

# Services

BACS has been offering treatment services since 1972. We currently offer the following services in Lewis and Clark and Jefferson Counties:

**ASAM Level 1 Out-patient treatment** which usually consists of group therapy once a week and individual therapy once every 2 weeks

**ASAM Level 2 Out-patient treatment** which usually consists of group therapy 4 times a week and individual therapy once a week.

**Transitional Living Facility (TLF)** is a 7 bed mens half-way house for people who have been through an intensive treatment program and need additional assistance.

**Evaluations:** Diagnostic impressions are achieved by the use of computerized testing coupled with extensive biopsychosocial assessments and the gathering and analysis of data from significant others, law enforcement, schools, employers, and other relevant sources as deemed necessary. All clients are screened for co-occurring conditions

**DUI/MIP** educational and assessment services. DUI or ACT (Assessment Course and Treatment) utilizes the evidence based program called Prime for Life. The MIP (Minor in Possession) program uses a modified version of Prime for Life developed for this purpose.

**Co-occurring therapy** All BACS treatment programs are co-occurring capable. This means that our dually licensed staff can identify and often treat coexisting mental illness conditions. Separate co-occurring groups are provided

**Adolescent services** BACS offers both level 1 and level 2 services. Availability of programming is dependent upon case loads.

**Women's programming** We offer specialized women's groups and programming.

**Cultural and religious Competency** Staff are trained to recognize and compensate for cultural and religious differences.

**24/7 Availability**

**No one is ever refused service based upon ability to pay**

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## Out Patient Treatment, Evaluation, and Educational Services for Chemical Dependency

Chemical Dependency Services for Lewis & Clark and Jefferson Counties



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## Locations

Boyd Andrew Community Services Board of Directors is steadfastly dedicated to ensure facilities are professional and modern to better serve their clientele. One recent example of that commitment is the new administrative and outpatient services office building BACS constructed on the walking mall in downtown Helena. It is the first new major construction project in that area in over 17 years.

\* Currently, Boyd Andrew Community Services programs are located at their administrative and outpatient facility in Helena and satellite outpatient offices in Boulder and Whitehall. Their residential programs include a Pre-Release Center and a transitional living facility serving men located in the Helena area, along with a community-based correctional facility that offers a therapeutic alternative to prison for chemical dependent female offenders located in Boulder, MT

## Funding

Boyd Andrew was first approved by the state of Montana to receive public dollars for the treatment for alcohol and drug addictions in 1977. At this time, BACS receives county earmark dollars, Federal Treatment Block Grant dollars, specialized funding contracts, and are able to bill Medicaid and other third party payers along with receiving private pay and grant funds.

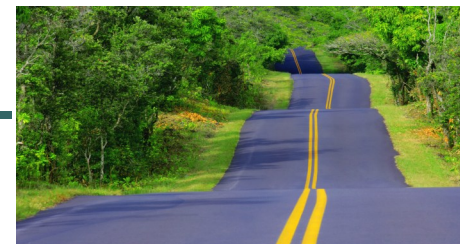
## Leadership

Over the past twenty years, Boyd Andrew Community Services has evolved into a statewide leader amongst its peers. The Chief Executive Officer, Mike Ruppert is the President of the **Montana Addiction Service Providers (MASP)**, a state-wide provider association, and has served in the capacity for the thirteen years. MASP membership consists of 15 Approved Treatment Programs that provide the full continuum of care for substance abuse prevention, intervention and treatment located in all 56 Montana counties. Under Mr. Ruppert's leadership, MASP had grown into a well-known and well-respected provider association ensuring all members provide the state of the art in treatment and prevention technology

Additionally, BACS was awarded two major contracts with the State of Montana, Department of Public Health and Human Services (DPHHS) in 2008 and again in 2011 to administer and manage a consortium of chemical dependency providers from across the State. The first contract is a multi-level residential treatment system, known as the **Residential Treatment Expansion Consortium (RTEC)**. BACS assumed the administrative, financial, and programmatic contract management of RTEC. The consortium providing this system consists of six separate 'state approved' chemical dependency treatment programs working together under a unified administration. Among other things, RTEC provides a long over due opportunity to bridge the treatment gap between DPHHS and the Department of Corrections (DOC) by providing a continuum of care for chemically dependent clients served by both Departments.

The second statewide consortium is the **Montana Prevention Coalition (MPC)**. Again our role is to administer and manage the Montana Prevention Coalition to ensure all participating organizations perform at a high-level of service delivery and make certain financial business is conducted according to contract requirements and specifications. MPC's goal is to reduce underage drinking to include youth and young adults up to the age of 21. The Montana Prevention Coalition consists of eleven separate 'state approved' chemical dependency treatment and prevention programs that will provide environmental prevention services within all 62 Montana counties.

Recently BACS formed a separate support organization call



## **Boyd Andrew Management Services (BAMS).**

This nonprofit corporation was formed because we have developed expertise in state wide coalition building, administration and contract management. We felt it necessary to separate these activities from the direct client services that BACS has traditionally provided. RTEC and MPC are now managed by BAMS rather than BACS.

Boyd Andrew Community Services is required to participate in an independent annual contact audit and licensing inspection conducted by Montana Department of Health and Human Services, Division of Quality Control. The Licensing Bureau reviews six areas of performance, those are: administration, personnel, outpatient and intensive outpatient treatment services, residential facilities and ACT/MIP. Over the last five years, BACS has earned an average score of **97.7 percentile of excellence**. These scores are representative of those received for the last 20 years and firmly place BACS as one of the best, if not the best, 'state approved' chemical dependency treatment programs in Montana.

BACS also conducts an annual self-audit and annual peer review audits.

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