

DIXON FAMILY SERVICES (DFS) A ONE-STOP-SHOP OF SOCIAL SERVICES

The mission of Dixon Family Services is to improve the quality of life for all families and individuals in our diverse community. Our intervention and support services are strengthened by cooperation with the schools, churches, businesses and the community.

Founded in 1984, DFS programs have grown and changed to fit the needs of this community

All Services Are Offered In English and Spanish

Levels of success are directly related to participant willingness to take steps in action plans

Current programs include:

- **Mental Health** – Assessments, counseling and referrals
- **Family Basic Needs** – Case management, action plan, employment development, job search, supplemental food, housing and utilities assistance, budgeting, parenting education, referrals to other helping agencies, all on case-by-case determination.
- **Substance Abuse Youth, Adults** – AOD (alcohol and other drugs) classes, counseling and referrals
- **Food Pantry** – Provides emergency food to anyone, supplemental groceries weekly to clients engaged in programs, Holiday Food Program in December
- **Internship Program** – Supervision and field work placement provided to college students in Social Work, Human Services and other degree programs by experienced therapists and case managers. Diverse placement for young social workers to learn and fulfil fieldwork requirements to achieve degrees
- **Outstation for Multiple Government Programs** – DFS building provides offices for WIC Program, Section 8, CalWORKs, Food Stamps, MediCal, Covered California, Food Bank Produce Truck, Legal Services of Northern California, VITA Free Income Tax Assistance Program
- **Continuum of Care Program** – Behavioral Health Assessments and Services, Peer Support Groups
- **Safety Net Services Program** – Emergency Basic Needs Assistance to Dixon residents

How to Help: Financially

- Write a check payable to DFS. Mail or drop off. DFS 155 North Second Street, Dixon, CA 95620
- Credit Card, PayPal and other methods on www.dixonfamilyservices.org website, click on DONATE icon
- Automatic Payroll Deductions
- Memorial Contributions in name of a loved one
- Bequests – put us in your will or estate plan

How to Help: As a Volunteer or Project

- Fund Committee – Comedy Night and other fund raising endeavors
- Board of Directors – committed to meetings, representation and support for DFS and its programs
- Provide Educational Workshops – something you have expertise in
- Yard sales, food or paper products drives with DFS as beneficiary
- Donate food, office supplies, diapers, paper products and other supplies needed by clients or agency
- Glean fruits or other produce from homeowners that want to donate it to DFS
- Special building maintenance and landscaping projects

For more information call 678-0442, go to www.dixonfamilyservices.org or email info@dixonfamilyservices.org