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Compassionate Help and Hope

A Word from Our Executive Director



With every new chapter, new possibilities come to light. Stepping into the role of Executive Director has been eye-opening. **I have witnessed countless miracles within our five centers, wept with the brokenhearted, and found deep encouragement from the many people in the Pro-Life cause.**

As I meet with Executive Directors across our state, I am reminded of the immense need for action, specifically the need to make Abortion Pill Reversal (APR) available in northeast Colorado. Currently, our medical director—along with other pregnancy centers in Colorado—is actively collaborating with the National Institute of Family and Life Advocates (NIFLA) and other agencies to ensure it becomes readily accessible.

Chemical abortions (via pills, often obtained online or by mail) now account for about 70% of all abortions in the U.S. The regimen involves two drugs: mifepristone, which blocks progesterone and deprives the unborn baby of necessary nutrients, followed by misoprostol, which induces labor.

At this time, our centers direct women to the Abortion Pill Rescue Network (APRN) through our affiliate, Heartbeat International. This network connects women who regret beginning a chemical abortion (after taking the first pill, mifepristone) with licensed medical professionals who can prescribe bioidentical progesterone to help counteract its effects and potentially sustain the pregnancy. The sooner progesterone is administered—ideally within 24 hours—the better the chances, though successes have occurred later as well. As of mid-February 2026, the network has saved more than 8,000 lives. These children are living proof that hope remains possible, even after the first abortion pill has been taken.

Please keep our staff and medical team in prayer as we compassionately counter the rise of chemical abortions in our state, establish and promote safe APR services in northeast Colorado, and offer life-affirming options to clients before they take the abortion pill. As Christians, we know that life is precious, and the more knowledge and support we share, the more we can guide women toward hope in their moment of crisis.

Thank you for your continued support in our fight for life. You truly make a difference for those facing these challenges in the northeast plains.

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Pregnancy centers offer unique services to pregnant women and there is nothing that speaks baby more than a **baby bottle**. We're thankful for all of the churches and individuals that participated in 2025 raising over \$50,000 across northeast Colorado.

2026 Baby Bottle Campaign Mother's Day, May 10 - Father's Day, June 21

If you need baby bottles or bulletin inserts, please contact our office.

With your help, we continue to make a difference for life!



Our second annual **Walk with Purpose** is coming this September and gaining more traction! Walk with your friends & family, push your baby in a stroller, make it a prayer walk, or just do it for pure **FUN!** The opportunities are endless. If you're interested in organizing a **Walk With Purpose** in your community, contact Amanda Shay at 970-842-4324. **More information will be available in our summer newsletter!**



"Because of the Lord's great love we are not consumed, for his compassions never fail. They are new every morning: great is your faithfulness. Lamentations 3:22-23"

25 YEARS OF BUILDING

Thank you to everyone who joined us for the 25th anniversary banquets in January –what an inspiring and encouraging weekend! Over four evenings in Sterling, Holyoke, Yuma, and Brush, faithful supporters, volunteers, donors, church partners, and friends gathered to celebrate 25 incredible years of A Caring Pregnancy Resource Center as a beacon of hope in Northeast Colorado.

This silver anniversary wasn't just a fundraiser—it was a joyful testimony to God's sustaining grace. Since our humble beginnings, we've walked alongside thousands of women and families facing unexpected pregnancies. Through free services like pregnancy testing, limited ultrasounds, options education, parenting classes, material assistance, abortion recovery support, and Gospel-centered visits, we've witnessed fear turn to peace, choices for life embraced, and eternal hope planted.

Our inspiring keynote speaker, Steventhen Holland, shared his remarkable journey. He recounted how his mother—raised in a facility for individuals with developmental delays—was tragically assaulted. Despite the horrific circumstances and intense pressure to abort, she chose life, fled the institution, and gave birth to her baby boy. Steventhen was placed in foster care and later adopted. At age 27, he was joyfully reunited with his birth mother!

If you couldn't attend, we missed you and look forward to seeing you at future events this year. If you have a moment, visit our website to listen to Steventhen's powerful testimony: www.neco-cpc.org/events/banquet. While there, you can also watch our overview video and see photos of a few of "our babies" born in our service area in 2025.

We deeply appreciate your trust in our work, your continued financial support, and your steadfast stand for life. Please keep our staff and volunteers in your prayers as we continue serving the most vulnerable and offering hope to everyone who walks through our doors.

As we step into the next chapter, we rest in the promise of Lamentations 3:22-23: "Because of the Lord's great love we are not consumed, for his compassions never fail. They are new every morning; great is your faithfulness."

Here's to 25 years of miracles—and many more ahead!



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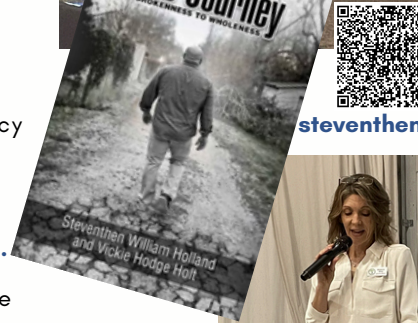
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For those of you who give regularly, **thank you from the bottom of our hearts –you have been grandfathered into the Caring Crew for Life family!** For those of you who would like to be added to the **Caring Crew for Life**, please sign up as a *monthly or annual* donor on our website. As part as the **Caring Crew for Life**, you will receive exciting information from our centers on a monthly basis - inspiring stories, praises, and prayer requests. AND there will be a special end-of-year keepsake gift as our heartfelt thank you for joining us in the work and prayer for the unborn. Join today at www.neco-cpc.org

Welcome



Amanda Shay stepped into the Executive Director role beginning January 1.



Heather Jones is our Administrative Coordinator and works out of the Brush office.



Nora Shay is our Yuma County director over Yuma and Wray locations.



Jennifer Cooper is one of our newest Board Members from Yuma, Colorado.



Liz Mollendor is our second newest Board Member from Nebraska.



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OUR MISSION

The mission of A Caring Pregnancy Resource Center of Northeast Colorado is to provide information, resources, and support to individuals facing pregnancy in Northeast Colorado.

AFFILIATIONS

ACPRC is a 501(c)3 faith-based non-profit organization since 1999, registered in the State of Colorado. We receive training and certification from CareNet, Heartbeat International, National Institute of Family Life Advocates, and The Center for Relationship Education.

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View our entire team's bios at neco-cpc.org/overview/our-team