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Domestic Violence/Tranquility House	770-386-8779
Drug Help Line	1-800-378-4435
Emergency Management Agency	770-387-5089
FBI and GBI (Federal and Georgia Bureau of Investigation – Atlanta)	404-679-9000
GA State Patrol (Bartow County)	770-387-4056
Mental Health Crisis Line (evenings & weekends)	1-800-493-1932
Poison Control Center	1-800-222-1222
Rape Crisis Center	770-386-8779
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Support Groups

Alcoholics Anonymous

12 Elizabeth St. Cartersville, GA 30120 **Phone: 770-386-9621 Services:** Provides support meetings for A.A., Al-Anon, and Alateen.

Autism, Bereavement, Diabetes, Grief, Parkinson, Stroke Support Groups

Cartersville Medical Center 960 Joe Frank Harris Pkwy. Cartersville, GA 30120 Med line: 800-242-5662

Cancer Support Groups

The Hope Center at Cartersville Medical Center 960 Joe Frank Harris Pkwy. Cartersville, GA 30120 **Phone: 678.721.5555**

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Cartersville Medical Center 960 Joe Frank Harris Pkwy. Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 1-800-559-9503

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A Better Way Children's Advocacy Center

See Advocates for Bartow's Children Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 678-605-9023 Fax: 770-382-3550 Contact: Rebecca Bentley, Liz Fox E-mail: Rebecca@AdvoChild.org, Liz@Advochild.org Website: www.AdvoChild.org Hours: Varies Fees: None Eligibility: Referral only from DFCS and Law Enforcement Service Area: Bartow and Gordon Counties Services:

• The goal of the Children's Advocacy Center is to reduce trauma to children and youth who have made allegations of sexual or severe physical abuse through an investigative interview in a child friendly atmosphere.

• Provides support and advocacy services to non-offending caregivers, child victims, and other family members.

• Offers training to you educators, faith-based organizations, parents and other adult communities to prevent child abuse.

Action Ministries

Action Ministries Housing 1017 Edgewood Ave. Atlanta, GA 30307 Phone: 404-881-1991 x5608 Fax: 404-881-1902 Contact: Rebecca Hickom E-mail: rhickom@actionministries.net Website: www.actionministries.net Intake: Must be referred from local agency and interviewed. Services: Provides families with housing, comprehensive case management and other necessary referral services. • Participants must:

Come from a homeless shelter or homeless situation

• Must have children living with them

• Must be able to put electric and gas service in their name

• Must help develop and actively work on goals, which will lead to self-sufficiency.

Supportive Services for Veterans Families 1017 Edgewood Ave.

Atlanta, GA 30307 Phone: 888-206-7372 Fax: 404-881-1902 Contact: Shon Brown E-mail: SBrown@actionministries.net Website: ww.actionministries.net Eligibility: Must be a veteran or the family of a veteran who has not received a dishonorable discharge. Service Area: Athana Clarka Barraw Bartaw

Service Area: Athens–Clarke, Barrow, Bartow, Carroll, Clayton, Fannin, Floyd, Gilmer, Gordon, Gwinnett, Hall, Henry, Murray, Paulding Pickens, Polk and Whitfield Counties. Services: Provides supportive services to low income veteran families who are residing in or transitioning to permanent housing.

Provides outreach and case management services

• Case management services may include: Housing counseling/housing search, securing utilities, mediation with property owners, financial budgeting, employment assistance and linkage between participant and available services/benefits

•Temporary financial assistance may be available for veterans who would be homeless if not for SSFV financial assistance.

ADA Information Line

U. S. Department of Justice Civil Rights Division 950 Pennsylvania Ave. NW Disability Rights Section-NYAV Washington, D.C. 20530 Phone: 1-800-514-0301 1-800-514-0383 (TTY line) Website: www.ada.gov Hours: 9:30am - 5:30pm, Mon - Fri Services: Provides technical assistant regarding Americans with Disabilities Act for businesses, nonprofit, state and local government entities. Spanish language service also available.

Adairsville Medcare

321 North Main St. Adairsville, GA 30103 Phone: 770-773-9902 Contact: Dr. Donna Gregory Hours: 8am – 4pm, Mon, Wed – Fri; 8am – noon, Tues and Sat Eligibility: No Medicaid, Insurance or Peach Care Services: Primary Care

Advocates for Bartow's Children

P .O. Box 446 Cartersville, GA 30120 Physical Location: 49 Monroe Crossing Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 770-387-1143 Fax: 770-606-0732 Contact: Patty Eagar E-mail: info@AdvoChild.org Website: www.AdvoChild.org Fees: No charge unless noted Service Area: Varies with program/service Services: • A Better Way Advocacy Center (See A Better

• A Better Way Advocacy Center (See A Better Way Children's Advocacy Center)

Court Appointed Special Advocates CASA:

(See Bartow County CASA)

• First Steps (see *First Steps*)

• Flowering Branch Children's Shelter (See Flowering Branch Children's Shelter)

• Hope in Your Home: In-home parenting for families with children 0-5 years of age. Contact: liz@advochild.org.

Jacob's Ladder: A mentoring program for shelter residents (*see website for application*).
Project Safe Place: The first step to help for youth in crisis or at risk (*see website for locations*).

• Rainbows Grief Support (see *Rainbows*) TransParenting: One-day seminar for divorcing parents (\$40 for participant).

• Volunteen: Teens providing role models to shelter residents (see website for application).

AIDS Alliance of NW Georgia

P.O. Box 2225 Cartersville, GA 30120 Physical Location: 1 Friendship Plaza (3rd Floor Old Train Depot) Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 770-606-0953 Fax: 770-606-8462 Contact: Lola Thomas E-mail: info@AANWG.org Website: www.AANWG.org Hours: 9am - 5pm Mon, Wed, Thurs; 9am -6pm Tues Fees: None Eligibility: All community Services: Referrals

• Free HIV testing on Tuesday-no appointment needed

AL-ANON and AL-ATEEN

Phone: 1-800-425-266 or 1-888-4AL-ANON Website: www.alanonatl.com

Allatoona Community Association, Inc.

P. O. Box 1161 Acworth, GA 30102 Phone: 770-884-4453 Contact: Peggy Martin E-mail: info@allatoonacommunity.org Website: www.allatoonacommunity.org Eligibility: All community related Service Area: Unincorporated segment of Southeast Bartow County (within the shores of Lake Allatoona; borders City of Emerson, Cobb and Cherokee Counties) Services:

• A non-profit civic organization committed to serving the unincorporated southeastern segment of Bartow County -- now referred to as the Allatoona Community.

• Making sure the Allatoona community and neighborhoods are safe, clean, and cared for places to live, work and visit.

• A community support base for positive action through collaborative efforts with the Bartow County Government; Bartow Agencies & Associations; supporting State Agencies.

Alzheimer's Association

922 East Morris St. Dalton, GA 30721 Phone: 706-275-0819 800-272-3900 (24-hour helpline) Fax: 706-275-0159 Contact: Rebekah Davis E-mail: rdavis@alz.org Website: www.alz.org/georgia Hours: 8:30am - 5pm, Mon - Fri Eligibility: Alzheimer's/Dementia Service Area: Bartow, Catoosa, Chattooga, Dade, Dawson, Fannin, Floyd, Gilmer, Gordon, Lumpkin, Habersham, Murray, Pickens, Polk, Rabun, Stephens, Towns, Union, Walker, White & Whitfield counties.

Services:

- Help line 24 hours
- Caring closet, support groups
- Workshops, Conferences
- Advocacy and Research
- In-home respite care
- Special Care plus, Support

American Cancer Society

250 Williams St. Atlanta, GA 30303 Phone: 404-816-7800 or 1-800-ACS-2345 Fax: 404-816-9443 Website: www.cancer.org Hours: 8am - 5pm, Mon - Fri Intake: Telephone Area: Southeast Services: • Transportation, prosthesis, lodging

- Durable medical equipment assistance
- Visitation programs
- Look Good, Feel Better: Assists with wigs and makeup for female cancer patients
- Educational programs for patients
- Resource information and guidance
- Referral to treatment programs
- Literature available in Spanish.

American Diabetes Association

225 Peachtree St., NE, Ste. 550 Atlanta, GA 30303 Phone: 404-320-7100 or 1-888-DIA-BETE Fax: 404-581-1904 Website: www.diabetes.org Hours: 8:30am - 5pm, Mon - Fri Fees: None. Eligibility: No restrictions. Services: • Educational programs

- Information, publications, research
- Advocacy
- Health screenings

American Foundation for the Blind

National Literacy Center 100 Peachtree St., Suite 2145 Atlanta, GA 30303 Phone: 404-525-2303 Fax: 404-659-6957 Website: www.afb.org Hours: 8:30am - 4:30pm, Mon - Fri Fees: All services are free. Eligibility: Blind and visually impaired, their families and friends, professionals, businesses and organizations. Service Area: Nationwide. Services:

Information and referral

- Literacy information for blind or visually impaired
- Resource Library -Videos and publications
- In-service training opportunities for professionals who instruct blind people

American Heart Association

1101 North Chase Pkwy., Ste. 1 Marietta, GA 30067
Phone: 678-224-2000
Fax: 678-244-2001
Website: www.heart.org
Hours: 8:30am - 5pm, Mon - Fri Intake: By appointment
Services:
Programs related to cardiovascular disease

Information services

American Lung Association

2452 Spring Rd. Smyrna, GA 30080 Phone: 770-434-5864 Fax: 770-319-0349 Wesite: www.alase.org Hours: 9am - 5pm, Mon-Fri Fees: varies Eligibility: Must have documentation of lung disease to be placed on waiting list for financial assistance.

Service Area: Georgia & South Carolina Services:

- Educational programs
- Community programs
- Environmental advocacy

American Red Cross Coosa Valley Chapter

112 John Maddox Dr. Rome, GA 30165 Phone: 706-235-2842 Bartow Service Center 320 West Cherokee Ave., Ste. 109 Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 770-382-0981 Fax: 770-606-1600 Website: www.coosavalleyredcross.org Hours: 9am - 3:30pm, Mon - Fri Fees: please call Services:

• Offers courses including CPR, First Aid, Babysitter training, Certified Nurse Assistant Training (CNA), and lifeguard training.

• Responds to families affected by house fires and other disasters, providing vouchers for food, clothing, shelter, and emergency needs as well as physical and mental health support.

• Provides education to help residents avoid, prepare for and respond to disasters.

• Provides tracing/locating services for people separated from their relatives because of war,

civil disturbance, or natural disaster and works with sister societies to provide international disaster relief.

• Provides emergency related services to members of the U.S. armed forces and their families. Provides access to military aid society loans for active duty military.

Angel Flight of Georgia

2000 Airport Rd., Room 227 Atlanta, GA 30341 Phone: 770-452-7958 or 1-877-426-2643 (Call to request air transportation) Fax: 770-452-7391 E-mail: admin@angelflightsoars.org Website: www.angelflight-ga.org Hours: 9am - 5pm, Mon - Fri Fees: None Eligibility: Must have verifiable medical and financial needs. Service Area: Southeastern United States

Services: Volunteer pilots provide free air transport for ambulatory medically stable patients (who have a financial need) to and from scheduled medical appointments for evaluation and/or treatment.

Area Agency on Aging of Northwest Georgia Regional Commission

P. O. Box 1798 Rome, GA 30162-1798 Phone: 706-802-5506 (screening/intake) 1-800-759-2963 Fax: 706-802-5508 Contact: Kerry DeFoe E-mail: kdefoe@nwgrc.org Phone: 866.552.4464 Website: www.northwestga-aaa.org Hours: 8am - 5pm, Mon - Fri. Eligibility: Age 60 and over or disabled (dependent on service needed) Intake: Central intake for all programs at Area Agency on Aging Service Area: Bartow, Catoosa, Chattooga, Dade, Fannin, Floyd, Gilmer, Gordon, Haralson, Murray, Paulding, Pickens, Polk, Walker,

and Whitfield counties

Services:

- Advocacy and coordination
- Alzheimer's services and training.
- Congregate and home delivered meals.
- Elder abuse prevention
- Grandparents raising grandchildren

- · Health care insurance counseling and referral
- Homemaker service
- Information and referral for seniors and disabled
- Legal assistance
- Ombudsman
- Prescription Drug Assistance (non-emergency)
- Respite care
- Senior employment
- Transportation
- Community Care Services program

Arthritis Foundation Georgia Chapter

2970 Peachtree Rd. NW, Ste. 200 Atlanta, GA 30305 Phone: 404-237-8771 or 1 800-933-7023 Website: www.arthritis.org/georgia Hours: 9am - 5pm, Mon -Fri Fees: Sliding scale Eligibility: No restrictions Service Area: State of Georgia Services: Helping people with arthritis take control through: • Information and referral

- Public forums, research support
- Juvenile arthritis activities
- Exercise programs
- Educational classes
- Volunteer opportunities

Atlanta Prosperity Campaign

732 Joseph E. Lowery Blvd., NW Atlanta, GA 30318 Phone: 404-832-4979 (option 1) E-mail: snapinfo@acfb.org Website: www.atlantaprosperity.org Hours: 8am - 5pm, Mon - Fri Services:

• Assistance with applying for, renewing, or making changes to your current Food Stamps case.

• Train other agencies and groups on how to assist clients with applying for Food Stamps.

Autism Society of America Georgia Chapter

P. O. Box 3707 Suwanee, GA 30024-0994 Phone: 770-904-4474 E-mail: office@asaga.com Website: www.asaga.com Hours: 10am - 2pm, Mon - Fri Fees: Information is free Eligibility: No restrictions

Service Area: State of Georgia Services:

- Resources
- Public awareness, education, conferences
- Advocating, information and referral,
- newsletters
- · Library of books, tapes & DVD
- Parent phone help line
- Autism 101

• English, Spanish available in some publications

Autumn Year Assisted Living

60 Massell Dr. Cartersville, GA 30121 Phone: 770-382-5683 Fax: 770-383-9351 Contact: Linda Gale Jones E-mail: linda@autumnyears.us Website: www.autumnyears.us

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Babies Can't Wait NWGA Public Health District Office 1319 Redmond Cir. NW Rome, GA 30165 Phone: 706-802-5072 Fax: 706-802-5071 Contact: Jamie Youngblood, Children with Special Needs Coordinator E-mail: jmyoungblood@dhr.state.ga.us Hours: 8am - 5pm, Mon - Fri Fees: No cost for evaluation, planning, and service coordination. All other services are on a sliding fee scale. Eligibility: Children with significant developmental delay, ages birth to third birthday. Service Area: Northwest Georgia. Services:

Complete evaluation of child's development
Coordination of services such as special instruction, physical, speech, and occupational therapy

Family training, counseling, home visits
Evaluations, planning and service coordination are at no cost. All other services are on a sliding fee scale under the umbrella of "Children with Special Needs"

Bartow Area Habitat for Humanity

See Habitat for Humanity

Bartow Christmas Coalition, Inc.

1229 Joe Frank Harris Pkwy. Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 770-386-2252 Contact: Melissa Porter Fees: Services are free. Eligibility: Families needing assistance must apply during set screening weeks and meet certain requirements. Services: • Assisting needy residents of Bartow

Assisting needy residents of Bartow
County during the Christmas holiday
For further information, contact local service agencies each year for locations or call the phone listed above
Contact local service agencies for application information in the fall

Bartow Collaborative, Inc.

(Bartow Family Connection) 475 East Main St., #218 Cartersville, GA 30121 Physical Location: 140 Douglas St. Cartersville Phone: 678-719-2041 Contact: Tina Grubbs

E-mail: bartowcollaborative@gmail.com **Website:** www.bartow.gafcp.org **Monthly Meeting:** The Collaborative meets the 4th Friday of each month at 8:30am -membership is free and open to all. **Services:**

• The Bartow Collaborative serves as a communication hub for local agencies and organizations, the faith community, and the business sector. The Collaborative shares news, trainings, special events, meetings, volunteer opportunities, and donation request.

• The Collaborative collects trend statistical data and community input in an effort to Location gaps in service delivery across the community. Local strategies include Homelessness, Mental Health and Addictive Diseases, and Teen Pregnancy Prevention.

• Local community projects include Bartow Give a Kid a Chance (school supply distribution) and Back Pack Buddies (weekend food program).

• The Collaborative assists with joint grant writing efforts and provides fiscal oversight for a variety of special community initiatives.

Bartow County 4-H Club

See Bartow County Extension Service

Bartow CASA – Court Appointed Special Advocates

See Advocates for Bartow's Children Cartersville, GA 30120 Physical Location: 654 Joe Frank Harris Pkwy. Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 770-386-1060 Fax: 770-386-0985 Hours: Flexible Contact: Ava Lipscomb E-mail: bartowcasa@AdvoChild.org Website: www.AdvoChild.org Fees: none Service Area: Flexible Services: • Recruits, trains, and supervises volunteers who

 Recruits, trains, and supervises volunteers who advocate for children who are in the foster care system.

• CASA Volunteers lean everything they can about a child and share finding with the court leading to a more informed decision regarding safety and permanency.

Bartow County College and Career Academy

738 Grassdale Road Cartersville, GA. 30121 Phone: 770-606-5175 Contact: Dr. Paul Sabin E-mail: paul.sabin@bartow.k12.ga.us Website: www.bartow.k12.ga.us Services: Providing educational opportunities for high school students and ensure a viable 21st Century workforce for Bartow County and the surrounding area.

Bartow County Community Resources Office

140 Douglas St., Ste. 103 Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 770-387-3708 Fax: 770-607-2941 Contact: Susan Barfield E-mail: barfield2@bartowga.org Hours: 8am – 1pm, Tues - Fri Call ahead for appointment. Fees: None Service Area: Bartow County Services:

• Limited utility assistance, limited rental assistance, and prescription drug assistance,

• Referrals, assistance with prescription glasses

· Crisis food pantry when available

Bartow County Department of Community Development Office of Environmental Programs

135 W. Cherokee Ave., Cartersville, GA 30120 Physical Location: Frank Moore Administration Bldg. Phone: 770-387-5167 Fax: 770-606-2384 **Contact:** Sheri Henshaw E-mail: henshaws@bartowga.org Website: www.bartowga.org Hours: 8am - 5pm, Mon - Fri Area: Bartow County Services: Keep Bartow Beautiful, Bartow County Greenspace and Bartow EvMS (environmental management program) Community and River Cleanup Community and School Recycling Programs and Contests

Arbor Day Tree Program

Bartow County Department of Family and Children Services

Georgia Department of Human Resources – DFCS P.O. Box 818 Cartersville, GA 30120 *Physical Location:* 47 Brook Dr. Cartersville, Ga 30120 **Phone: 770-387-3710 Fax:** 770-387-3944 **Contact:** Lynn Green **Hours:** 8am - 5pm, Mon - Fr. **Service Area:** Bartow County **Office of Family Independence:**

- Food stamps
- Medicaid programs
- Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF)
- Employment services
- Emergency financial assistance when funds are available
- Adult Medicaid for aged, blind & disabled
- Office of Child Protection:
- Child protective services
- Foster care placements, adoptions
- Adoptive parent training
- Subsidized child care

• IMPACT (Training for foster and adoptive parents)

Bartow County Department of Juvenile Justice

645 Henderson Dr., Ste. 5 Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 770-387-3745 Fax: 770-387-3706 **Contact:** Dawn Clark E-mail: dawnclark@djj.state.ga.us Fees: Juveniles placed on probation are assessed an initial supervision fee and monthly fees while on probation. Eligibility: Delinquent status and Unruly under the age of 17 Services: Serves as a rehabilitative and corrective agency attempting to prevent iuvenile delinguency · Drug testing on juveniles on probation with agency · Community service and restitution to victims

Bartow County Employer Committee Human Resource Council

P. O. Box 1763 Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 770-387-3760 Fax: 770-387-3766 Contact: Department of Labor Website: www.ga-ec.com or www.dol.state.ga.us Monthly Meeting: The Council is a committee of the Cartersville-Bartow Chamber of Commerce and meets as needed. Eligibility: Meetings are open to any Human Resource Representative from local businesses, services agencies or organizations Service Area: Bartow County Services: Trainings and Professional Development

Partnerships through Georgia Department of Labor

• Hoops for Hope Annual Fundraiser providing college scholarships and support to Bartow Give a Kid a Chance

Bartow County Juvenile Court

Frank Moore Administration Building 135 West Cherokee Ave. Ste. 333 Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 770-387-5039 Fax: 770-387-5044 Contact: Judge Velma C. Tilley, Judge Haney, Associate Judge, Carolyn Johnson, Program Director

Bartow County Public Health Department

100 Zena Dr. Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 770-382-1920 Fax: 770-387-3999 Contact: Cathy Green, RN, BSN, MPH Website: www.nwgahealth.com Hours: 7:30am – 5pm, Mon – Wed; 8am – 7pm, Thu; 8am - 2pm, Fri Walk-in services available Mon - Thurs until 10:30am until schedule is filled. Fees: Varies with service provided. Medicaid. PeachCare, Wellcare, PeachState, Amerigroup, Medicare, Debit Cards and all major credit cards are accepted. Services:

Nurse Practitioner Sick visit; recheck; work or sports physical; women's health

- Family planning
- STD check
- Health check, birth to 21 yrs
- Children's medical services
- PPD test (Tuberculin Skin Test)
- Immunizations
- Hearing, vision and dental
- Checks for rash, head, parasites
- Sputum evaluation
- HIV testing & counseling
- Nutritional Services: WIC and nutritional counseling

• Laboratory Services: blood pressure; pregnancy test, RPR (Syphilis) test; Hepititis B;

- Measles; Mumps; Reubella; Chickenpox • Issue 3231 School Certificate (no
- immunizations)
- Car Seat Training

Bartow County Parks and Recreation

P.O. Box 24 Cassville, GA 30123 *Physical Location*: 31 Beavers Dr., NW Cartersville, GA 30120 **Phone: 770-387-5149 Fax:** 770-387-5048 **Contact:** Greg Hight **E-mail:** hightg@bartowga.org **Fees:** Varies according to program. **Eligibility:** Varies according to program. **Services:** • Recreational and leisure opportunities for citizens of Bartow County

Youth activities and instructional

activities like baseball, softball, football, cheerleading, soccer, basketball, dance, baton, modeling, gymnastics

Challenger league for special clientele

Leisure and fitness

• Campgrounds, beach, walking trails, play structure (including ADA accessible), swimming, and hiking

Bartow County Peer Support, Wellness, & Respite Center

201 N. Erwin St. Cartersville, GA 30103 Phone: 770- 276-2019 770- 276-2019 (24/7 Warm Line) Fax: 770-276-2023 Contact: James Guffey E-mail: James@gmhcn.org Website: www.GMHCN.org Hours: 10am - 6pm (Warmline 24 hours/day) Fees: none Eligibility: Self-Identifying Individuals with Mental Health and/or Substance Abuse Challenges Services:

• Wellness Activities and Respite

Bartow County Public Library System

429 West Main St. Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 770-382-4203 Fax: 770-386-3056 Contact: Carmen Sims E-mail: carmen@bartowlibrary.org Hours: 9am – 6pm. Mon; 9am - 8pm, Tue – Thu; 9am – 5pm, Fri & Sat Additional Branches:

Adairsville

202 North Main St. Adairsville, GA 30103 Phone: 770-769-9200

Euharlee

116 Covered Bridge Rd., SW Euharlee, GA 30120 Phone: 770-382-2057 **Fees:** None

Services:

• Fiction and non-fiction books and movies available for checkout

- · GED self-directed tutorial software
- ESL self-directed tutorial software
- Programs for teens, children, and adults
- Local history collection

• Access to the Internet and Microsoft Office products -- charge for printouts

- Book discussion groups
- Access to Galileo and more
- · Most services available at all three locations

Bartow County School System

66 Gilreath Rd. Cartersville, GA. 30121 Phone: 770-606-5800 Fax: 770-606-5855 Contact: Dr. John Harper, Superintendent Website: www.bartow.k12.ga.us

Bartow County School System – Homeless Education

738 Grassdale Rd. Cartersville, GA 30121 Phone: 770-606-5800 ext. 5326 Contact: Kelly Whitmire E-mail: kelly.whitmire@bartow.k12.ga.us Website: www.bartow.k12.ga.us Eligibility: Students who qualify as homeless under the McKinney Vento legislation Services:

• Administer the McKinney Vento Homeless Program and ensure rights and services are in place

• Advocate for the enrolment rights and educational success of McKinney Vento students

- Provide resources and referral for families with school age children
- Coordinate the Backpack Buddy Program and the Least of These Program

Bartow County Schools Pre-K Program

65 Gilreath Rd. Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 770-606-5800 Fax: 770-606-5855 Contact: Dawn Wood E-mail: www.bartow.K12.ga.us Website: www.bartow.k12.ga.us Services: Full day state lottery-funded Pre-K program for 4 year olds

Bartow County Senior Center

102 Zena Dr. P.O. Box 200303 Cartersville, GA 30120 or 33 Beavers Drive P.O. Box 190 Cassville, GA 30123 **Phone: 770-387-5134** Fax: 770-607-6201 **Contact:** Andy Findley E-mail: findleva @bartowga.org Website: www.bartowga.org (click on Senior Center) Hours: 8am - 5pm, Mon - Fri Eligibility: Bartow County citizens over 50 years of age

Services:

 Drop-in adult recreation for Bartow County residents 50 and over

• Extended programs on occasion

Offers social, physical, educational spiritual,

and travel activities at both locations Nutrition site at the Zena Drive Branch.

Mon - Fri, 8:30am - 2:00pm

• Fun, fellowship, and friendship

Bartow County Social Services Indigent Care

135 West Cherokee Ave., Suite 6 Cartersville, GA 30120 Physical location: Bartow County Annex 105 N. Bartow Street Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 770-387-5133 Fax: 770-606-2245 Contact: Vonna Artemis, Director **E-mail:** artemisv@bartowga.org Hours: 8:00am - 5:00 pm, Mon - Fri By appointment

Services:

· Screen for Lion's Club glasses, hearing aids, and eve surgery

 Supplement Medicare insurance filing and applying for Medicare Medicine Assistance card

 Georgia Care Program: Troubleshoot problems with Medicare and other health insurance claims; and problems with doctor, hospital, and lab charges

• North West Georgia Elder Rights Council: Provide information on services for seniors and those on disability

Verify eligibility for Indigent Burial Program

• Provide information on nursing homes and hospice care

Referral to other community resources

Bartow Family Resources

(Formally Bartow Women's Resource Center) 20 Douglas St. Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 770-382-7224 Fax: 770-386-1899 **Contact:** Maryland Guthas

E-mail: mguthas@gmail.com Website: bartowfamillies.com Hours: 10:30am - 3pm. Mon: 10:30am - 5pm Tue – Fri Eligibility: Ages 13 and over; Parents and Guardians of Parents with children 3 years old or under. Service Area: Bartow County

Services:

 Pregnancy and Mentoring Center providing pregnancy testing, options counseling, parenting classes, adoption classes, and baby supplies through the Baby Bucks Program

Contact: Randy Winn McSwain, Center Director @ randiwinn@bartowbabies.org Relationship Center offers one-on-one peer counseling; support groups ("Making Peace With Your Past", "Celebrate Recovery", grief, and adoption education and support); parent, premarital, and marriage coaching; court ordered parenting classes; and community outreach Contact: Cindy Smith, Relationship Center Director @ bartowfamilies@gmail.com

Bartow Health Access

31 Point North Dr. Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 678-535-7216 Fax: 678-535-7227 Contact: Roberta Green E-mail: info@bartowhealthaccess.org Website: www.bartowhealthaccess.org Hours: Tue. 9am - 5pm, Tue; 9am - 1pm, Wed and Thu Fees: Sliding Scale Eligibility: Bartow County residents 250% of poverty or below Services:

- Medical Primary Care
- Behavioral Health
- Dental Services
- Specialty Care
- Prescription Assistance Program
- Health Education and Patient Navigation

Bartow Teen Resource Center

100 Zena Dr. Cartersville, GA 30120 Physical Location: 140 Douglas St. Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 678-721-5922 Fax: 770-387-3999 Contact: Scott Sherwin E-mail: sasherwin@dhr.state.ga.us Website: www.nwgahealth.com

Hours: Call for weekly events. Fees: None. Eligibility: Bartow County youth, ages 10-19 Services: Youth Action Team

- Abstinence-based resources for adolescents.
- Life skills classes
- Alcohol Prevention Programs

Bartow Transit

140 Douglas St, Ste. 104 Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 770-387-5165 Fax: 770-386-5864 Hours: 8am - 4:30pm, Mon - Fri Fees: \$1.00 each way. Services: Provides transportation for Bartow County residents; must call one day ahead.

Bethany Christian Services

6645 Peachtree Dunwoody Rd., NE Atlanta, GA 30328 Phone: 770-455-7111 Fax: 770-274-3000 **Contact:** Trish Small Web Site: www.bethany.org Services: Adoption Agency and Foster Care

Better Business Bureau, Inc.

1010 Market St., Ste. 200 P. O. Box 4532 Chattanooga, TN 37405 Phone: 423-266-6144 Fax: 423-267-1924 E-mail: tngabbb@ chattanooga.bbb.org Website: www.chattanooga.bbb.org Hours: 24 hour help line. Fees: None for consumer information or complaints; Community Conflict program may involve fees. Eligibility: No restrictions.

Service Area: 10 counties in northwest Georgia and 11 counties in southeast Tennessee. Services:

- Consumer information on businesses. charities, and investment opportunities
- Process consumer complaints
- Mediation/arbitration program

 Community Conflict Resolution Center handles disputes that are not normally handled through the bureau's regular mediation program

BMG Life Solutions-Creating Solutions for Life Challenges

347 Amberidge Dr., SE Cartersville, GA 30121 Physical Location: 911 N. Tennessee St., Ste, 210 Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 404-384-5482 Fax: 1-888-334-0125 Contact: Zella M. Upshaw, MA, LPC Email: bmglifesolutions@gmail.com Services:

- Individual Therapy
- Life Skills
- Training and Consulting

Boy Scouts of America NW Georgia Council

100 E. Second Ave., Ste. 20 P. O. Box 1422 Rome, GA 30162 Phone: 706-235-5545 Fax: 706-290-1765 **Contact:** Lamar Perry E-mail: laperry@bsamail.com Website: www.nwgabsa.org Hours: 8:30am - 5pm, Mon - Fri Fees: Annual membership fee for youth: some activities require additional fees. Eligibility: Youth ages 6-18; volunteers must be at least 18 years old Service Area: Bartow, Floyd, Gordon, Chattooga, Murray, Polk, and Whitfield counties

Services: Programs designed to build character, train in responsibilities of citizenship, develop fitness and self-reliance

Boys and Girls Club of Bartow County, Inc.

P.O. Box 455 Cartersville, GA 30120 Cartersville Unit 642 Henderson Dr. Cartersville, GA 30120 Adairsville Unit 127 King St. Adairsville, GA 30103 Phone: 770-382-2552 - Cartersville 770-773-7333 - Adairsville Contact: Dustin Garnigan, Cartersville Beth Shortnacy, Adairsville E-mail: bgclubs@aol.com Website: www.bcbgclubs.org

www.cartersvillecentury.org
Hours: Varied.
Fees: \$25 annual membership
Eligibility: Youth ages 6-18
Area: Bartow County
Services:
Comprehensive Daily Youth Development Services

Intervention & Prevention
Supplemental Education, Cultural Enrichment, Character Development

Brain Injury Association of Georgia

441 Clifton Rd. Atlanta, GA 30322 Phone: 404-712-5504 or 1-888-444-6443 E-mail: info@braininjurygeorgia.org Website: www/braininjuryga.org Hours: 9am - 5pm, Mon - Fr. Fees: Membership dues Eligibility: Traumatic brain injury survivors, families, care providers, and those interested in learning more about TBI Intake: Telephone, Web site Service Area: State of Georgia Services:

Disease / disability information

- Event coordination volunteer opportunities
- Health related support groups for brain injuries
- Home visit volunteer opportunities.
- · Legislative advocacy
- Library services
- Newsletters for brain injuries
- Prevention programs
- Printed materials
- Safety education programs
- Van / bus driver volunteer opportunities
- Weekday

Briggs and Associates

2300 Holcomb Bridge Rd., Ste. #366 Roswell, GA. 30076 Phone: 770-993-4559 E-mail: briggscentral@briggsassociates.org Website: www.briggsassociates.org Services: Supportive Employment and Career development for adults with disabilities

Bureau of Citizenship and Immigration Services

2150 Parklake Dr. Atlanta, GA 30345 **Web Site:** www.uscis.gov **Services:** Exercises control and oversight of matters relating to the administration of Immigration and Nationality Law
Enforcement responsibilities include the detection, apprehension, and removal of illegal aliens, as well as investigations relating to any criminal laws
Benefits Division grants permanent residence, US Citizenship, and provides the public with information and forms to immigration matters

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Cancer State Aid Program

2 Peachtree St., 16th Floor Atlanta, GA 30303 Phone: 404-657-6600 Fax: 404-657-4338 **Contact:** Kimberly Redding, Branch Director **E-mail:** kredding@dhr.state.ga.us Fees: None Hours: 8am - 5pm. Mon - Fri Service Area: State of Georgia Services: · Attempts to reduce the morbidity and mortality from cancer Provides funds and administrative and technical support for these major services - screen for cervical and breast cancer; treatment for medically indigent cancer

patients; and, central collection and analysis of cancer incidence data • Cancer control research and demonstration

 Cancer control research and demonstration projects

Canine Assistants, Inc.

3160 Francis Rd. Milton, GA 30004 Phone: 1-800-771-7221 Fax: 770-664-7178 or 1-800-771-7221 Contact: Jennifer Arnold Website: www.canineassistant.org Hours: 9am - 6pm, Mon – Sat; by appointment only Fees: None Eligibility: People with impaired mobility Area: Nationwide Services:

Trains dogs to assist people with physical disabilities, such as those who have limited mobility or other special needs (e.g., seizure disorders)
Animal Assisted Program to visit hospitals, nursing homes, etc. Disabilities Awareness Program

Cartersville-Bartow County Chamber of Commerce, Inc.

122 W. Main St. P.O. Box 307 Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 770-382-1466 Fax: 770-382-2704 **Contact:** Joe Harris Eligibility: Any individual, corporation, firm, association or estate may subscribe for membership Services:

• Provides economic data, community profiles, listings of member services, maps, census tracts. etc.

· Oversees "Drugs Don't Work Program" in Bartow County. If certified, business can receive 7.5% discount on annual worker's compensation premiums.

Training for school mentors

Cartersville Career Center – **Department of Labor**

Cartersville, GA 30120 Physical Location: 19 Felton Pl. Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 770-387-3760 Fax: 770-387-3766 **Contact:** Janice Couch E-mail: janice.couch@gdol.state.ga.us Website: www.dol.state.ga.us Hours: 8am - 4:30 pm, Mon - Fri Customers served on first come, first served basis

Fees: No charge for any service provided Service Area: Bartow and Paulding Counties, we do not refuse to serve anyone Services:

• One Stop Partners: Social Security, Department of Family & Children Services, Job Corps; Vocational Rehabilitation, Department of Technical and Adult Education (please call our Center to get days and times they provide services)

• Resource Center: Library, books, videos, internet access, fax machine, copier and other resources for our customers

• Job search assistance: Workshops, resume preparation, customized assistance, job search and skills matching, career guidance and much more

• Unemployment Insurance assistance: Claims

filing, workshop to include: Interviewing and resume preparation. Information also provided for Marketing Strategies, World Wide Web on Line

 Other Services: Veterans, TOPPSTEP, On the Job Training, Employee bonding and Labor Market trends and statistics

Career Center Goodwill of North Georgia

929 Joe Frank Pkwy. Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 770-276-7036 Fax: 770-276-7030 Contact: Phyllis Bunch E-mail: pbunch@ging.org Hours: 9am-5pm, Mon – Wed; 9am-7pm, Thu; 9am-4pm, Fri; 10am-2pm Sat Website: www.goodwillng.org Services:

· Provides weekly job postings and printing of resources including those on the web

 Provides free use of computers with Internet access and résumé writing software

• Provides free phones to arrange appointments and facilitate communication with employers

 Provides Resource Library to help prepare for and secure employment, as well as information about community training

• Interview tips, coaching, and other resources

Cartersville Center, Inc.

218 Stonewall St. Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 770-386-1907 Fax: 770-386-7345 Website: www.mycrchealth.com Hours: 5am - 11am, Mon. - Fri; 6am - 9am, Sat Fees: Varies Eligibility: Current addiction to opioid medication or heroin; 18 years of age or older Service Area: Bartow and surrounding counties. Services: Outpatient Medicated Assisted Treatment; Individual and Group Counseling; treatment referral

Cartersville City School System

P. O. Box 3310 Cartersville, GA 30120 Physical Location: 15 Nelson Street Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 770-382-5880 Fax: 770-387-7476 **Contact:** Dr. Howard Hinesley, Superintendent Website: www.cartersville.k12.ga.us

Cartersville City School System -Social Services

P. O. Box 3310 Cartersville, GA 30120 *Physical Location:* 15 Nelson St. Cartersville, GA 30120

Phone: 770-387-4722 Paula 770-387-4723 Mary

Fax: 770-387-7476

Contact: Paula Womack or Mary Montgomery **E-mail:**

paula_womack@cartersville.k12.ga.us mary_montgomery@cartersville.k12.ga.us **Website:** www.cartersville.k12.ga.us **Hours:** 8:00am - 5:00pm Mon - Fri. **Services:**

• Assessment and diagnosis of students for special education services

• Individual counseling with students

experiencing mental health difficulties

• Phone contacts and home visits with parents who are overburdened

Meeting with teachers

• In the context of group work, school social workers intervene in a classroom to encourage acceptance of non-traditional students. May also offer support for struggling parents

• May facilitate staff meetings designed to encourage school change

• Overall, school social workers focus on individual strengths and connect students, families, and communities to resources that foster success and achievement

• Provide resources and referral for families with school age children

• Coordinate the Backpack Buddy Program and the Least of These Program

Administer the McKinney Vento Homeless
Program

Cartersville City School System -Special Programs Department

15 Nelson St. P.O. Box 3310 Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 770-387-4724 Fax: 770-387-7476 Contact: Dr. Susan Tolbert E-mail: stolbert@cartersville.k12.ga.us Website: www.cartersville.k12.ga.us Services: Supervises: • Special Education, Gifted, Pre-Kindergarten

Special Education, Gifted, Pre-Kindergarten
 2-year old

- Safe and Drug Free Schools
- Student Support Team
- After school programs
- Early Intervention
- ESOL, Title 1, Remedial Education
- Special Need Pre-Kindergarten
- At-Risk programs

Cartersville Civic Center

435 West Main St. Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 770-387-5625

Fees: Fees include usage charge, utilities, and staff.

Services:

• Three meeting rooms which can accommodate from 25 to 500, plus kitchen facilities

- Staff takes reservations and set-up information
- For use by public and private groups; not

restricted to City of Cartersville residents

Cartersville Counseling

Service, Inc. 183 West Main St. Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 770-382-9655 Contact: Dr. Frank D. Weathersby Fees: Reduced fees Hours: 9am – 6pm, Mon - Fri Call for appointment Services: Individual, couples, teens, or family counseling. Call for additional information.

Cartersville Lions Club

Phone: 678-743-8072 (leave message) or 404-428-7227

E-mail: benchmarkcontrol@gmail.com **Services:** Provide eyeglasses

Cartersville Medical Center

960 Joe Frank Harris Pkwy. Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 770-382-1530 Medline: 1-800-242-5662 Fax: 770-606-2127 Website: www.CartersvilleMedical.com Hours: 24/7 365 day a year Services:

- Hope Center/Oncology Services
- Surgical Services
- Women's Health Services
- Emergency Services
- Cardiovascular Services
- Acworth Immediate Care

Cartersville Parks & Recreation Department

P.O. Box 1390 Cartersville, GA 30120 *Physical Location*: 100 Pine Grove Rd. Cartersville, GA 30120 **Phone: 770-387-5626 Fax:** 770-387-5624 **Contact:** Greg Anderson **Services:**

- Facilities to rent
- · Physical fitness stations, walking trails
- Community interest programs
- Youth and adult recreational programs
- · Services offered year-round

Chattahoochee Technical College

980 South Cobb Dr. Marietta, GA 30060

Registrar's Office: 770-528-5820

Hours: 7:30am - 5pm, Mon-Thu; 7:30am-4:30pm, Fri

E-mail:

Registrar's.Office@ChattahoocheeTech.edu **Web Site:** www.chattahoocheetech.edu

North Metro Campus

5198 Ross Road Acworth, GA 30102

Phone: 770-975-4000

Fees: Tuition fees vary; financial aid is available **Services:**

 70+ degrees, diplomas, and certificates in 45 programs of study in: Business Sciences, Computer Sciences and Engineering; Technology, Health Sciences, Personal and Public Services, Technical Studies;

• Day, evening, and weekend classes;

• Custom-designed Community and Economic Development training courses, Adult Education classes,

SOAR targeted middle and high school students

Chattahoochee Technical College -Adult Education Program

5198 Ross Rd, Acworth, GA 30102 Phone: 770-975-4271 Fax: 770-529-2460 E-mail: adulated-GED@ ChattahoocheeTech.edu Website: www.chattahoocheetech.edu Hours: Call or email Fees: Classes are free. There is a \$160.00 fee to take the GED test. **Eligibility:** Anyone without a High School diploma who wants to improve their skills, get a GED, learn to read and write English or become a U. S. Citizen

Service Area: Bartow, Cherokee, Pickens, and Gilmer Counties

Services:

- GED preparation classes
- Certified GED testing Center
- English as a Second Language

Chattahoochee Technical College -Work Force Investment Act

5198 Ross Rd.

Acworth, GA 30102

Phone: 770-975-4026

Fax: 770-975-4101

Contact: Lori McAllister

E-mail: Lori.McAllister@chattahoocheetech.edu **Hours:** 8:30am - 5pm, Mon – Fri at Acworth Campus and 2pm – 4pm every other Wed at Cartersville Career Center

Fees: None

Eligibility: Qualifying workers who have been laid off, and long term unemployed/low income workers

Services:

- Job skills assessment
- Training placement and support
- Job search assistance

Child Care Resource & Referral of NW Georgia / Quality Care for Children, Inc.

913 N. Tennessee St., Ste. 202 Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 770-387-0828 Fax: 678-721-6676 Contact: Gloria Calhoun E-mail: info@qualitycareforchildren.org gloria.burton@qualitycareforchildrennwga.org Website: www.qualitycareforchildren.org Hours: 8:30am - 5pm, Mon - Fri Service Area: 27 counties in Northwest Georgia Services:

Referrals for partners seeking child care

• Training and technical assistance to child care providers for quality improvement

Child Care Food Program for family daycare homes

Inclusion services to assist children with special needs

Child Support Enforcement

P.O. Box 1300 Cartersville, GA 30120-1300 *Physical Location*: 45 Brook Dr. **Phone: 800-423-4746**

Fax: 770-387-3772

Fees: One time fee of \$25 for the person making application to Child Support Enforcement; fee waived if applicant is an active recipient of public assistance or Medicaid through the Department of Family and Children Services

Eligibility: Parents seeking assistance with child support recovery payments Service Area: Bartow County Services:

• Establishment of paternity and child support orders for current support and medical insurance • Enforcement of orders established through child support enforcement divorce, orders obtained from other states due to non-custodial parent moving to Georgia, or obtained by custodial parents through private legal action

Christian Counseling Service, Inc.

100 Redmond Rd. Rome, GA 30165 Phone: 706-295-1409 Fax: 706-295-0483 Contact: Jimmy E. Jordan Hours: Mon. - Thurs Fees: None, will accept contributions Eligibility: No restrictions Service Area: Floyd and surrounding counties Services: Christian counseling for families, teenagers, marital problems, post abortion, etc.

Christian League for Battered Women – Domestic Violence/Tranquility House

P.O. Box 1383 Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 770-386-8779 (crisis line) or 770-386-8093 (administration line) Fax: 770-386-4490 E-mail: director@tranquilityhouse.cbeyond.com Services: • 24-hour crisis line

24-hour safe shelter

• No cost emergency shelter, food clothing, transportation, support group, and counseling for victims of domestic violence

Counseling and support groups to educate the public

- Legal advocate
- TANF application assistance

Coalition to Prevent the Misuse of Alcohol

28 Hastings Dr. Cartersville, GA 30120 *Physical Location:* 140 Douglas Street Cartersville, GA 30121 **Phone: 678-721-5922 Contact:** Scott Sherwin **E-mail:** scott.sherwin@preventalcoholmisuse.com **Website:** www.preventalcoholmisuse.com **Hours:** 9am-5 pm, Mon - Fri **Service Area:** Bartow and Polk Counties **Services:**

- Alcohol prevention strategies
- Alcohol education
- Alcohol promotion and awareness

Community Care Services Program

101 East Second Ave., Ste. 200 Rome, GA 30161 Phone: 706-295-6654 or 1-800-414-5221 Fax: 706-802-5059 Contact: Carol Gooch **E-mail:** cmgooch@dhr.state.ga.us Hours: 8am - 5pm, Mon - Fri Fees: Free if Medicaid eligible; cost sharing program for those whose income is over Medicaid guidelines Eligibility: Must be functionally impaired/elderly. All applicants must be screened and referred by Area Agency on Aging (AAA) to Community Care Service Intake: Contact Area Agency on Aging (AAA) for screening Service Area: Coosa Valley Area (15 counties) Services: Assist older adults in continuing to live

in the home / community setting rather than enter a nursing home

 Community Care Health Services offers skilled nursing services, medical social services

Coosa Valley Home Health

12 Felton Pl., Ste. E Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 770-382-8801 or 1-800-831-4138 Fax: 770-382-8808 Contact: Gail Burkhalter Fees: Costs vary. Accepts Medicare, Medicaid, private insurance or private pay Service Area: Bartow County Services: Provides home health services which include skilled nursing and psychiatric nursing; physical therapy, speech therapy, and occupational therapy; medical social services; and home health aides

Coosa Valley Regional Services and Development Corp

Mailing Address: P.O. Box 5236 Rome, GA *Physical Location:* 3 Riverside Industrial Pkwy. Rome, GA 30161 Phone: 706-235-2798 or 1-800-361-1888 Fax: 706-235-3098 Website: www.coosavalleyrsdc.net Contact: Stacey Holbrook Hours: 8am - 5pm, Mon - Fri Fees: None. Eligibility: Adults 60 and over. Service Area: 10 counties in the Coosa Valley Area. Services:

Homemaker service
Retired Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP)
Nutritional programs for congregate and home delivered meals

Council on Alcohol and Drugs

270 Peachtree St., NW Ste. 2200 Atlanta, GA 30303-1283 Phone: 404-223-2480 Fax: 404-223-2481 E-mail: www.livedrugfree.org Fees: Varies Services:

- Prevention education for ages 6-18
- Teacher training
- Video library
- Other training and community development
- Treatment referral

CredAbility - Consumer Credit Counseling Service

270 Peachtree St. NW #1800 Atlanta, GA 30303 Phone for appointment: 1-800-251-2227 Fax: 404-527-7662 Website: www.cccsinc.org Hours: Virtual 24/7 Fees: Free counseling & education Service Area: North Georgia Services: • Non-profit organization educates and

Non-profit organization educates and counsels consumers in money

management through community and client education programs.

- Confidential budget counseling.
- Debt management programs
- Bankruptcy counseling & education

Custom Care Clinic

17 Collins Dr. Cartersville, GA 30120 *Physical Location:* Medical Arts Center **Phone: 770-606-0611 Fax:** 770-386-0212 **Contact:** Dr. Benny Smith **Hours:** 4pm - 7:30pm; Tues & Thu; 10am - 5pm, Fri **Fees:** \$40.00 **Eligibility:** No Medicaid; No Insurance; No PeachCare **Services:** Primary Care

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DNA Diagnostics Center Phone: 1-800-362-2368

800-DNA-CENTER Fax: 706-802-2123 Website: www.dnacenter.com Hours: 8am - 8pm Fees: Determined by extent of service Area: Nationwide and international Services:

Refer to local agency or hospital for testing
Assists people in identifying their biological children, parents, or grandparents through DNA testing

• Services can be used for resolving doubt, child support and custody issues, social security benefits immigration and adoption, or peace of mind

• Language- English, French, Spanish

Domestic Violence/Tranquility House

See Christian League for Battered Women

Dorothy Morgan, MS.ED

911 Tennessee St., Ste. 210 Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 404-452-0425 Fax: 1-888-334-0125 Contact: Dorothy Morgan E-mail: dwmorgan04@gmail.com Hours: 9am - 7pm, Mon – Thu; 9am – 5pm Fri & Sat. By appointment 24 hours 7 days on call Fees: Various insurance plans accepted Service Area: Bartow and surrounding counties. Services:

• Individual, couple, families, group counseling

• Trauma/Recovery, Depression, Anxiety, Stress, Grief/Loss, Anger Management, Longterm chronic illness

- Hospice and caretaker issues
- Spiritual and Christian Counseling

Douglas Street United Methodist Church

219 Douglas St. Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 770-382-2778 Fax: 770-382-2636 Contact: Rev. Angela Rivers E-mail: aspkids@yahoo.com Hours: After school program 3:00pm -6:00pm, Mon, Tue, Thu Other programs vary. Fees: \$25 a student per year for after school program; other programs vary, most are free Eligibility: Children, teens, families; Primarily, but not limited to, Hispanics Area: Cartersville, Bartow County Services:

After school homework assistance, academic and cultural enrichment, character education, community service, career planning
Family education, counseling, support (Spanish, English)
Summer enrichment activities

Downing Clark HOPE Center and

Academy.

P. O. Box 2068 Adairsville, GA 30103 Phone: 706-595-9595 Contact: Kelli Clark and Cindy Downing Website: www.downingclark.com Hours: 24 hours / 7 days Service Area: NW Georgia Services: Residential treatment facility for girls ages 6 - 17 who have emotional, behavioral, and mental challenges

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Easter Seals North Georgia, Inc. 1200 Lake Hearn Dr., NE, Ste. 250 Atlanta, GA 30319 Phone: 404-943-1070 Website: www.northgeorgia.easterseals.com Fees: Sliding scale, insurance, Medicaid Eligibility: Persons with disabilities, their family members and professionals in the community Service Area: 44 counties of North Georgia Services:

• Assist people with disabilities to achieve independence through rehabilitation services, technical assistance, disability prevention, advocacy, and public education

Specialized information and referral

- Assessments/evaluations
- Case management
- Physical, speech and occupational therapy,
- Training for consumer and family
- Supportive software

• Provide adaptive toys and games, aids for daily living, aids for vision impaired, augmentative communication devices, educational devices /adaptation, environmental controls, seating and positioning equipment, wheelchairs and mobility aids

Eddie Lee Wilkins (ELW) Youth Association, Inc.

P. O. Box 722 Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 770-899-4821 Fax: 770-431-7856 Contact: Eddie or Dawn Wilkins E-mail: info@elwyouth.org Website: www.elwyouth.org Fees: Summer Program Activities are free \$40 fee for summer basketball league for Cartersville/Bartow County residents, Ages 6-17 Eligibility: Cartersville/Bartow County community youth, ages 6-17 Services: • Free athletic, life skills, educational and social

Free athletic, life skills, educational and social intervention programs during summer
Basketball league for boys, ages 6 - high school & girls, ages 9 - high school
Fitness and nutrition camps, cheerleading and tennis camps

Emergency Management Agency

10 Elizabeth St. Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 770-387-5089 Fax: 770-387-5654 Contact: Johnny Payne Services: • Rescue and fire services for lost persons

Assistance with floods, tornadoes, nuclear attack, chemical spills

Rescues for crash victims

Environmental Protection Division

16 Center Rd. P. O. Box 3250 Cartersville, GA 30121 Phone: 770-387-4900 Fax: 770-387-4906 Service Area: Bartow County. Services: Implements the Federal laws designed to promote public health by protecting our nation's air, water and soil from harmful pollution

Epilepsy Foundation of Georgia

6065 Roswell Rd., Ste. 715 Atlanta, GA 30328 Phone: 404-527-7155 or 1-800-527-7105 Fax: 404-564-3034 E-mail: epilepsyga@mindspring.com Website: www.epilepsyga.org Hours: 8:30am - 4:30pm. Mon-Fri Fees: None Eligibility: Take out information on faxed sheet. We no longer have employment program. Service Area: Georgia Services:

- Educational programs / seminars
- Support groups for persons with epilepsy
- Schools program
- Camps for persons with epilepsy
- Medication assistance
- Mentoring programs

Etowah Area Consolidated Housing Authority

P. O. Box 514 Cartersville, GA 30120 Physical Location: 240 Stonewall Street Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 770-382-1414 Fax: 770-382-3799 Contact: Angela Thomas-Cooley or Philya P. Grav E-mail: angela@etowahha.org or philya@etowahha.org Website: www.etowahha.com Hours: 8am - 5pm, Mon - Fri Fees: Apartments, based on income; After School Tutorial Program, \$25 for non-Housing Authority students. Eligibility: It is mandatory that all items are furnished to apply for housing:

· Must have certified birth certificates for all

members of the household;

- Social Security cards;
- Proof of income, and verification of family
- assets for all family members;
- At least two names and addresses of previous landlords; and

• Picture IDs for all household members 16 years old and over.

It is EHA's policy to secure Criminal History Reports prior to placement in public housing facilities.

Applicants who have not lived in Georgia for at least 3 years will be finger printed. **Services:**

Modern air-conditioned apartments
 Applicants must complete an application.
 Applications accepted on the second and third
 Tuesdays and Thursdays of each month by
 appointment only.

• Free bi-monthly First Time Homebuyer Educational workshops. Registration is required; Down payment assistance available

• Free community-wide GED classes held daily at Summer Hill Complex, 770-387-4030

After School Tutorial and Summer Enrichment
Program—

Summer Hill: Mon-Wed. 2:30pm-5:30pm Adairsville: Mon-Wed.3pm- 6pm • On-site Library located at the Summer Hill

Etowah Valley Humane Society

36 Ladd's Mountain Rd.
Cartersville, GA 30120
Phone: 770-383-3338
Fax: 678-721-6953
Contact: Bryan Canty
E-mail: info@etowahvalleyhumane.org
Website: www.etowahvalleyhumane.org
Hours: Noon - 7pm Wed & Thu; 10am - 5pm –
Friday; 10am - 2pm, Saturday; Noon - 3pm,
Sunday. Closed Monday & Tuesday
Fees: Dogs - \$125.00, Puppies - \$100
Cats - \$85
Services:
Adoption of dogs and cats

- Microchip clinic once a month
- Referrals for low-cost spay/neuters

EyeCare America Senior EyeCare Program

P.O. Box 429098 San Francisco, CA 94142-9098 Phone: 1-800-222-3937 Fax: 415-561-8567 Contact: Gail Nyman-York, Public Service Manager Website: www.eyecareamerican.org Hours: 11am - 7pm, Mon - Fri Fees: No cost to patient for physician fees, services Eligibility: 65 or older; a citizen or legal resident, without access to an ophthalmologist; no HMO or A benefits Intake: Call for information and application Services: • Provides medical eye care for

Provides medical cyc care for
Provides referrals to an ophthalmologist in the local area for a medical eye examination and follow-up care for one year for whatever condition is found

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Faithbridge Foster Care

2655 Northwinds Pkwy. Alpharetta, GA 30009 Phone: 678-690-7100 Contact: Donnis Steele E-mail: dsteele@faithbridgefostercare.org Website: www.faithbridgefostercare.org Service Area: Bartow, Cherokee, Cobb and Forsyth Counties Services: Provides foster care through local churches.

Family Connection

See Bartow Collaborative, Inc.

Family Counseling and Recovery, Inc.

P. O. Box 200743 Cartersville, GA 30120 *Physical Location:* 317 Grassdale Road, SE Cartersville, GA 30121 **Phone: 770-386-3777 Contacts:** Dan Dougherty, LPC, NCACII Ann Dougherty, LPC, NCC 770-387-2372 **Hours:** By appointment **Fees:** Reduced fees, sliding scale **Eligibility:** All ages accepted **Services:** • Individual and family counseling

- Drug/alcohol addiction counseling
- All ages accepted

Accepts Medicaid and private insurance
 Family Intervention Specialist

20 Fox Chase Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 770-222-6622 ext.801 Fax: 678-384-5893 Contact: Amy Leker E-mail: amy.benson@fisinc.org Website: www.fisinc.org Hours: 8am - 5pm, Mon - Fri Fees: Sliding Scale Eligibility: Medicaid Service Area: Bartow County Services:

- Individual and Family Therapy
- Psychiatric Services
- Nursing
- Psychological testing
- Community Support

Family Nurturing Center of Georgia

P.O. Box 385 Snellville, GA 30078 Phone: 770-972-3664 Fax: 770-978-2217 Contact: slaney@heartsforfamilies.org Website: www.heartsforfamilies.org Services: Training and technical assistance for the Nurturing Parenting programs and other staff development trainings

Felton Manor Assisted Living

16 Roving Rd. Cartersville, GA 30121 Phone: 770-382-8989 Fax: 770-606-1141 Contact: Janice Hunt E-mail: lisa@feltonmanor.com Website: www.feltonmanor.com Hours: 24/7 Fees: Private Pay Eligibility: Senior adults Services: • Assisted living for seniors

- Assisted living for se
- Private suites

Respite (day care/overnight care) for seniors
Veterans benefits for qualified wartime veterans

First Steps

See Advocates for Bartow's Children Cartersville, GA 30120 Physical Location: 49 Monroe Crossing Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 770-387-1143 Fax: 770-606-0732 Contact: Courtney Jones E-mail: Courtney@AdvoChild.org Website: www.AdvoChild.org Hours: Varies Fees: None Eligibility: New Parents whose children are born at Cartersville Medical Center Services: A child abuse prevention program: • First Steps volunteers visit new mothers at Cartersville Medical Center to provide support, education and referrals for community resources • Mothers are called as follow-up during next three months • Help families find needed resources or provide

Fisher Foot & Ankle, PC 1124 N. Tennessee St., Ste. 104 Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 770-386-4111 Fax: 770-386-4905 E-mail: fisherfoot@bellsouth.net Website: www.fisherfoot.com Contact: Dana Fisher Hours: 8:30am - 4:30pm, Mon - Fri Fees: Vary

Services:

a listening ear

•Podiatry - fungal nails, calluses/corns, ingrown nails, bunions, hammertoes, heel pain, injuries, wounds, swelling, flat feet, sprains and strains, infections, athlete's foot, etc.

Flowering Branch Children's Shelter

See Advocates for Bartow's Children Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 770-387-1143 Contact: Angela James E-mail: angela@AdvoChild.org Website: www.AdvoChild.org Hours: 24 hours/7days a week Fees: none Service Area: Bartow and surrounding counties Services: Residential care for homeless, abused, abandoned and runaway children and youth, primarily ages 5 - 17.

- Counseling
- Family counseling
- Tutoring, homework assistance
- Music and Art
- Medical and dental appointments

Floyd Behavioral Health

306 Shorter Ave. Rome, GA 30161

Phone: 706-509-3500 or 1-800-365-3548

Web site: www.floyd.org Hours: 24 hours, 7 days Services:

Adult behavioral health and chemical dependency programs

- Senior adult psychiatric programs
- Medical stabilization
- · Individual, group, family, and 12-step therapies
- Support groups including Alcoholics
- Anonymous, Alanon, Narcotics Anonymous,

Emotions Anonymous

· Inpatient and intensive outpatient programs

Floyd Home Health Agency

1328 JFH Pkwy. Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 770-387-1471 Fax: 770-387-1474 Hours: 8am - 5pm Mon - Sun 24 hour call, 7 days / week Fees: Medicare, Medicaid, insurance, private pay.

Eligibility: Services require a physician's order **Service Area:** Bartow, Floyd, Haralson, Paulding, and Polk counties **Services:**

- Skilled nursing care, home health aides
- Physical, speech, and occupational therapy
- Medical social services, nutrition guidance
- Stroke and cardiac rehabilitation
- Pregnancy related services
- Pediatric services
- Mental health services

Food Pantries

Empty Food Pantries, Inc. 720 Martin Luther King Dr., Cartersville Phone: 678-721-6468 Contact: Roy Stoner

Episcopal Church of the Ascension 205 W. Cherokee St., Cartersville Phone: 770-382-2626 Hours: 9am – 11am Wed

Manna Foods-Faith United Methodist Church

501 Grass Dale Rd., Cartersville **Phone: 770-382-0313 Hours:** First and Forth Wed each month 9am First 50 people

Grace Baptist Church

477 Old Cass White Rd. NW, Cartersville

Phone: 770-382-6446 Hours: 10am Thu

Harvest House 165 Old Tennessee Hwy., Cartersville Phone: 770-382-9489 Hours: 10am – noon; Thu

New Beginnings Food Outreach, Inc. 6973 Glade Rd., Acworth Phone: 770-529-6353 Hours: 11pm - 2pm, Friday

North Bartow Community Services 2397 Hall Station Rd., Adairsville Phone: 770-773-3812 Hours: Mon - Fri, call ahead.

NorthPointe Church

30 Orchard Rd., Adairsville Food Pantry -Impact Building-Joe Frank Harris Pkwy /Hwy 41 **Phone: 770-334-8435 Hours:** 10am Tues and Fri; 6pm Thu

Redemption Baptist Church 4160 New Hope Church Rd, Acworth Phone: 770-529-0509 Hours: 11:30pm, Tues - Fri

The Salvation Army

16 Felton PI., Cartersville Phone: 770-386-6256 Hours: Mon - Fri, call ahead.

Tabernacle Baptist Church

112 E. Church St., Cartersville Phone: 770-382-1977 Hours: 1pm, Tuesday

Fragile Kids Foundation

6666 Powers Ferry Rd., Ste. 328 Atlanta, GA 30339 Phone: 770-951-6111 Hours: 8am - 4pm, Mon - Fri Fees: None Eligibility: Medically fragile children between birth and 18 years of age who are Georgia residents Intake: Telephone. Application must be completed before assistance is given Service Area: State of Georgia Services:

• Funding of health care services including physical and speech therapy, medical equipment and supplies

Advocacy

Friends of Disabled Adults and Children

4900 Lewis Rd. Stone Mountain, GA 30083 Phone: 770-491-9014 Fax: 770-491-0026 Contact: Receptionist Hours: 9am - 5pm, Mon - Fri Fees: Vary from suggested donation to mandatory fees Eligibility: No restrictions as to handicaps or disabilities Service Area: Medical equipment provided statewide, ramps built and home mods in Metro Atlanta area, vehicle lifts installed at Stone Mountain location Services:

- Mobility and medical equipment
- Information and referral
- Ramps and home mods
- Vehicle lift program

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Georgia Advocacy Office, Inc.

150 E. Ponce De Leon Ave., Ste. 430 Decatur, GA 30030 Phone: 404-885-1234 or 1-800-537-2329 Fax: 404-378-0031 **E-mail:** info@thegao.org Website: www.thegao.org Hours: 9am - 5pm, Mon - Fri Fees: None Eligibility: Must have a disability and issue of priority related to disability or mental illness Intake: Telephone Service Area: State of Georgia Services: Advocacy related to inclusive education, housing discrimination, abuse and neglect, financial entitlements, employment discrimination, inappropriate institutionalization, assistive technology, etc.

Georgia Alliance to End Homelessness, Inc.

2655 Dallas Hwy., Ste. 610 Marietta, GA 30064 Phone: 770-575-5785 or 1-877-243-1576 Fax: 770-575-5786 Contact: Katheryn Preston or any intake specialist for referral E-mail: info@gahomeless.org Website: www.gahomeless.org Hours: 8:00am - 6:00pm, Mon - Fri. Service Area: All counties in State of Georgia Services: Homeless Services Coordination and referral

GeorgiaCares

P. O. Box 1798 Rome, GA 30162-1798 Phone: 1-866-552-4464 Fax: 706-802-5508 Hours: 8am - 5pm, Mon - Fri Leave message if no answer. Fees: None Eligibility: Seniors and disabled Medicare beneficiaries and those seeking information for them Intake: Telephone. Service Area: 15 counties in NW Georgia. Services: • Medicare counseling

- Assistance with prescription drug costs
- Lifelong planning
- Healthcare consumer protection

Georgia Center for Resources & Support

1105 West Peachtree St. Atlanta, GA 30329 Phone: 404-929-0401 Fax: 404-929-0405 E-mail: info@gacrs.org Website: www.gacrs.org Hours: 9am - 5:30pm, Mon – Thu; 9am - 5pm, Fri Fees: No Fees Eligibility: Adoptive/foster family in Georgia Services:

- Free trainings and Resource information
- On-line lending library
- Experienced Resource Advisors
- Adoptive Family Network

Georgia Council for the Hearing Impaired, Inc

P. O. Box 5011 Rome, GA 30161 *Physical location*: 336 Broad St., Ste. 201 Rome, GA 30161 **Phone: 706-622-2438 TTY/voice or 1-800-541-0710 TTY/voice Fax:** 706-622-2364 Website: www.gachi.org Fees: None. Hours: 9am - 5pm, Mon - Fri Eligibility: Deaf, hard of hearing, late deafened, deaf-blind, and individuals or groups with whom they interact Service Area: Banks, Bartow, Carroll, Catoosa, Chattooga, Cherokee, Dade, Dawson, Douglas, Elbert, Fannin, Floyd, Forsyth, Franklin, Gilmer, Gordon, Habersham, Hall , Haralson, Hart, Jackson, Lumpkin, Madison, Murray, Oglethorpe, Paulding, Pickens, Polk, Rabun, Stephens, Towns, Union, Walker, White, Whitfield Services:

• Advocacy services, workshop, community resources, community outreach, (TTY, phone equipment, etc.)

 Assists individuals obtain necessary accommodations to ensure effective communication as defined in the Americans with Disabilities Act

• Provides a central location for information, lists of referrals for a wide range of services, activities, events and social functions

Conducts presentations and workshops to educate and expand the public's awareness of issues pertaining to hearing impaired individuals
Provides educational workshops for deaf, hard of hearing, late deafened and deaf-blind individuals in areas relating to basic independence, ADA and empowerment
Educates and trains mental health professionals on how to accommodate deaf, hard of hearing, late deafened and deaf-blind individuals who need mental health services

Georgia Department of Community Affairs Rental Assistance Division Athens Regional Office

1061 Dowdy Rd., Ste. 201 Athens, GA 30606-5700 Phone: 706-369-5636 or 1-888-318-0354 Hours: 8am – 5pm, Mon - Fri Fees: None Eligibility: Low income families Service Area: Bartow County and surrounding Services:

• Administer the Housing Choice Voucher Program which is a tenant-based assistance program that assists low income individuals and families in renting safe, decent, and sanitary dwelling units in the private rental market.

Georgia Department of Human Services Division of Aging Services

APS Central Intake: Handles reports of abuse, neglect or exploitation of disabled adults or elder persons

Phone: 404-657-5250 or 1-888-774-0152 Website: www.aging.dhs.georgia.gov Services:

• Regulatory Services Intake-Handles reports of abuse, neglect or exploitation of disabled adults or elder persons residing in nursing homes or personal care home.

Georgia Department of Labor

See Cartersville Career Center-Department of Labor

Georgia Department of Veteran Services

20 West Cherokee Ave., Rm. 105 Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 770-387-3746 Fax: 770-387-4077 Contact: Robert Turner or Jeffery Baker E-mail: rmturner@vs.state.ga.us or jbaker@vs.state.ga. Website: www.veterans.georgia.gov Fees: None Eligibility: Veterans and their dependents. Service Area: Bartow and Paulding Services: Informing, advising and directly assisting veterans and their families about veteran benefits, and securing the benefits to which they are entitled

Georgia Fatherhood Program

Phone: 877-423-4746 (select option 1 for DCSS, then 2 for agent, then 3 for outreach) E-mail: fatherhoodinquiry@dhr.state.ga.us Eligibility: Any non-custodial parent who owes child support through the Office of Child Support Services

Services:

- Life Management Skills
- Effective parenting classes
- · Job readiness and job retention activities
- Self-esteem

Georgia Governor's Office Of Consumer Affairs

2 Martin King Jr. Dr., Ste. 356 East Atlanta, GA 30334 Phone: 404-651-8600 or 1-800-869-1123 Fax: 404-651-9018 Website: www.consumer.ga.gov Hours: 8am - 4:45pm, Mon -Fri Counselors available 8:30am - 6:00pm. Fees: None. Eligibility: No restrictions Service Area: State of Georgia. Services: Information and referral. Protects consumers from unfair or deceptive business practices. See website for all services.

Georgia Highlands College

5441 Hwy. 20, NE Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 678-872-8069 Fax: 678-872-8098 Contact: Carolyn Hamrick, Director E-mail: chamrick@highlands.edu Website: www.highlands.edu Fees: Tuition fees vary; financial aid is available Eligibility: Must be high school graduate or have GED certificate; SAT or ACT scores Service Area: Bartow, Chattooga, Floyd, Gordon,

Paulding and Cherokee counties **Services**:

- Transferable associate degree programs
- Career programs
- Learning Support programs
- Public Service programs
- Continuing Education programs
- Library
- Small Business Development Center

Georgia Highlands College-Adult and Service Learning

3175 Cedartown Hwy. Rome, GA 30161 Phone: 706-368-7756 Fax: 706-802-5897 Contact: Juliana Breithaupt, Director E-mail: jbreithaupt@highlands.edu or servicelearning@highlands.edu Website: www.highlands.edu Service Area: Bartow, Floyd, Douglas, Cobb Services:

- Community Outreach and Engagement
- Support for Adult Learners returning to college
- Curriculum Support for Service Learning in the college classroom
- Clearinghouse or resources

Georgia Home Hospice

15 Bowen Ct., Ste. B Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 770-877-9757 Fax: 770-678-689-2345 Contact: Lois Greenway Hours: 8:30am – 5pm, Mon - Fri Service Area: 20 NW Georgia Counties Services:

Medical services for hospice at home in LTC facilities, and assisted living facilities
Services include: Skilled nursing, nursing assistants, chaplains, and more

Georgia H.O.P.E.

Phone: 1-800-906-9766

Fax: 706-301-1608
E-mail: referrals@gahope.org
Website: www.gahope.org
Eligibility: Low income children (ages 4 and up) and adults struggling emotionally or behaviorally (mental health and substance abuse services.
Service Area: Bartow, Catoosa, Chattooga, Cherokee, Dade, Fannin, Floyd, Gilmer, Gordon, Murray, Pickens, Polk, Walker, Whitfield.
Services: In home services include:

- Medication Management
- Individual and Family Counseling
- Parenting Education
- Behavioral Support
- Case Management and Resources

Georgia Interpreting Services Network

100 Edgewood Ave., Ste. 175 Atlanta, GA 30303 Phone: 404-521-9100 or 1-800-228-4992 Fax: 404-521-9121 E-mail: GISN@aol.com Fees: Varies depending on situation. Eligibility: No restrictions. Intake: Call for scheduling. Languages: Sign, ASL, PSE, CASE, SEE, Tactile, Oral Service Area: Southeast Services: Provides statewide interpreting services for deaf and hard of hearing individuals

Georgia Legal Services Program

104 Marietta St., Ste.240 Atlanta, GA 30303 Phone: 404-894-7707 706-272-2924 Dalton office 888-408-1004 Dalton office Fax: 404-463-1584 Website: www.glsp.org Hours: 9am - 5pm, Mon-Fri Call to schedule an appointment. Fees: None Eligibility: Low income according to guidelines, no income limits for elderly Intake: Telephone, walk-in, appointment Service Area: 18 counties surrounding metro Atlanta Area, including Bartow Services:

- Legal services to low-income people in civil matters
- Housing / employment discrimination
 assistance
- Domestic violence resources
- Complaint investigation of nursing home/ personal care homes
- Information and assistance on choosing nursing home/person care facility
- · Languages: English and Spanish

Georgia Northwestern Technical College

Rome Campus - One Maurice Culberson Drive Rome, GA 30161

Phone: 706-295-6963

Fax: 706-295-6944 Website: www.gntc.edu/admission

Hours: 8am - 4pm, Mon - Fri

Evening classes: 6pm -10pm, Mon -Thu. **Fees:** Fee for GED testing; supplies and textbooks at a minimal cost; tuition fees vary **Services:**

- Full time day school/ Part-time evening school
- In-plant industrial training
- Adult literacy education
- GED testing and Customer service training
- Manufacturing training
- Continuing education classes

Georgia Radio Reading Services, Inc.

260 14th St., NW Atlanta, GA 30318 Phone: 404-685-2820 Fax: 404-685-2821 Website: www.garrs.net Hours: 9am – 5pm, Mon – Fri Fees: \$75 for radio, financial assistance may be available Services: SCA radio receiver that provides 24 hour/7 day a week broadcasts ranging from a live reading of the AJC to periodicals and books 9-5

Georgia School for the Deaf

232 Perry Farm Rd. SW Cave Springs, GA 30124

Phone: 706-777-2200 800-497-3371 866-761-5762 for video Fax: 706-777-2204 Hours: 8am - 4:30pm, Mon - Fri Fees: None Eligibility: Georgia resident; hearing loss of 55db in the better ear or severe learning deficiency associated with hearing loss. Service Area: State of Georgia Services:

• State-supported educational program for preschool through grade twelve

Dormitory facilities for students age four and over

Georgia Telecommunications Relay Service

Phone: 711 inside Georgia 1-800-255-0135 1-800-255-0056 Text users 706-295-6067 Rome office Fees: Local calls free; long distance 25% discount

Hours: 24 hours / 7 days a week Services: The person who is deaf, hard of hearing or speech impaired types their conversation using a text telephone. The TRS Communications Assistant relays the message by reading it to the hearing person. The Communications Assistant then relays the hearing person's spoken words by typing them back to the text telephone user. Every call is in strict confidence; no record of conversations is kept.

Georgia Vocational Rehabilitation Program

450 Riverside Pkwy., Ste. 200 Rome, GA 30161 Phone: 706-295-6400 Fax: 706-802-5188 Contact: Paul Ray or Scott Buckner E-mail: scott.buckner@gvra.ga.gov Website: www.vocrehabga.org Hours: 8am - 4:30pm, Mon - Fri Fees: None Eligibility: persons with permanent physical or mental disabilities Service Area: Bartow, Floyd, Gordon, Chattooga, Pickens, Gilmer and Fannin counties Services:

Assists persons with disabilities to return to work

Counseling/Guidance/Career Exploration

Rehabilitation technology
Vocational Training
Business services, ADA consultation, job analysis, job training

Girl Scouts of Greater Atlanta

2204 E. Walnut Ave. Dalton, GA 30721 Phone: 770-702-9311 Fax: 770-702-9321 Contact: Amy Gallman E-mail: agallman@gsgatl.org Website: www.gsgatl.org Hours: Phone for hours Fees: \$12-\$15 registration fee for girls and adult volunteers Eligibility: Girls age 5 - 7, and adult volunteers age 18 and older Service Area: Bartow, Murray, Whitefield Counties Services: • Encourages girls to build self-worth, relate to

others, develop meaningful values and ethics, contribute to their communities, and explore critical contemporary issues that effect girls and women today

Good Neighbor Homeless Shelter

P. O. Box 664 Cartersville, GA 30120 *Physical Location:* 110 Porter St. Cartersville, GA 30120 **Phone: 770-607-0610 Fax:** 770-607-7026 **E-mail:** director@goodneighborshelter.org **Website:** www.goodneighborshelter.org **Contact:** Jessica Mitcham **Hours:** Open 24/7 **Fees:** None **Eligibility:** Potential shelter guests must be

about to pass a drug and alcohol test, must have a background free of charges related to physical violence or crimes against women and children, and must be physically and mentally able to work

Service Area: Bartow and surrounding counties. Services:

• 24 hour shelter, meals, transportation assistance for guests

• Day services available for those who are homeless but not staying at the Shelter-food, pantry, showers, laundry, meals

Computer lab with GED classes available

Good Shepherd Foundation

66 Gilreath Rd. SE Cartersville, GA 30121 Phone: 770-386-0131 Fax: 770-386-3966 E-mail: goodshepherd66@comcast.net Website: www.goodshepherdgeorgia.com Hours: 8am - 2pm, Mon - Fri Service Area: Bartow County Services:

Employ adults with special needsSheltered workshop employing mentally and

physically challenged adults

• Supported employment to the special needs population

• Skills for living, personal development, and meth reduction classes on Wednesday nights at 6 p.m. Call for details.

Goodwill of North Georgia

929 Joe Frank Pkwy. Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 770-276-7036 Fax: 770-276-7030 Website: www.goodwillng.org Hours: 9am - 5pm, Mon – Wed; 9am - 7pm, Thu; 9am - 4pm, Fri; 10am - 2:00pm Sat Services:

Collect and sell donated goods and household items

Provide Training Programs and Employment Services

Governor's Office of Workforce Development

Two Martin Luther King, Jr. Dr. 1408 West Tower Atlanta, Georgia 30334 **Phone**: 404-463-5030 **Email:** workforce@georgia.gov **Website**: www.workforce.georgia.gov

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Habitat for Humanity

P.O. Box 3392 Cartersville, GA 30120 *Physical Location:* 14 Eagle's Court Cartersville, GA 30120 **Phone: 770-382-6293 Fax:** 770-382-5310 **Contact:** Robin Hooker **E-mail:** director@bartowhabitat.org **Website:** www.bartowhabitat.org Hours: 9am - 5pm, Mon. - Fri Fees: None for housing application Eligibility: Low income for Housing Service Area: Bartow County Services:

• Constructs homes for low-income families using volunteer workers, to be financed at no interest

• Family is required to help with construction of the home

• Mission is eliminating substandard housing in the community

• Education class - budgeting, How to care for your home

Thrift Store

Habitat for Humanity Thrift Store

1 Roosevelt St. Cartersville, GA 30120 **Phone: 770-383-9054 Hours:** 9am - 5pm, Mon - Sa. **Services:** Provides clothing and household goods at a reduced cost. Will pick up.

Hands of Christ After School Program

Douglas Street United Methodist Church 219 Douglas St. Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 770-382-2778 Fax: 770-382-2636 Contact: Rev. Angela Rivers E-mail: aspkids@yahoo.com Hours: After school program 3:30pm -6:00pm, Mon, Tue, Thu. Other programs vary. Fees: \$25 a student per year for after school program; other programs vary, most are free Eligibility: Children, teens, families; Primarily, but not limited to, Hispanics Service Area: Cartersville, Bartow County Services:

After school homework assistance, academic and cultural enrichment, character education, community service, career planning
Family education, counseling, support (Spanish, English)
Summer enrichment activities

Healthy Mothers, Healthy Babies Coalition of GA

2300 Henderson Mill Rd., Ste. 410 Atlanta, GA 30345 **Phone: 770-451-0020** 1-800-300-9003 (Power Line) Fax: 770-451-2466 Website: www.hmhbga.org Hours: 8am - 6pm, Mon - Fri Fees: None Eligibility: Available for men, women and children Service Area: Georgia -- state-wide Services:

•Statewide, toll-free, bi-lingual referral line for obtaining health care services and information

- Medicaid & low-cost providers
- Breastfeeding support
- WIC customer service
- Children 1st referrals
- HIV testing sites
- SIDS referrals

Helen Keller National Center for Deaf-Blind Youths and Adults

Phone: 678-826-9174 (TTY) Fax: 404-766-3447 Contact: Barbara Chandler E-mail: barbara.chandler@hknc.org Website: www.hknc.org Fees: None Eligibility: Deaf and blind individuals Services:

- Resources for persons who are deaf and blind
- Client advocacy
- Consultation and technical assistance to schools and agencies
- Assistance in developing local services
- Professional development and in-service training
- Public education and awareness
- Maintenance of National Registry

Helpline Georgia

2762 Watson Blvd. Warner Robins, GA 31093 Phone: 1-800-338-6745 Fax: 912-953-5674 Website: www.health.state.ga.us Hours: 24 hours / 7 days a week Fees: None

Services:

Alcohol and drug information and referrals
Crisis intervention, information, and referral resources for victims of violent crime and individuals with gambling problems

Victim compensation program

Hemophilia of Georgia

8800 Roswell Rd, Ste.170

Atlanta, GA 30350 Phone: 770-518-8272 or 1-800-866-4366 Fax: 770-518-3310 Website: www.hog.org Hours: 7:30am - 5pm, Mon - Fri Fees: Sliding scale Eligibility: People with hemophilia or related bleeding disorders Intake: Telephone, walk-in, appointment Languages: English and Spanish Service Area: State of Georgia Services:

- Referrals to comprehensive care clinic
- Home health care and infusion training, follow-up
- Limited financial aid for medical expenses, HIV testing and treatment
- · Referral for vocational counseling
- Client activities
- Peer working groups
- Educational sessions
- Literature, newsletter, handbooks
- · Scholarships, summer camp
- Transportation assistance
- · Community education / speaker's bureau

Heyman Hospice Care at Floyd Medical Center

420 East Second Ave. Rome, GA 30161 Phone: 706-509-3200 Hours: 8:30am - 5pm, Mon - Fri Website: www.floyd.org Fees: Medicaid, Medicare, private pay, Insurance; will work with persons unable to pay Eligibility: Persons with less than six months to live; doctor's order required Service Area: Bartow, Chattooga, Floyd, Gordon, and Polk counties.

- Services:
- Assistance for clients with a terminal diagnosis
- CNA
- Counselors
- Chaplain
- Bereavement support group
- RN home visits
- Symptom management and emotional support
- 24 hour call RN and social workers
- Medical social workers

Hickory Log Vocational School

P. O. Box 300 White, GA 30184 *Physical Location:* 3680 Highway 411 North White, GA 30184

Phone: 770-382-6655

Fax: 770-387-2345 Contact: Greg Flowers E-mail: hickorylog@comcast.net Hours: 24/7 Fees: \$900 - \$1,100 per month Eligibility: IQ of 70 or below Services:

• Personal care home for men with developmental disabilities

Adult literacy classes

• Training in daily living skills

• Physical education and activities

Highland Rivers Center

650 Joe Frank Harris Pkwy. Cartersville, GA 30120

Phone: 770-387-3538

Fax: 770-607-6704 **Contact:** For a first time appointment or to cancel and reschedule an existing appointment

call 1-800-729-5700 Website: www.highlandrivershealth.com

Hours: 8:00am – 5:00 pm, Mon - Fri Fees: Medicaid, Medicare, Commercial

Insurance, Sliding scale

Eligibility: Children and Youth with serious emotional and behavioral disturbances, Adults with serious and persistent mental illness and/or co-occurring addictions

Service Area: Bartow, Cherokee, Fannin, Floyd, Gilmer, Gordon, Haralson, Murray, Paulding, Pickens, Polk, and Whitfield counties, Services:

- Crisis Intervention
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- Diagnostic, Nursing & Psychiatric Assessment
- Individual, Family, and Group Skills
- Training/Counseling
- Medication Management & Education
- Peer Support/ Community Supports
- School Based and In Home Child & Adolescent Therapy
- Accountability Court Services
- Telepsychiatry

• Family Violence Intervention Program and Anger Management

- Pharmacy Services
- HIV Testing & Education
- Case Management Services
- Hospital/Jail to Community Discharge Planning

• Permanent Supportive Housing (Independent and Semi- Independent)

Supported Employment

Clinically Monitored Residential Crisis
 Stabilization

Short Term Alcohol and Drug Detoxification and Mental Health Stabilization
Comprehensive Nursing, Physician, and Case Managers Assessments, Evaluation, and Treatment

Highland Rivers Health's Assertive Community Treatment (ACT)

6 Mathis Dr. Rome, GA 30165 Phone: 706-233-9023, ext. 2034 Fax: 706-314-6622

Contact: Lonja Jones, ACT Team Lead **Website:** www.highlandrivershealth.com **Hours:** 8:00am - 5:00pm, Mon - Fri **Eligibility:** Adults who are 18 years or older with severe and persistent mental illness that impairs their ability to live in the community.

Service Area: Bartow, Floyd, Paulding and Polk Counties

Services: Assertive community treatment utilizes a holistic approach with services provided in the community by a multidisciplinary mental health team from the fields of psychiatry, nursing, psychology, social work, substance abuse, and vocational rehabilitation: in addition a Certified Peer Specialist is an active member of the team. Services include: Crisis Assessment & Intervention, Service Coordination Symptom Assessment & Management, Cognitive Behavioral Therapy, Vocational Training & Education Services, Substance Abuse Treatment & Education, Self-Management Skills, Family Support/Education. Community Integration. Social & Interpersonal Skills. Connection to Housing, Support & Recovery Services

Highland Rivers Health's Kaleidoscope Program

6 Mathis Dr. Rome, GA 30165 Phone: 706- 295-6425 Fax: 706-295-6478 Website: www.highlandrivershealth.com Hours: 8:00am – 5:00 pm, Mon - Fri Fees: Medicaid, Medicare, Commercial Insurance, Waivers, Sliding scale Eligibility: Have mental retardation since birth or before age 18, or another developmental disability since birth or before age 22, which requires similar services to those needed by people with mental retardation. Must be at risk for going into an institution Service Area: Bartow, Cherokee, Fannin, Floyd, Gilmer, Gordon, Haralson, Murray, Paulding, Pickens, Polk, and Whitfield counties, **Services:** Pre-Vocational and Supported Employment, Social and Community Involvement, Educational Learning, Recreational, Family Support Services, Community Living Support, Case management, Residential, and Nursing

Highland Rivers Health's Substance Abuse Intensive Outpatient Program (SAIOP)

605 Joe Frank Harris Pkwy. Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 770-387-3538x104 Fax: 770-607-6704 Contact: Kathleen P. Lowry or Juan McDonald Website: www.highlandrivershealth.com Hours: 9:00am - 2:30 pm, Mon - Fri Fees: Medicaid, Medicare, Commercial Insurance, Sliding scale Eligibility: Men and Women who have a substance abuse diagnosis (ASAM Level 1 to 2.5) and who may be involved in court probation, DFCS, drug charges, personal recovery, possession charges, and parole Service Areas: Bartow, Floyd, Polk and Whitfield Counties

Services: Structured as a three phase program, this program follows a 13-26 week curriculum that supports Cognitive Behavioral Therapy and the 12 Step methods of treatment. Services include: Alcohol and Drug Evaluations, Intensive Outpatient Treatment, Education, Individual and Group Therapy, Accountability Relapse Prevention, and Random Drug Screens

Highland Rivers Health's Women's Outreach Program (Temporary Assistance to Needy Families)

6 Mathis Dr. Rome, GA 30165 Phone: 706-291-7201 Fax: 706-291-7198 Contact: Ansley Silvers Website: www.highlandrivershealth.com Hours: 8:00am - 5:00pm, Mon - Fri Fees: Medicaid, Medicare, Commercial Insurance, Sliding scale Eligibility: The Women's Outreach Program is for pregnant women, women who are postpartum or parenting women who have children under the age of 13 and who have a substance use or dependency. Preferences to women who are needy women, in the criminal justice system with an open child protective services case, history of relapse, or secondary medical or psychiatric disorder. Service Area: Bartow, Cherokee, Fannin, Floyd, Gilmer, Gordon, Haralson, Murray, Paulding, Pickens, Polk, and Whitfield counties. Services: Residential and intensive outpatient services that address risk factors for relapse and support women in achieving abstinence, maintaining recovery, avoiding illegal activity, obtaining gainful employment, meeting parenting roles and responsibilities, and transitioning into safe and stable housing. Services include: Comprehensive Assessments, Substance Abuse Treatment & Education, Relapse Prevention & Aftercare, Trauma Informed Care, Healthy Relationships, HIV Testing & Education Community Support & Transition, Employment Services, GED Preparedness, Therapeutic Child Care Services, Parenting & Nurturing Classes Anger and Emotional Management Transitional Housing, Co-occurring Mental Health Treatment, Case Management, Basic Life Skills Training, Drug Testing, Needs Assessment & Resource Coordination

Hiram Denture Center

1897 Hwy. 92 Hiram, GA 30165 Phone: 770-943-5533 Fax: 770-943-5533 Hours: 10am - 5:30pm, Mon - Thu, closed daily noon -2pm. By appointment only Fees: \$795 full set; \$450 single; \$395 acrylic partial; \$695 for cast metal partial Services: Dentures made, repaired, and realigned

Hot Meals

Cassville Baptist Church Friendship Kitchen 1663 Cassville Rd. NW, Cartersville Phone: 770-382-6739 Hours: Meals delivered every Tuesday, Evening in the immediate Cassville area

First Presbyterian Church Friendship Table 183 W. Cherokee St., Cartersville Phone: 770-382-3511 Hours: Meals served every Tuesday beginning at 6pm.

North Bartow Community Service

2397 Hall Station Rd., Adairsville **Phone: 770-773-3812 Hours:** Soup and Sandwich served the last Friday in each month, 4:00pm - 5:30pm.

Huntwood Terrace Apartments

71 Center Rd. Cartersville, GA 30121 Phone: 770-387-9296 Fax: 770-387-2267 Contact: Joni Webb E-mail: huntwoodterrace@att.net Services: An apartment complex for seniors or mobility disabled who earn less than \$24,300 for an individual and \$ 27,750 for a couple. Rent is 30% of applicants gross adjusted monthly income and includes basic utilities and appliances (not phone or cable).

Huntington's Disease Society Georgia Chapter

P. O. Box 3651 Eatonton, GA 31024 Contact: Bell Kline E-mail: bkline992@aol.com Website: www.hdsa.org Eligibility: No restrictions Service Area: State of Georgia Services:

Support groups

Public awareness and education

Inner Harbour-Youth Villages

4685 Dorsett Shoals Rd. Douglasville, GA 30135 Phone: 770-942-2391 or 1-800-255-8657 Fax: 770-489-0406 Website: www.innerharbour.org Hours: 8am - 5pm, Mon - Fr. 24-hour residential program Fees: Vary Eligibility: Children and adolescents ages 6-18; State and private referrals Intake: Telephone Services:

- · Community-based after school programs
- Group homes
- Juvenile rehabilitation programs
- Intensive residential programs
- Workshops for professionals
- CORE services
- Partial Programs/Day Treatment
- Intensive Outpatient
- Emergency Shelter

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Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation Georgia Chapter

3525 Piedmont Rd., NE Building 4, Ste. 300 Atlanta, GA 30305 Phone: 404-420-5990 Fax: 404-420-5995 E-mail: georgia@jdrf.org Website: www.jdrfgeorgia.org Hours: 9-5 Mon - Fri Services: • Provides support groups, financial support for research and information on Juvenile

Leukemia and Lymphoma Society

3715 Northside Pkwy. Bldg. 400; Northcreek Ste. 300 Atlanta, GA 30327 Phone: 404-720-7900 Fax: 678-279-2060 Website: www.lls.org/ga Fees: None Eligibility: Individuals affected by leukemia, lymphoma, multiple myeloma, myelodysplasia, Hodgkin's disease. Intake: Telephone Services:

- Research
- Prescription, transfusion fees, transportation reimbursement
- Educational programs, speaker's bureau
- Information and referral
- Support groups
- Individual support program

Lighthouse Foundation

Georgia Lions 5582 Peachtree Rd. Decatur, GA 30321 Phone: 404-325-3630 or 1-800-718-7483 Fax: 404-636-5549 Website: www.lionslighthouse.org Hours: 9am - 5pm, Mon - Fri Fees: None Eligibility: Financial hardship Intake: Bartow County residents apply through Bartow County Indigent Care (770-606-2245) Services: · Eye exams, surgery, prostheses, eyeglasses, low vision aids Hearing aids

· Collection of used eyeglasses

Living Way Community Center/Christian Academy/Foursquare Church

118 East George Adairsville, GA 30130 Phone: 770-877-3600 Fax: 770-877-3601 Contact: Shirley Clay E-mail: sclay@lwfsc.org Website: www.lwfsc.org Hours: 8am – 2:30pm Mon-Fri Fees: See website for details Service Area: Bartow County Services:

- Private School: Pre-K-12th grade with afterschool programs
- GED, ESL and foreign language classes
- Tutorial
- Event, Rental, Meeting space

Lookout Mountain Care Management Entity

1875 Fant Dr. Fort Oglethorpe, GA 30742 *Physical Location:* Bartow County DFCS 47 Brook Dr. P.O. Box 818 Cartersville, GA 30120 **Phone: 678-350-4461 Fax:** 706-806-1109 **Contact** Bridgett Bethune **Phone: 706-806-1260 E-mail** WINGA@Imcs.org **Website:** LMCME.org **Hours:** Office hours 8:30 to 4:00' on call 24/7 **Fees:** No fees for family or youth to enroll in Wraparound

Eligibility:

Must be age 6 to 21 and be Medicaid eligible. Must have Axis 1 mental health diagnosis, previous mental health services, or increased dangerous behavior toward self or others **Service Area**: Statewide with county teams located in 15 NW Ga Counties, metro Atlanta and Macon, Georgia.

Services:

• High Fidelity Wraparound: intensive care coordination with family support.

- Referrals and Support
- Plan of Care Team

Love Loud Awareness Phone: 404-545-1087 Fax: 678-535-5222 E-mail: info@loveloudawareness.com Website: loveloudawareness.com Services: Mentoring at risk teens; Events; Tours

Lupus Foundation of America, Inc., Georgia Chapter

1850 Lake Park Drive Suite 101
Smyrna, GA 30080
Phone: 770-333-5950 or 1-800-800-4532
Fax: 770-333-5932
Website: www.lfaga.org
Hours: 9am - 5pm, Mon - Fri
Fees: Sliding scale
Eligibility: No restrictions, targets lupus patients and their families
Intake: Telephone, walk-in
Services:

24-hour hotline
Support groups, self-help courses

- Physicians meeting
- Community presentations, health fairs
- Educational literature, mailings
- Research contributions
- · Literature available in Spanish

Lutheran Services of Georgia, Inc.

100 Edgewood Ave., Ste.1800 Atlanta, GA 30303 **Phone: 404-875-0201 Fax:** 404-591-1031 **Website:** www.lsga.org **Hours:** 8:30am - 5pm, Mon - Fri **Fees:** None **Eligibility:** No restrictions **Services:**

- Translation / interpretation
- Refugee resettlement & employment
- Adoption, foster care, adults with disabilities
- Youth career services

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Mander's Dental

2220 Atlanta Rd., SE Ste. 104 Smyrna, GA 30080 Phone: 770-744-4650 Hours: 9am - 5pm, Mon - Thu Services: Offers reduced prices for dentures

March of Dimes

NW Georgia Division

1775 T-Exchange, Ste. 515 Atlanta, GA 30339 Phone: 770-977-3114 Fax: 770-977-3540 Website: www.marchofdimes.com/georgia Fees: None Eligibility: No restrictions Intake: Telephone Languages: Literature available in Spanish Service Area: 17 counties of NW Georgia Services:

- Birth defect prevention
- Pre-pregnancy and prenatal health education
- Infant care education
- Teen pregnancy prevention
- Hispanic program: Comenzando Bien

Meals on Wheels-Bartow County

102 Zena Dr., SE Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 770-386-3294 Hours: Three days a week Fees: None Eligibility: Handicapped or unable to prepare meals Services: 14 area churches prepare and deliver meals three days a week

Mercy Senior Care

P. O. Box 866 Rome, GA 30162 *Physical Location:* 300 Chatillion Rd. Rome, GA 30161 **Phone: 706-291-8496 Hours:** Call for more information. **Fees:** Call for information **Eligibility:** Varies per program **Intake:** Contact Area Agency on Aging for screening

Service Area: Bartow, Catoosa, Chattooga, Dade, Floyd, Gordon, Haralson, Paulding, Polk, and Walker counties.

Services:

• Day care and activities including health monitoring, personal care and grooming, social and recreational therapy, organized exercise, hot meals, snacks, field trips, holiday parties, health education, and limited transportation

• In-home services for eligible persons

 Support group and case management services for Grandparent's Raising Grandchildren program

• Senior Employment Program for 55+ years of age with limited income

• On-the-job Training Program for 50+ years of

age with limited earnings • Caregiver Support Group (second Thursday at noon)

Merz Consulting, Inc.

P. O. Box 388 Adairsville, GA 30103 Physical Location: 55 International Pkwy. Adairsville, GA 30103 Phone: 770-773-3653 Fax: 770-773-6355 Contact: Shelley Hankins E-mail: info@merzconsulting.com Website: www.merzconsulting.com Hours: 9am - 5, Mon - Fri Fees: Private pay or contract; fees vary by service Service Area: State of Georgia; Drug testing & background checks available nationwide Services:

- · Paternity testing
- Drug & alcohol testing
- Drug Free Workplace (DFW) development
- Background checks
- Employee Assistance Program (EAP)
- Individual, couples and family counseling
- Online encrypted chat and email counseling
- Parenting skills classes
- Marriage enrichment classes
- Substance abuse education classes
- · Child custody evaluations

• Substance abuse, domestic violence, parental fitness & sex offender evaluations

Mobley Eye Care Clinic

3999 Austell Rd.
Austell, GA 30106
Phone: 770-941-2323
Fax: 770-941-9220
Hours: 9am – 5pm, Mon - Fri
Appointment necessary
Eligibility: Eligibility for glasses depends upon patient's plan
Services:
Treatment of eye problems and diseases for Medicaid recipients

Routine vision exams and glasses for Medicaid recipients

Muscular Dystrophy Association

Building 9, 2187 Northlake Pkwy. Tucker, GA 30084 Phone: 770-621-9800 Fax: 770-934-6183

Website: www.mda.org Fees: None

Eligibility: Individuals with one of 40 neuromuscular diseases or individuals with a family history of neuromuscular disease

Intake: Physician referral required Service Area: State of Georgia Services:

• Medical and therapeutic services for those with neuromuscular diseases

- · Individual and family counseling referrals
- Diagnostic and follow-up services
- Research, education, newsletters,

presentations

- · Assist with purchase of wheelchairs
- Summer camp
- · Literature available in Spanish

Must Ministries

P.O. Box 1717 Marietta, GA 30060 *Physical Location:* 55 Elizabeth Church Rd. Marietta, GA 30061 **Phone: 770-427-9862 Fax:** 770-423-0446

Website: www.mustministries.org Hours: 8:30a – 5pm, Mon-Fri Services:

• Service Centers in Marietta, Smyrna and Cherokee providing food, clothing, financial aid, education and employment assistance; interview, assessment and referral services, to families and individuals in crisis.

• Integrated Housing Programs in Cobb, Cherokee, and Douglas Counties dedicated to helping 200+ residents break their own cycle of homelessness.

• Emergency shelter, transitional housing, and permanent supportive housing and a host of wrap around services provide a healthy environment to foster whole life change.

• Seasonal Programs including: summer lunch program; back to school supplies; holiday meals;

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Narcotics Anonymous

Phone: 800-559-9503 (Hotline) Website: ww.drugstrategies.org

National Hispanic Family Help Line

Sponsored by the National Alliance for

Hispanic Health

Phone: 1-866-783-2645 (Hotline) 800-504-7081 (Prenatal Hotline) Hours: 9am - 6pm, Mon - Fri Services:

Services

- Refers callers to clinics and public health programs
- Provides information on numerous health care topics
- Bilingual health care topic fact sheets available
- · Spanish speaking staff available

National Kidney Foundation of Georgia

2951 Flower Rd. S., Suite 211 Atlanta, GA 30341-4146

Phone: 1-800-633-2339

770-452-1539

Fax: 770-452-7564 Website: www.kidneyga.org

Hours: 8:30am – 5pm, Mon - Fri

Fees: None

Eligibility: Kidney, urology, and transplant patients and their families; organ donors. **Intake:** Telephone

Service Area: State of Georgia Services:

- Vocational rehabilitation
- Children's summer camp
- Public education
- Peer counseling, support groups
- Organ donation, transplant education and services
- · Spanish-speaking volunteers

National Multiple Sclerosis Society Life Center

1177 Perimeter Center West, Ste. E101 Atlanta, GA 30338 Phone: 678-672-1000 Fax: 678-672-1015 Website: www.nationalmssociety.org

Fees: None

Service Area: State of Georgia.

- Services:
- Education
- Support groups
- Limited financial assistance with medical
- equipment
- Home and auto modification
- Respite care

National Patient Air Transport Hotline

4620 Haygood Rd., Ste. 1 Virginia Beach, VA 23455

Phone: 1-800-296-1217

Hours: 9am – 5pm, Mon - Fri Fees: No fees for hotline service. Eligibility: Financial and medical need Service Area: Nationwide Services: Coordinates patients traveling for medical treatment less than a 1000 miles with Angel Flight (see Angel Flight)

New Beginnings Outreach, Inc.

7034 Glade Rd. Acworth, GA 30102 Phone: 770-529-6353 Fax: 770-529-6904 Contact: Dwight (F.D.) or Brandi Holcomb E-mail: foodbank7034@comcast.net Hours: Per service – see below Fees: No charge. Donations accepted Eligibility: Based on Income Service Area: All areas Services:

- Food Bank and personal care needs
- Distribution signup Friday @ noon

• Thrift Store including food, health and beauty items, diapers, furniture, and appliances at greatly reduced prices Open Mon and Wed. 9am – noon; Fri noon – 4pm

Counseling programs – minimum fee

• Pick-up of donations – food, usable furniture, appliances and household items

New Beginnings Treatment Center

36 Chateau Ct. Rome, Georgia 30161 Phone: 706-233-9603 Fax: 706-233-5626 Hours: 5am - 11am, Mon - Fri; 6am - 9am, Sat Fees: Intake fee \$65.00 Daily dosing fee \$10.00 Transfer fee from another clinic-\$35.00 Eligibility: History of opiate dependence for at least one year, two years for clients under age 20. Intake: Walk-ins welcome 7 days a week during office hours Must have valid, current photo I.D. and be able to pay fees Service Area: Northwest Georgia, Northeast Alabama; guest dosing available for patients of other U.S. clinics Services: Offers Methadone treatment for those addicted to narcotics, opiates (pain medication), and/or heroin. Methadone is a synthetic opiate, approved by federal and state

agencies, for the treatment of persons addicted to street drugs, such as heroin, and prescription drugs, such as Oxycotin, Percocet, Lorecet, etc. Taking Methadone in lieu of drug(s) of choice allows the patient to function (work, operate vehicles), reduces cravings, and eliminates withdrawal symptoms from the abused drug. Methadone maintenance is available.

Newbridge Northwest Psychology Associates

108 Forrest Ave. Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 770-386-6222 Fax: 770-386-9801 Fees: Accepts Medicaid and insurance Services:

- ADHD
- Child behavioral and learning problems
- · Children with special needs
- Adolescent issues
- Depression and anxiety
- Trauma survivors
- Psychological evaluations
- Marital and family therapy
- Group psychological therapy

North Bartow Community

Services, Inc.

P.O. 144 Adairsville, GA 30103-3812 *Physical Location:* 2397 Hall Station Rd. Adairsville, GA 30103 **Phone: 770-773-3812 Fax:** 770-773-2769

Contact: Kay House or Nicole Varnell **E-mail:** nbcs@bellsouth.net

Website:

northbartowcommunityservices.yolasite.com **Hours:** 8am - noon and 1pm – 5 Mon – Fri; 6am – 9am

Fees: None

Eligibility: Live is service area and income **Service Area**: Bartow County residents of Adairsville, Rydal, Kingston, and White-Some streets with a Fairmount address are in Bartow County

Services:

- Limited prescription assistance
- Clothes closet, thrift store
- Emergency energy assistance
- Food pantry
- Georgia Cares Program troubleshooting for
- Medicare and other health insurance claims
- Referral to other community resources

- Senior Lunches
- Soup and Sandwich Supper
- Resource counseling
- Sittercize

• Assistance for applying for Medicare Discount and Prescription Drug Programs

North Georgia Region Office MHDDAD

Mental Health, Developmental Disabilities, Addictive Diseases Banks Crossing 236 Industrial Park Dr. Commerce, GA 30529 **Phone: 800-646-7721 Services:** Provides residential and outpatient treatment programs; Contact for listing of complete comprehensive services

Northwest Georgia Educational Program

301 Nixen Ave. SW Rome, GA 30161-5148 Phone: 706-291-2625 Fax: 706-291-0109 Service Area: County and city school system in surrounding ten county areas Services: Provides psychological and educational services for severely emotional or behaviorally disturbed children from age 0 to 21 years old (if enrolled in public school)

Northwest Georgia Parkinson Disease Support

708 Glenn Milner Blvd. Rome, GA 30161 **Phone**: 706- 413-3264 **Website:** www.gaparkinsons.org

Northwest Georgia Public Health Dental Clinic

16 East 12th Street Rome, GA *Physical Location:* Floyd County Health Dept **Phone:** 706-802-5050, 706-802-5051 **Hours:** 8am - 5pm, Mon – Wed; 8am - 2pm, Tue and Fri **Fees:** Varies with services **Eligibility:** Low Income **Service Area:** Bartow, Catoosa, Chattooga, Dade, Floyd, Gordon, Haralson, Paulding, Polk, and Walker counties

Northwest Georgia Regional Cancer Coalition

96 East Callahan St. Rome, GA 30161 Phone: 706- 295-6048 Website: www.nwgacancer.org

Northwest Georgia Regional Commission

1 Jackson Hill Dr., Rome GA 30162-1798 P.O. Box 1798 Phone: 706-295-6485 Fax: 706-295-6665 Contact: Gwen Dellinger E-mail: gdellinger@nwgrc.org **Bartow Contact: GDOL** Cartersville Career Center 19 Felton Pl. Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 770-387-5487 Fax: 770-387-3766 Contact: Anne Rapp E-mail: anne.rapp@gdol.ga.gov Hours: 8am - 4pm, Mon - Fri Fees: None Eligibility: Selected by program eligibility and availability of GOWD funds from the Northwest Georgia Regional Commission for specific needs, e.g. further education or On the Job Training for Dislocated Workers laid off through no fault of their own. Area: 15 counties of Northwest Georgia -Bartow, Catoosa, Chattooga, Dade, Fannin, Floyd, Gilmer, Gordon, Haralson, Murray, Paulding, Pickens, Polk, Walker, Whitfield Services · Regional center for data gathering,

Assists local government with planning and development

• Administers Work Force Investment Act (WIA; Provides training and supportive services to dislocated workers, adults with barriers to employment and disadvantaged youth in the 15county NWGA Region

Northwest Georgia Regional Commission Area Agency on Aging

P.O. Box 1798 *Physical Location*: 1 Jackson St. Rome, GA 30162-1798 **Phone: 706-295-6485 1-800-759-2963** (Information and Referral) **706-802-5506** (Screening and Intake) **1-800-759-2963 Fax:** 706:802-5508 **Service Area:** Bartow, Catoosa, Chattooga, Dade, Fannin, Floyd, Gilmer, Gordon, Haralson, Murray, Paulding, Pickens, Polk, Walker, Whitfield

Website: www.northwestga-aaa.org Services:

•Advocacy and Coordination - Provides representation and coordination on behalf of older persons.

• Adult Day Care provides services in a supervised, protective, congregate setting during some portion of a 24-hour day.

• Alzheimer Services provides out-of-home day care and in-home respite care to assist AD clients and their families.

Alzheimer Training provides education and training to professionals and caregivers.
Community Cares Service Program offers:

- Person Support Services including meals/meal prep, personal care, housekeeping, shopping and assist with getting transportation
- Extended Personal Support Services including 1-7 day care and supervision for those unable to care for themselves in absence of caregiver of needed relief
- Home-Delivered Meals including nutritional support
- Adult Day Health includes a center for adults needing structured daytime care in Fannin, Floyd, Paulding, Walker and Whitfield counties
- Emergency Response Systems allows emergency communication between isolated persons and a medical control center
- Skilled Services provides skilled nursing care. Services are financially limited and clients are encouraged to seek Medicare and Medicaid home health first
- Alternative living services includes limited supportive personal care for selfpropelled or ambulatory clients in an alternative residence with staff supervision for those unable to stay in their own homes. Available in Fannin, Floyd, Gilmer, Haralson and Whitfield counties

•Congregate Meal provides a meal in a group setting

•Elder Legal Assistance Program provides individuals age 60+ with free civil legal services For more information contact 1-800-759-2963 between 9am - 5pm, Mon - Fri •GeorgiaCares helps people with Medicare understand their choices and enroll in a Medicare plan that meets their needs. Georgia Cares offers individual one-on-one counseling, community education and outreach about:

- Original Medicare
- Medicare Supplement Insurance
- Medicare Advantage Plans
- Medicare Prescription Drug Plans
- Medicare Appeals and Grievances
- Healthcare Rights and Protections
- Financial Assistance Programs
- Long-Term Care Insurance
- Georgia Long-Term Care Partnership
- Prescription Assistance
- Healthcare Fraud
- Consumer Protection
- Volunteer Opportunities

For more information contact 1-866.552.4464, option 4 between 9am – 4 pm, Mon – Fri. All services are free.

Home Delivered Meals provides a meal to temporarily or permanently homebound
Homemaker provides services by trained homemaker to assist in home related tasks and personal care

Long Term Care Ombudsman provides advocate and helps to ensure compliance with the rights of long-term care facility residents Services are completely confidential. For more information contact 866.552.4464, option 1.
Respite Care provides respite assistance for caregivers of frail homebound elderly
Senior Community Service Employment Program (SCSEP) assist clients age 55+ in finding part-time employment through host agencies. For more information contact 1-900-759-2963 between 9am - 5pm, Mon – Fri.
Transportation to and from nutrition centers and other community resources

Northwest Georgia Regional Educational Service Agency RESA

3167 Cedartown Hwy.
Rome, GA 30161
Phone: 706-295-6189, ext. 32
Fax: 706-295-6098
Contact: Brenda Stansell. Mary Czentnar or Catherine Smart
E-mail: bstansell@nwgaresa.com
Website: www.nwgaresa.com
Hours: 8am - 5pm, Mon - Fri
Fees: Workshops and training at little to no cost
Eligibility: SDFSC Consortium Members

Bartow County and Cartersville City Schools. and communities

Service Area: Bartow County Services:

• Workshops and training provided by SDFSC consultants for schools, parent and community organizations

Curriculum materials to schools; newsletters to parents

• Resource library materials for checkout to schools and parents

• Guidance on choosing effective programs to reduce violence and drug use by students

Northwest Georgia Talking Back Library - Regional Library for People with Disabilities

Sara Hightower Regional Library 205 Riverside Pkwy., NE Rome, GA 30161

Phone: 706-236-4618

Hours: 8:00am – 6:00 pm, Mon - Thur Service Area: Floyd, Polk, Bartow, Carroll, Heard.

Haralson, Pickens, Paulding, Douglas, Gilmer, and Cherokee counties

Services:

• Free library service for visually and physically handicapped

- · Books by mail
- · Equipment loans and repair

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Office of Commissioner of Insurance

Suite 716, West Tower Two Martin Luther King Dr. Atlanta, GA 30334 Phone: 800-656-2298 or 404-656-4031 TDD or 404-657-2070 Fax: 404-657-8542

Hours: 8am - 4:30 pm, Mon - Fri Fees: Varies with services Eligibility: No restrictions

Services:

Consumer complaint line

- Regulation of insurance and small loan companies
- Enforcement of state fire laws, aid in arson investigations
- Fire safety education

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Parent to Parent of

Georgia, Inc.

3070 Presidential Pkwy., Ste. 130 Atlanta, Georgia 30340

Phone: 770-451-5484 or 1-800-229-2038 Fax: 770-523-7753

Website: wwwp2pga.org

Fees: None

Eligibility: No restrictions

Intake: Telephone

Service Area: State of Georgia

Services:

Emotional support to parents of disabled children

- New-parent assistance
- Printed information on over 1,000 disabilities and conditions
- Babies Can't Wait early intervention information service
- Peer counseling and support; support groups
 Special needs database: Specialized information and referral for people of all ages with developmental disabilities
- Child and respite care information
- Parent training on supporting other parents
- Information and referral on special needs summer camp
- · Languages: Spanish/English

PeachCare for Kids

PeachCare For Kids® P.O. Box 2583 Atlanta, GA 30301-2583 Phone: 1-877-GA-PEACH (1-877-427-3224) Website: www.peachcare.org Fees: No charge for children under five years; Sliding scale monthly premiums; No co-pays or deductibles. Eligibility: Uninsured children through age 18 Income based Services: Health care insurance for children ineligible for Medicaid

Peachford Hospital

2151 Peachford Rd. Atlanta, GA 30338 Phone: 770-455-3200 Contact: Erica Collins E-mail: Erica.Collins@uhsinc.com Website: www.peachfordhospital.com Fees: Most major insurance accepted Service Area: Metro Atlanta and North Georgia Services: • Psychiatric and substance abuse services

• Free in-hospital or mobile assessments, 24 hours, 7 days

• In-patient or partial hospitalization

Intensive out patient treatment

• Aftercare programs: 12 step meetings, support groups, halfway house accommodations.

PhRMA Partnership for Prescription Assistance

Phone: 1-800-477-2669 Website: www.pparx.org Hours: 24-hour information line. Fees: None Eligibility: Anyone may call for a free list; each company determines the eligibility criteria for its own program. Service Area: Nationwide

Services: Provides a free booklet listing pharmaceutical company programs that provide medication free of charge to physicians whose patients could not otherwise afford them. Also provides information about the medicines covered, application process, and basic eligibility criteria for each program.

Piedmont Migrant Education Agency (MEA)

Phone: 404-272-5622 Fax: 770-359-5940 Contact: Alice Matthews Fees: None Eligibility: Migrant children and youth ages 3-21 who have not graduated from high school or earned a GED Service Area: North Georgia Services:

• Supplemental education and support services for children of migrant families to assist them in overcoming disadvantages, especially disruption of their education

Health services

• Summer school programs, special teachers, tutors, and aides

- English as a second language instruction
- Student record transfer system

Potter's Wheel Counseling

911 N Tennessee St., Ste. 204 Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 770-386-0776 Fax: 6787-279-9950 Contact: Michelle Allen E-mail: mallen@potterswheelcounseling.com Website: www.potterswheelcounseling.com Hours: Mon – Fri 10:00 pm – 8:30 pm, Tue noon – 8:30 pm, Wed 10:00 0am – 3:00 pm Fees: \$30 - \$100 sessions based on income Eligibility: Ages 8-18

Service Area: Cartersville and surrounding areas

Services:

- Individual and Group Counseling
- Trauma Resolution

Pregnancy Center of Rome

100 Redmond Rd. Rome, GA 30165 Phone: 706-235-6833 Fax: 706-295-0483 Website: www.sextruth.net Hours: Call for hours Fees: None Eligibility: None Service Area: Rome and surrounding counties Services: • Free pregnancy test

- Clothes closet for clients (maternity & baby clothing)
- Pregnancy-related counseling

Prevent Blindness Georgia

739 West Peachtree St., NW Atlanta, GA 30305 Phone: 404-266-2020 or 1-800-477-4448 Website: www.georgia.preventblindness.org Fees: None Eligibility: Some restrictions for adults; no restrictions for children Intake: Telephone or appointment Service Area: State of Georgia Services: • Public education

- Early detection vision screening for Pre-K classes
- Eye safety programs

Vision clinics for homeless shelters and senior centers

• Languages: Literature available in Spanish

Prevent Child Abuse Georgia

P. O. Box 3995 Atlanta, Georgia 30302-3995 Phone: 404-413-1419 Contact: Carol Neal Rossi, Director E-mail: cnealrossi@gsu.edu Website: www.preventchildabusega.org Services: • Prevention Network encouraging the development and implementation of innovative prevention programs using research-based models

- Public Awareness
- Research and Advocacy

Proactive-Management LLC

111 Bridgepoint Plaza Ste. #308 Rome GA 30161 Phone: 706-232-3073 Fax: 706-232-3005 Contact Name: Vivian McCollum E-mail: Info@proactivemanagement.com Website: www.proactive-management.com Hours: 9am - 5pm, Mon - Fri Services: Comprehensive Child & Family Assessments

- Wrap-Around Services
- Intensive Family Interventions (IFI)
- Crisis Intervention Stabilization
- In home Family Support
- Substance Abuse Counseling

Professional Eye Associates

136 West Belmont, Ste. #3 Calhoun, GA 30701 Phone: 706-602-7775 Hours: 8:30am - 5:30pm, Mon - Thu; 7:30am -4:30pm Fri.

Psychology and Counseling

Centers, PC 17-A Felton Pl. Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 770-386-8996 Fax: 770-386-8100 Hours: 8:30am - 5pm, Mon - Fri Fees: \$25 - 130 Eligibility: Self pay and Insurance Service Area: Bartow, Paulding, Floyd, Cherokee, Cobb

Services:

- ADHD evaluations
- Adolescent issues
- Adult issues
- Depression and anxiety
- Geriatrics
- Marriage and family therapy
- Psychology evaluation
- Individual and family counseling
- All ages accepted
- Accepts Medicaid

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Quality Care for Children

See Child Care Resource & Referral of Northwest Georgia

Rainbows Grief Program

See Advocates for Bartow's Children Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 770-387-1143 Contact: Patty Eagar E-mail: info@AdvoChild.org Website: www.AdvoChild.org Fees: None to children, some startup costs for new sites Services: Volunteer-led grief support for children support groups 13-week program · Currently offered in 8 elementary and middle schools · Advocates can help fund additional sites in new schools or in churches

Regency Hospice

3415 Old Hwy, 41, Unit 790 Kennesaw, GA 30144 Phone: 770-529-8155 or 1-800-493-7175 Fax: 770-529-8154 Website: www.regencyhospice.com Hours: 8:30am - 5pm, Mon - Fri 24 hours 7 days on call Eligibility: Life limiting illness Service Area: Bartow, Chattooga, Cherokee, Cobb, Floyd, Gordon, Paulding, Polk counties. Services: RN case management available 24/7

- Social workers (LMSW)
- · Certified nurse assistants for personal care
- Bereavement counseling
- Pain management
- · Specialists in end of life care

Renovacion Conyugal, Inc

P.O. Box 146 Acworth GA. 30101 Physical Location: 209 Northridge Dr. Acworth, GA 30101 Phone: 678-363-3079 **Contact:** Belisa Urbina E-mail: belisa@renovacionconyugal.com Eligibility: Services provided in Spanish Services:

Couples Workshop and Support Groups

- Parenting Classes and Seminars (gangs, internet safety, talking to your kids about sex)
- Strengthening Your Families
- Domestic Violence
- · Cultural and Linguistic Proficiency Training

Rescare Home Care

See Southern Home Care Services

Right from the Start Medicaid

101 Bainbridge Way, Ste. 200 Dallas, GA 30132 Phone: 770-443-7918 or 1-800-809-7276 Fax: 770-443-7322 Website: www.georgia.gov Hours: Contact office to schedule appointment Fees: None Eligibility: Income-based Services:

Right from the Start Medicaid – no cost health care coverage for children and pregnant women
PeachCare for Kids – low-cost health care

coverage for children
Women's Health Medicaid – coverage of breast and cervical cancer treatments for women

• Emergency Medical Assistance – payment for emergency health care expenses for noncitizens and others who are not eligible for Medicaid

• Referrals and Outreach

Rollins Child Development Center

676 Henderson Dr. Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 678-535-5200 Contact: Linda Owens

E-mail:

lowens@rollinschilddevelopmentcenter.com Website:

www.rollinschilddevelopmentcenter.com **Hours:** Monday through Saturday 6:30 am to 6:30 pm.

Services: Faith-based program educating and caring for children six weeks through pre-kindergarten

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Salvation Army

16 Felton Pl. Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 770-386-6256 Fax: 770-386-8303 Contact: Michelle Wilson

Thrift Store: 770-382-2484

Hours: Office hours Mon – Fri 9:00 am – 2:00 pm. Thrift Store hours Mon – Fri 9:00 am – 5:00 pm, Sat.9:00 am – 2:00 pm **Services:**

Services:

• Emergency Financial Assistance to needy families (utility on past due accounts –call for more information)

Food Pantry (call ahead for days and times)

Limited prescription assistance

•Thrift Store provides quality usable clothing, household and furniture items at affordable prices

•Character Building Programs for children of all ages

Sam Jones United Methodist Church Parish Nurse

100 West Church St. Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 770-862-7104

Hours: 10am - 2pm, Mon - Fri Services:

Patient Advocate

· Personal Health and Wellness Counseling

• Patient Education with medications, new diagnosis, chronic illness

Shriners Hospitals for Children

950 West Faris Rd. Greenville, SC 29605 Phone: 864-271-3444 or 1-800-237-5055 Fees: None

Eligibility: Children from birth to 18 years if treatment at another facility would place a financial burden on the family **Service Area:** Nationwide, Mexico, Canada. **Services:**

• Network of 19 orthopedic hospitals and three burns institutes, founded by the Shrine, where children receive medical care free of charge.

• Shriners Hospitals offer medical care and services to children including outpatient and inpatient care, diagnostic services, surgery, medical care, casts, braces, X-rays, rehabilitation programs, recreation, and continuation of their education.

• Shriners burns institutes are staffed and equipped to treat patients with acute burns, patients needing plastic or reconstructive surgery as a result of "healed" burns, severe scarring.

• Family-centered care involves the family in the child's care and recovery; parents are taught

how to care for the child at home; when possible, room is provided for parent to remain with child

throughout hospital stay; family counseling is offered.

• A Shriner who acts as a liaison between the family and hospital sponsors every patient; Shrine Clubs often help arrange and pay for transportation for children and parents to hospitals, many Shriners volunteer to drive for families themselves.

• Research efforts achieve significant progress in orthopedic and burn treatment, including development of a method of "growing" skin from a sample of a patient's own skin.

Simone's Kids

202 Dallas Hwy., SW Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 770-639-5221 Contact: Simone Puccinelli E-mail: info@simoneskids.com Website: www.simoneskids.com Services: Build schools in locations where education is not accessible.

Small Business Development Center-University of Georgia

901 North Broad St. Rome, GA 30161 Phone: 706-622-2006 Fax: 706-622-2783 Contact: Sarah Tuck E-mail: stuck@georgiasbdc.org Website: www.georgiasbdc.org Services:

• To enhance the economic well-being of Georgians by providing a wide range of educational services for small business owners and aspiring entrepreneurs through consulting, continuing education and research.

Social Security Administration

480 Riverside Pkwy., NE Rome, GA 30161 Phone: 1-866-964-1006 or 1-800-772-1213 605-291-9957 (TTY) Website: www.socialsecurity.gov Hours: 9am - 3pm, Mon, Tue, Thu, Fri; 9am – noon, Wed. Call before visiting office. Services:

• Process claims for retirement, disability, survivors' benefits, and Medicare under the SS Program

• Process claims for supplemental security

income (SSI)

Social Security card applications

All issues regarding social security and SSI eligibility

Solutions Therapeutic Services

109 Central Ave. Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 770-383-8909 Fax: 770-383-8930 Contact: Beth McArdle E-mail: elizabethstewart4@hotmail.com Website: www.solutionstherapeuticservices.com Hours: Vary -- traditional and non-traditional office hours Fees: Most insurances accepted; private pay sliding scale. Services: Out-patient counseling services for

children, adolescents, adults, couples, and families

Southern Home Care Services-Rescare Home Care

200 East 11th St. Rome, GA 30165

Phone: 706-235-8791

Fees: Private pay, insurance pay, CCSP and Medicaid waiver programs **Eligibility:** No restrictions on private home care. CCSP requires referral from case manager.

Nursing care patients must have a physician's order.

Service Area: NW Georgia Services:

Home / Community Care through agency on aging

- Personal Support Services
- VA Support Services

Special Olympics Georgia, Inc.

4000 DeKalb Tech Pkwy. Building 400, Ste. 400 Atlanta, GA 30340 Phone: 770-414-9390, 770-414-9389 or 1-800-866-4400 Fax: 770-216-8339 *Children:* Lavonna Frady, Bartow County Schools E-mail: LFrady@BARTOW.K12.GA.US Phone: 770-606-4151 *Adults:* Greg Flowers, Hickory Log Phone: 770-382-6655 E-mail: hickorylog@comcast.net Eligibility: Ages eight and over, people with intellectual disabilities Service Area: State of Georgia Services: Sponsors athletic training and competition programs for people with intellectual disabilities

Spina Bifida Association Of Georgia

5072 Bristol Industrial Way, Ste. F Buford, GA 30518 Phone: 770-939-1044 Fax: 770-939-1049 E-mail: J SBAg@bellsouth.net Website: www.spinabifidaga.org Eligibility: People with spina bifida and their families, professionals, and the general public Intake: Telephone, walk-in Area: State of Georgia Services:

- Information and referral
- Medical update conference
- Public awareness and education
- Advocacy, newsletter
- Training and technical assistance
- Languages: Spanish

Star House

212 North Fifth Ave. Rome, GA 30165 Phone: 706-204-8135 Hours: 9am - 5pm, Mon - Fri 24-hour residential facility Fees: No entrance fee. Percentage cost after employment. Eligibility: Clients must be detoxed before entering program Service Area: NW Georgia Services: Half-way house for substance abusers

Star Manor Assisted Living

241 Nelson St. Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 770-386-8147 Fax: 770-607-6578 Contact: Monica Graham E-mail: starmanormonica@birch.net Hours: 24/7 Fees: Private pay Eligibility: Senior adults Services:

- Assisted Living for seniors
- •Veterans benefits for qualified wartime veterans
- Respite (day care/overnight care) for seniors
- Private, semi private rooms

St. Francis Catholic Church

850 Douthit Ferry Rd. Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 770-382-4549 Fax: 770-382-4506 Contact: Rev. Monsignor Daniel Stack E-mail: follow links on web site: Website: www.st-francis-cartersville.org Fees: For Spanish classes only Services: • English Speaking Literacy (ESL)

- NMTC Adult Literacy Program classes
- GED preparation classes
- Spanish language classes

State Bar of Georgia

104 Marietta St., Ste. 100 Atlanta, GA 30303 Phone: 404-527-8700 800-334-6865 Fax: 404-527-8717 Hours: 8:30am - 5pm, Mon – Fri Fees: None Eligibility: No restrictions Service Area: State of Georgia Services: • Investigates complaints against ac

Investigates complaints against attorneys
Lawyer referral is available through the local bar association president; call for name and phone number of current local president

Synergy Homecare of North Georgia

650 Henderson Dr., Ste. 434 Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 770-783-2323 Fax: 770-872-0913 Contact: Dan Armstead E-mail: dan@synergynorthgeorgia.com Website: www.synergyhomecare.com Hours: 24/7 Service Area: All north Georgia. Services: • In-home care for seniors

- All ADL's
- Bathing, dressing, feeding
- Companionship

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Tallatoona Community Action Partnership, Inc. Bartow County Human Resource Development Center (HRDC)

Tallatoona CAP, Inc. – Central Office P. O. Box 1480 Cartersville, GA 30120 Central Office: 406 Martin Luther King, Jr. Dr. Cartersville, GA 30120 HRDC office: 140 Douglas St., Ste. 108 Cartersville, GA 30120 Head Start Central Office: 410 Martin Luther King, Jr. Dr. Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 770-382-5388 - Central Office 770-382-4222 - HRDC Office 770-382-5421 - Head Start Central Office Fax: 770-387-4302 Central Office 770-382-5202 -- HRDC Office 770-386-6787 - Head Start Central Office Contact: Deborah L. Schmell, Executive Director E-mail: debbies@tallatoonacap.org Website: www.tallatoonacap.org Hours: 8am - 5pm; Mon - Fri Fees: No cost to eligible applicants Services: Areas of Assistance include Holistic Case Management, Job Readiness/Training, and Educational Assistance. Services include: Head Start

- LIHEAP Energy Assistance Program
- Weatherization
- Holistic Case Management
- Educational Assistance
- Job Readiness/Training

Tech-Able, Inc.

2524 Flair Knoll Dr. Atlanta, GA 30345 Phone: 404-697-3182 Fax: 404-929-6468 Hours: 9:00 am - 4:30 pm, Mon - Fri E-mail: infor@at4learning.com Website: www.at4learning.com Eligibility: Persons with disabilities Area: State of Georgia Services:

- Source of Information / Referral
- Lending Library Adaptive Equipment
- Assessments / Evaluations / Training
- Computer Distribution Classes
- Microsoft Authorized Refurbisher
- Vision and rehab services
- Custom keyguards

Teen Pregnancy Prevention Task Force

Physical Location: Teen Center 140 Douglas St. Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 678-721-5627 Contact: Scott Sherwin and Christa Layton E-mail: sasherwin@dhr.state.ga.us or cllayton@dhr.state.ga.us Fees: None. Hours: Varies Eligibility: Live or work in Bartow County, ages 13 and older Service Area: Bartow County Services:

Adult-teen partnership addressing teen issues and concerns

• Public awareness, guest speakers, free teen resource materials

 Free workshops for teens and parents on healthy relationships, dating, sex education, and STD's)

Strategy Team of Bartow Collaborative

The Medicine Program

P.O. Box 515
Doniphan, MO 63935-0515
Phone: 1-866-694-3893
Website: www.themedicineprogram.com
Hours: 8am - 5pm, Mon - Fri
Fees: \$5.00 per prescription, only one time prescription fee
Eligibility: Income guidelines
Service Area: Nationwide
Services:
Assists patients make use of pharmaceutical

Assists patients make use of pharmaceutical companies' patient assistance programs
Provides assistance with applications for prescription medicine to individuals in need, regardless of age, if they meet the sponsor's criteria

Seeks to aid those who have used all other resources

Together Rx Access – Prescription Savings Program Phone: 1-877-789-6028 **Website:** www.togetherrxaccess.com **Services:** 25% - 40% savings on 278 brand name drugs as well as savings on generic drugs

Toys for Tots – Marine Corps Reserve

30 Berkeley PI. Cartersville, GA. 30121 Phone: 404-593-3547 Contact: Richard Goodson E-mail: ricgoodson@yahoo.com Website: www.toysfortots.org

Tranquility House

See Christian League for Battered Women

Travelers Aid of Metropolitan Atlanta, Inc.

60 Walton St., Ste. 200 Atlanta, GA 30308 Phone: 404-817-7070 ext. 108 Website: www.travelersaidatlanta.org Cobb County Satellite Offices Salvation Army Center 202 Waterman Street Marietta, GA 30067 Phone: 770-428-1883 Hours: 8:30am - 5:00pm, Mon, Tue, Thur, Fri.

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United Cerebral Palsy

3300 Northeast Expy, Building 9 Atlanta, GA 30341 Phone: 770-676-2000 Fax: 770-455-8040 Website: www.ucpga.org Hours: 8am - 4:30pm, Mon - Fri Fees: Varies Eligibility: Individuals with developmental and physical disabilities and their families Intake: Telephone, appointment Service Area: State of Georgia. Services: Specialized information and referral • Early intervention day program

After-school care for children with disabilities

- Adult group homes in residential
- neighborhoods

• Personal support: in-home help with personal care and activities of daily living

Service coordination-early intervention and adults

• Employment services for individuals with disabilities

• Job training / placement, ADA assistance for businesses, community training

• Training and technical assistance for child care providers on inclusion of children with disabilities

United Hospice

150 Warrior Path, Ste. 2 Calhoun, GA 30701 **Phone: 706-602-9546 800-867-7976 Fax:** 706-602-0765 **Hours:** 8:30am - 5pm, Mon – Fri; on call 24 hours **Fees:** Medicare, Medicaid, private insurance

Eligibility: Patients who are terminally ill, have a primary caregiver, and do not desire further curative treatment **Service Area:** NW Georgia

Services:

- Skilled nursing care
- Physical, spiritual, emotional, pain and
- symptom management
- Medical social work
- Chaplain services, spiritual care
- Physical and occupational therapy
- Speech therapy
- Counseling
- Bereavement care
- Volunteer services

United Methodist Children's Home

P. O. Box 222 Dalton, GA 30722 Physical Location: 1615 Hickory St, Suite 118 Dalton, GA 30720 Phone: 706-278-4010 Fax: 706-275-6796 **Contact:** Mike LaChapelle or Del Jackson E-mail: mlachapelle@umchildrenshome.org or djackson@umchildrenshome.org Hours: 8:30am – 5pm, Mon – Fri. After hours available upon request Fees: Sliding scale for counseling education Eligibility: Minor children Service Area: Bartow, Catoosa, Fannin, Gilmer, Gordon, Murray, Pickens, Walker, Whitfield counties. Services:

- Rent and utility assistance
- Parenting education
- Counseling education
- Crisis intervention

United Way of Bartow County

P.O. Box 1264 Cartersville, GA 30120 *Physical Location*: 140 Douglas St., Ste. 104 Cartersville, GA **Phone: 770-386-1677 Fax:** 678-721-5142 **Contact:** Brenda Morehouse or Cynthia Ball **E-mail:** morehouseb@bartowga.org or ballc@bartowga.org **Website:** www.bartowliveunited.org **Hours:** 7:30am - 4:30pm, Mon - Fri **Fees:** None **Services:** Provides the community with contacts to obtain assistance

University of Georgia Cooperative Extension - Bartow County

320 W. Cherokee Ave, Room 112 Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 770-387-5142 Fax: 770-386-3488 Contact: Paul Pugliese, County Extension Coordinator and Allison Perkins, 4-H Agent E-mail: uge1015@uga.edu Website: www.caes.uga.edu/extension/bartow Hours: 8am – noon, 1pm – 5pm, Mon - Fri

Fees: Free or minimum cost for class or test Eligibility: Residents of Bartow County Services:

• Agriculture and Natural Resources – Educational information and classes for commercial, agriculture and homeowners. Lab test for soil, water and foliage through UGA (fee applied).

• Family and Consumer Sciences – Educational information and classes in the areas of food safety, nutrition, family and child development, personal money management, and housing and equipment.

4-H Club – Youth development programs and activities for youth ages 9 – 19 (or grades 5 – 12). Activities include leadership, citizenship, and project work.

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Veteran's Benefit Administration

1700 Clairmont Rd. Decatur, GA 30033 **Phone: 1- 800-827-1000 Website:** www.va.gov **Services**: The Atlanta Regional Office is responsible for delivering non-medical Veteran's Administration medical benefits and services to Georgia Veterans and their families

Victim Witness Assistance Program

135 W. Cherokee St., Ste. 368 Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 770-387-5106 Fax: 770-387-5035 Contact: Julia Richards, Director E-mail: jrichards@pacga.org Fees: None Service Area: Bartow County Services:

• Provides services including crisis intervention in criminal cases

• Gives victims an orientation into the court system; explains the process, keeping the victim informed on court dates as well as the status of their case

· Inform victims of their rights

Accompanies victims to court; sequesters

victims during trial proceedings if necessary

• Works with victim to determine their financial loss as a result of the crime

• Helps victims who qualify make application for crime victim compensation

Secures victim impact statement

Gives child victims tours of courtroom, explains

the set up, and goes over court notebooks

Makes referrals back into the community

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WellCare

211 Perimeter Center Pkwy., NE, Ste.800 Atlanta, GA 30346 Phone: 678-232-5116 Fax: 813-283-9353 Contact: Jason Griggs E-mail: Jason.grigg@wellcare.com Website: www.wellcare.com Hours: 8am - 7pm, Mon - Fri Service Area: Georgia Services:

- Health and Medical benefits
- Community Outreach
- Sponsorship and Volunteers

Willowbrook at Tanner

960 Joe Frank Harris Pkwy. Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 770-382-1530 or 770-546-3266 24-hour help line - 770-836-9551

Services:

Free Mental Health and Substance Abuse Screenings for adults, adolescents, and children
Child and Adolescent Partial Hospitalization Program

Woodright Industries

1595 Hwy. 411 NE Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 770-387-3730 Fax: 770-387-3729 Contact: Steve Solomon E-mail: dmalicote@aol.com Services:

- Provides supported employment
- Sheltered workshop
- Early intervention

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YMCA (Young Men's Christian Association)

810 E Second Äve. P.O. Box 727 Rome, GA 30162 Phone: 706-232-2468 Fax: 706-232-2662 Contact: Jim Williams, Director Hours: 5am -9pm, Mon - Fri Fees: Membership and class fees, scholarships for those unable to pay Eligibility No restrictions Services: Recreational programs for members and non-members, ages three to adult, include:

- Summer camps
- Swimming and aerobic classes
- Exercise programs for older adults
- · Preschool and after school activities
- Sports programs for young people, including basketball, indoor track, exercise equipment, pool, racquetball

Bartow County Frank Moore Administration and Judicial Building 135 W. Cherokee Ave. Cartersville, GA 30120

770-387-5000

TDD: 770-387-5034

www.bartowga.org

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County Departments

Ambulance Service Animal Shelter Building Inspections Building Maintenance Cooperative Extension Court Reporters Facilities Manager Fire Department Grant Writing Emergency Management Engineer Human Resources Information Systems Juror's Information Juvenile Court Judge Keep Bartow Beautiful Natural Resource Conservation	770-387-5160 770-387-5153 770-387-5005 770-387-5180 770-387-5142 770-387-5128 770-387-5022 770-387-5022 770-387-5089 770-387-5089 770-387-5089 770-387-5007 770-387-5015 770-387-5131 770-387-5139 770-387-5189
Keep Bartow Beautiful	
Natural Resource Conservation Law Clerk Parks and Recreation Gatewood Park	770-387-5189 770-387-5121 770-387-5149 770-387-5163

Carver Park	770-974-6053
Roads and Revenue	770-387-5140
Rose Lawn Museum	770-387-5162
Senior Citizens Centers:	
Beaver Drive	770-387-5134
Zena Drive	770-387-5166
Sheriff's Department	770-382-5050
Anonymous Tips	770-386-1200
Social Services/Indigent Care	770-387-5133
Solid Waste	770-387-5145
Enforcement	770-387-5187
Recycling	770-387-5100
Tag Office	770-387-5112
Tax Assessor	770-387-5090
Tax Commissioner	770-387-5111
Transit	770-387-5165
Voter Registration	770-387-5098
Zoning	770-387-5007
Structural Numbering	770-387-5010

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City Services

Building Inspections Business License Cartersville FiberCom Cartersville School Board Primary School Elementary School Middle School High School Cemetery	770-387-5600 770-387-5600 770-607-6380 770-382-5880 770-382-1733 770-382-0983 770-382-32666 770-382-3200 770-387-5604	1 N. Erwin St. 1 S. Nelson St.
City Garage	770-387-5640	500 S. Tennessee St.
Code Enforcement	770-387-5610	10 N. Public Square
Convention and Visitors Bureau	770-387-1357	1 Friendship Plaza
Customer Service / Utility Billing	770-387-5604	10 N. Public Square
Downtown Development Authority	770-607-3480	1 Friendship Plaza
Economic Development	770-382-1466	122 W. Main St.
Electric System	770-387-5631	320 S. Erwin St.
Finance Director	770-387-5672	1 N. Erwin St.
Fire Chief and Employees	770-387-5635	19 N. Erwin St.
Gas System	770-387-5642	4 Cook St.
Historic Preservation	770-387-5661	
Parks and Recreation	770-387-5626	100 Pine Grove Rd.
Civic Center	770-387-5625	
Dellinger Park	770-387-5626	
Gymnastics	770-387-5629	
Tennis Center	770-387-5628	
Planning and Development	770-387-5600	10 N. Public Square
Police Department – Non-emergency	770-382-2526	178 W. Main St.
Police Chief	770-387-5645	
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Voter Registration	770-387-5098	105 N. Bartow St.
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