

# **Public Assistance and Benefits**

for Children & Adults with Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities (IDD)

## The Adams County Human Services Department

- 11860 Pecos Street, Westminster, Colorado 80234
- (720) 523-2700
- www.adcogov.org/human-services
- Assistance: Housing, Food, Healthcare, Employment, Education, Family, Resources

### Adams County Government Center

- 4430 South Adams County Parkway, Brighton, Colorado 80601
- (303) 659-2120
- www.adcogov.org
- To Report Child Abuse or Neglect: (720) 523-2000
- Colorado Child Abuse and Neglect Hotline: (844) CO-4-Kids
- To Report Suspected Abuse of an Adult: (720) 523-2057



### Selected Programs at Adams County Human Services

- Food Assistance SNAP (Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program)
  - o Apply at 11860 Pecos Street, Westminster, 80234
  - Apply online at <u>Colorado.gov/PEAK</u>
  - Apply by phone through Hunger Free Colorado: (720) 382-2920
- Health Care Health First Colorado Medicaid
  - Apply at <u>Colorado.gov/PEAK</u>
  - o Apply by phone: (800) 221-3943
- Housing
  - Acchouse.org: (303) 289-7078
- Child Support Services
  - Apply at <u>Adcogov.org</u>
  - o Apply by phone: (720) 523-2600

- Colorado Child Care Assistance Program
  - o (720) 523-2337
- Financial Assistance Programs
  - o (720) 523-2700
- Head Start
  - Adcogov.org/head-start
  - o (720) 523-4602
- Workforce Center
  - (720) 523-2400
- Additional Resources
  - Mile High United Way Information and Referral Line – call 211



#### Suggestions When Applying for Public Assistance

- Have all the required information available: address, phone number, Social Security number, Medicaid number, other Health insurance information, proof of income and expenses.
- Apply online or in person. Wait times for in person applications may take longer.
- Keep all records and respond to all requests for information.
- Make and keep copies of your application.
- Stay in contact w/ needed follow-up or recertification.
- Call the SSA department within 30 days to follow up on the application.
- If assistance is needed to apply, contact one of these resources:
  - Benefits in Action: <u>Benefitsinaction.org</u>; (720) 221-8354
  - Easter Seals Disability Benefits Services: <u>Easterseals.com/co/</u>; (303) 233-1666
  - Center for People with Disabilities: <u>Cpwd.org</u>; (303) 790-1390

#### **Denver Metro Community Resources**

- Colorado Crisis Hotline: 844-493-8255
- Office of Civil Rights in Colorado: <u>ccrd.colorado.gov</u>; 303-894-2997
- Colorado Cross Disability Coalition: <a href="mailto:ccdconline.org">ccdconline.org</a>; 303-839-1775
- Benefits in Action: benefitsinaction.org; 720-221-8354
- Disability Law of Colorado: <u>disabilitylawco.org</u>, 303-722-0300
- The Family Tree: thefamilytree.org; 303-422-2133
- Servicios de la Raza: <u>servicios dela raza.org</u>; 303-458-5851
- Growing Home: growinghome.org; 303-426-0430
- Almost Home: almosthomeonline.org; 303-659-6199
- Early Childhood Partnership of Adams County: ecpac.org; 303-428-2929

