

Our Place Monthly Report

Month Reported: September, 2025

Staffing

Full-Time Coordinator/Manager : Mikayla Kapphan CBHPSS

CPSS 1 (FTE, and CPSS status):

CPSS- 2 (PT, and CPSS status):Angel Small CBHPSS

CPSS 3-(PT, and CPSS status):

Facility Staff- : Debera Eldridge

Volunteer25 Hour week Connie O'Conner Saturdays, Jeanie Deshon Mondays

Narrative

Services Provided

Service Provided	Date	Number Served	Local Area Provider
Substance misuse recovery management	9/25	68	Linda Kinsey Leo Pocha-Wellbriety Mikayla Kapphan PSS, Angel Small PSS, Amy Kriedeman PSS 8 Dimensions of wellness, WRAP , Celebrate Recovery, Recovery Topics, Gender Specific group
Behavioral health management/Engagement	9/25	0	We have dropped down to doing just one group a day at 1:00. This has allowed us to work more with clients one on one to reach their goals and needs.
Gender specific recovery support	9/25		We have not been able to do Gender Specific groups. We don't have a man willing to runs the men groups. But we are mostly have men that stay for group so we have just been doing a normal group these days until we can find a volunteer that is willing to run this group.
Group gatherings	9/25	86	We facilitate one Peer run group Monday-Saturday. Monday- 8 dimesons of wellness Tuesday- Gender specific recovery Wednesday- Wellbriety (leo Pocha) Thursday- Recovery topic or talking cards Friday – WRAP Saturday- Celebrate Recovery
Action Plan Development for	9/25	9/26-7	We only were able to do one WRAP group this

Wellness Recovery			month. This group requires 2 facilitators and with losing 2 staff we have to change the day for this. We will be back on track with this in October
Wellness Education in Collaboration with identified area providers	9/25	9/3-4 9/10-6 9/17-8	Linda Kinsey- Wellbriety- Linda comes here on Wednesdays.
Recreational therapeutic activities	9/25	9/24-6	We did Pipes for hope with NA. We went to the jail and let off Air horns to let those in jail know that they have somewhere to come out to when they leave.
On-site meals and to-go food bags	9/25	100	Helena Food Share 100 emergency food bags, our volunteer brings in meals occasionally, as well as Crock Pot ministries 2x this month.
Application assistance for SNAP and Medicaid	9/25	0	No Snap or Medicaid applications this month
Identification access assistance including birth certificates, State ID, VA, and SSI/SSDI	9/25	2	No ID or BC this month
Coordination of transportation for behavioral health and medical services	9/25		We work with GSM street outreach to help coordinate getting people to appointments if needed. We do this multiple times a week. We coordinated this month with street outreach to do Identification at MVD when we are not able to do them online
Volunteer opportunities at the Drop-In Center, other Good Samaritan locations, and other area providers	9/25		We have 2 Volunteers. 1 works with us every Saturday, 1 works with us on Mondays. We have peers volunteer daily to sweep take garbage out and we have one peer the spends most her day running and organizing out donation closet.
Native American culture and practices study group	9/25	9/3-4 9/10-6 9/17-8	Wellbriety with Linda Kinsey on Wednesdays.

Narrative (please describe any additional services provided, the date provided, number served, and the name or names of local area providers involved, if any):

This month we have sent 4 people to treatment. We have assisted one person in enrolling with the VOA.

We did recreation this month with the local NA group and did Pipes For Hope. Where we went around the jail with Air horns letting those that are incarcerated know that they have a family and friends to come out to when they get out.

This month we lost two staff members. We were able to hire one more staff member and looking to hire another.

Moving forward until staff is hired we will have to be shut down on Saturdays. Hopefully just for two weeks.

We have done a lot of housing applications with people this month.

Not a whole lot to report this month. Groups have been going good, We were only able to do WRAP group one time this month as with a staffing shortage we need to change the day it is on so we have two facilitators as the group requires two. We will work out the Day change for October. Also we have had a lot of people that leave when we say it is time for group and we end up with just one person in group. Hoping this will change in the winter time as no one wants to be outside for an hour while we do group.

Pureview Medical Van came 9/30/2025 this has been great for our Peers. We are working on picking a different day for this as Tuesday mornings are shower days and so when they come we are very slow.

Our Place Drop-In Center Advisory Board

Date of monthly Peer and Client Advisory Meeting: Thursday September 25th 2025

Number of Peers and Clients in attendance: 11

Number of Peers and Clients for which transportation was coordinated for Advisory Board attendance, if needed: 0

Narrative (please describe meeting or attach meeting agenda and minutes)

Advisory Board Members:

Mikayla Kapphan- Program Coordinator

Jon Mundinger- Church member

Maddy - Street Outreach

Debera Eldridge- Facility Staff

Meeting narrative:

Reminder to please be respectful of our neighbors. Stay on OP property , use OP facility for bathrooms. We talked about issues the brewery was having and how we could be good neighbors and stay off their property and be respectful.

We asked that all peers please leave the property at 3pm. Staff will not leave the premises until all peers have left.

Introduced new staff Deb she will be working the front desk.

Talked about losing two staff and that we may have to be shutdown on Saturdays until further notice.

We spoke about the cruise avenue encampment going on and that people need to not be leaving stuff there all day. Its okay to sleep for the night but need to roll your stuff up and leave in the morning.

We also informed peers that Gods Love has decided they will not be opening their doors to everyone to sleep on the floor this winter. They will be adding 10 more beds in the back but you have to have a job to be able to stay there. We discussed how we would not be able to provide overnight shelter for many reason. Peers did not have to much to say on this. We did discuss maybe a few church options but volunteers would be needed and trained staff to deal with situations that may arise

Participant Information

Number of participants served (#): August 86 attended groups. All that signed in was 348. We are working on repeat visits and one time only peers.

Referral Sources (where were they referred?):

- Many Rivers
- Pure View Health
- VA Health care
- Hud/ Vash, Helena Housing
- Charles Goodman Peer Support Specialist VA
- St. Peters Health
- Helena Indian Alliance
- RCM
- God's Love
- St. Peters E.R and BHU,
- Helena P.D,
- Mt counseling services

Military Status (# Active and # Former): 3

Criminal Justice system involvement (# Pretrial): 16 known

Co-occurring disorder status (#): 15 self identified

Crisis interventions and outcomes (short narratives): NO CRT call this month

Number of Community partner education hours: 3

Outcomes from Satisfaction surveys: Not completed yet.

Hours of Operation: Monday - Friday 8:30 A.M - 3:00 P.M and Saturday 9:00 A.M-2:00 P.M