



2025-2026 Watertown Area United Way initiatives & Partners

DELTA DENTAL MOBILE PROGRAM

1-800-627-3961 or 605-886-5815

Provides necessary dental care at no charge to the child or family, for children ages 0 to 21, who do not have access to a dentist or dental care. No insurance is necessary. A full range of services are available, including exams, cleaning, preventative treatments, and cavity fillings. Spanish translating services are available for Spanish speaking only patients.

SINGLE CARE

605-886-5815

Provides discount on prescription medications in partnership with United Way Worldwide. Please contact your local United Way for a prescription savings card or download the app. Thank to United Way Worldwide and Family Wize's partnership services are offered at no cost.

IMAGINATION LIBRARY

605-886-5815

This program provides one book a month to children whose parents or legal guardians live or work in Codington County. These age-appropriate books are mailed directly to the child's home to encourage the love of reading and increase self-confidence.

2-1-1 HELPLINE CENTER

Call 211 or text your zip code to 898211.

Call, text, email, or download the app to utilize the 2-1-1 Helpline Center 24/7. Any SD resident can find local resources in the 2-1-1 database specific to location or sort by need category. The Helpline Center is available statewide thanks to SD funding.

2025-2026 Watertown Area United Way Agency Programs

BEACON CENTER

605-886-4300 OR 1-800-660-8014

Provides a 24-hour crisis line (605) 886-4300 or 1-800-660-8014 to victims of abuse, domestic violence shelter, rape crisis services, peer and professional counseling, information and referral, education and training, support groups, and more. Serving Clark, Codington, Deuel, Grant, and Hamlin counties.

BOYS AND GIRLS CLUB OF WATERTOWN, INC.

605-886-6666

Serving over 400 youth each day at eight locations, the Boys & Girls Club of Watertown helps inspire and enable all young people to realize their full potential as productive, responsible, and caring citizens.

CODINGTON COUNTY TREATMENT COURT

605-882-5375

The Codington County Drug Court works to enhance public safety with the goal of developing sober, productive, law-abiding citizens by holding the offender accountable while providing supervision, treatment, and life skills in a judicial setting.

CODINGTON COUNTY HISTORICAL SOCIETY 605-886-7335

Funding is used for children's educational programming. Programming will incorporate art activities, songs, games, and presentations to educate youth on the history of Codington County.

COMMUNITY TRANSIT, INC.

605-882-5287

Provides dependable, affordable public transportation to the people in the Watertown area as they travel to meet their needs for shopping, medical appointments, employment opportunities, educational, nutritional, and recreational purposes.

EAST CENTRAL COURT APPOINTED SPECIAL ADVOCATES (CASA)

605-697-6106

CASA seeks to promote and protect the best interests of abused and neglected children involved in court proceedings through the advocacy efforts of trained dedicated, passionate volunteers.

EMBE – GIRLS ON THE RUN

605-336-3660

Girls on the Run is an afterschool program, serving girls in grades 3-6. Girls on the Run inspires girls to be joyful, healthy, and confident using a fun, experience-based curriculum which creatively integrates running.

GIRL SCOUTS – DAKOTA HORIZONS

1-800-666-2141

Girls in K-12th grade discover their leadership potential as they make the world a better place through community service projects improving the quality of life in the Watertown Area.

HUMAN SERVICE AGENCY: PROJECT SUCCESS

605-884-3518

Project SUCCESS (Schools Using Coordinated Community Efforts to Strengthen Students) is a school-based prevention program, implemented in the Watertown Middle and High schools, to prevent and reduce substance abuse and other high-risk youth social issues.

HUMAN SERVICE AGENCY: SERENITY HILLS DETOX & SERENITY COVE CRISIS STABILIZATION 605-886-0123

Serenity Hills is a residential halfway house for men who are dually diagnosed with both a mental health and an addictions diagnosis. Individuals receiving services at Serenity Hills participate in aftercare programming, seek employment within the community and receive ongoing therapeutic support from staff and other residents.

ICAP – DELTA DENTAL MOBILE PROGRAM

605-256-6518

Funding from the United Way provides needed dental care at no charge to underserved children ages 0 to 21 who do not have access to a dentist or dental care.

ICAP-DEUEL SCHOOL SUPPLIES

605-256-6518

Assisting Watertown area children and youth to succeed by providing the school supplies needed to give them the best opportunity to learn.

ICAP- HAMLIN SCHOOL SUPPLIES

605-256-6518

Assisting Watertown area children and youth to succeed by providing the school supplies needed to give them the best opportunity to learn.

ICAP - HEAD START OFFICE SUPPORT

605-886-7674

Provides administrative support to the ICAP Head Start program serving low-income children allowing children to attend development classes enabling them to be prepared for school.

ICAP - HEAD START PRE-BIRTH TO FIVE SUPPLIES

605-886-7674

Works with families to provide quality early childhood services for infants, toddlers, and pregnant women. Parents earn incentive points which are redeemed for daily family living items.

ICAP – SIXTIES PLUS DINNING

605-882-2166

60s Plus Dining assists individuals aged 60 and older, without regard to income, to maintain optimal health and nutritional status. Services are available at 25 locations in Codington, Clark, Deuel, Hamlin, and Grant counties.

ICAP – VOLUNTEER INCOME TAX ASSISTANCE (VITA) 605-605-256-6518

VITA is a free program to help low and middle-income workers have their Federal and State personal income taxes prepared and filed electronically at no cost. VITA also ensures that workers receive all the tax credits to which they are entitled.

LAKE AREA ZOOLOGICAL SOCIETY

605-882-6269

Helps bring zoo programs to those who don't normally have the opportunity. The zoo's on-site and outreach programming reaches Boys and Girls Club members, children at risk, nursing homes, those with special needs, Watertown schools, and more.

LATC ADULT EDUCATION & LITERACY PROGRAM

605-882-5284

Offers services to residents of Codington and surrounding counties to meet educational needs. Services-include inperson tutoring for basic literacy skills, adult brush-up, GED completion and workforce readiness.

LUTHERAN SOCIAL SERVICES - CENTER FOR FINANCIAL RESOURCES

605-882-2228

The LSS Center for Financial Resources provides financial, housing and home buyer counseling and education, and debt management, provided by certified credit and housing counselors.

THE SALVATION ARMY

605-886-4030

Operates the food pantry, provides lodging and meals to the homeless, assists travelers, provides clothing and household items, plays a vital role in disaster restoration and response, and offers character-building programs and music programs.

SCOUTING AMERICA SIOUX COUNCIL

605-361-2697

Helps local boys and girls learn to say no to peer pressure, feel good about themselves, develop into participating citizens, and become responsive to the needs of others.

WATERTOWN AREA PEOPLE AGAINST CHILD HUNGER (PACH)

605-886-4427

The Watertown Area PACH (People Against Child Hunger) Program works with school staff to provide complimentary snacks and meals to students who may need an additional food resource over weekends.

WATERTOWN AREA SWIM CLUB

605-886-0999

Scholarships are provided to children/families who cannot afford the coaching fees.

WATERTOWN BASEBALL ASSOCIATION

605-759-1680

By providing quality coaching, well maintained fields, equipment and transportation, and the opportunity to participate and compete in a challenging schedule, this agency provides youth in Watertown and the surrounding area with a positive environment and the opportunity to develop baseball skills.

WATERTOWN CARES- 612 FLATS

605-657-2976

Through providing temporary housing and financial resources, Watertown Cares helps people move from financial crisis to financial stability. Housing is a foundational component of addressing Social Determinants of Health. Assisting with a long-term housing solution allows individuals and families to focus on other needs which include health, education, and social needs.

WATERTOWN FIGURE SKATING CLUB

605-880-3706

The program targets skaters ages 4 – 18 from Codington and surrounding counties. Teaching skaters the fundamentals of ice skating with a progressive curriculum promotes health while building self-confidence and skills.

WATERTOWN LACROSSE CLUB

605-880-6175

The Watertown Lacrosse Club is committed to playing in the spirit of the game, honoring traditions, promoting honor and respect, and encouraging sportsmanship, teamwork, and commitment to community. Funding will be used to purchase the equipment needed and keep costs low.

WATERTOWN FIRE RESCUE- COMMUNITY RISK REDUCTION PROGRAM

605-882-5030

Watertown Fire Rescue is devoted to the preservation of life and property. Proudly serving out community by providing excellence in Emergency Medical Services, Fire Suppression, Rescue, and Education. Always Ready!

WATERTOWN PARK & REC ADULT/SENIOR ACTIVITIES

605-882-6260

Provides innovative, physical, educational, and social activities for seniors and adults 50 plus years of age. Funding received help with equipment supplies and staffing.

WATERTOWN PARK & REC YOUTH BASEBALL & SOFTBALL PROGRAM 605-882-6260

Building character, this program teaches lifelong skills and abilities to children. Registration Fees for the program are kept as low as possible with funding from the United Way.

WATERTOWN YOUTH SOCCER ASSOCIATION (WYSA)

605-818-9972

Funds received provide scholarships to those who may not have the resources to participate. WYSA provides a positive environment and promotes health, exercise, and good character; builds teamwork and socialization and helps each player to reach their desired potential.

The Watertown Area United Way (WAUW) is a non-profit community-based volunteer organization whose purpose is to assist in meeting human care needs for Watertown Area residents. WAUW has been proud to serve the Watertown Area for over years since 1970.