

NEWS RELEASE | **FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE** | October 11, 2019

WEATHER-RELATED CLOSURES: Oct. 11, 2019, 11 a.m. UPDATE

Department of Human Services' Northeast Human Service Center in Grand Forks is closing at 11 a.m. today, Oct. 11

BISMARCK, N.D. – Hazardous road and weather conditions have caused the North Dakota Department of Human Services to close offices located in Devils Lake, Grand Forks, Rolla, Jamestown and Valley City today, Oct. 11. In addition, West Central Human Service Center in Bismarck is not open for client services today. The department's eight regional human service centers operate **24-hour behavioral health crisis lines**. Contact information and office closure details appear below.

CLOSED OFFICES:

BISMARCK REGION:

West Central Human Service Center in Bismarck is **not open for client services today**, Oct. 11. West Central's behavioral health crisis line can be reached at 701-328-8899, toll-free 888-328-2112 or 711 (TTY).

DEVILS LAKE REGION:

Lake Region Human Service Center in Devils Lake, its **outreach office in Rolla**, and the regional **Vocational Rehabilitation Office** in Devils Lake are CLOSED. People can reach **Lake Region Human Service Center's behavioral health crisis line at 701-662-5050** (collect calls accepted) or toll-free at **888-607-8610** or 711 (TTY).

GRAND FORKS REGION:

Northeast Human Service Center in Grand Forks and its **outreach office in Grafton** and the department's **Vocational Rehabilitation Office in Grand Forks** are closed. Northeast's behavioral health crisis line can be reached at 701-775-0525 or 800-845-3731 or 711 (TTY)

JAMESTOWN REGION:

South Central Human Service Center in Jamestown and its **outreach office in Valley City** are CLOSED today, Oct. 11. The regional **Vocational Rehabilitation Office** in **Jamestown** is also closed. Area residents can reach South Central's **behavioral health crisis line at 701-253-6304** or 711 (TTY).

Office closure decisions are made for the safety of individuals and align with closures of other community clinics and government organizations.

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