



### Our Mission

To improve the health and wellbeing of uninsured residents of Buffalo and Kearney Counties by providing medical and behavioral healthcare in a compassionate and respectful environment.

### Our Vision

To provide the uninsured residents of Buffalo and Kearney Counties with access to family centered holistic healthcare, so they can be empowered and engaged in their community.

### Hours of Operation

Thursdays, 5:30-8:30 pm beginning June 4th.



### Funding

Visit our website to donate online or send a check to:

**HelpCare Clinic**  
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Kearney, NE 68848  
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Potential sources for funds for start-up, capital projects, and ongoing expenses include:

- Grants from private foundations, both local and national
- Churches
- Civic groups
- Businesses and corporations
- Local hospitals and health care providers
- Individual donors



*I was sick, and you cared for me.*  
Matthew 25:36

[www.helpcareclinic.org](http://www.helpcareclinic.org)

*No insurance?*

*No problem.*



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## About Us

HelpCare™ Clinic has been established to meet the proven need for a safety net clinic in Kearney, Nebraska to serve the uninsured in Buffalo and Kearney counties. HelpCare™ is a nonprofit 501c3 free clinic where individuals are cared for by paid and unpaid staff concerned about the health and wellbeing of our community and those that live and work here.

## Why is HelpCare™ Needed?

2010 Census data reports an estimated 5763 persons of all ages in Buffalo County (12.5%) and 715 persons in Kearney county (11%) are uninsured. While the Affordable Care Act allowed for some to become insured, there is still a large population that is uninsured.

## Services

Care is provided free of cost to persons who have no insurance and do not qualify for Medicaid or Medicare. The availability of services at any given time depends on the corresponding availability of medical volunteers, resources, equipment and funding.

Anticipated Services: outpatient primary medical care, preventive medical services, noncritical acute care, and behavioral health services.

Reproductive health services, emergency care, prenatal care and narcotic prescriptions will not be offered at the clinic.

## Who is HelpCare™ For?

Consistent with HelpCare™ Clinic's effort to address a specific segment of our population, the uninsured, patients receiving care at the clinic will need to satisfy the criteria below in order to be eligible for services:

- 1. Residence:** The patient must live or work in Buffalo or Kearney County.
- 2. Uninsured:** The patient must not already have private medical insurance, Medicaid or Medicare.
- 3. Income Level:** Must be 200% or under Federal Poverty Level

## Guiding Values

- **Quality Care:**  
We strive to provide a high standard of physical, mental, spiritual and economic wellness.
- **Compassion:**  
We know that each individual has value and we will treat them with compassion and understanding in their circumstances.
- **Faith-Based:**  
We will work closely with the support of the faith community to treat all individuals with the love of Christ.
- **Hope:**  
We will bring hope and healthcare to those not previously able to access the care they need and not able to see hope in their circumstances.

- **Collaboration:**

We commit to coordinate preventive healthcare and health education for all patients and keep the public and our supporters informed of our mission and available services.

- **Respect:**

We pledge to respect, acknowledge, and appreciate the important contributions made by our volunteers and donors and to manage our resources wisely as we treat our patients with respect.

- **Flexibility:**

We commit to respond to the evolving community healthcare needs, as resources and volunteers are available, using needs assessments and collective voices of consumers.

- **Individual Growth and Accountability:**

We strive to empower and engage the individual in their healthcare.



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