

How We Help

For eligible clients we offer:

- ◆ Case management
- ◆ Rent & utility assistance
- ◆ Emergency assistance for purchasing food
- ◆ Onsite food pantry
- ◆ Transportation assistance for medical appointments
- ◆ Referrals for medical care and other services

MVAP offers rapid and confirmatory HIV Testing through a collaboration with The Dartmouth-Hitchcock HIV Program. Free testing is provided onsite by appointment. Call 226-0607

Eligibility

- ◆ Be a person living with HIV/AIDS
- ◆ Be income eligible
- ◆ Be a resident of New Hampshire

How You Can Help

If you would like to make a donation to the Merrimack Valley Assistance Program, please visit our website at www.mvap.org for details. MVAP is a 503(c) non-profit, and all donations are tax deductible.

Merrimack Valley Assistance Program

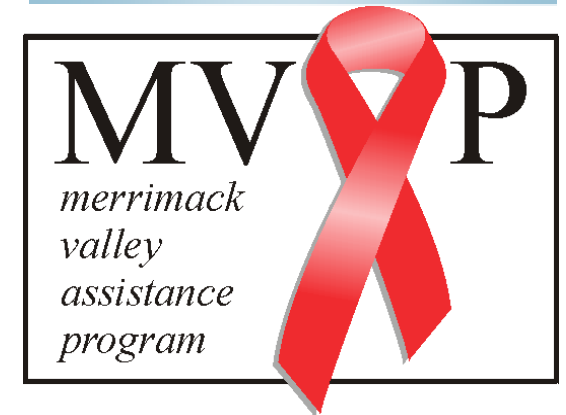
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Who We Are

Merrimack Valley Assistance Program (MVAP) is a non-profit, state-licensed case management agency. We provide case management, supportive services, and housing assistance to persons living with HIV/AIDS.

MVAP has offices located in Concord and Manchester with a satellite office in Laconia. MVAP was founded in 1995 as the Merrimack Valley AIDS Project. In 1999, the Merrimack Valley AIDS Project and the Greater Manchester AIDS Project merged together to form one organization, the Merrimack Valley Assistance Program.

Our service area includes Coos, Belknap, Merrimack, and northern Hillsborough counties, as well as portions of Carroll and Grafton counties.

Housing Services

MVAP receives federal and state grants allowing us to help our clients obtain, and remain in, permanent housing; especially those with the most fragile financial and health conditions.

Housing Services provided to MVAP's clients include:

- ◆ Short-term mortgage, rent & utility assistance
- ◆ Tenant Based Rental Assistance Payments (long-term rental assistance)
- ◆ Housing Information Services
- ◆ Permanent Housing Placement Services



MVAP's Funding

Our services are made possible by federal grants including:

- ◆ HUD's Housing Opportunities for People With AIDS Program administered by the NH Bureau of Homeless & Housing
- ◆ Ryan White Part B administered by the NH DHHS CARE Program
- ◆ Ryan White Part A administered by Boston Public Health

State grants including:

- ◆ State Grant in Aid

Other grants and funding:

- ◆ Manchester Diocese—Bishop's Charitable Assistance Fund
- ◆ Fundraising and generous donations from individuals, local businesses and others