AmeriCorps Seniors Montana

Richland County Health Department (RSVP) volunteersinactionmt.com



Volunteers in Action MT/RSVP is an AmeriCorps Senior program sponsored by the Richland County Health Department, works with regional frontier, remote frontier, and tribal communities in northeast Montana to address their most pressing health issues. The program works alongside its sister program, Montana Public Health Corps, AmeriCorps state/national, to sustain capacity and help build new programs in the state's largest resource desert. This is accomplished through volunteer support in food delivery, companionship, transportation, disaster preparedness, access to services, and veteran support.

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Service Area: Daniels County, McCone County, Richland County, Roosevelt County, Fort Peck Reservation, Sheridan County

Rocky Mountain Development Council (RSVP) www.rmdc.net

The Tri-County Retired and Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP) matches men and women, 55 years and older, with volunteer opportunities. People use the skills and talents they have learned over the years or develop new ones while providing meaningful service to local non-profits and their community. Tri-County RSVP is sponsored by Rocky Mountain Development Council in Helena, MT.



Service Area: Lewis & Clark, Jefferson, and Broadwater counties

Rocky Mountain Development Council (FGP)

Rocky Foster Grandparent Program offers men and women, 55 years and older, the opportunity to mentor and assist children by sharing expertise, knowledge, and care on a volunteer basis. Volunteers work individually with children in elementary schools, preschools, Head Start classrooms, faith-based sites, or other nonprofit organizations assisting with academic projects or providing companionship and support to a child.

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Service Area: Lewis & Clark, Broadwater, Jefferson, Silver Bow, Deer Lodge, and Powell Counties.

Rocky Mountain Development Council (SCP)

Since 1974, Rocky has sponsored the AmeriCorps Seniors Senior Companion Program. The Senior Companion volunteers have made a difference by providing assistance and friendship to older adults and adults with disabilities who have difficulty with daily living tasks, such as transportation for shopping, medical



appointments, as well as companionship, friendship, and support. Their assistance helps these adults retain their dignity and remain independent in their homes rather than having to move to costlier institutional care.

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Service Area: Lewis and Clark, Silver Bow, Cascade, Madison, Jefferson, Broadwater, and Gallatin Counties.

United Way of Cascade County (RSVP) https://www.uwccmt.org/RSVP



United Way of Cascade County

United Way RSVP is an AmeriCorps Seniors program sponsored by the United Way of Cascade County. Our service area is Cascade County in north central Montana. United Way RSVP's main areas of impact are Healthy Futures and Education, where volunteers serve with organizations that support aging in place through meal delivery; combat food insecurity among the county's most vulnerable; and work with students in our K-6 public elementary schools to

improve their academic standing. Volunteers also serve with more than 20 organizations to support their missions and meet other community needs.

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Service Area: Cascade County

City of Miles City (RSVP) https://www.facebook.com/RSVPMILESCITY

Miles City RSVP is open to all those 55 years of age or older who would like to find meaningful volunteer opportunities which in turn help with the critical needs or our communities. Providing services in the Montana counties of Custer, Fallon, Carter and Rosebud including the Northern Chevenne Indian Reservation



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Service Area: Custer, Rosebud, Fallon, Carter Counties and the Northern Cheyenne Indian Reservation

Butte School District (RSVP)



www.bsd1.org Service area: Silver Bow County

Butte School District No.1 Retired and Senior Volunteer Program AmeriCorps (RSVP) is a non-profit agency, who invites adults 55 and better to use their life experiences and skill for the betterment of their community. RSVP focuses on meeting critical community needs such as: increased

food security for low income seniors, enriching the lives of k-12 students through tutoring and mentoring, and encouraging independent senior living through activities and financial tax support.

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St. Vincent's Healthcare Foundation

The St. Vincent Healthcare Foster Grandparent Program partners low income senior volunteers with students who could use extra support in academics or social and emotional skills. Eligible



volunteers receive a stipend and paid mileage during their service. Volunteers also become a part of a community that provides training and recognition for the wonderful difference they make in a child's life. Our service area currently includes the following counties: Big Horn, Blaine, Carbon, Musselshell, Rosebud, and Yellowstone.

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https://www.sclhealth.org/locations/st-vincent-healthcare/ways-to-give/volunteer/

Service Area: Yellowstone, Blaine, Big Horn, Mussellshell, Carbon, Rosebud counties and the Crow Indian Reservation, Fort Belknap Indian Reservation, and Northern Cheyenne Indian Reservation

Missoula Aging Services (RSVP, FGP, SCP) Service Area: Missoula County



AmeriCorps Seniors at Missoula Aging Services facilitates adults 55 and older volunteering in Missoula County. Foster Grandparent volunteers tutor at-risk students, RSVP assist local nonprofits in the areas of healthy futures, environmental stewardship, economic opportunity, veterans and disaster services, and Senior Companions help older adults and adults with disabilities so they can remain living independently at home.

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https://missoulaagingservices.org/get-involved/volunteer/volunteer-opportunities.html

Action for Eastern Montana (SCP) www.aemt.org

Action for Eastern Montana has 42 AmeriCorps Senior Companions who provided limited help to at-risk seniors in 12 eastern Montana counties and the Fort Peck Reservation. The goal is to help seniors maintain their independence within their own homes.



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Service Area: Custer, Dawson, Garfield, McCone, Phillips, Powder River, Prairie, Richland, Roosevelt, Rosebud, Sheridan, Fort Peck Tribe, Treasure, Valley, and Wibaux counties.

HRDC (RSVP) Website: https://thehrdc.org/senior-services/



HRDC Senior Programs/RSVP connects adults 55 and older who have extra time to give back to the community with organizations that need volunteer support. We offer dozens of opportunities with a wide variety of organizations. Volunteers can choose how much time they want to give, and the program serves two important purposes: helping the community and keeping people active and social. HRDC Senior Programs provides an integrated approach to navigate community resources/applications, access to nutrition, food security, affordable

housing, energy assistance, financial counseling, volunteer opportunities, companionship and/or meal preparation.

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Service area: Gallatin, Park and Meagher Counties

Cascade County Foster Grandparent Program (FGP)

https://www.cascadecountymt.gov/159/Foster-Grandparent-Program

Foster Grandparent Program Volunteers support in developing basic learning skills, sharing life experiences, and providing emotional support and one-on-one attention in areas of reading, writing, and math to prepare the children for independent living. Foster Grandparents are role models, mentors, and friends. The program provides a way for senior citizens to stay active by serving at-risk children and youth in their communities. Volunteers must be 55 years or older, willing to serve at least 20 hours per week, pass State and FBI Fingerprint Check, meet income requirements to received tax-



free stipend, willing to share knowledge and experience with young children, and have compassion, enthusiasm, and patience to work with children.

Foster Grandparents receive a tax-free stipend of \$3.15 per hour effective July 1, 2022, Mileage reimbursement to and from assigned worksite, on-going training, annual volunteer recognition, supplemental insurance coverage while serving, socialization, and meet new people.

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