



Jackson County

Population 205,305*

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Human Services
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Mental Health

Screening & 24-hour Crisis

(541) 774-8201
1005 East Main, Medford

Addictions

Screening

Central Point
Genesis Recovery Center
(541) 789-4000
600 South 2nd Street

Medford
Addictions Recovery Center
(541) 779-1282
1003 West Main Street

OnTrack, Inc.
(541) 772-1777
221 West Main Street

Developmental Disabilities

Screening

Jackson County Developmental
Disabilities Services
(541) 774- 8205
300 West Main Street, Medford

Jackson County Board of Commissioners:



Dave Gilmour,
Chair



Dennis C.W. Smith



Jack W. Walker

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

Community Outreach and Support program, Early Childhood Partnership Team, intensive family services

Outpatient

24-hour crisis intervention, crisis respite and diversion, screening and assessment, medication management* and strengths-based case management*, individual and group therapy, skills training, cognitive behavioral therapy*, dialectical behavior therapy*, co-occurring disorders treatment*, collaborative problem solving*, and Parent/ Child Interaction Therapy* for children ages 0-8 with disruptive behavioral disorders

Community Housing and Residential Services

Adults: foster care homes, transitional housing, Hazel Center (secure residential treatment), respite care Children: therapeutic foster homes through Southern Oregon Child Study and Treatment Center; proctor homes and Lithia Springs residential treatment (Community Works)

Acute Care

Oregon State Hospital (Salem), Rogue Valley Medical Center (Behavioral Health Unit, Medford)

Recovery Supports

- *Peer-delivered services* Adults: Hawthorne Drop-in Center*, NAMI Peer-to-Peer program, Age Wise, Age Well peer counseling program for seniors, Children: Family Navigators, Family-to-Family project (mentor development, family advocacy, CPS book clubs)
- Intensive Community-Based Treatment Services provided by Jackson County Mental Health, Southern Oregon Adolescent Study and Treatment Center, and Community Works

Services to Special Populations

Full range of outpatient services for Spanish-speakers provided by bilingual/bicultural clinicians. Medication management* for people with developmental disabilities.

* An Evidence-Based Practice

*Population Research Center, PSU, March 2009

Jackson County Department of Human Services

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

Addictions Services

contracted to community providers

Prevention

Project ALERT*, Botvin's Life Skills*, youth mentoring, Changing Community Norms, Family Resources, Tipline and Media/Community Awareness, Strengthening Families Program*, Functional Family Therapy*, Girls Circle

Youth Treatment

Intensive outpatient treatment, residential treatment (adolescent boys)

Adult Treatment

Screening and assessment, indigent outpatient, Offender Transition Center, Child Welfare Intensive Treatment and Recovery Services*, methadone treatment, sobering/transitional center, adult residential treatment, adult residential treatment for mothers and fathers with young, dependent children, problem gambling treatment and education. Nearest detox facility: Eugene

Recovery Supports

Recovery groups, childcare, case management, supported housing*

Community Subcontractors

OnTrack, Addictions Recovery Center, Genesis Treatment Center, Southern Oregon Drug Awareness, CRC, Southern Oregon Head Start, Be One for Kids, Southern Oregon Child Study and Treatment Center, Community Works, Retired Senior and Volunteer Program, KOBI-TV

* An Evidence-Based Practice

Developmental Disabilities Services

Program Administration

Eligibility determination for services, quality assurance, licensing of adult foster homes, administering family support services for families of children living at home, services contracts, adult protective services and investigation, eXPRS payment authorization and criminal background checks

Services Coordination

Crisis care coordination, referral to comprehensive services and support services brokerage, person-centered planning, monitoring of comprehensive service providers, advocacy and individualized service plan (ISP) development

Community Subcontractors

Jackson County partners with several different providers to provide 24-hour residential services, employment services, supported living, respite and information and referral. These include Living Opportunities Inc., Pathway Enterprises Inc., Ashland Supportive Housing, Alternative Services of Oregon, Inc., Southern Oregon Goodwill, Jackson County Family Consortium, Lifespan respite, Swindell Center, ARC of Jackson County and numerous nearly 60 licensed adult and children's foster providers

Family Drug Court*

Hon. Mark S. Schiveley, Patricia Crain & Lorenzo A. Mejia,
Presiding Judges

Adult Drug Court*

Hon. Patricia Crain, Presiding Judge

Treatment funded by non-DHS state grants and provided by OnTrack, Addictions Recovery Center, ACCESS, Community Works, and Family Nurturing Center

The state Seniors & People with Disabilities Division contracts outside of the local planning and quality assurance process for adult support services with **Creative Supports, Inc.**



'Pressure-release valve' for parents keeps vulnerable children safe

A Relief Nursery is a non-profit program proven to strengthen high-risk families and keep their vulnerable young children safe and healthy. Nationally recognized, the Relief Nursery stops the cycle of child abuse and neglect with its blend of therapeutic early childhood services and comprehensive family support.

The mission of the Relief Nursery is to prevent the cycle of child abuse and neglect by early intervention that focuses on building successful and resilient children, strengthening parents and preserving families. Relief nurseries serve low-income multi-stressed families with young children who are at-risk for child abuse and neglect. Relief nursery programs are an effective model of child protection and family preservation services that build on the belief that most children are best served when they remain with their families.

Jackson County Mental Health helps community members help each other, lending technical assistance and training to non-profit community service organizations

One of the primary functions of Oregon's system of Community Mental Health Programs is to provide technical support and coordination to the public and private organizations at work in each community. This is one example of a thriving partnership in Jackson County.

The Family Nurturing Center is Jackson County's Children's Relief Nursery. It provides services to high risk families of children birth to 5 years. The families are often Child Welfare referred and the organization's mission is to improve family functioning, stability, and effective parental responsiveness to their children's developmental needs. Among the Nurturing Center's long list of services are home visiting, a therapeutic preschool and a parent/infant group.

Laurie Theodorou, LCSW, a therapist with Jackson County Mental Health and an expert in early childhood mental health, has partnered with the Family Nurturing Center to act as a consultant to the staff. She has taught the entire staff how to organize case information and prioritize targets of intervention. She has provided case by case advice for referrals, setting therapeutic goals for the child and managing difficult behaviors. Laurie is also the liaison between Jackson County Mental Health staff and Family Nurturing Center staff on individual cases. Through the Oregon Children's Plan Grant, she has provided Infant Massage Training for parents of babies in two age ranges. Also, in joint funding with a grant the Family Nurturing Center received and Jackson County Mental Health funds, she is training at least two therapists in Teacher-Child Interaction Therapy. The staff of the Family Nurturing Center has appreciated the professional consultation and reports less stress for themselves, more sensitivity to the children's needs by parents and faster improvement in the children's social-emotional development.