

ADVANCING THE COMMON GOOD

Focusing on the Building Blocks of a Good Life Health: Enhancing Health and Supporting Wellness



How United Way of North Rock County Helps

United Way of North Rock County partners with HealthNet to increase awareness and access to healthcare resources.

FACT: *“Most laid-off workers can’t afford COBRA coverage...millions of middle class and lower income workers become uninsured.”*

*--Ron Pollack,
Families USA*

Pam was one of 80 employees laid off when her company closed. She had her medical, dental and vision insurance through her work, and when she lost her job, she was left without insurance.

Pam went to HealthNet, Rock County’s only free clinic, for her medical needs, including getting necessary medications. In 2007/2008, HealthNet provided an estimated \$2 million worth of medications to uninsured residents.

Although Pam has a 2-3 month wait time for appointments because of the expanding number of people without health insurance, at least she knows she does have access to necessary medical services she would otherwise be unable to afford.

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