



Yamhill County

Population 94,325*

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Mental Health Services

Screening

Yamhill County Health & Human Services
 Adults

(503) 434-7523

627 NE Evans Street, McMinnville

Children

(503) 434-7462

420 NE 5th Street, McMinnville

MHO members: (888) 315-6822

After-hours/Holidays Crisis Services

(800) 560-5535

TTY (800) 735-2900

Addictions Services

Screening

Yamhill County Health & Human Services

(503) 434-7527

627 NE Evans Street, McMinnville

Developmental Disabilities Services

Screening

Yamhill County Health & Human Services

(503) 434-7460

627 NE Evans Street, McMinnville

Yamhill County Board of Commissioners:



Mary P. Stern,
Chair



Kathy George



Leslie Lewis

County government is the local fiscal agent for state funds and provides accounting, legal, and human resources services as well as county general fund and in-kind contributions of county-owned land and facilities.

Mental Health Services

Prevention and Early Intervention (*McMinnville*)

Early Assessment and Support Team (EAST)*, child and family teams, wraparound*, child and family therapy

Adult, Child and Family Outpatient (*McMinnville & Newburg*)

24-hour crisis intervention, pre-commitment investigations, assessment, medication management*, case management, individual and group therapy, co-occurring disorders treatment*. Lutheran Community Services NW also provides outpatient treatment on contract in McMinnville.

Community Housing and Residential Services

Parkside Living Residential Treatment Facility, Harmony Living Enhanced Care Facility (for people with mental illness and significant medical or physical care needs)

Acute Care

Oregon State Hospital (Salem), Salem Hospital Psychiatric Unit, Good Samaritan Psychiatric Unit (Corvallis)

Recovery Supports

- Assertive Community Treatment*
- Case management
- Skills training and vocational services
- Abacus House* (McMinnville): Dual-Diagnosis Anonymous and peer-delivered services ("Champion Team" and Project ABLE on contract) including life skills development, symptom management and recovery education*, money management, college and job preparation skills, supported employment*, supported education*
- Wraparound* for children

* An Evidence-Based Practice

*Population Research Center, PSU, March 2009

Yamhill County Health & Human Services

provides and coordinates mental health, addictions and developmental disabilities services, quality improvement and utilization management of state-county shared services

Addictions Services

Prevention and Early Intervention

Student, parent and community education, Youth Empowerment Squad (teens from all county high schools) provides skills building and alternative activities for youth, weekly radio show, juvenile crime and delinquency prevention (peer court, Functional Family Therapy*, Prevention Council community coalition, Homeless Youth Outreach program

Treatment

Outpatient and Intensive outpatient treatment for women, men, adolescents, seniors, Spanish-speaking adults and criminal justice offenders: assessment and referral, individual, group, youth and family therapy, co-occurring disorders treatment*

Detox: referred to Bridgeway (Salem)

Residential Treatment: Reflections House, McMinnville, (transitional residential treatment for mothers with young children)

* An Evidence-Based Practice

Developmental Disabilities Services

Program Administration

Eligibility determination, quality assurance, foster care licensing, family support, contracts, protective services

Service Coordination

Crisis services, referral, person-centered planning, monitoring, advocacy, and information and training

Residential, Vocational and

Transportation Services provided on contract by Mid-Valley Rehabilitation, Oregon Mennonite Rehab Service and Sue Christiance Vocational Services

The state Seniors & People with Disabilities Division contracts outside of the local planning and quality assurance process for adult support services with **Resource Connections of Oregon, Integrated Services Network and Mentor Oregon Brokerage: Mid-Valley**

Adult Drug Court*

Hon. John L. Collins,
Presiding Judge

Mental Health Court*

Hon. Ronald W. Stone,
Presiding Judge

Family Drug Court and Juvenile Drug Court*

Hon. Carroll J. Tichenor, Presiding Judge

*Treatment for Adult Drug Court funded by SAMHSA Targeted Capacity Expansion grant, Family Drug Court funded by federal Byrne grant, Juvenile Drug Court funded by county general fund, Mental Health Court funded by state Jail Diversion dollars.
Treatment provided by Yamhill County Health & Human Services.*

No one would have believed it was possible, not even them

“My name is John and I am 43 years old. I have been in and out of jail because of my I.V. drug use since 1984. My last visit to jail was in February 2008. I have participated in several treatment programs over the years, both inpatient and outpatient.

Upon my release from jail in April, I was given the opportunity to start in the Yamhill County Addictions Treatment program. It has been the opportunity of a lifetime. This program is different from any other I have participated in. I am learning not only about my addiction, but also about how to live my life differently. They are showing me a different way to view my past which makes it possible to forgive myself. Forgiveness is the key to being able to live in my own skin without the use of drugs or alcohol.

The doors are always open and the counselors are the best. The individual time spent with me makes this time through treatment more personal. I feel less clinical as a client, and in turn this gives me the desire to make the needed changes in my life.

I now have 9 months clean, I have a wonderful job, I am the house coordinator at a recovery house, and I have gone back to school.

My desire to use drugs has turned into a desire to change for the better. I love my life and the person that I have now become with the help of this program. It is my greatest hope to complete school and be able to give back by helping people with the problem of addiction to begin their journey of healing.”

-Yamhill County addictions treatment graduate



“Robert” was diagnosed with schizophrenia during high school and dropped out because of his depression and problems with sleep and memory.

Robert did not leave his parents’ house for 6 years, except for occasional trips into the forest to help his grandfather cut firewood. These 6 years were difficult for him and for his family. The on-set of the schizophrenia interrupted Robert’s social, educational and professional development. Robert isolated himself, became more withdrawn and began to have paranoid thoughts. His family brought him to Yamhill County Mental Health for help.

Before joining the Abacus program, Robert had never held a job. Abacus helped develop Robert’s social confidence and interpersonal skills as part of his process of reintegration into the community. With the help of the Supported Employment and Supported Education programs, he landed a job with a janitorial company, advanced quickly to janitorial supervisor and is now living on his own.

Robert completed his GED and went on to earn an Associate of Arts degree. He was hired as an Office Specialist in the College’s Office of Disability Services, where he works today.

Robert has learned how to maintain a natural support system made up of co-workers and family. He has learned to enjoy spending time with his family, including hunting and fishing with his dad. Robert’s goal is to pursue a Bachelor’s degree in human services and continue working with people with disabilities.