/systems/state.asp?/state=CO#A25

DENVER METRO

Access-a-Cab303-244-1388

American Red Cross Transportation (fee charged)303-722-7474

www.denver-redcross.org

Community Resources (Arapahoe County).....303-738-8040

Bus and light rail services.

Community Wheels – Senior Resource Center

Denver303-235-6972

Evergreen303-674-2843

www.srcaging.org

Lakewood Rides (Jefferson County).....303-987-4827

Littleton Omnibus (Arapahoe County)303-795-3700

LogistiCare of Colorado (Statewide and Nationwide)800-284-5150

www.logisticare.com

Non-emergency medical transportation.

Mobile Access303-274-9895

Regional Transportation District (RTD)

Access-a Ride (must schedule an assessment first)303-299-2960

.....TDD: 303-299-2980

Light Rail and Bus 303-299-6000 or 800-366-7433

.....TDD: 303-299-6089

www.rtd-denver.com

NON-METRO

Ft. Collins Dial-a-Ride.....970-224-6066

Steamboat Springs Transit (Bus service).....970-879-3717

Amtrak (Train service).....800-872-7245

.....TDD/TTY: 800-523-6590

www.amtrak.com

WELL-BEING

ACUPUNCTURE

Acupuncture and Oriental Medicine, LLC303-337-2866
www.yanjiacupuncture.com

The Element Center.....303-455-0277
www.elementcenter.com

**Ho's School of Chinese Martial Arts - Acupuncture and
Healing Center of Colorado**.....303-255-2680
www.hosmartialarts.com303-981-0361

Insight Acupuncture & Chinese Herbal Medicine303-715-1573
www.insightacupuncture.com

EXERCISE PROGRAMS/CLASSES

Check your local listings for current offerings in your area. Some examples of listings to check:

- Dance Schools/Classes
- Qigong Centers/Classes
- Tai Chi Societies
- YMCA/YWCA
- Park and Recreation Departments
- Rehabilitation Centers
- Water Aerobics/Swimming Classes
- Yoga Schools/Classes

MASSAGE

For a list of massage schools in Colorado visit:
www.naturalhealers.com/search/Colorado/massage

These schools offer reduced rates:

Boulder College of Massage Therapy.....303-530-2100
www.bcmt.org

Denver School of Massage Therapy
Aurora888-869-4325
Westminster866-301-5621
www.denversmt.com

Colorado School of Healing Arts303-986-2320
www.csha.net

WEBSITES

CLINICAL TRIALS

www.centerwatch.com – CenterWatch clinical trials listing services

www.clinicaltrials.gov – Listing of clinical trials

www.searchclinicaltrials.org – Listing of clinical trials

www.ifpma.org/clinicaltrials – Links information about clinical trials worldwide

COMPLIMENTARY & ALTERNATIVE MEDICINE

www.nccam.nih.gov – National Center for Complimentary and Alternative Medicine

www.nccaom.org – National Certification Commission of Acupuncture and Oriental Medicine

www.holisticmedicine.org – American Holistic Medical Association

www.naturopathic.org – American Association of Naturopathic Physicians

GOVERNMENT

www.ssa.gov – Social Security Administration

www.va.gov – Veterans Administration

www.fda.gov – Food and Drug Administration

www.nih.gov – National Institute of Health

www.congress.org – Identify your legislators and send them e-mail messages

www.eeoc.gov – Equal Employment Opportunity Commission

www.benefitscheckup.org – To determine eligibility for government programs

www.govbenefits.gov – To determine eligibility for programs and how to apply

www.AIDSinfo.nih.gov – HIV/AIDS research, treatment, prevention, medical practice

www.thomas.loc.gov – THOMAS Library of Congress

HEALTH INSURANCE

www.dora.state.co.us/insurance – Colorado insurance information

www.medicare.gov – Federal site for Medicare information

www.patientadvocate.org – Insurance and financial resources, etc.

www.healthinsuranceinfo.net – Insurance regulations by state

HEPATITIS C

www.hepc-connection.org – Hep C Connection
www.HepatitisColorado.info – CDPHE, Viral Hepatitis Program
www.cdc.gov/hepatitis/HCV/htm – CDC Hepatitis Branch
www.hcvadvocate.org – HCV Advocate Support Project
www.hepcchallenge.org – Hepatitis C Caring Ambassadors
www.HIVandHepatitis.com – HIV and hepatitis information
www.hepeducation.org – Hepatitis Education Project
www.liverfoundation.org – American Liver Foundation
www.hepfi.org – Hepatitis Foundation International
www.immunize.org – Immunization (hepatitis B) Action Coalition
www.hepatitisneighborhood.com – Hepatitis Neighborhood
www.hepB.org – Hepatitis B Foundation
www.nationalhepatitis-c.org – National network; education, support, advocacy
www.uchsc.edu/sm/aids – HIV/HCV Center of Excellence
www.natap.org – Information about HIV/HCV co-infection
www.hepatitis.va.gov – U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs – hepatitis C
www.hepcvets.com – Veterans and hepatitis C
www.pkids.org – Parents of Kids with Infectious Diseases
www.hepatitis-central.com – Hepatitis Central
www.hepcnetwork.org – National Hepatitis C Advocacy Council
www.hepcan.org – Hep C Advocate Network
www.vaccine.org – Allied Vaccine Group

MEDICAL

www.webmd.com – Web MD, health information and support needs
www.aasld.org – American Association for the Study of Liver Diseases
www.acg.gi.org – American College of Gastroenterology
www.gastro.org – American Gastroenterological Association
www.mdexpress.com – Physician website
www.digestive.niddk.nih.gov – National Digestive Diseases Information Clearinghouse
www.jama.ama-assn.org – Journal of the American Medical Association
www.nlm.nih.gov – National Library of Medicine
www.thelancet.com – Lancet Interactive Independent Medical Journal
www.nejm.org – The New England Journal of Medicine
www.theacpa.org – American Chronic Pain Association
www.medlineplus.gov – National Library of Medicine

PHARMACEUTICAL COMPANIES

www.freemedicine.com – Prescription drug assistance program

www.themedicineprogram.com – Prescription drug assistance program

www.needymeds.com – Prescription drug and patient assistance programs information

www.amgen.com – Amgen

www.pegasys.com – Genentech

www.infergen.com – Valeant

www.hepcfight.com – Genentech

www.pparx.org – Partnership for Prescription Assistance

SUBSTANCE ABUSE

www.aa.org – Alcoholics Anonymous

www.al-anon.alateen.org – Help for family members of alcoholics

www.na.org – Narcotics Anonymous

www.crystalmeth.org – Help for crystal meth addiction

www.hcvanonymous.com – 12-step support group for those with HCV

www.harmreduction.org – Harm Reduction Coalition

www.cdc.gov/outreach – Outreach to injection drug users

www.aca-usa.org – American Council on Alcoholism

www.nlcatp.org – Latino Council on Alcohol and Tobacco

www.adultchildren.org – Adult children of alcoholic parents

www.tweaker.org/index.html – Gay male crystal meth users

www.crystalneon.org – Gay and Bi-sexual male crystal meth users

www.samhsa.gov – Substance abuse and Mental Health Services Administration, federal agency

TRANSPLANTS

www.porterhospital.org – Porter Adventist Hospital (Denver Metro)

www.uch.edu – University of Colorado Hospital (Non-Metro)

www.transplants.org – National Foundation for Transplants

www.trioweb.org – Transplant Recipient International Organization

www.unos.org – United Network for Organ Sharing

www.organdonor.gov – U.S. Department of Health and Human Services

www.transplantfund.org – National Transplant Assistance Fund & Catastrophic Injury Program

www.donor-awareness.org – Donor Awareness Council (CO & WY only)

www.americantransplantfoundation.org – American Transplant Foundation

HEPATITIS C is a virus transmitted by blood-to-blood contact that causes inflammation and scarring of the liver.

Risk Factors & Indicators:

- 1.** Injection drug use or sharing “works” – even once, ever.
- 2.** Receipt of blood transfusion or organ transplant prior to 1992 (includes receiving blood while giving birth or during other surgical procedures).
- 3.** Long-term hemodialysis.
- 4.** Unprotected sex with someone infected with hepatitis C.
- 5.** Healthcare, emergency medical, or public safety workers exposed to needle sticks and sharps, or mucosal exposures to hepatitis C-positive blood.
- 6.** Being born to a hepatitis C-infected mother.
- 7.** Possibly by sharing “works” while snorting or smoking drugs.

Just So You Know. Get Tested.

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