

The Family Services Team

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children by respecting what is

unique within each family.

Read on to learn more about

our services.



The El Paso County Department of Human Services (DHS) strives to protect our most vulnerable citizens while providing efficient access to the services provided by local, state and federal governments. We aim to keep families together and help them to become self-sufficient. We work closely with community organizations to stretch the safety net we provide even further.

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Grandparent & Relative Caregiver Program

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The Family Services Team is a unique unit within DHS which oversees the TANF child only program.

This program seeks to strengthen each family's ability to maintain a supportive and stable home for their relative children.

If you are a grandparent, a relative caregiver or a family friend taking care of a relative child, you may qualify to receive financial assistance through our program.

You can call our information line to find out if your children are eligible, (719) 444-5226.

In addition to financial assistance, we also provide the following services:

- ⇒ ***We can assist you with application process to other benefits***
- ⇒ ***We can help you connect with Support Groups***
- ⇒ ***We can assist you with budgeting***
- ⇒ ***We can give referrals to community organizations***
- ⇒ ***And so much more***



There are many reasons children are living with their family members and friends. Relatives and family friends are important because they:

- ⇒ ***Provide a safe home***
- ⇒ ***Enable children to live with people they know and trust***
- ⇒ ***Allow family relationships to be maintained and flourish***
- ⇒ ***Create life-long family traditions and memories***
- ⇒ ***Build good foundations***



El Paso County Department of Human Services believes it is essential for children to be raised by relatives or family friends, when their parents are not able to. Keeping children with their own has benefits such as doing better in school and staying connected to their neighborhood, family traditions and culture.

To access services and learn more about how we can help please call us at

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For more information online about other programs and services go to

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