

Prevention of Child Abuse & Neglect —

Child Abuse, in its many forms, happens every day and has major negative impacts on the futures of those children.

As parents, and as community members, there are ways to contribute to the safety and well-being of children.

Dixon Family Services, in cooperation with our community and county partners, strive to prevent and reduce incidences of child abuse and neglect. PLEASE HELP US.

PROTECT YOUR CHILDREN FROM HARM

KNOW THE SIGNS - Educate yourself

BE INVOLVED - In all areas of their life

TEACH CHILDREN- that they have rights

COMMUNICATE OPENLY - so they will tell you

when something is wrong

LISTEN - Stay Calm, Believe, Reassure,

Don't Blame, Praise Bravery

SUPPORT - local child abuse prevention

programs like Dixon Family Services to

make an impact in your own community

REPORT- any suspicion of child abuse to local

Police. Dixon 707-678-7070, or 800-544-8696,

or partnersinprevention.org



Value your children. Keep them safe. Raise healthy, happy, and successful children through positive parenting. Improved parenting skills can lead to family cohesiveness and reduce risks of neglect or abuse.

Frequently Requested Services —

DFS provides contact info for other local agencies with services not provided at DFS. Please call or go to their website to learn more.

CHILDCARE SERVICES

- Solano Family & Children's Services 707-863-3950

CITIZENSHIP, IMMIGRATION SERVICES

- Catholic Charities 707-644-8909

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE

- Solano Family Justice Center 707-784-7635
- Safe-Quest Solano 707-422-7345
- Solano Connex 877-266-6390
- Empower Yolo 530-661-6336
- National Domestic Violence Hotline 800-799-7233

FOOD RESOURCES (DIXON)

- Cal-Fresh(Food Stamps) 925-914-7782
- Food Bank Produce at DFS 707-421-9777
- Food Bank Produce at CMC 707-635-1623
- Cornerstone Church 707-678-5234
- St. Peter's, St. Vincent de Paul 707-678-7664
- Salvation Army 707-455-8191

HOMELESS SERVICES

- Resource Connect Solano 707-652-7311
- Shelter Inc. 925-335-0698

INTERNET/PHONE SERVICE FOR LOW-INCOME

- Affordable Connectivity Program 844-921-0923
- Assurance Wireless 800-321-5880

LEGAL SERVICES

- Legal Services of No. CA, Vallejo 707-643-0054
- Legal Services of No. CA, Woodland 530-662-1065

MENTAL HEALTH/SUBSTANCE ABUSE

- Solano County Mental Health 800-547-0495
- Solano County Adult Mental Health 707-469-4610
- Nami Solano 707-439-9510 / 707-439-5519
- Solano Connex 877-266-6390
- Community Medical Center 707-635-1600
- Solano County Substance Abuse 707-435-2220
- Alcoholics Anonymous 800-970-9040

PARENTING EDUCATION CLASSES

- Parents by Choice 707-478-4554
- Help Me Grow Solano 707-863-3950
- Solano Connex 877-266-6390

SENIOR CITIZEN SERVICES

- Solano Cares for Seniors 707-784-8259
- Area Agency on Aging 707-253-4248
- Meals on Wheels Solano 707-425-0638

SUICIDE PREVENTION

- 9-8-8 Dial 9 8 8
- 24-hour Suicide Prevention 800-273-8255

VETERAN'S SERVICES

- Solano County - 855-862-1804

DIXON FAMILY SERVICES



Family Resource Center
Open Mon-Thurs 10-12, 1-4
BY APPOINTMENT ONLY

Information & Referrals
Basic Needs Support
Food Pantry
Child Abuse Prevention & Awareness



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Welcome to Dixon Family Services—

Dixon Family Services (DFS) is a community-based Family Resource Center serving Dixon and the surrounding rural areas since 1984. Our one-stop-shop of human services helps hundreds of people each year achieve goals such as employment, financial stability, improved nutrition, emotional wellness, improved parenting skills, safe and healthy homes and family cohesiveness.

Our programs have grown and improved to fit the needs of the people we serve.

Many struggling individuals who were assisted and encouraged by a caring and dedicated staff at DFS are now active and contributing members of this community.

-Mission Statement-

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.

Dixon Family Services seeks to hire and promote individuals, recruit volunteers and provide services to individuals without regard to race, creed, color, gender, sexual orientation, disability, marital status, veteran status, national origin or age.

Dixon Family Services is an equal opportunity employer and provider.

All Services Are Offered in English and Spanish on a Case-By-Case Basis.

Basic Needs Case Management—

We provide supportive and motivational assistance to low-income families with children. A full assessment helps determine areas in which the household could benefit most. An action plan is created with specific goals and steps. A monthly budget of income and expenses is discussed to find ways to improve spending, find employment, access benefits & health care, create savings and other possible ways to increase income.

Some households can qualify for one-time assistance with rent and/or utilities payments. Case managers strive to build a successful application on behalf of those families. The level of success is directly related to participant's willingness to take steps necessary, provide verification and complete forms that are required by the fund sources.

The ultimate goal of the program is to provide people with the knowledge and resources to achieve self-sufficiency so that families remain housed and children are safe and healthy in their homes.

Families with children and those with other verifiable high-risk situations are usually prioritized, but anyone with a need for human services of any kind are encouraged to call. If we are unable to assist you, we may be able to refer you to other resources that can be helpful to your specific needs.

Additional Programs Located at DFS—

For the convenience of Dixon residents. Call to make an appointment or to get more information for the following:

- WIC Program 707-678-0717
- Vacaville WIC Office 707-469-4555
- CalFresh (Food Stamps) 925-603-3316
- Food Bank Produce Truck 707-421-9777
- DFS Food Pantry 707-678-0442

How to Help - When you help DFS, you help people in your community—

- Write a check payable to DFS
- Credit Card on DixonFS.org click "donate"
- Recurring Donations Monthly or Quarterly
- Grocery gift cards for DFS Food Pantry
- Automatic Payroll Deductions
- Automatic Donations from Checking
- Memorial Contributions
- Bequests, Wills, Estate Plans
- Sponsor Programs or Operating Costs
- Host a Fundraiser for DFS
- Donate Office Supplies or Materials
- Volunteer on a Board Committee
- Advocate for DFS with friends, family, coworkers and group memberships

Partnerships and Donors —

We are blessed with support from our community partners, foundation grants, businesses, churches, schools, service organizations, and individual donors.

To see complete lists of those who support and collaborate with us, go to our website on page "Donate/How to Help".

We also post thank-yous to each of our supporters on Facebook and Instagram. Please check us out, like, and share with others.

We are always eager to build new partnerships. Call 707-678-0442 or email info@dixonfamilyservices.org