

# BARROW COUNTY

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# RESOURCE GUIDE



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**YOUR GO-TO GUIDE FOR**

- LOCAL GOVERNMENT
  - HOUSING & FOOD ASSISTANCE
  - VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES
  - ALCOHOL & SUBSTANCE ABUSE
  - CHILDCARE SERVICES
  - POWER, GAS & OTHER UTILITIES
- ...AND MUCH MORE!

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## JOIN OUR MONTHLY COLLABORATIVE MEETINGS!

THE COLLABORATIVE MEETING IS A MONTHLY GATHERING OF LOCAL BUSINESSES, NONPROFITS (INCLUDING CHURCHES), SCHOOL SYSTEM EMPLOYEES, SOCIAL WORKERS, AND VARIOUS LOCAL GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES TO NETWORK LEARN, AND BRAINSTORM ON HOW TO IMPROVE THE QUALITY OF LIFE FOR BARROW COUNTY RESIDENTS.

IN SHORT, WE GET TOGETHER & DEVELOP LOCAL STRATEGIES TO SOLVE LOCAL PROBLEMS (AND LUNCH IS ALWAYS PROVIDED)

# IMPORTANT BARROW COUNTY NUMBERS

## CITY HALL LISTINGS

- Auburn 770-963-4002
- Bethlehem 770-867-0702
- Braselton 706-654-3915
- Carl 770-867-1308
- Statham 770-725-5455
- Winder 770-867-3106



## MOST SEARCHED NUMBERS

- Animal Control 770-307-3012
- Board of Commissioners 770-307-3005
- Chamber of Commerce 770-867-9444
- Extension Service 770-307-3029
- License and Permits 770-307-3045
- Magistrate Judge 770-307-3050
- Probate Judge 770-307-3045
- Senior Citizens Center 770-307-3025
- Sheriff's Office 770-307-3080
- Tax Assessor 770-307-3108
- Tax Commissioner 770-307-3106
- Voter Registration 770-307-3110
- Winder Public Library 770-867-2762
- Auburn Public Library 770-513-2925
- Statham Public Library 770-725-4785

## COMMUNITY ASSISTANCE

- Barrow County Emergency Services 770-307-2987
- Northeast Georgia Medical Center Barrow 770-867-3400
- Federal Bureau of Investigation (Gainesville) 770-534-5111
- Forest Fire 706-367-8480
- Game and Fish Violation 800-241-4113
- Georgia Crisis Access Line (GCAL) 800-715-4225
- Georgia Poison Center 800-222-1222
- Governor's Drug Abuse Helpline 800-338-6745
- National Response Center 800-424-8802
- Georgia State Patrol (Athens) 706-542-4439
- Georgia State Patrol (Gainesville) 770-535-6922
- Braselton Police 706-658-2852
- Statham Police 770-725-5992
- Winder Fire 770-867-3212
- Winder Police 770-867-2156



## US POST OFFICES

Auburn	(30011)	770-963-6081
Bethlehem	(30620)	770-867-7620
Braselton	(30517)	706-654-3301
Hoschton	(30548)	706-654-3168
Statham	(30666)	770-725-8940
Winder	(30680)	770-867-9266



## CITY OF WINDER

For inquires to the Billing Department, Community Center or Cultural Arts Center 770-867-3106  
 Administration 678-425-6805  
 Code Enforcement 770-867-2156  
 Events 678-425-6805  
 Housing Authority 770-867-7495  
 Inspection Office 770-867-3510  
 License and Permitting 770-867-3510  
 Mayor's Office 678-425-6801  
 Municipal Court 678-425-6883  
 Planning & Zoning 770-867-3510  
 Public Works 770-868-0863

## UTILITIES DEPARTMENT

Garbage & Maintenance	706-867-6068
Gas Department	770-867-7629
Water Department	770-867-7978
Treatment Plant 1	770-867-7033
Treatment Plant 2	770-867-9866



## BARROW COUNTY GOVERNMENT OFFICES & SUPPORT SERVICES

Main Line	770-307-3000	Licenses, Permits,	
Action, Inc.	770-307-3026	Zoning & Inspections	770-307-3021
Airport Authority	770-307-3013	Magistrate Judge	770-307-3050
Business Office	770-307-2987	Maintenance Buildings & Grounds	770-307-3023
Billing Office	770-307-3014	Maintenance Shop	770-302-3099
Animal Control	770-307-3012	Mental Retardation Service Center	
Child Development Center	770-867-7771	(Advantage)	770-868-4150
Clerk of Commissioners	770-307-3005	Museum	770-307-1183
Cooperative Extension	770-307-3029	Operation	770-307-3113
Coroner's Office	770-307-3109	Planning Zoning Dept	770-307-3034
Dept of Family & Children Services		Probate Judge	770-307-3045
(DFCS)	770-868-4222	Probation Offices	770-963-7020
Dispatch Office	770-307-4911	Public Works Director	770-868-1837
Elections & Voters Registration	770-307-3110	Engineering	770-867-0664
Emergency Management Agency	770-307-2987	Storm Water	770-307-3070
Financing & Purchasing	770-307-2987	Road Maintenance	770-307-3075
Georgia Forestry		Senior Citizens Center	770-307-3025
-Winder	770-868-4041	Sheriff's Office	770-307-3084
GIS Addressing	770-307-3108	Superior Court- Piedmont Circuit	
Barrow County Health Dept	770-307-3011	Clerk of Superior Court	770-307-3035
After Hours	770-868-2810	District Attorney	770-307-3040
Human Resource	770-307-3114	Judges	770-307-3032
Juvenile Justice Dept	770-868-4010	Tax Assessor & Appraiser	770-307-3108
Keep Barrow Beautiful	770-307-3000 x.4193	Tax Commissioner and Tags	770-307-3106
Leisure Services	770-307-3024	TDD Users (Hearing Impaired)	770-307-4998
		Water & Sewer Authority	770-307-3014



**BARROW COUNTY**  
*Georgia*

# STATE & FEDERAL NUMBERS

## US GOVERNMENT OFFICES

Consumer Affairs Governor's Office	
Complaint Intake Center	800-869-1123
Administrative Office	404-656-3790
Internal Revenue Federal	
Tax Forms Only	800-829-3676
Fed. Tax Information & Assistance	800-829-1040
TDD Assistance for Deaf	800-829-4059
Problem Resolution Office	800-829-1040
Secret Service Field OFC-Atlanta	404-331-6111
Social Security Administration	800-772-1213
Nat. Resource Conservation Serv.	706-384-3855
US Dept of Ag. Natural Resources	706-886-8223
US Post Office	800-275-8777
Visit <a href="http://www.usps.com">www.usps.com</a>	
TTY-Hearing	877-889-2457

## GEORGIA STATE GOVERNMENT

State Government Directory Assistance	866-411-7322
Consumer Affairs Governor's Office	
Complaint Intake Center	404-651-8600
Administrative Offices	404-656-3790
Defense Dept of Aviation Support Facilities	
Winder Airport	770-867-6214
National Guard Headquarters	770-867-2239
Fort Yargo State Park Office	770-867-3489
Manager Residence	770-867-3609
Assistant Manager Residence	770-867-3861
Senior Park Ranger Residence	770-867-8636
Forest Fires & Burning Permit	
Barrow-Jackson Forestry Unit	706-367-8480
Clarke-Oconee Forestry Unit	706-542-9611
Morgan-Walton Forestry Unit	706-342-1421
Phillip H Grace Group Home- Fort Yargo State Park	770-868-4030
Georgia Forestry Commission Athens District Office	706-542-6880
Department of Juvenile Justice	770-868-4010
Child Abuse-Child Neglect Reporting (24 Hour)	1-855 GA Child (1-855.422-4453)
Advantage Behavioral Health System	770-868-4150
Child Support Recovery	770-868-4180
Dept. of Family & Children Services	770-868-4222
Lanier Technical College	
Winder-Barrow Campus	770-297-4500
Adult Education Center (Wimberly Center)	770-531-3360
Student Services	770-868-4067
Instructional Services	770-868-4087
Jackson Campus	706-335-1931
National Guard-Army	
Support Facility (BAARNG)	770-867-6214
Winder-Barrow Airport	770-867-2239
Georgia Department of Corrections Probation Office	770-307-1832



## AGING

AARP Georgia office  
866-295-7281

Visit <http://local.aarp.org/winder-ga/>

Services: Free legal services for members, discounted legal fees, discount eyewear.

Aging Resource Center  
706-583-2546

Visit <https://www.georgiaadrc.com>

Northeast Georgia Area Agency on Aging  
Serving 12 counties including Barrow

In-home services for seniors.

800-474-7540

305 Research Drive, Athens, GA

<https://www.georgiaadrc.com/>

Athens Community Council on Aging

706-549-4850

Barrow County

678-425-0718

Visit <http://www.accaging.org/>

Adult Day Health, Center for Active Living ,  
GeorgiaCares, Geriatric Care Management,  
Grandparents Raising Grandchildren, Long Term Care  
Ombudsman, Meals on Wheels, Senior Community  
Service Employment Program, Senior Corps, and  
Transportation.

Adult Protective Services

1-866-55AGING (1-866-552-4464) - Press "3"

Reports can be made online

<https://aging.georgia.gov/adult-protective-services-aps>  
or by calling Call us toll-free: 1-866-55AGING (1-866-  
552-4464) - Press "3"

Local services and information can be accessed  
through the Aging and Disability Resource Connection:  
866-552-4464

<https://www.georgiaadrc.com/>



Barrow County Senior Citizens Center  
770-307-3025

<http://www.facebook.com/BarrowSeniors>

The Senior Citizens Center provides many programs for the county resident adults 60 years old and over, including billiards, bingo, cards, daily lunches, day & overnight trips, fitness classes, evening activities, guest speakers, health screenings, and more. Operating hours are 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Monday through Friday. The Center is also responsible for delivering meals to home-bound citizens on a daily basis through the Meals on Wheels program.

Elder Legal Assistance Program  
706-369-7147

Provides legal assistance to elder citizens

EyeCare America  
1-800-222-3937

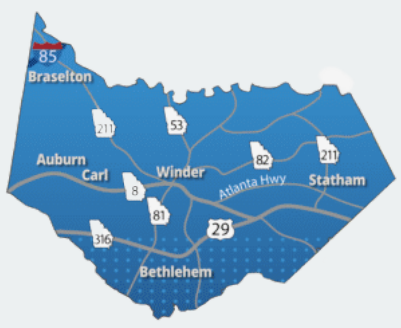
Senior eye care program  
1-877-887-6327

Source Care Management  
706-543-8460

Visit <http://www.nextstepcare.org/>  
Enhanced Case Management, Personal Support Service: assists with daily living needs such as personal care and chore service. Home Delivered Meals: Meals on Wheels in Barrow County, or weekly delivery by Georgia Foods, Emergency Response Systems, Respite for Caregivers, Transportation, Adult Day Health services, Assisted Living Facilities. Accepts Medicaid.



# AFFORDABLE HOUSING IN BARROW COUNTY



**WINDER HOUSING AUTHORITY**  
**8 total properties**  
 Main Office: 163 MLK Jr. Dr.  
 Winder, GA 30680  
 770.867.7495  
 1-4 Bedrooms  
[www.winderhousing.com](http://www.winderhousing.com)



**MAINSTREET WINDER**  
 454 Jefferson HWY  
 Winder, GA 30680  
 770.791.0076  
 1-2 Bedrooms  
[www.onestreetres.com](http://www.onestreetres.com)



**THE EXCHANGE APARTMENTS**  
 839 Exchange Circle  
 Bethlehem, GA 30620  
 678.871.0839  
 1-3 Bedrooms  
[www.theexchangeapthomes.com/](http://www.theexchangeapthomes.com/)

**FARMINGTON HILLS**  
 1506 Farmington Way  
 Winder, GA 30680  
 770.307.0224  
 1-3 Bedrooms  
[tbgresidential.com/farmingtonhills](http://tbgresidential.com/farmingtonhills)

**WISE COURT**  
 MONROE HOUSING AUTHORITY  
 Wise Court  
 Statham, GA  
 770.267.6591  
[www.monroeha.org](http://www.monroeha.org)

# AFFORDABLE HOUSING CONT'D

## FAIR HOUSING RESOURCES

<https://www.dca.ga.gov/safe-affordable-housing>

- Homeownership
- Rental Housing Assistance
- Homeless and Special Needs Housing

## U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING & URBAN DEVELOPMENT

<https://www.hud.gov/findshelter>

- Find Homeless Assistance
- Food Pantries
- Health Clinics
- Clothing



## BROOKWOOD TOWNHOMES

124 Second St.  
Winder, GA 30680  
678.900.1533

1-3 Bedrooms  
[www.brookwoodtownhomes.com/en/](http://www.brookwoodtownhomes.com/en/)

## HILLCREST APARTMENTS

490 Gainesville HWY  
Winder, GA 30680  
770.867.4007

1-2 Bedrooms  
[www.hillcrestapartments.com](http://www.hillcrestapartments.com)

## ROCK SPRINGS APARTMENTS

187 S. Broad St.  
Winder, GA 30680  
770.867.8574

1-2 Bedrooms  
[https://invmt.com/portfolio\\_page/rock-springs/](https://invmt.com/portfolio_page/rock-springs/)

## WINDER VILLAS

291 Apperson Drive  
Winder, GA 30680  
770.847.7117

1-2 Bedrooms  
[www.windervillas.com](http://www.windervillas.com)

Georgia Housing Search  
[www.georgiahousingsearch.org](http://www.georgiahousingsearch.org)

Georgia DCA Homebuyers Program  
<https://www.dca.ga.gov/safe-affordable-housing/homeownership/georgia-dream/homebuyers>

## ALCOHOL & SUBSTANCE ABUSE



Addiction Evaluations, Inc  
770-426-7511

Conducts evaluations for alcohol/chemical dependency, anger/violence, mental health, sexual offenses, probation/parole revocation and obsessive/compulsive behavior. Payment plans available. No one refused services for inability to pay.

Advantage Behavioral Health  
706-369-6363  
EMERGENCY CRISIS LINE  
800-715-4225

Visit <http://www.advantagebhs.org/>  
Individual, group and family therapy, psychiatric assessment and care, nursing assessment, assistance with medication costs, substance abuse counseling, and community support services. Accepts private insurance and Medicaid. Services on a sliding fee scale for uninsured.

Al-Anon Women's Group  
706-389-4164  
Visit <http://ga-al-anon.org/>

Alcohol Abuse Focus on Recovery and Treatment Hotline  
877-233-2034

Visit <http://americanaddictioncenters.org/>  
Hotline serving Georgia with information on alcohol and substance abuse treatment, resource programs, treatment/referrals, residential treatment facility. Accepts private insurance, Medicare and Medicaid.

Alcoholics Anonymous (Athens area)  
706-389-4164

Visit <http://www.athensaa.org/>  
Please call for meeting times and locations.

Alcohol and Drug Helpline  
800-252-6465  
Visit <http://adcare.com/>

Community Connection 211  
211 or 706-353-1313  
Visit <http://communityconnection211.org/>

DrugRehab.com  
Visit  
<https://www.drugrehab.com/georgia/atlanta/>

Georgia Crisis Line  
800-715-4225  
Visit <http://www.mygcal.com/>

Georgia Family Link  
Visit [www.gafamilylink.net](http://www.gafamilylink.net)  
Programs across Georgia that promote the well-being of children and families (by county).

LaurelWood (Gainesville, Georgia)  
800-848-3649

Visit <http://www.nghs.com/mental-health-services> 770-219-3800  
Inpatient and outpatient services for adults and adolescents needing mental health and/or substance abuse treatment. Offers free initial assessment.



Lifetime Counseling  
678-425-9007

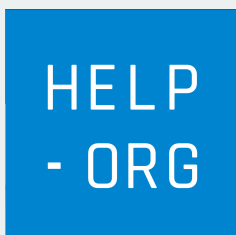
Visit <http://www.lifetimecounseling.com/>  
Clinical Evaluations, Alcohol/Drug Assessments and Counseling, Anger Management Assessments and Counseling, FVA Intervention Program, Parenting and Life Skills Counseling, Individual Counseling, Child and Teen Behavioral Counseling, Couples and Family Counseling, PTSD, Anxiety Depression and Grief Counseling.

MADD – Mothers Against Drunk Driving  
706-369-6363  
Visit <http://www.madd.org/>

Project Adam Community Assistance Center  
770-867-8003  
Visit <http://www.projectadam.org/>  
Residential substance abuse program for males (age 19 and older), DUI school, group treatment, industrial drug testing, defensive driving, adolescent outpatient services for substance abuse, anger management for adolescents and adults. Call for female referrals.

Tobacco Quit Line  
877-270-STOP

Help.Org  
<https://www.help.org/substance-abuse-rehab-for-veterans>.  
'At Help.org, our mission is to make the latest research together with proven, relational methods of overcoming addiction accessible to all those struggling with addiction, as well as those who have been hurt or impacted by someone else struggle



The Council on Alcohol and Drugs, Inc.  
770-725-1837

Visit [www.livedrugfree.org](http://www.livedrugfree.org)

The Council on Alcohol and Drugs is a 40+ year-old nonprofit, 501(c)3 substance abuse prevention and education agency that develops programs and materials based on the most current research on drug use and its impact on community. The council serves the community through high-quality services and effective prevention programs. They have a range of educational programs and services designed to engage children and teens, address the needs of parents, and to provide employers, educators, health professionals, policy-makers and the media with authoritative information on tobacco, alcohol and other drugs.

Summit Ridge Center for Behavioral Health  
770-822-2200

Visit <http://www.summitridgehospital.net/>  
Assessments available 24 hours/7 days a week.

# Project ADAM

# ASSISTANCE

## FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

ACTION Inc.

See Page TBD for more info.

770-867-7495 Ext. 1400

Visit <http://www.actionathens.org>

ACTION works with individuals who have experienced a crisis situation in their lives that has caused them financial hardship. Examples are the loss of a job or other loss of income that has occurred within the past 60 days, through no fault of the individual. Additional extenuating situations may include incurring unforeseen medical bills, automobile repair, and funeral costs due to a death in the immediate family. All assistance requests require validation as well as required documentation; a list of required documentation may be obtained by calling our county office. Our County Coordinator is available for budget, rental, employment, housing counseling, educational counseling.

Primarily, our goal is to work with individuals on a long-term basis to help them move their lives forward, through education and education-based training opportunities.

American Red Cross, East Georgia Chapter  
706-353-1645

Visit

<http://www.redcross.org/local/georgia/locations/northeast-georgia>

Provides relief to area residents affected by disaster (fire, flood, or tornado.) The Red Cross can offer several nights of shelter in a local hotel, financial assistance for clothing, as well as someone to be supportive during a time of crisis.

Church of the Month (DFCS)  
770-868-4222

The “Church of the Month” can possibly help. There is a different church each month so you must call at the first of the month to find out which church is helping.

Clearpoint Credit Counseling Service  
800-251-2227

Visit [www.cccsinc.org](http://www.cccsinc.org)

Provides financial crisis counseling and budgeting advice. Available 24/7.

Operation Roundup (Walton EMC)  
770-267-2505

Provides financial assistance to Jackson, Barrow and surrounding areas. You do not have to be a Jackson EMC Customer. Applications on a monthly basis.

Project SHARE (DFCS)  
770-868-4222

Visit <http://projectshareinfo.com/where-to-apply/>  
A program designed to help elderly, families and others with emergency assistance such as rent, utility and food referrals. Call DFCS and ask for Project SHARE for assistance.

Salvation Army (Gainesville)  
770-534-7589

Visit <http://salvationarmygeorgia.org/gainesville/>



## FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE CONTINUED

St. Vincent de Paul (St. Matthew's Catholic Church)  
770-868-5100

Visit <http://saintmatthewcc.org/>

Helps with utility payments, food, and children's clothing. Call to make an appointment and leave the following information and a volunteer will call you back: Name, Address, Phone Number, amount needed to pay bill, and cutoff date of utilities.

Scana Energy Regulated Division  
866-245-7742

Visit <https://www.scanaenergyregulated.com/>

Program for significantly lower natural gas costs for those who qualify.

Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)  
770-868-4222

A work program that helps families move from assistance to self sufficiency. Apply at DFCS.

The ARK—United Ministry Outreach Center  
(Athens area) 706-548-8155

Visit <http://www.athensark.org/>

Can provide assistance to families outside Athens with a referral from the local Action office. Financial aid may be provided for necessities or referrals made to agencies.

Catholic Charities/St. Joseph  
706-549-4208

Visit <http://stjosephathens.org/st-joseph-charities>

Provides support and assistance to low-income families, Offers information and referral services, English as a second language, job readiness training and referrals, social advocacy, counseling. To receive assistance you MUST call the St. Joseph Charities office during their office hours and make an appointment.

## FOOD ASSISTANCE



Feeding Barrow

[shannon.derrick@barrow.k12.ga.us](mailto:shannon.derrick@barrow.k12.ga.us)

Every week Food 2 Kids distributes sacks of kid-friendly food, enough for at least six meals, to children who might not otherwise have enough to eat over the weekend.

WIC Program (Health Department) 770-307-3011  
Visit <http://publichealthathens.com/wp/clinics/health-departments/barrow-county/>

Provides nutritional education, food vouchers (supplements) and referrals to health care providers for eligible pregnant, breastfeeding and postpartum women, infants and children up to age 5.

Little Food Pantries of Barrow  
<https://bit.ly/LittleFreePantriesofBarrow>

Barrow Co. Cooperative Benevolence Ministries  
Mobile Food Pantry Thursdays:  
4th Thursday of most months.  
8am Holly Hill Mall, Winder

House of Bread Food Pantry  
Bethlehem First United Methodist Church  
The name Bethlehem literally means "House of Bread". At BFUMC, we not only want to feed spiritually, but also physically by meeting the needs of hunger in our community. House of Bread distributes food boxes on the 1st Saturday of the month from 9:30 -11:30 AM.

Food Stamps  
770-868-4222

Visit <https://dfcs.georgia.gov/location/barrow-county>  
Assistance program that act as a food supplement to household. Must apply at DFCS

## HOMELESSNESS



### Salvation Army (Athens)

706-543-5350

Visit <http://salvationarmygeorgia.org/athens/>

Location: 484 Hawthorne Ave. Athens, GA 30606

Services: Offer financial assistance, men and women's shelter, soup kitchen.

### Salvation Army (Gainesville) 770-534-7589

After-hours hotline: 770-531-0135

Visit <http://salvationarmygeorgia.org/gainesville/>

Services: Offer financial assistance, men and women's shelter, soup kitchen.

### North East Georgia Homeless Veterans Shelter (Formerly The Light Community Outreach Center) 678-963-0790

Visit <https://www.facebook.com/neghvs/>

Services: The Northeast Georgia Homeless shelter is the only shelter for homeless Veterans in northeast Georgia. Our board of directors consists of Veterans and their family members. The shelter was formerly a general homeless shelter that had been providing services for 8 years. It's residents were men over the age of 18.

Athens Area Homeless Shelter  
706-354-0423 Fax: 706-354-4226

Visit <http://helathenshomeless.org/>

Services: Athens Area Homeless Shelter provides collaborative, comprehensive services to homeless individuals and families working toward sustainable independence.

Athens Nurses Clinic (Athens)  
706-613-6976

Visit <http://athensnursesclinic.org/wp/>

Services: A clinic for homeless or potentially homeless individuals who cannot afford medical care.

Interfaith Hospitality  
706-425-1881

Visit <http://www.ihnathens.org>

Services: Shelter for families with children. Transportation and child care while in shelter. General outreach for families with children.

Project Safe - Athens Area 706-543-3331  
Hawthorne Ave: 706-425-8863

Gaines School Rd: 706-552-2345

Visit <http://www.project-safe.org/>

Services: Project Safe is a 501c3 non profit organization working to end domestic violence through prevention and educational programs, crisis intervention, ongoing supportive services for survivors of domestic violence and their children, and advocacy/ systems change work in our community. Project Safe is a routing point for a national hotline and assist women and children from across Georgia and out of state.



**PROJECT SAFE**  
working to end domestic violence

Our Hotline  
(706) 543-3331

## CLOTHING & CHILDREN'S NEEDS

### Atlanta Mission - Winder Thrift Store

706-357-9243

141 West May Street, Winder, Georgia 30680

Visit <http://www.atlantamission.org>

Services: Baby Clothes, furniture

### Barrow Ministry Village.

678-425-1215

<http://www.barrowministryvillage.org/>

Provide clothing and food resources to foster families and grandparents raising grandchildren.

BMV also provides counseling for various issues ranging from Play Therapy with young children up through adults.

### Christian Outreach Ministries (Commerce)

706-335-6084

Services: Help with baby/children's clothing, furniture, etc). Must complete application.

### Come Alive Ministries

770-867-3000

Visit <http://www.come-alive.org/>

Services: Support for new and pregnant mothers. Maternity clothes, etc.

### Goodwill Thrift Store

678-425-2293

Visit <http://www.goodwill.org/>

Services: Located in the Winder Corner's Shopping Center. Clothing, furniture, etc.

### Grandparents Raising Grandchildren

706-549-4850

Athens Community Council on Aging, Inc.

Visit [www.accaging.org](http://www.accaging.org)

Services: Case Management, Caregiver Support Group, Children Support Groups, Parent Education, Transportation, Information and Referral, Nursing Services and Emergency Aid.



### Helping Hands Ministries

706-215-6171

Visit [www.hhmin.org](http://www.hhmin.org)

Email: [helpinghands.ministries@yahoo.com](mailto:helpinghands.ministries@yahoo.com)

Services: Greatly reduced or free baby items (clothes, car seats)

### Peace Place Thrift Store (Arcade)

706-387-5006

Visit [http://peaceplaceinc.org/thrift\\_store.html](http://peaceplaceinc.org/thrift_store.html)

Peace Place operates 10,000 square foot Thrift Store featuring clothing, books, games, household items, furniture and accessories at bargain prices.

### SYTGE Outreach Ministry Thrift store

& Food Assistance Program

770-586-0136

Provide emergency food assistance & four other food programs. Also have back to school program where kids who are on free or reduced lunch pick up food for the weekend on Fridays.

### The Clothes Closet

Visit <https://www.facebook.com/Barrow-Co-Cooperative-Benevolence-Ministries-inc-BCCBM-141436515951180/?fref=ts>

Services: Low cost clothing. 45 Candler St in Winder.



Child Care Referrals -211

Bright from the Start  
(State agency licensing centers)

Visit <http://dec.al.ga.gov/>

Visit this site for family daycare (in home), Lottery funded Pre-K centers, Group Daycare

Cribs to Crayons - Winder  
770-868-5437

Easter Seals Child Development Center at  
Winder  
37 S. Center St.  
Winder, GA  
470-429-2100  
email: [sarmour@esng.org](mailto:sarmour@esng.org)

Discovery Point- Braselton  
770-586-5144  
Visit <http://libertychurch.discoverypoint.com/>

Early Learning Center 770-307-3027  
Visit <https://www.ymcaatlanta.org/program-locations/early-learning/winder/>

Happy Hour Child Care Center - Winder  
770-867-2860

Kidz Academy - Winder  
770-867-5439  
Lottery Pre-K  
Visit <http://www.kidzacademy.net/>

Learn 'n Play - Winder  
770-867-4996  
Lottery Pre-K  
Visit <http://www.learnnplayacademy.com/>



Mommy's Cottage - Winder  
770-867-8599

Old Peachtree Montessori - Auburn  
770-963-3052  
Visit <http://opmontessori.com/>

Sikes Rocking Horse Ranch - Auburn  
770-822-5683  
Lottery Pre-K

Starlight Academy - Winder  
770-307-0034

Satham Helping Hands - Satham  
770-725-4448

Tender Years Learning Center - Winder  
770-867-5811  
Lottery PreK

YMCA  
770-868-2917

Visit <http://www.gapiedmontymca.org/>

Services: Afterschool and Before the Bell Programs.



Adults Protecting Children, Inc.  
770-789-3879

Visit <http://adultsprotectingchildren.org/>  
Mission: Adults Protecting Children, Inc. provides training that gives parents and organizations the tools they need to prevent, recognize and react responsibly to child sexual abuse.

Family Violence Clinic – Barrow DA Office  
770-307-3040

Visit <http://www.countyoffice.org/ga-barrow-county-district-attorney/>  
Services: Assists victims who have been abused, battered or assaulted. Services are non-fee based but client must meet economic guidelines.

Peace Place (24/7 hotline help available)  
770-586-0927

Visit <http://www.peaceplaceinc.org/>  
Services: Safe shelter for battered women and their children; case management services including referral to housing, job placement, education and health services; support groups/counseling and TPO assistance.

Piedmont Rape Crisis Center  
770-586-5423

Visit <http://piedmontrapecrisis.org/>  
Services: Offers support to adult survivors of sexual assault and their families.

Project Safe  
706-549-0922

Visit <http://www.project-safe.org/domestic-violence/>  
Services: Provides services to families affected by domestic violence through crisis intervention, ongoing supportive services, systems change work, and prevention and education in the community.

Samaritan Center for Counseling and Wellness  
Athens  
706-369-7911

Visit <http://www.samaritannega.org/>  
Mission: Incorporate the elements of mind, body, spirit and community into counseling, psychotherapy, education, wellness and consultative services for all who seek emotional wellbeing without regard for ability to pay.

The Cottage  
706-546-1133

Crisis Hotline: 706-353-1912 or 800-363-1912  
Visit <http://www.northgeorgiacottage.org/>  
Services: Provides services to sexual assault survivors in Northeast Georgia

The Tree House  
770-868-1900

Visit <http://thetreehouseinc.org/>  
Services: offers support and counseling to child victims of sexual assault/abuse. Forensic interviewing in conjunction with DFCS and law enforcement.



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RAPE  
CRISIS  
CENTER

## EDUCATION & MENTORING

Adults Protecting Children, Inc.  
770-789-3879

Visit <http://adultsprotectingchildren.org/>

Mission: Adults Protecting Children, Inc. provides training that gives parents and organizations the tools they need to prevent, recognize and react responsibly to child sexual abuse.

Adult Learning Center  
770-531-3361

Visit <https://www.laniertech.edu/adult-education/>

The Barrow County Adult Learning Center provides free adult education classes for High School Equivalency, English as Second Language, and Citizenship classes. A GED test lab is open weekly. Test scholarships are available.

Transportation and daycare services are available at our Winder location. Free classes are also available in Auburn. Founded in 1993, our center has had over 14,000 students pass through the doors. Call today to enroll in the free classes.

Adult Literacy Barrow  
770-531-3369

Visit [www.adultliteracybarrow.org](http://www.adultliteracybarrow.org)

Adult Literacy Barrow (ALB) is a non-profit organization committed to reducing the illiteracy rate in Barrow County. ALB works in partnership with Lanier Technical College to provide the educational resources, scholarships and academic support to create a more literate Barrow County.



Barrow County School System

**Barrow County Board of Education**

Administrative Office 770-867-4527

Visit [www.barrow.k12.ga.us](http://www.barrow.k12.ga.us)

**Barrow County School System Pre-K Lottery**

<http://www.barrow.k12.ga.us/pre-k.htm>

**Apalachee High School** 770-586-5111

<https://www.barrow.k12.ga.us/schools/ahs/index>

**Auburn Elementary School** 770-963-7887

<https://www.barrow.k12.ga.us/schools/aes/index>

**Barrow Arts & Sciences Academy** 770-867-7497

<https://www.barrow.k12.ga.us/schools/basa/index>

**Bear Creek Middle School** 770-725-5575

<https://www.barrow.k12.ga.us/schools/bcms/index>

**Bramlett Elementary School** 770-307-1627

<https://www.barrow.k12.ga.us/schools/bres/index>

**County Line Elementary School** 770-867-2902

<https://www.barrow.k12.ga.us/schools/cles/index>

**Haymon Morris Middle School** 678-963-0602

<https://www.barrow.k12.ga.us/schools/hmms/index>

**Holsenbeck Elementary School** 770-307-1540

<https://www.barrow.k12.ga.us/schools/hes/index>

**Kennedy Elementary School** 770-867-3182

<https://www.barrow.k12.ga.us/schools/kes/index>

**Russell Middle School** 770-867-8181

<https://www.barrow.k12.ga.us/schools/rms/index>

**Sims Academy of Innovation & Technology** 770-867-7467

<https://www.barrow.k12.ga.us/schools/sims-academy/index>

**Statham Elementary School** 770-725-7112

<https://www.barrow.k12.ga.us/schools/ses/index>

**Westside Middle School** 770-307-2972

<https://www.barrow.k12.ga.us/schools/wms/index>

**Winder Barrow High School** 770-867-4519

<https://www.barrow.k12.ga.us/schools/wbhs/index>

**Winder Elementary School** 678-425-2914

<https://www.barrow.k12.ga.us/schools/wes/index>

**Yargo Elementary School** 770-867-1147

<https://www.barrow.k12.ga.us/schools/yes/index>

**Barrow County School System  
Mentoring Program**

Contact Sherri Perry  
sherri.perry@barrow.k12.ga.us  
<https://www.barrow.k12.ga.us/departments/teaching-learning/mentor-program>

**Barrow County School System Dual Enrollment**

Contact Sherri Perry 678-219-3304  
<https://www.barrow.k12.ga.us/departments/teaching-learning/dual-enrollment/index>

Barrow County Christian Academy – Winder  
(Private) 770-867-5746  
<http://www.barrowcountychristianacademy.org/>

**Center for Innovative Teaching (CFIT)**

Contact Lee Bane at  
lee.bane@barrow.k12.ga.us  
678-425-2858  
<https://www.barrow.k12.ga.us/schools/cfit>

Easter Seals North Georgia, Winder  
470-429-2105  
Visit <http://www.easterseals.com/northgeorgia/>

Easter Seals North Georgia, Barrow County  
770-867-6167  
Visit <http://www.easterseals.com/northgeorgia/>

Foothills – Barrow Foothills  
770-867-1711  
Visit <http://www.foothillscharter.org/school-sites/barrow-county-foothills>

The Lead Foundation  
([www.theleadfoundation.org](http://www.theleadfoundation.org)) provides programs for students in middle and high school, ranging from mentoring, leadership development, and strategic service/outreach projects.



Barrow Book Partnership  
[www.facebook.com/BarrowBookPartnership/](http://www.facebook.com/BarrowBookPartnership/)  
A dual approach to improve early literacy skills of Barrow children ages newborn to age 5 by giving parents free books for home and free library cards.

Barrow County Early Head Start  
770-307-3027  
Visit [www.ymcatlanta.org](http://www.ymcatlanta.org)

Bethlehem Christian Academy – Bethlehem  
(Private) 770-307-1574  
Visit <http://www.bethlehemchristianacademy.org/>

Georgia Learning Resource System  
706-742-8292  
Visit <http://www.negaresa.org> Ext. 214  
Services: Offers free service to parents and educators of students with disabilities





**ACTION Inc.**  
706-410-5207

**A.C.E.** — Our Achieving Career Excellence program focuses on Special Populations including ex-offenders, veterans, seniors, SNAP recipients and individuals recovering from substance abuse. Participants must be focused on and committed to improving their futures by completing their GED and achieving educational-based training certificates in high demand fields offered through the local Technical Colleges.

**Educational Reentry**  
706-308-9215

—works with former students who dropped out of high school, and will enter Lanier Technical College to achieve their GEDs and enter certification programs in high demand career fields which offer sustainable wages. Participants may choose to pursue certificate and diploma programs offered by Lanier Technical College and other approved programs of study in order to successfully enter the workforce.

**High School Youth**  
770-867-7495 Ext. 1407

— partners with high school students who have a strong desire and commitment to succeed, but may not have a comprehensive support system to help them realize their potential. Our goal is for each student to graduate from high school and go forward to succeed in college, technical school, the military or workforce. Over the past three years, our average graduation success rate has exceeded 94%!

**Opportunities to Excel**  
770-867-7495 Ext. 1406

— focuses on expanding our High School Youth program. Our Career Coaches partner to transition students from High School and into College or Technical College. Nationally, 50% of low-income students who continue on to post-secondary education drop out by the end of their second year, usually due to situations beyond their control. Our goal is to help them realize their potential and achieve success by graduating high school, to continue on to and graduate from College or Technical College, and ultimately succeed in careers offering future progression and sustainable earnings

**Opportunities Now**  
770-267-1361

— focuses on all individuals who are committed to changing their lives, and improving their futures and the futures of their families. By achieving College degrees, Technical School certificates / degrees, or career-specific training programs, these individuals are truly breaking the cycle of poverty!

Barrow County Early Head Start  
770-307-3027  
Visit [www.ymcatlanta.org](http://www.ymcatlanta.org)

Workforce Development Division 706-369-5703  
Visit <https://negrc.org/workforce-development/>  
Services: Management for Workforce Investment Act and Welfare to Work programs by providing assistance to adults, youth, welfare recipients, and dislocated workers. Offers career guidance and job placement assistance.



Northeast Georgia



Georgia Learning Resource System  
706-742-8292

Visit <http://www.negaresa.org> Ext. 214  
Services: Offers free service to parents and educators of students with disabilities.

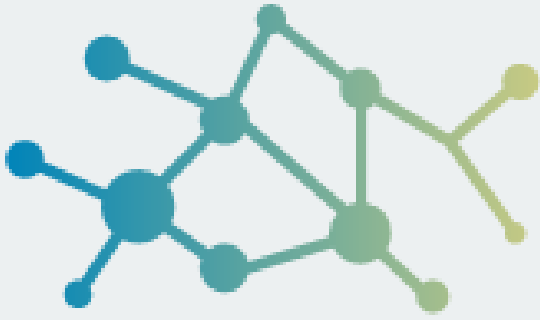
Hometown Rhythms  
(678) 975-2658

In addition to offering private music lessons for the general public, Hometown Rhythms have recently started a program in conjunction with The Peace Place to offer assistance to families in their program by providing subsidized lessons to some students in their program



Lanier Technical College -  
Barrow County 770-297-4500  
Visit <http://www.laniertech.edu/>

Services: Contact school for a full schedule of classes, financial aid, credit program.



# Barrow Jobs

BarrowJobs.com

Your go-to place to post jobs, review resumes and find local employment!

Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF) 770-868-4222

Visit <http://dfcs.dhs.georgia.gov/barrow-county-dfcs-office>

Services: A work program that helps families move from assistance to self-sufficiency. Apply at DFCS office.

Vocational Rehabilitation Program (GA DOL) 706-354-3900

Visit <https://gvra.georgia.gov/vocational-rehabilitation-division>

Services: Assists people with disabilities to locate employment.

Temporary Employment Services

Electrical Technical Staffing 678-425-2188

ETCON 706-367-2017

Infinite Services 770-868-4480

Interim Medical Staffing Solutions 706-654-1581



## BARROW COUNTY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Barrow County Chamber of Commerce

770-867-9444

[barrowchamber.com](http://barrowchamber.com)

Department of Labor

Gainesville office: 770-535-5484

Athens office: 706-583-2550

Visit <http://dol.georgia.gov/>

Services: assist in finding a job, help explore career options and plan your search, learn about unemployment benefits and how to claim benefits, find resources for job seekers with disabilities, how to survive a layoff and veteran's assistance/information.

Hire Dynamics 706-693-2554

Visit <http://hiredynamics.com/locations/jefferson/>

Temporary to Permanent Placement. 80

Enterprise Drive, Pendergrass GA 30567

Branch Manager: Kelli Burrell, Atlanta Regional

Recruiter: Blanche Alford

Goodwill of North Georgia Career Connector

[www.careerconnector.org](http://www.careerconnector.org)



## VETERANS ASSISTANCE



Barrow County Veteran's Resource Center  
470-209-7761

[facebook.com/barrowveterans](https://www.facebook.com/barrowveterans)

The Barrow County Veterans Resource Center is a one-stop-shop for Veterans who need assistance with VA Claims, job searches, housing, PTSD, and more. The center also has Medical Supplies and a Food Pantry.

North East Georgia Homeless Veterans Shelter (Formerly The Light Community Outreach Center) 678-963-0790

Visit <https://www.facebook.com/neghvs/>

Services: The Northeast Georgia Homeless shelter is the only shelter for homeless Veterans in northeast Georgia. Our board of directors consists of Veterans and their family members. The shelter was formerly a general homeless shelter that had been providing services for 8 years. It's residents were men over the age of 18.

Veterans Crisis Line

We're here anytime, day or night – 24/7

If you are a Veteran in crisis or concerned about one, connect with our caring, qualified responders for confidential help.

Many of them are Veterans themselves.

Call 800-273-8255 and press 1

Text 838255

Start a confidential chat

Call TTY if you have hearing loss  
800-799-4889

V.F.W POST 1187- WINDER, GA  
(678) 425-2239 <http://myvfw.org/ga/post1187/>

Provides assistance through VA Claims & Separation Benefits, Financial Grants, Student Veteran Support, VFW Mental Wellness Campaign, Transition & Employment Services

AMVETS  
352-978-3964

[www.amvetspost12.com](http://www.amvetspost12.com)

AMVETS or American Veterans is one of the most respected volunteer-led organizations in the Country. We not only provide support for veterans and the active military in procuring their earned entitlements, but also community services that enhance the quality of life for this Nations Citizens. AMVETS is one of the few organizations that allow active duty personnel to become members, which is more important now than ever.

American Legion Post 163- Statham, GA  
(770) 725-7048

<http://www.americanlegionpost163.org>

The American Legion is the nation's largest wartime veterans service organization aimed at advocating patriotism across the U.S. through diverse programs and member benefits.





## HEALTHCARE

### HEALTH CLINICS

#### ACES - Monroe

770-207-4151

Visit <http://teenmattersathens.com/locations/aces/>

Services: Full service health clinic for teens ages 11-20.

#### Athens Neighborhood Health Center - Athens

706-546-5526

Visit <http://athensneighborhoodhealth.com/>

Services: Provide affordable health care to people in medically underserved areas.

Cost: Sliding fee scale.

#### Athens Nurses Clinic - Athens

706-613-6976

Visit <http://athesnursesclinic.org/wp/>

Services: Clinic for homeless and potentially homeless individuals.

#### Barrow County Health Department

770-307-3011

Visit <http://publichealthathens.com/wp/clinics/health-departments/barrow-county/>

Services: Cardiovascular health, birth control and counseling family planning services (free for teens 18 years and younger), breast exams, mammogram referral, child/infant health screenings, immunizations, nutritional education, pregnancy testing, STD testing, women's health, WIC, and health education services.

Cost: Medicaid, Peach Care, and select insurance are accepted. Most services are available on a sliding fee scale.

### DENTAL

#### Children's Dentistry

678-714-7336

#### Help a Child Smile Dental Bus

770-307-3011

Visit <http://www.hcsga.com/>

Services: Full Dental Service. Accepts Peach Care, Medicaid and private insurance. The mobile van visits public schools.

#### Kwon Pediatric Dentistry

678-714-7575

Visit <http://www.kwonpediatricdentistry.com/>

#### MedLink Family Dental Center

706-423-9291

#### Peachtree Children's Dentistry

770-867-5437

Visit <http://www.peachysmiles.com/>

#### Stansell & Petree Family Dentistry

770-867-2277

<http://www.spfamilydentistry.com/>





133 W. Athens St.  
Winder, GA

# WINDER

Barrow County

Our Winder offices provide quality healthcare for the entire family. In addition to primary care and pediatrics, we offer pharmacy services with the option to pick up curbside.

Other services include diabetes self-management, nutrition counseling, behavioral therapy, occupational & physical therapy, and women's health.



CALL TO SCHEDULE

706.521.3113

[www.medlinkga.org](http://www.medlinkga.org)

We offer quality healthcare regardless of your financial situation. If you need assistance, ask our team about the sliding fee scale or any available community resources!



**PRIMARY CARE**



**PHARMACY**



**DIABETES & NUTRITION**



**WOMEN'S HEALTH**



**REHAB & WELLNESS**

## HOSPITALS

Northeast Georgia Medical Center Barrow  
770-867-3400

Imaging: 770-219-766 or 770-307-5280  
Mammogram: 770-868-5173  
Wound Care Center: 770-307-5348  
Visit [www.nghs.com/barrow](http://www.nghs.com/barrow)

Piedmont Athens Regional Medical Center  
706-475-7000  
Visit <https://www.piedmont.org/locations/piedmont-athens>  
Children's Healthcare of Atlanta  
Visit <http://www.choa.org/>

Egleston Hospital  
404-785-6000  
Visit <http://www.choa.org/about-childrens/locations-and-directions/childrens-egleston>

Gwinnett Medical Center - Lawrenceville  
678-312-1000  
Visit  
<http://www.gwinnettmedicalcenter.org/facilities/gwinnett-medical-center%E2%80%93lawrenceville>

MedLink Winder Healthcare for Women  
678-963-5013



Northeast Georgia Medical Center Braselton  
770-848-8000  
Visit [www.nghs.com/braselton](http://www.nghs.com/braselton)

Northeast Georgia Medical Center Gainesville  
770-219-9000  
Visit [www.nghs.com](http://www.nghs.com)  
Scottish Rite Hospital  
404-785-5252  
Visit <http://www.choa.org/childrens-hospital-services/pediatric-surgery-georgia/locations/childrens-scottish-rite-surgical-services>

St. Mary's Hospital - Athens  
706-389-3000  
Visit <http://www.stmarysathens.org/>



Babies Can't Wait

706-369-6101

678-313-3557

Fax: 706-369-5709

Visit <https://www.bcw-bibs.com/>

Services: Disability testing and early intervention services for children younger than 3.

Children First

800-822-2539

Visit <http://www.childrenfirst-inc.org/>

Services: Assists with child development, immunizations, and health care referrals. Healthy Mothers, Healthy Babies Powerline.

Easter Seals of North Georgia

404-943-1070

Visit <http://www.easterseals.com/northgeorgia/>

Services: Children with disabilities including education, rehabilitation, therapy and health services.

Friends of Disabled Adults and Children (FODAC)

770-491-9014

Visit <http://www.fodac.org/>

Services: Provides refurbished equipment and services for disabled adults and children to improve their overall quality of life. Provides free or low-cost wheelchairs and other durable medical equipment, vehicle and home adaptations. Located in Stone Mountain.



# DeStress 101

## DeStress 101

DeStress 101's services are designed to help clients overcome the challenges of both chronic and acute stress. A variety of modalities may be used and are customized for your needs, including yoga, mindful breathing, supplemental and food coaching. Contact us for wellness workshops, private yoga sessions or exhale!

Yoga Parties for Women. Learn more at <http://destress101.com> or [dedra@destress101.com](mailto:dedra@destress101.com).

MedLink Rehabilitation & Wellness  
770-867-6633

Northeast Georgia Speech Center  
770-534-5141  
<http://www.northeastgeorgiaspeechcenter.com/>  
Services: Provides diagnostic evaluations and therapy for individuals with communication disorders. Offers preschool language program for children (age 3-5) with communication disorders. Referral required from primary physician. Accepts Medicaid, private insurance and private pay.

**NATIONAL**

# SUICIDE PREVENTION

**LIFELINE™**

**I-800-273-TALK**  
**www.suicidepreventionlifeline.org**

Georgia Poison Center  
800-222-1222

Visit <http://www.georgiapoisoncenter.org/>

Commencement Center Alcohol and Drug Helpline  
706-475-5797

Visit <http://www.thecommencementcenter.com/>

Health Information Line  
800-4PD-HELP

Visit <http://publichealthathens.com/wp/about-us/contact-us/>

Nurses 24 Hour Helpline  
404-250-KIDS

Visit <http://cmg-pc.com/after-hours.php>

Quick Doctor Directory

Visit <http://www.webmd.com/>

National Suicide Hotline 800-784-2433

Visit <http://www.suicide.org/index.html>

National Suicide Prevention Lifeline  
800-273-8255

Visit <http://www.suicidepreventionlifeline.org/>

Georgia Crisis and Access Line  
800-715-4255

Visit <http://www.mygcal.com/>

HelpLine Georgia  
800-338-6745

Visit <http://dbhdd.georgia.gov/helpline-georgia>

Powerline

800-822-2539

Visit <https://www.peachcare.org/>

Prevent Child Abuse Georgia  
800-CHILDREN

Visit <http://www.preventchildabuse.org/>

Tobacco Quit Line  
877-270-STOP

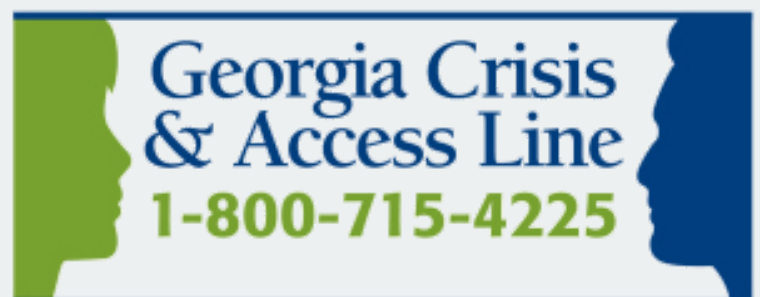
Visit <http://www.ecphd.com/common/content.asp?>

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**Prevent Child Abuse  
America®**

**A CRISIS HAS NO SCHEDULE**





## PEDIATRIC

NGPG Auburn Primary Care - Auburn 770-822-5555  
Visit <https://www.ngpg.org/practice-map/>

Barrow County Health Department 770-307-3011  
Visit <http://publichealthathens.com/wp/clinics/health-departments/barrow-county/>

Braselton Pediatrics 678-820-7979  
Visit <http://www.braseltonpediatrics.com/?view=mobile>

Gwinnett Clinic 770-868-1144  
Visit <http://www.gwinnettclinic.com/>

Medlink - Winder 770-867-6633  
(sliding fee for those who qualify)  
Visit <http://www.medlinkga.org/>

Sunshine Pediatrics - Watkinsville 678-425-0605  
Visit <http://www.sunshine-pediatrics.com/>

Walton Family Medicine - Monroe 770-267-7093  
Visit <http://www.waltonfamilymedicine.com/>

Amerigroup Community Care  
1-800-600-4441  
Visit [www.myamerigroup.com/ga](http://www.myamerigroup.com/ga)

CareSource  
1-855 202-0729  
TTY: 1-800-255-0056 or 711  
[CareSource.com/Georgia](http://CareSource.com/Georgia)

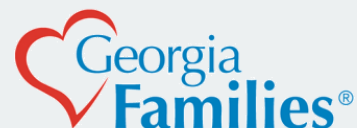
CareSource is the first Non-profit health care plan chosen to serve Georgia Medicaid, Peachcare for Kids, and Planning for Healthy Babies members enrolled in Georgia Families. Our mission is people over profits, and we are committed to providing even more enhanced benefits to help improve the health and well-being of our members.

Georgia Healthy Families 888-423-6765  
Visit [http://www.georgia-families.com/GASelfService/en\\_US/home.htm](http://www.georgia-families.com/GASelfService/en_US/home.htm)

Peach Care for Kids  
877-427-3224  
Visit <https://www.peachcare.org/>  
Services: Healthcare for children not eligible for Medicaid and not covered by other insurance. Applications can be picked up at Health Department or through website.

Peach State Health Plan  
866-874-0633  
Visit <http://www.pshpgeorgia.com/>

WellCare  
866-765-4390  
Visit <https://www.wellcare.com/>



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## VISION

American Foundation for the Blind

800-232-5463

Visit <http://www.afb.org/default.aspx>

Services: Information and referral to persons who are blind or vision impaired.

Center for the Visually Impaired

800-558-5451

Visit <http://www.cviga.org/>

Services: Client services include: professional counseling, support groups, audio bulletin board providing current information on events, diabetes, low vision clinic.

Georgia Lions Lighthouse Foundation

404-325-3630

Visit <https://lionslighthouse.org/>

Services: Provides vision and hearing care to individuals in financial need. Care includes eye exams, eyeglasses, eye surgeries, low vision aids, artificial eyes and hearing aids. Applications available from local Lions Clubs, health department and DFCS.

North Georgia Eye Care

770-867-1913

Visit <http://www.northgeorgiaeyecare.com/>

Wal-Mart Vision Center

770-868-5992

Visit <http://www.walmart.com/cp/Walmart-Vision-Centers/1078944>

Winder Family Vision Clinic

678-425-9415

Visit <http://www.winderfamilyvision.com/>

Winder Noon Lions Club

Visit <http://e-clubhouse.org/sites/windernoonga/>

Winder Eye Care -Vision Source

770-867-2505

Visit <http://visionsource-windereyecare.com/>

## PHARMACY

CVS Pharmacy

Visit <http://www.cvs.com/>

Auburn 770-682-7053

Winder 770-867-7407

Farmer's Hospital Pharmacy 770-867-8812

Prescription Shop 770-867-9072

Ingles - Winder 770-867-7116

Visit <http://www.ingles-markets.com/>

MedLink Winder Pharmacy

678-975-3493/

Northeast Georgia Physicians Group (NGPG)

770-219-9441

<https://www.ngpg.org/>

Publix Pharmacy

Visit <http://www.publix.com/>

Braselton 678-425-6206

Winder 770-307-2906

Rite Aid Pharmacy 770-867-2525

Visit <https://www.riteaid.com/>

Target Pharmacy 678-975-3060

Visit <http://www.target.com/>

Walgreens 678-425-6954

Visit <http://www.walgreens.com/>

Walmart Pharmacy 770-307-1272

Visit <http://www.walmart.com/>

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LEGAL

Barrow County Courts

Juvenile Court 770-307-3035

Probate 770-307-3045

Magistrate 770-307-3050

Superior Court 770-307-3035

Visit <http://www.barrowga.org/>

Child Support Enforcement

877-423-4746

Visit <http://dcss.dhs.georgia.gov/>

Services: Offers assistance in recovering child support.

Department of Juvenile Justice

770-868-4010

Visit <http://www.djj.state.ga.us/>

District Attorney's Office

770-307-3040

Visit

<http://www.barrowga.org/departments/district-attorney/>

Public Defender's Office

770-307-3006

Visit <http://www.barrowga.org/department/public-defender.aspx>

Rx Outreach 800-769-3880

Visit <http://rxoutreach.org/>

Scripts4Less

304-546-3772

Visit <http://www.scripts4less.com/>

Services: Prescription drug discount card

Email: [martin\\_mcknight@hotmail.com](mailto:martin_mcknight@hotmail.com)

United Way of NE Georgia

Discount Prescription Drug Plan

Visit [www.UnitedWayNEGA.org](http://www.UnitedWayNEGA.org)





GHS Laurelwood, Gainesville  
 800-848-3649  
 Visit <http://www.nghs.com/mental-health-services>  
 Services: Inpatient and outpatient services for adults and adolescents needing mental health and/or substance abuse treatment. Offers free initial assessment.

Lifetime Counseling  
 678-425-9007  
 Visit <http://www.lifetimecounseling.com/>  
 Services: Clinical Evaluations, Alcohol & Drug Assessments & Counseling, Anger Management Assessments & Counseling, FVA Intervention Program,

Positive Outcomes - Athens  
 706-546-8440  
 Visit <http://positive-outcomes.com/>  
 Services: Individual counseling, play therapy, behavioral consultations/parent training, group counseling, family therapy, crisis intervention and psychological evaluations.

Samaritan Center for Counseling and Wellness - Athens 706-369-7911  
 Visit <http://www.samaritannega.org/>  
 Mission: Incorporate the elements of mind, body, spirit and community into counseling, psychotherapy, education, wellness and consultative services for all who seek emotional wellbeing without regard for ability to pay.

Advantage Behavioral Health  
 770-868-4150

Visit <http://advantagebhs.org/>  
 Crisis Line 800-357-9774

Services: Individual, group and family therapy, psychiatric assessment and care.

Celebrate Recovery  
 770-867-9255

<http://www.fbcwinder.com/celebraterectomy>

Services: Offers recovery groups through First Baptist Church in Winder.

Children After the Fire  
 Scott Dakin  
 770-307-2987

Services: An education and support program at no charge for children at risk. Offers safety education by BC Fire and Emergency Services and PTSD counseling under the Tree House.

Comprehensive Counseling Services  
 678-425-0975

Visit <http://www.ccswinder.com/>  
 Services: Focus on substance abuse, family violence and life skill development

Devereux Advanced Behavioral Health  
 1291 Stanley Road NW, Kennesaw, GA  
 30152  
 (229) 224-1250

Services: We are a 110 bed, coed Psychiatric Residential Treatment Facility. Treat youth ages 10-21.

Hope Anger Management, INC  
85 W Candler Street Winder, GA 30680  
www.hopeangermanagement.com  
678-900-1255

Services: Anger Management, Family  
Violence Intervention Program, Parenting,  
Anger Management Assessments, Drug and  
alcohol assessment, marriage coaching,  
child & teen behavior, decision making and  
supervise visitation.

MedLink Family Health Center Behavioral  
Health Department - 706-788-2127

National Alliance for Mental Illness (NAMI)  
for Barrow County.

Contact Jeff Langley Phone 770.807.1227  
Email: brojefflangley@gmail.com

The Tree House  
770-868-1900

Visit <http://www.thetreehouseinc.org/>  
Services: Counseling child victims of abuse  
and neglect. Support groups and play  
therapy.

Youth Village Inner Harbour Campus  
770-852-6300

Visit <http://www.youthvillages.org/>  
Services: One of Georgia's largest  
psychiatric residential treatment programs  
for seriously emotionally disturbed children  
and youth. Treats youth 5-18, located in  
Douglasville, GA.



Grandparents Raising Grandchildren- ACCA  
706-549-4850

Visit <http://www.accaging.org/>

Services: Case Management, Caregiver  
Support Group, Children Support Groups,  
Parent Education, Transportation,  
Information and Referral, Nursing Services  
and Emergency Aid

The Social Empowerment Center  
770-925-2095

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Jackson, Walton, Clarke,  
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Stephens, and Hart Counties. We  
accept many private insurances and  
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[www.socialempowermentcenter.com](http://www.socialempowermentcenter.com)  
[socialempowermentcenter@gmail.com](mailto:socialempowermentcenter@gmail.com)



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## RECREATION & WELLNESS

Barrow County Leisure Services  
770-307-3024

Visit <http://www.facebook.com/BarrowLS>

This department organizes numerous youth and adult athletics including adult softball, baseball, basketball, cross country, fastpitch softball, girls volleyball, pickleball, tackle football, track & field, and more. The department manages the newly expanded 120 acre Victor Lord Park, which includes a recreation center with a gymnasium & stage, baseball/softball fields, football/soccer fields, fourteen lighted tennis courts, three concession stands, three playgrounds, three pavilions, and an outdoor walking trail. The department also offers other leisure programs such as fitness classes, tennis lessons, etc., and soccer and cheerleading through parent-run associations.



Barrow County Sheriff's Office  
Explorer Program  
770-307-3080

Visit <http://www.barrowsheriff.com/>

Services: For youth ages 14-20 that have an interest in the law enforcement field. Youth are taught discipline, management, public speaking, and how to actively become citizens through community service projects.



Family Life Center at Winder First United Methodist Church 770-867-4594  
 Visit <http://www.winderfumc.com/flc.html>  
 Services: Recreation and health related programs. Free access to walking track exercise equipment. Based at Winder FUMC.  
 Costs: Call for more information.  
 Scholarships available.

Fort Yargo State Park  
 770-867-3489  
 A 1,816-acre Georgia state park located in Winder. Overnight guests can choose from fully equipped cottages, adventure cabins or cozy campsites. For a more unique experience, visitors can reserve lakeside "glamping" yurts, which are permanent canvas and wooden "tents." Each yurt has furniture and electricity inside and a fire ring, picnic table and grill outside.

A 260 acre lake offers a large swimming beach, fishing and boat ramps. Mountain bikers and hikers can test their endurance on 20.5 miles of trails. The park's wooded disc golf course is exceptionally challenging. Visitors have a choice of numerous facilities for all budgets, ranging from group shelters to lake-view pavilions.  
 Address: 210 S Broad St, Winder, GA 30680  
 Hours: Open · Closes 10PM.

Boys & Girls Club of Winder-Barrow County 770-307-1399  
[www.winderbarrowbgc.com](http://www.winderbarrowbgc.com)  
 163 MLK Jr. Drive, Winder, GA 30680  
 Offers youth development programs and activities for children in first through 12th grades that help youth achieve academic success and develop good character.  
 Transportation provided from select schools. Contact the Club for more info.

City of Auburn Police Department  
 770-963-4002  
 Services: For youth ages 14-20 that have an interest in the law enforcement field. Youth are taught discipline, management, public speaking, and how to actively become citizens through community service projects.

Wimberly's Roots  
 770-867-7495  
 Visit [www.wimberlyroots.com](http://www.wimberlyroots.com) for information about events and cooking and gardening classes for youth & adults.



**Wimberly's Roots**  
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## RECREATION & WELLNESS CONT'D



Girl Scouts of NE Georgia

800-300-4475

Athens 706-548-7297

Visit <https://www.girlscouts.org/>

Winder Public Library 770-867-2762

Auburn Public Library 770-513-2925

Statham Public Library 770-725-4785

Visit <http://prlib.org/>

Books, audiobooks and DVD's are just the beginning. Libraries provide services and materials which will empower you, raise your aspirations, enhance your employability, and build active citizenship and quality of life in the community. Free computer access and wi-fi. Printing and photocopying for nominal fees. Free educational programs and services for all ages, and much more.

YMCA Recreational Programs

770-868-2917

Visit <http://www.gapiedmontymca.org/>

Services: Please call for available programs and cost. Scholarships available.

UGA Cooperative Extension/4-H

770-307-3029

Visit <http://www.caes.uga.edu/extension/barrow/>

Services: Offer classes and information on gardening, farming, horticulture and 4-H and youth programs.

Extra Special People

706-769-9333

Visit <http://extraspecialpeople.com/>

Services: ESP provides continuous learning and leisure summer programs for developmentally disabled youth, young adults, and their families.

R. Harold Harrison Activity & Fitness Center at Bethlehem First United Methodist Church  
The mission of the R. Harold Harrison Activity & Fitness Center at Bethlehem First United Methodist Church is service to people. Our staff and volunteers are here to serve you by providing a place to improve and maintain your quality of life in mind, body, and spirit. Membership is open to the entire community. We also have an Upward Sports Program running at the church with soccer offered in the fall and basketball offered in the winter. Contact Bethlehem First UMC for membership information and pricing or for information regarding our Upward Sports program. (770-867-3727 or [info@bethlehemfirstumc.com](mailto:info@bethlehemfirstumc.com))



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LIBRARY SYSTEM

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## SUPPORT GROUPS

### Diabetes Support Group

Meets every 3rd Monday of each month; 6pm at  
NGMC Barrow Suite 380  
770-307-3011

Visit [www.nghs.com/barrow](http://www.nghs.com/barrow)

### Alzheimer's Association of Greater Georgia

800-272-3900

Visit <http://www.alz.org/georgia/>

Services: Provides information and referral on Alzheimer's disease. Offers support group information and resources for caregivers. Safe Return Program - Nationwide ID System.

### American Cancer Society - Athens

706-549-4893

Visit <http://www.cancer.org/>

Services: Public education, emotional support to individuals with cancer and their families.

### American Parkinson Disease Association

404-325-2020

Visit <http://www.apdaparkinson.org/>

Service: Georgia Chapter – Provide information on Parkinson Disease.

### Autism Society of America Northeast Georgia Chapter

706-208-0066

Visit <http://negac-autsoc.tripod.com/>

### Domestic Violence Support Group for Teens – Peace Place

770-307-3633

Visit <http://www.peaceplaceinc.org/>

### Down's Syndrome Association of Atlanta

404-320-3233

Visit <http://www.dsaatl.org/>

Meeting: Monthly Parent Support Group for parents of children with Down Syndrome.

### Eating Disorders Recovery Center of Athens

706-552-0450

Visit <http://www.eatingdisordersrecoverycenterofathens.com/>

Services: Outpatient treatment center for eating disorders offering group therapy, individual counseling, and nutrition assessment and counseling. Sliding fee scale.

### Friends of Disabled Adults and Children (FODAC)

770-491-9014

Visit <http://www.fodac.org/>

Services: Provides refurbished equipment and services for disabled adults and children to improve their overall quality of life. Provides free or low-cost wheelchairs and other durable medical equipment, vehicle and home adaptations.

Located in Stone Mountain.



## SUPPORT GROUPS CONT'D

# ACCA

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for counseling & wellness

Georgia Asperger's Organization

770-307-0672

Visit

<http://www.georgiaaspergersorganization.org/>

Services: Individuals and families with Asperger's Syndrome and High Functioning Autism.

Georgia SIDS Alliance

800-822-2539

Visit <http://sids.org/>

Services: Bereavement support following the death of an infant, peer support, information and referral, books for parents and siblings coping with grief. Healthy Mothers, Healthy Babies Powerline

Grandparents Raising Grandchildren

706-549-4850

Visit <http://www.accaging.org/grg/>

Services: Case Management, Caregiver Support Group, Children Support Groups, Parent Education, Transportation, Information and Referral, Nursing Services and Emergency Aid.

Care Ministries Grief Support Group

770-867-4594

Visit <http://www.winderfumc.com/careministries.html>

Meeting: Every Wednesday at 6:45 p.m. at FUMC Winder

Multiple Sclerosis Support Group

706-335-1000

Visit <http://www.northridgemc.com/>

Meeting: Northridge Medical Center, Commerce.

Samaritan Center for Counseling and Wellness - Athens 706-369-7911

Visit <http://www.samaritannega.org/>

Mission: Incorporate the elements of mind, body, spirit and community into counseling, psychotherapy, education, wellness and consultative services for all who seek emotional wellbeing without regard for ability to pay

HEROS, Great and Small

770-868-1900

Visit <http://www.thetreehouseinc.org/>

Services: Emotional support and education group for children (ages 5-12) that have been affected by sexual abuse. Please call the Tree House for more information.

Project F.R.E.E

[www.ugaprojectfree.com](http://www.ugaprojectfree.com)

706-542-9004

Project F.R.E.E. (Fostering Relationship and Economic Enrichment) provides free relationship education programs for couples and single parents (who are pregnant or have at least one child 0-17) that focus on enhancing healthy couple and co-parenting relationships and financial capacity.

## TRANSPORTATION

Barrow County Senior Citizens Center  
770-307-3025

Visit <http://www.facebook.com/BarrowSeniors>.

Barrow County School System Transportation  
770-867-2783

<http://www.barrow.k12.ga.us/transportation.html>

DHR Coordinated Transportation (TANF Clients)  
706-227-5306

<http://dhs.georgia.gov/office-facilities-support-services>

Services: provides non-medical transportation for those receiving TANF. Trip order must be submitted to caseworker at 24 hours in advance. Vehicles are wheelchair accessible.

Logisticare, Inc./Southeast Transportation East  
Region 888-224-7988

North Region 866-388-9844

Visit <http://www.pshpgeorgia.com/>

Services: Provides non-emergency medical transportation for Medicaid recipients only. Reservations must be made 3 working days before their appointment to schedule a ride.

# LogistiCare

# NEGRC

NORTHEAST GEORGIA  
REGIONAL COMMISSION

National Senior Transportation

866-528-6278

Visit <http://www.seniortransportation.net/>

Northeast Georgia Regional Commission -  
Athens

706-369-5650

Elder Care 706-583-2546

Visit <http://www.negrc.org/aging.php>

Resource Elder Care Agency

800-677-1116

<http://www.eldercare.gov/eldercare.net/public/resources/topic/Transportation.aspx>

Winder First United Methodist Church

770-867-4594

Service: Transport cancer patients to treatments.

Call for information.





## TRANSITION RESOURCES ASSISTIVE TECHNOLOGY RESOURCES

Assistive Technology can be the tool that allows for success! It can be as simple as a keyboard with larger keys to a communication device. Consider all tools and resources when planning for the transition from school to the adult community for your son/daughter with special needs.

GA	Georgia Project for Assistive Technology	<a href="http://www.gpat.org">www.gpat.org</a>
GA	Tools for Life	<a href="http://www.gatfl.org">www.gatfl.org</a>
Nat'l	Assistive Technology Industry Association (ATIA)	<a href="http://www.atia.org">www.atia.org</a>

## EDUCATION RESOURCES

GA	Georgia Department of Education	<a href="http://www.doe.k12.ga.us">www.doe.k12.ga.us</a>
Nat'l	Educational Resources Information Center (ERIC)	<a href="http://www.eric.ed.gov">www.eric.ed.gov</a>
Nat'l	National Center on Secondary Education and Transition	<a href="http://www.ncset.org">www.ncset.org</a>
Nat'l	National Dropout Prevention Centers	<a href="http://www.dropoutprevention.org">www.dropoutprevention.org</a>
Nat'l	National Information Ctr for Children and Youth w/Disabilities	<a href="http://www.nichcy.org">www.nichcy.org</a>
Nat'l	Office of Special Education Program (OSEP)	<a href="http://www.osepideasthatwork.org/parentkit/">www.osepideasthatwork.org/parentkit/</a>
Nat'l	US Department of Education	<a href="http://www.ed.gov">www.ed.gov</a>

## EMPLOYMENT RESOURCES

The resources below offer a variety of types of employment possibilities for your son/daughter with special needs. Knowing all the possibilities allows you and your son/daughter with special needs to plan for the desired employment outcome.

GA	Benefits Navigator	<a href="http://www.bpaoga.com">www.bpaoga.com</a>
GA	Employment First Georgia	<a href="http://www.employmentfirstgeorgia.org">www.employmentfirstgeorgia.org</a>
GA	Georgia Vocational Rehabilitation Agency	<a href="https://gvra.georgia.gov">https://gvra.georgia.gov</a>
Nat'l	Career Opportunities for Students with Disabilities (COSD)	<a href="http://www.cosdonline.org">www.cosdonline.org</a>
Nat'l	Job Accommodation Network - US Dept of Labor	<a href="http://janweb.icdi.wvu.edu">http://janweb.icdi.wvu.edu</a>
Nat'l	National Collaborative on Workforce and Disability for Youth	<a href="http://www.ncwd-youth.info">www.ncwd-youth.info</a>

## INDEPENDENT LIVING RESOURCES

GA	Statewide Independent Living Council of Georgia	<a href="http://www.silcga.org">www.silcga.org</a>
Nat'l	Independent Living Institute	<a href="http://www.independentliving.org">www.independentliving.org</a>
Nat'l	National Council on Independent Living	<a href="http://www.ncil.org">www.ncil.org</a>

### LEGAL RESOURCES

Nat'l	Academy of Special Needs Planners	<a href="http://www.specialneedsplanners.com">www.specialneedsplanners.com</a>
Nat'l	CADRE (Legal)	<a href="http://www.directionservice.org/cadre/">www.directionservice.org/cadre/</a>
Nat'l	Special Needs Alliance	<a href="http://www.specialneedsalliance.com">www.specialneedsalliance.com</a>
Nat'l	Wrights Law (Legal)	<a href="http://www.wrightslaw.com">www.wrightslaw.com</a>

### PARENT RESOURCES

GA	Georgia Learning Resource Systems	<a href="http://www.glrs.org">www.glrs.org</a>
GA	Georgia Parent Mentor Partnership	<a href="http://www.parentmentors.org">www.parentmentors.org</a>
GA	Parent to Parent of Georgia	<a href="http://www.p2pga.org">www.p2pga.org</a>

### PARENT TRAINING & INFORMATION CENTER

PTI's were established under IDEA 2004 and is under the oversight of the US Department of Education, Office of Special Education Programs (OSEP). Georgia's PTI is Parent to Parent of Georgia which serves families from birth through 26 with a full range of disabilities.

GA	Parent to Parent of Georgia	<a href="http://www.p2pga.org">www.p2pga.org</a>
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### POST-SECONDARY EDUCATION RESOURCES

Keep an open mind to the possibilities of post-secondary education for your son or daughter with special needs. Education has focused on the least restrictive environment and with this focus, our children with special needs have become more aware of the possibility of post-secondary opportunities. Traditional college with supports might be all he or she needs. However, there are many more options now that offer a variety of non-traditional educational opportunities! Do some research and allow yourself and your son/daughter to DREAM....

Nat'l	Association on Higher Education and Disability (AHEAD)	<a href="http://ahead.org">http://ahead.org</a>
Nat'l	National Association of Private Special Education Centers	<a href="http://www.napsec.org">www.napsec.org</a>
Nat'l	National Center on Secondary Education and Transition	<a href="http://www.ncset.org">www.ncset.org</a>
Nat'l	The George Washington University Heath Resource Center	<a href="http://www.heath.gwu.edu">www.heath.gwu.edu</a>
Nat'l	Think College	<a href="http://www.thinkcollege.net">www.thinkcollege.net</a>

# VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES



Adventure Bags  
678-425-0316

Visit <http://www.adventurebags.org/>

Volunteer opportunities include packing bags, inventory of products (once a year maybe two), and public relations opportunities.

163 MLK Jr. Drive, Winder, Ga 30680 (April '21)  
Call 678-425-0316.

American Red Cross of Northeast Georgia  
706-353-1645

Visit [redcross.org/georgia](http://redcross.org/georgia)

Serving Barrow County and all of Georgia  
Disaster Services division of the American Red Cross serves Barrow County by providing relief to residents that have been affected by a disaster, such as a house fire, flood, ice storm, or tornado. We provide financial assistance that can be used towards clothing, food, and a few nights of shelter in a local hotel. Post-disaster support is also available.

Camp Twin Lakes at Will-A-Way

Located inside Fort Yargo State Park  
For nearly 30 years, Camp Twin Lakes has provided educational, therapeutic, and recreational camp programming for children with serious illnesses, disabilities, and other life challenges. We partner with more than 60 other nonprofits to provide year-round programs. Camp is a vital resource for our community, helping campers overcome isolation, build confidence and a sense of belonging, and develop important capabilities while providing much-needed respite for parents, families, and caregivers.  
[www.camptwinlakes.org](http://www.camptwinlakes.org)  
770-867-6123

Boys & Girls Club of Winder 770-307-1399  
Visit <http://www.winderbarrowbgc.com/>

Come Alive Ministries 770-867-3000  
Visit [www.come-alive.org](http://www.come-alive.org)

A pregnancy care center offering help and hope to women facing an unplanned pregnancy in the Barrow County area.

Barrow County Cooperative Benevolence Ministry  
Also run the Candler Street Clothes Closet & Food Pantry, & the monthly mobile Food Pantry at Holly Hill Mall. They are always looking for volunteers as this is a 100% volunteer-driven local ministry/non-profit agency.

Contact Gwenn Hill at [gwenh1@windstream.net](mailto:gwenh1@windstream.net)

Barrow County C.E.R.T.  
(Community Emergency Response Team)  
<http://www.barrowcert.org/>

Trained volunteers from the community assisting emergency service personnel during large natural disasters. There are over 2,700 local CERT programs nationwide, with more than 600,000 individuals trained since CERT became a national program. FEMA's Community Emergency Response Team Program trains volunteers to prepare for the types of disasters that their community may face.

Habitat for Humanity 470-214-1624  
Visit <https://barrowhabitat.wordpress.com/volunteer>

**GREAT FUTURES START HERE.**



**BOYS & GIRLS CLUB**  
OF WINDER-BARROW COUNTY

## VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES CONT'D

### Home In 5

'Home in 5' is a partnership between public & private organizations and concerned citizens who are working to make a positive change for foster care youth and families in DFCS Region 5. Learn more about how you can help us transform young lives right here in our own community and about orientation and training opportunities available now on our website [www.homein5.net](http://www.homein5.net) or Facebook page [www.facebook.com/homeinregion5](http://www.facebook.com/homeinregion5)

### Keep Barrow Beautiful

Visit <http://www.barrowga.org/departments/keep-barrow-beautiful.aspx>  
770-307-3000 ext. 4193

### NGMC Barrow

Auxiliary Volunteer  
770-867-3400

### Peace Place

770-307-3633  
Visit <http://www.peaceplaceinc.org/interns--volunteers.html>

Baby-sit during support groups (one hour per month), answer a crisis hotline, volunteer in thrift store – Jefferson and Arcade, volunteer in shelter advocating with women, distributing pamphlets. Training will be provided. Background checks conducted.

### Piedmont CASA (Court Appointed Special Advocates) 470-429-5055

Visit <http://www.piedmontcasa.org/volunteer.html>  
Advocate for the best interest of abused and neglected children in the Juvenile Court. 30 hours training provided. Candidate must pass fingerprint and background check.

### Piedmont Rape Crisis Center 770-586-5423

Visit <https://www.piedmontrapecrisis.org/volunteer/>  
Provide emotional support and advocacy to adult victims of sexual assault. Training is provided and background checks conducted.

### The Tree House, Inc. 770-868-1900

Visit <http://www.thetreehouseinc.org>  
Volunteer assist in facility operations, child care and maintenance. Training will be provided. Background checks conducted.

### City of Winder Events

The City of Winder is proud to offer free, family-friendly events throughout the year. We have projects for people of all ages and abilities! Volunteers can also earn community service hours.  
678-425-6805  
[maddison.dean@cityofwinder.com](mailto:maddison.dean@cityofwinder.com).

### Wimberly's Roots 770-867-7495

Come help us grow our gardens and enhance the availability and access to fresh nutritious food in the Winder, GA community! Reoccurring volunteer days on Mondays and Thursdays from 8am to noon.

### Winder Public Library 770-867-2762

Visit <http://winder.prlib.org/>

### Winder-Barrow Adult Day Health Center 678-425-0718

Visit <http://www.accaging.org/volunteer/>

### YMCA 770-868-2917

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# THE WIMBERLY CENTER FOR COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT



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The Wimberly Center for Community Development has become the catalyst for Winder's urban renewal by offering programs and services that are not only needed, but necessary, to the community that we serve.

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## Current Tenants

- Action Inc.
- Adult Literacy Barrow
- Barrow County Family Connection
- Boys & Girls Club of Winder-Barrow County
- Diamond Ministries
- Habitat for Humanity
- Heirborn Servants
- Lanier Technical College
- Piedmont CASA
- Project Search
- Winder Housing Authority
- Wimberly's Roots



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<https://www.regions.com/Locator/Branch/bank-branch-Winder-Main-Winder>

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<https://www.firstamericanishere.com/home/home>

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770-867-3444  
[www.ozk.com/personal](http://www.ozk.com/personal)

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# Rotary Club of Winder



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- INCREASE YOUR IMPACT
- IMPROVE BUSINESS CONTACTS
- DEVELOP LEADERSHIP SKILLS
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Meeting Times: Thursdays, Noon – 1:00pm,  
Northeast Georgia Medical Center Barrow  
316 North Broad Street, Winder  
(3rd Floor, Suite 380)

GFWC Winder Women's Club

<http://www.winderwomansclub.com/>

The women of the Winder Woman's Club is uniting to promote Arts, Education, Conservation, Home Life, Public Issues, International Out Reach and other worthy programs.

Meeting Times: Contact website for meeting times



Kiwanis Club of Winder  
<https://www.facebook.com/WinderKiwanis/>

Kiwanis is a global organization of volunteers dedicated to changing the world one child and one community at a time.

Meeting Times: 1st and 3rd Thursday of each month at 6:30 p.m. at First United Methodist Church in Winder. Meetings take place in the youth center. Dinner begins at 6:30 followed by the program..

Winder Lions Club  
(770) 867-0707

To empower volunteers to serve their communities, meet humanitarian needs, encourage peace and promote international understanding through Lions clubs.

Meeting Times: Every 2nd & 4th Thursday at 7pm at the Lions Club Building.

Winder Noon Lions Club

<http://e-clubhouse.org/sites/windernoonga/>

Meeting Times: 2nd & 4th Wednesday, 12:00 noon at the Golden Corral Family Steak House 163 E. May St., Winder, GA 30680

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<http://www.appalacheeshoals.org/>

Bear Creek First Baptist Church  
<http://bearcreek-baptist.org/>

Bethabra Baptist Church  
<http://www.bethabarabaptist.org/>

Bethlehem Church  
<http://bethlehemchurch.us>

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<http://bethlehemchurch.us/211campus/>

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<http://www.calvarybaptiststatham.org/?mobile=false>

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<http://www.carterhillchristianchurch.com/home.html>

Cedar Creek Baptist Church

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Chapel Christian Church

770-867-2937

Church at Winder

<http://churchatwinder.org/>

Free Life Church

<https://freelife.church/>

Church of Lord Jesus Christ

770-867-6343

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770-725-5818

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770-876-5648

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770-867-5774

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770-307-1127

First Baptist Church

<http://fbcwinder.com/>

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First Christian Church (DOC)

<http://www.fccwinder.org/>

First Presbyterian Church

<http://fpcwinder.com/index.html>

First United Methodist Church

<http://www.winderfumc.com/>

Greater Northwestern Baptist Association

<https://gnwbayfc.weebly.com>

Gospel Light Baptist Church

<http://www.gospellightbc.org/>

Barrow Community Church

<http://www.barrowcommunity.church>

Heritage Baptist Church-

<http://www.myheritagega.com/>

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Tabernacle Baptist Church  
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<https://funchurch.org>

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[www.tzuryisrael.org](http://www.tzuryisrael.org)

The Vine United Methodist Church  
<http://connecttothevine.org>

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Union Baptist Church  
<http://www.unionbaptistwinder.org>

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<http://www.warhillsouth.com>

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<http://whistlevillechristian.org>

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<http://whiteoakspringmbc.com>

Winder Christian Church  
770-867-3522

Winder Church of Christ  
<http://windercoc.org>

Winder Church of God of Prophecy  
<http://www.gacogop.org/about-us/find-a-church/winder-church-of-god-of-prophecy.html>

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## Who We Are

Georgia Family Connection disentangles the mess of barriers, service gaps, and inefficiencies obscuring progress and positive outcomes for our state's children, families, and communities.

## What We Do

With a legacy of sorting complex issues and achieving lasting impact, we foster relationships between community leaders, investors, and lawmakers advocating for systems changes.

As the only statewide network of its kind in the nation—with partners in all 159 counties—we have a unique vantage point that allows us to see the big picture, while operating effectively at a local level.

Everything we do is aimed at improving conditions and prospects for our children and families. We are—and always have been—working toward measurably better outcomes for everyone.

In this vast web of people and services, every relationship matters, and every connection holds possibility. We leverage disciplined collaboration to yield collective impact across five key result areas, none of which can be considered without the others.

## Why We Do It

We envision a Georgia where:

Children are healthy



Children are primed for school



Children are succeeding in school



Families are stable, self-sufficient, and productive



Communities are robust and thriving



## Low-Birthweight Prevention

Birthweight is a predictor of lifelong health and achievement. We've been working since 2009 to increase awareness of low birthweight (LBW) and evidence-based programs to address this serious issue. Our LBW Cohort counties are developing—and implementing—strategies to lower the LBW rate in their communities.

## Early Childhood Health and Education

Children perform better in school when they are physically and emotionally healthy. This initiative—in partnership with Blank Family Foundation, Annie E. Casey Foundation, and Georgia SHAPE—is engaging counties to help get kids healthy, fit, and ready to do well in school and in life.

## Quality Rated Child Care

Children must have a healthy start and quality early learning experiences to succeed in school and as adults. GaFCP, the Georgia Department of Early Care and Learning, and the Georgia Early Education Alliance for Ready Students are collaborating to implement a tiered quality rating system, aimed at improving early childhood education programs.

## Get Georgia Reading—Campaign for Grade-Level Reading

Two-thirds of Georgia's third graders can't read proficiently. That has significant consequences for all Georgians, because literacy affects our economy, safety, and health. We're managing the Get Georgia Reading Campaign—a collaboration of private and public partners—to help get all kids on the path to reading proficiency by 2020.

## Civic Health

High levels of civic health correspond with better public safety, health, and economic outcomes. But, Georgia's civic health is not strong when compared to the rest of the nation. After working with partners to publish the first Georgia Civic Health Index, we are collecting local data and developing strategies to improve civic health.

Together we can ensure a bright future for Georgia, and together starts with a conversation. So, let's talk. [gafcp.org](http://gafcp.org)



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Child Find America	1-800-426-5678
DFS Food Stamp Info	1-800-392-1261
DFS Insurance Info	1-800-392-0938
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National Child Safety Council	1-800-222-1464
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