



# What's **NEW** at the Coalition?

The Food & Care Coalition recently remodeled a portion of our office space into a new medical clinic. Mountainlands Community Health Center will join with our other two onsite service partners - Wasatch Mental Health and Share A Smile Foundation - to further enhance available resources to our homeless community.

We are honored that our original vision of community collaboration is being realized and that our community's most vulnerable are benefitting from increased accessibility to resources. Mountainlands will lease approximately 2,500 sq. ft. of space and provide an array of medical, dental, substance abuse services, and pharmaceutical help.



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(See reverse for listing of services)*



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## Direct Services

- Primary Care
- Screenings
- Family Planning
- Immunizations
- Well Child Services
- Gynecological Care
- Preventative Dental
- Pharmaceuticals
- Eligibility Assistance
- Health Education
- Referrals
- Transportation (tokens)
- Translation

## Contracted

- Diagnostic Laboratory
- Diagnostic Radiology
- Screenings
- Substance Abuse

## Referral

- Diagnostic Radiology
- Mental Health
- Additional Dental (Share A Smile)

## Eligibility

Health centers funded by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) use the following definition for homeless: A homeless individual is defined in section 330(h)(4)(A) as “an individual who lacks housing (w/o regard to whether the individual is a member of a family), including an individual whose primary residence during the night is a supervised public or private facility (e.g., shelters) that provides temporary living accommodations, and an individual who is a resident in transitional housing.” A homeless person is an individual without permanent housing who may live on the streets; stay in a shelter, mission, single room occupancy facilities, abandoned building or vehicle; or in any other unstable or non-permanent situation. An individual may be considered to be homeless if that person is “doubled up,” a term that refers to a situation where individuals are unable to maintain their housing situation and are forced to stay with a series of friends and/or extended family members. In addition, previously homeless individuals who are to be released from a prison or a hospital may be considered homeless if they do not have a stable housing situation when they can return. A recognition of the instability of an individual’s living arrangements is critical to the definition of homelessness.

## Other Key Facts

- Mountainlands East Bay Health Center (MEBC) was opened utilizing Affordable Care Act funding.
- Mountainlands has five locations: Vernal, Payson, and three in Provo (including here).
- Services at this site will be free to individuals and families who qualify as homeless.
- Other locations will provide services on a sliding fee based scale based on income/family size.
- This clinic will have three mid-level providers, all board certified full-time employees of MEBC.
- The clinic anticipates serving 900 individuals by the end of 2016.
- Vouchers for prescriptions and bus tokens for follow-up appointments will be made available.
- Preventative dental services will be made available on Monday and Wednesday.
- Share A Smile will operate dental services other days in exchange for service hours by clients.