

Green Hills Community Action Agency

GHCAA, a community action agency serving the nine county area of Missouri known as the Green Hills Region focuses on assisting low income people in their efforts to become self-sufficient by providing services to enable them to improve their financial, physical, mental and social level and operating programs designed to motivate individuals to help themselves. GHCAA's Women's Health Services department provides services not only to the nine-county area, but also to Carroll and Ray counties.

The agency endeavors to make the community aware of the problems of the low income and serves as an advocate of low income residents by strengthening communications, mutual understanding and the planning and coordination of programs designed to serve the low income community.

Women's Health Services: Specializing in women's health care/sexually transmitted diseases/testing.

Housing Assistance: Affordable housing

Emergency Assistance: Heating, cooling & food emergencies.

Weatherization: Insulating, home repairs & window replacement.

Employment & Training: On-the-job training, classroom occupational training, youth services.

Tax Assistance Program: Assistance in filing the Missouri Property Tax Credit

Green Hills Women's Shelter: Working to ensure the safety of domestic violence/sexual assault victims.



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For More Information:

CALDWELL COUNTY
816- 583-2022
101 S. Frame, Hamilton, MO

CARROLL COUNTY
660-542-3247
5 North Ely, Carrollton, MO
(Clinic held at Carroll County Health Dept.)

DAVISS COUNTY
660-663-3211
211 E. Jackson, Gallatin, MO
(Clinic held at Daviess County Health Dept.)

GRUNDY COUNTY
660-359-2855
Toll Free: 1-877-611-7600
1506 Oklahoma Ave., Trenton, MO

HARRISON COUNTY
660-425-3755
108 S. 16th, Bethany, MO

LINN COUNTY
660-258-2211
105 W. John, Brookfield, MO

LIVINGSTON COUNTY
660-646-3379
511 Elm St., Chillicothe, MO

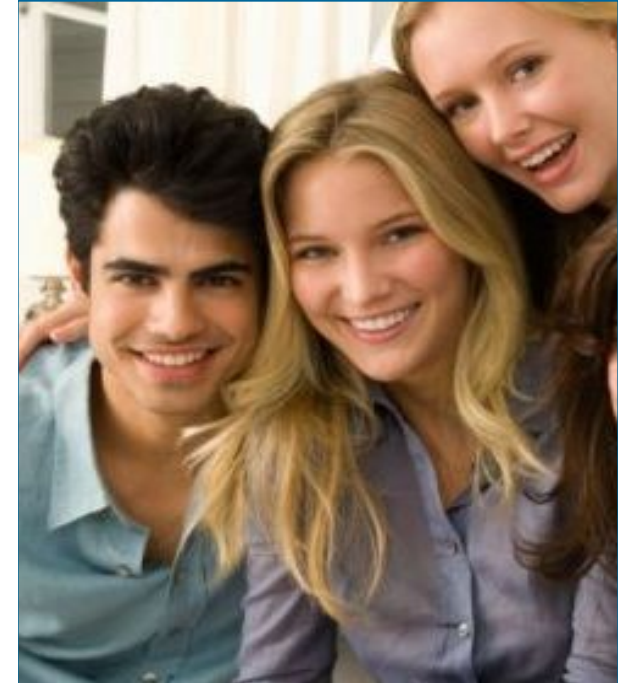
PUTNAM COUNTY
660-947-2471
117 S. 16th St., Unionville, MO

RAY COUNTY
816-776-5413
820 E. Lexington, Richmond, MO
(Clinic held at Ray County Health Dept.)

CHARITON COUNTY
660-288-3675
206 State St., in Keytesville, MO 65261

Women's Health Services

For Every Woman



Green Hills
Community Action Agency

Serving ten counties in
North Central Missouri

Trenton: 660-359-2855
Toll Free 1-877-611-7600

Reproductive Health Services

- Complete examination of the female reproductive system.
- Breast examination & Pap Smear test to check for early signs of cancer.
- Diagnosis & treatment of minor gynecological problems. (such as vaginal infections)
- Male & female diagnosis & treatment of sexually transmitted diseases.
- Emergency contraception.

Laboratory Services

- Cervical Cancer Screening
- Sexually Transmitted Disease counseling & screening
 - Gonorrhea
 - Chlamydia
 - Syphilis
 - Condyloma
 - Herpes
 - HIV
- Blood Pressure Checks
- Hemoglobin
- Urinalysis
- Pregnancy Testing
- Glucose Screen
- Colon Screen
- Cholesterol Screen

Birth Control Methods and Education

- Prescription Methods
 - Oral Contraceptives (pills)
 - Diaphragms
 - IUD's
 - Depo-Provera Injections
- Non-Prescription Methods
 - Foam
 - Spermicidal Jelly
 - Condoms
- Natural Family Planning
 - Fertility awareness instruction
- Sterilization Information & Education:
 - Tubal Ligation
 - Vasectomy

Information and Education Services

- Accurate information available:
 - Reproductive anatomy
 - Birth control
 - Sexual functioning
 - Sexually transmitted diseases
- Education provided to address patient's specific concerns.
- Programs in schools, churches, & community organizations structured to suit individual organizational needs:
 - Human Growth/Reproduction
 - Birth Control Update
 - Sexually Transmitted Diseases

Referral Services

- Medical and Mental Health
- Prenatal Care
- Problem Pregnancy
- Sterilization
- Community Resources

Family Planning Facts

- Nearly 350,000 Missouri women are in need of publicly supported contraceptive care.
- Clinic staff includes Physician /Medical Director, Women's Health Nurse Practitioner, & educators trained specifically for Family Planning Services.
- Services available for all people who request them without financial or age restrictions.
- Daytime & some evening clinics available
- Services are STRICTLY CONFIDENTIAL.
- For every government dollar spent on family planning services, an average of \$4.40 is saved as a result of averting short-term expenditures on medical services, welfare & nutritional services..
- GHCAA provides over 150 clinics per year in 10 different counties.
- GHCAA/Family Planning Clinics serve approximately 2,000 women per year.