

Bulloch County Commission on Human Services, Inc. Resource Guide



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Thank you to everyone in the community who participated and contributed to the Bulloch County Resource Guide. We hope this guide will be a useful tool to everyone in the community. We were unable to include every service provided in Bulloch County; however, we hope this guide will direct you towards the services you need in the community. If you would like an electronic copy of the Bulloch County Resource Guide, please contact:

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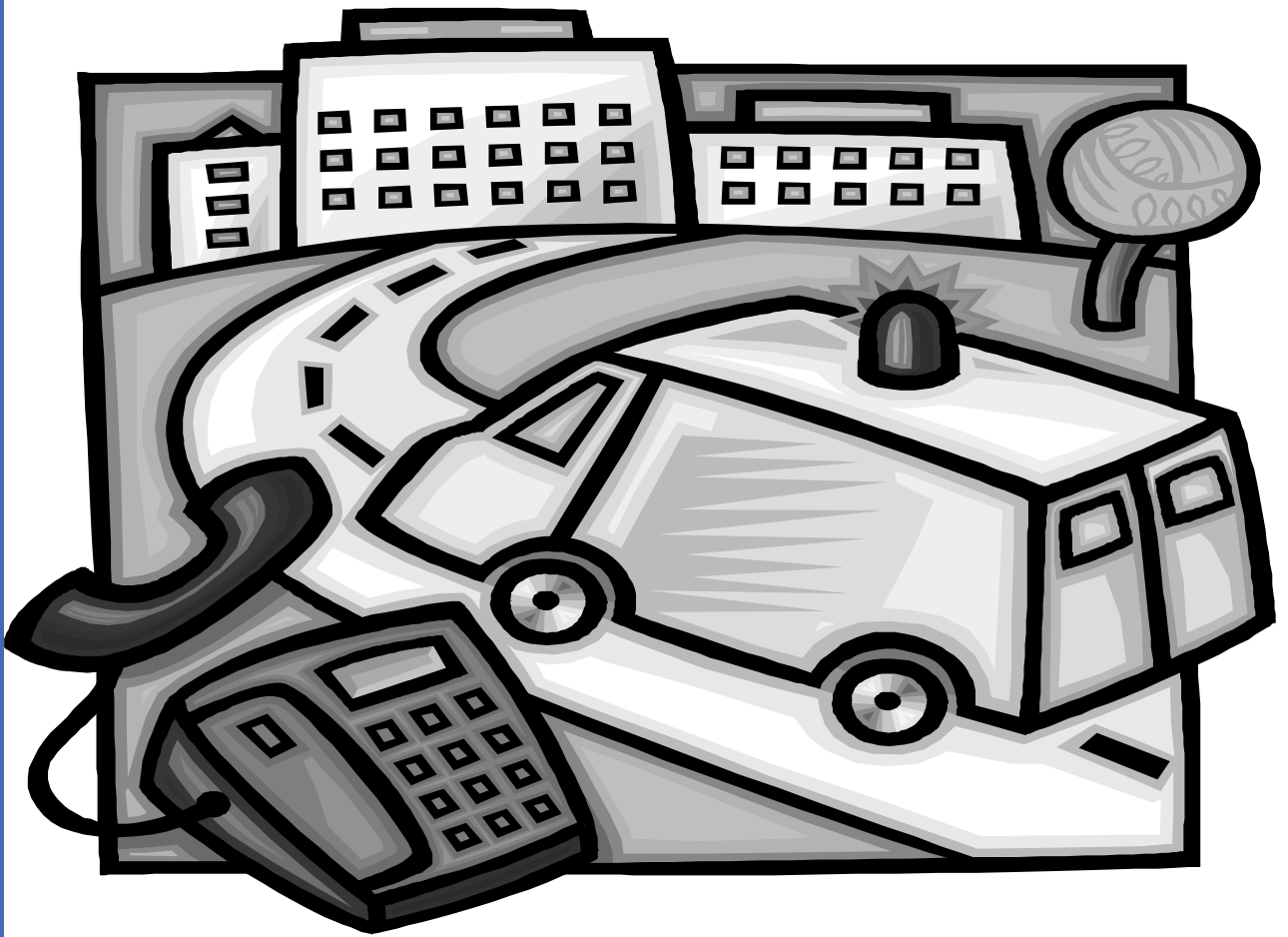
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Emergency Numbers



EMERGENCY NUMBERS

Emergency (All Fire, Law Enforcement, and Medical) **911**

Fire

Statesboro Fire Department..... 912-764-6154
Rescue..... 912-764-6188
Forest Fire..... 912-681-5920
Brooklet Fire Department..... 912-842-2500
Portal Fire Department..... 912-865-2865
Stilson Fire Department..... 912-823-3600

Police/Sheriff/Law Enforcement

Bulloch County Sheriff..... 912-764-8888
Statesboro Police..... 912-764-9911
University Police..... 912-681-5234
Brooklet Police..... 912-842-9911
Portal Police..... 912-865-5330
GBI..... 912-871-1121
FBI..... 912-764-6311
State Patrol (Emergency Only)..... 912-871-1100

Medical/Health

Ambulance-EMS..... 912-764-6188
Hospital..... 912-486-1000
Poison Control..... 1-800-222-1222
Crisis Line..... 912-764-5125
Substance Abuse Crisis Line..... 912-764-6129
Rape Crisis..... 912-531-1771

RESOURCE DIRECTORY

Programs and Services Available in Bulloch County

A.A.R.P. Bulloch County

1386 Friendship Church Rd.
Statesboro, GA 30458

Phone: 912-865-3631

Contact: Bill Hornish, President

Services:

- ❖ An advocacy group for retired persons
- ❖ Must be 50 years or older to join
- ❖ Also social, education, and training activities
- ❖ Prominent speakers featured at each meeting

Comments: Must join the National A.A.R.P., dues are \$12.50. Local dues are \$4. Seniors are encouraged to participate. Meetings are every third Tuesday of the month at 2:00 p.m. at the Senior Center in the Honey Bowen Building.

After School Tutorial Program Whitesville Community Center

220 Raymond Street
Statesboro, GA 30458

Phone: 912-489-3943

Contact: Carrie Howard, President (912-764-5394)

Services:

- ❖ Tutoring for grades 1-12 provided by volunteer staff
 - 1st-5th grade from 2:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.
 - 6th-12th grade from 4:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.
 - Refreshments served

- ❖ Summer Enrichment: 8:30 a.m.-12-30 p.m.
 - Free-play after 12:30 p.m.

- ❖ Volunteers are welcome!

A.C.T.S.
Area Christians Together in Service

515 Denmark Street, Suite 800
Statesboro, GA 30458

Phone: 912-489-4588 Fax: 912-489-9958

Contact: Patty Mulnix, President

Hours of Operation: Mondays and Wednesdays, 9-11 a.m.

Services: ACTS is an interfaith ministry dedicated to the needs of neighbors in Bulloch County. ACTS provide Bulloch County residents one-time emergency financial assistance in a twelve-month period. Monies are provided by donations to ACTS from local churches; United Way; grants and donations. Volunteers are needed.

Emergency Financial Assistance

- ❖ Utility Bills (electric, gas or heating oil)
- ❖ Rent or Mortgage Payment
- ❖ Prescriptions
- ❖ Groceries
- ❖ Clothing
- ❖ Emergency Medical and Dental Assistance

Referrals for Other Assistance Types

- ❖ Counseling
- ❖ Transportation for Medical Appointments
- ❖ Carpentry
- ❖ Electrical Wiring
- ❖ Maintenance & Repair
- ❖ Furniture

Alcoholics Anonymous

A fellowship of men and women who share their experience, strength and hope with each other that they may solve their common problem and help others to recover from alcoholism. The only requirement for membership is a desire to stop drinking. No dues or fees; self-supporting through small contributions of members. Not affiliated with any other organization. The primary purpose is to stay sober and help other alcoholics to achieve sobriety.

AA World Services, Inc.
Box 459, Grand Central Station
New York, NY 10163

Phone: 212-870-3400 Fax: 212-870-3003

Website: www.alcoholics-anonymous.org/ or www.aageorgia.org
Refer to page...for local information.

What Is A.A.?

Alcoholics Anonymous is an international fellowship of men and women who have had a drinking problem. It is nonprofessional, self-supporting, multiracial, apolitical, and available almost everywhere. There are no age or education requirements. Membership is open to anyone who wants to do something about his or her drinking problem.

Singleness of Purpose and Problems Other Than Alcohol

Some professionals refer to alcoholism and drug addiction as “substance abuse” or “chemical dependency.” Non-alcoholics are, therefore, sometimes introduced to A.A. and encouraged to attend A.A. meetings. Anyone may attend open A.A. meetings, but only those with a drinking problem may attend closed meetings.

A renowned psychiatrist, who served as a nonalcoholic trustee of the A.A. General Service Board, made the following statement: “Singleness of purpose is essential to the effective treatment of alcoholism. The reason for such exaggerated focus is to overcome denial. The denial associated with alcoholism is cunning, baffling, and powerful and affects the patient, helper, and the community. Unless alcoholism is kept relentlessly in the foreground, other issues will usurp everybody’s attention.”

What Does A.A. Do?

1. A.A. members share their experience with anyone seeking help with a drinking problem; they give person-to-person service or "sponsorship" to the alcoholic coming to A.A. from any source.
2. The A.A. program, set forth in our Twelve Steps, offers the alcoholic a way to develop a satisfying life without alcohol.
3. This program is discussed at A.A. group meetings.
 - a. Open speaker meetings — open to alcoholics and non-alcoholics. (Attendance at an open A.A. meeting is the best way to learn what A.A. is, what it does, and what it does not do.) At speaker meetings, A.A. members “tell their stories.” They describe their

experiences with alcohol, how they came to A.A., and how their lives have changed as a result of Alcoholics Anonymous.

- b. Open discussion meetings — one member speaks briefly about his or her drinking experience, and then leads a discussion on A.A. recovery or any drinking-related problem anyone brings up. (Closed meetings are for A.A.s or anyone who may have a drinking problem.)
- c. Closed discussion meetings — conducted just as open discussions are, but for alcoholics or prospective A.A.s only.
- d. Step meetings (usually closed) — discussion of one of the Twelve Steps.
- e. A.A. members also take meetings into correctional and treatment facilities.
- f. A.A. members may be asked to conduct the informational meetings about A.A. as a part of A.S.A.P. (Alcohol Safety Action Project) and D.W.I. (Driving While Intoxicated) programs. These meetings about A.A. are not regular A.A. group meetings.

What A.A. Does Not Do

A.A. does not:

- 1. Furnish initial motivation for alcoholics to recover
- 2. Solicit members
- 3. Engage in or sponsor research
- 4. Keep attendance records or case histories
- 5. Join “councils” of social agencies
- 6. Follow up or try to control its members
- 7. Make medical or psychological diagnoses or prognoses
- 8. Provide drying-out or nursing services, hospitalization, drugs, or any medical or psychiatric treatment
- 9. Offer religious services or host/sponsor retreats.
- 10. Engage in education about alcohol
- 11. Provide housing, food, clothing, jobs, money, or any other welfare or social services
- 12. Provide domestic or vocational counseling
- 13. Accept any money for its services, or any contributions from non-A.A. sources
- 14. Provide letters of reference to parole boards, lawyers, court officials, social agencies, employers, etc.

Members From Court Programs and Treatment Facilities

In recent years, A.A. groups have welcomed many new members from court programs and treatment facilities. Some have come to A.A. voluntarily; others, under a degree of pressure. In our pamphlet “How A.A. Members Cooperate,” the following appears:

We cannot discriminate against any prospective A.A. member, even if he or she comes to us under pressure from a court, an employer, or any other agency.

Although the strength of our program lies in the voluntary nature of membership in A.A., many of us first attended meetings because we were forced to, either by someone else or by inner discomfort. But continual exposure to A.A. educated us to the true nature of the illness.... Who made the referral to A.A. is not what A.A. is interested in. It is the problem drinker who is our concern.... We cannot predict who will recover, nor have we the authority to decide how recovery should be sought by any other alcoholic.

Proof of Attendance at Meetings

Sometimes, courts ask for proof of attendance at A.A. meetings.

Some groups, with the consent of the prospective member, have the A.A. group secretary sign or initial a slip that has been furnished by the court together with a self-addressed court envelope.

The referred person supplies identification and mails the slip back to the court as proof of attendance.

Other groups cooperate in different ways. There is no set procedure. The nature and extent of any group's involvement in this process is entirely up to the individual group.

This proof of attendance at meetings is not part of A.A.'s procedure. Each group is autonomous and has the right to choose whether or not to sign court slips. In some areas the attendees report on themselves, at the request of the referring agency, and thus alleviate breaking A.A. members' anonymity.

Literature

A.A. Conference-approved literature is available in French and Spanish. For additional copies of this paper or for a literature catalog please write or call the General Service Office.

The A.A. Grapevine, a monthly international journal — also known as “our meeting in print” — features many interesting stories about recovery from alcoholism written primarily by members of A.A. It is a useful introduction and ongoing link to A.A.'s diverse fellowship and wealth of recovery experience. The Spanish-language magazine La Viña is published bimonthly.

For Grapevine information or to order a subscription to either the AA Grapevine or La Viña: (212) 870-3404; fax (212) 870-3301; Web site: www.aagrapevine.org.

Conclusion

The primary purpose of A.A. is to carry its message of recovery to the alcoholic seeking help. Almost every alcoholism treatment tries to help the alcoholic maintain sobriety. Regardless of the road we follow, we all head for the same destination, recovery of the alcoholic person. Together, we can do what none of us could accomplish alone. We can serve as a source of personal experience and be an ongoing support system for recovering alcoholics.

Twelve Step Programs

Note: 12 Step Groups do not usually maintain continuous telephone coverage.

There are several groups that meet in Statesboro and others located in the surrounding area. Most meetings are closed discussion meetings for alcoholics only.

Alcoholics Anonymous

AA Statesboro Group

“The Fork” (A smoke-free facility)

411 Northside Dr. East

Statesboro, GA 30458

Phone: 912-489-1332

Meeting Schedule:

Sunday-----5:30 p.m.
Monday-----7:00 a.m., 11:30 a.m.
Tuesday-----7:00 a.m., 11:30 a.m., 8:00 p.m.
Wednesday-----7:00 a.m., 11:30 a.m., 5:30 p.m.
Thursday-----7:00 a.m., 11:30 a.m., 8:00 p.m.
Friday-----7:00 a.m., 11:30 a.m., 5:30 p.m.
Saturday-----11:30 a.m., 8:00 p.m.

Open speaker meetings are held on Tuesdays and Saturdays at 8:00 p.m. All Friday meetings are open discussion meetings as is the Saturday meeting at 11:30 a.m.

Smokehouse Group

A. A. Clubhouse (smoke-free facility)

409 S. College St.

Statesboro, GA 30458

Phone: 912-764-4210

If no answer, call 912-489-6853 or 912-541-1719

Sunday-----9:00 a.m., 8:00 p.m.
Monday-----11:00 a.m., 5:30 p.m., 8:00 p.m.
Tuesday-----11:00 a.m., 5:30 p.m., 8:00 p.m.
Wednesday-----11:00 a.m., 5:30 p.m., 8:00 p.m.
Thursday-----11:00 a.m., 5:30 p.m.
Friday-----11:00 a.m., 5:30 p.m., 7:00 p.m.
Saturday-----11:00 a.m., 5:30 p.m., 8:00 p.m.

Monday and Wednesday at 8:00 p.m. are women’s meetings. Tuesday and Saturday at 8:00 p.m. are open speaker meetings.

Primary Purpose Group

First United Methodist Church

101 S. Main Street

Statesboro, GA 30458

Meetings: Monday, Tuesday.....6 p.m.

Primary Purpose Group

Unitarian Church
609 E. Grady St.
Statesboro, GA 30458

Meetings: Tuesday, Thursday.....6 p.m.

Saw Mill Group

Zetterower & Hwy 301
Statesboro, GA 30458

Meetings: Tuesday, Thursday.....8 p.m.

AL-ANON

The AL-ANON Family Groups are a fellowship of relatives and friends of alcoholics who share their experience, strength and hope in order to solve their common problems. We believe alcoholism is a family illness and that changed attitudes can aid recovery. "Al-Anon has but one purpose: to help families of alcoholics. We do this by practicing the Twelve Steps, by welcoming and giving comfort to families of alcoholics, and by giving understanding and encouragement to the alcoholic." (From the Suggested Preamble to the Twelve Steps, Al-Anon Family Group Headquarters, Inc.)

Fro more information about Al-Anon, and Alateen, write:

Al-Anon Family Group Headquarters, Inc.
1600 Corporate Landing Parkway
Virginia Beach, VA 23454-5617

OR

Phone: (757) 563-1600 Fax: (757) 563-1655

Toll Free: 800-356-9996

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Al-Anon Friends and Family Group
“The Fork”
411 Northside Drive
Statesboro, GA 30458

Contact: Raymond (912-681-7147)

Meeting Schedule:

Monday-----5:00 p.m. (open meeting)
Thursday---8:00 p.m. (open meeting)

Al-Anon Friends and Family Group
First United Methodist Church
101 South Main St.
Statesboro, GA 30458

Contact: Nancy W. (912-685-6742)

Meeting Schedule:

Tuesday---6:00 p.m. (closed meeting)

Altrusa International

7748 Banks Dairy Road
Statesboro, GA 30458

Phone: 912-764-6558 Fax: 912-764-6558

Email: lhamilton@georgiasouthern.edu

Contact: Lynda Hamilton, President

*Please note that a new president is elected annually and contact information will change with each acting president.

Services:

- ❖ Offers a \$2000 annual scholarship for women studying at Georgia Southern University and Ogeechee Technical College. Also supports local women's shelter, Silver Lining Club, and other service community service organizations.

Alzheimer's Association Coastal Georgia Regional Office

201 Television Circle
Savannah, GA 31406

Phone: 1-800-272-3900 Fax: 912-921-7960

Hours: Mon-Fri. 9:00am – 5:00pm

Websites: www.alz.org/georgia

Contact: Martha Ray; martharay@frontiernet.net

Services

- ❖ Caregiver Support Group at First Methodist Church 2nd Monday each month at 1:30pm. (Bulloch County)
- ❖ Caring Closet at Outreach Center open Fridays 9:30-1:30 for incontinence supplies for later stage dementia patients. (Bulloch County)
- ❖ **Alzheimer's Disease 24 Hour Helpline:** Available to caller's with immediate needs 24 hours a day at 1-800-272-3900. This is to reassure the caregiver that they are not alone in the process. They can call anytime they need to talk about an issue and receive support.
- ❖ **Information and Resources:** Receive information, brochures and fact sheets about Alzheimer's disease and learn about community resources.
- ❖ **Care Consultation:** We will sit down with families one on one and come up with a plan. We will help them work through issues and guide them in their next step.
- ❖ **Education and Training:** We provide professional and family caregiver education. We provide in-services and community presentations on various subjects relating to Alzheimer's disease.
- ❖ **Support Group Meetings:** There are various support groups in our 15 county area. It is important that caregivers get the support and information that they need to keep going and be the best caregivers possible.
- ❖ **Safe Return Program:** The person with Alzheimer's disease is provided a bracelet and registration into our Safe Return program. This program is designed to aid in the safe return of someone with dementia who has wandered away from home.
- ❖ **Lending Library:** Books and videos are available at our office for check out by family and professional caregivers.
- ❖ **Caring Closets:** This closet is made possible through monetary/supply donations. We help families reduce the expenses of providing care for someone with dementia by providing allotment incontinence products on a monthly basis.
- ❖ **Congregational Respite:** We provide Alzheimer's and dementia training for congregations. We offer two models to help congregations provide respite service to caregivers. They can choose from the support team approach or adult day care model.
- ❖ **Caregiver Timeout:** Depending on grant funding, we are able to provide a limited amount of funding to caregivers for respite services if they are providing care at home. Ask for an application

Alzheimer's Association Coastal Georgia Regional Office cont'd

- ❖ **Advocacy:** The Alzheimer's Association is highly engaged on the grassroots, state and federal levels in providing a voice for those dealing with Alzheimer's and other progressive dementias. Please ask us how you can be an advocate.

Eligibility

- ❖ Any family affected by dementia causing illness is encouraged to use the services of the Alzheimer's Association. To receive disposable briefs at caring closet, a diagnosis of dementia is required.

Fees

- ❖ No charge for services. The Alzheimer's Association is supported private donations and grants.

America Reads

P.O. Box 8071
Statesboro, GA 30460

Phone: 912-681-5458

Contact: Sue Hawks-Foster

Services:

The America Reads program, managed by the Educational Opportunity Program at Georgia Southern University, is a federally funded program to assist students in grades K-3 with reading skills. The teachers select the students requiring assistance for the program. The tutors are work-study eligible college students who go into the schools and provide the needed tutoring. There are 20 to 30 tutors available to assist the students.

American Cancer Society

515 Denmark St., Suite 500
Statesboro, GA 30458

Phone: 912-764-7410 Fax: 912-764-3089

E-mail: kay.nay@cancer.org

Website: www.cancer.org

Hours of Operation: 8:30 a.m.-5:00 p.m. Monday – Friday. 24-Hour cancer information provided by 1-800-ACS-2345.

Contact: Kay Nay (Senior Community Manager)

Services:

Provide information on the prevention and early detection of cancer as well as providing services to help patients navigate the health care system. Oversee support groups for our many cancer survivors and foster collaborative relationships with local medical community.

Local Groups

- ❖ **Man to Man:** Educational support related to prostate cancer
- ❖ **Look Good...Feel Better:** quarterly cosmetology session for women going through treatment.
- ❖ **Reach to Recovery:** Emotional support for women facing breast cancer.

Eligibility: Anyone, regardless of income, age, race, etc. may take advantage of the American Cancer Society programs and services.

American Red Cross

515 Denmark Street
Statesboro, GA 30458

Phone: 912-764-4468 Fax: 912-489-1328

Disaster Phone Line: 912-871-4599

Email: bullochredcross@yahoo.com

Website: www.redcrossbullochcounty.org
www.redcross.org

Hours: 8 am – 5 pm, Monday – Friday

Contact: Donna Lee, Emergency Services Program Coordinator

Services:

- ❖ Provide relief to disaster victims (food, clothing and shelter) throughout Bulloch and Candler Counties
- ❖ Provide help to hurricane victims evacuated from other counties through shelters, food, bedding, medical attention, etc.
- ❖ Twenty-four hour service to military personnel and families
- ❖ Provide training in CPR, First Aid, Water Safety, and Disaster Instructor Courses

Eligibility: Clients must be victims of local or national disaster (i.e. fire, flood, hurricane) to receive financial assistance.

Comments: Volunteers are welcome but they must submit contact information and complete a background check.

Auxiliary of East Georgia Regional Medical Center

1499 Fair Road
Statesboro, Ga. 30458

Phone: (912)-486-1575 Fax: (912)-871-2437

Email: Johnny.waters@hma.com
Websites: www.egrmc.com

Hours/ Days of Operation: M-F, 8:30a.m.-5:00 p.m.

Contact: Darell Waters, Director, (912)-486-1575

Services:

Donate time to EGRMC to help staff and patients in non-clinical areas with compassion and encouragement.

Eligibility:

Auxiliary Members- 21 years of age or older with a commitment of 5 hours per week. In order to participate must be willing to submit a health screening, background check and attend orientation.

Students- At least 18 years of age and enrolled in a health related field of study. Must have a desire to volunteer at least 4 hours per week during the semester.

Babies Can't Wait

3 West Altman Street
Statesboro, GA 30458

Phone: 1-800-429-6307 Fax: (912) 287- 6689

Email: tlweeden@dhr.state.ga.us

Website: www.sehdph.org or <http://health.state.ga.us/programs/bcw>

Contact: Tracy Weeden, Coordinator

Hours/ Days of Operation: Monday-Friday 8 a.m.-5 p.m.

Services:

Babies Can't Wait is one of the Maternal Child Health Branch Programs under the Department of Public Health. It provides home and community based services to eligible children from birth up until the age of turning three years old. Anyone can make a referral to the program as long as parents have given their permission. Eligibility is determined by either confirming a diagnosed medical condition for automatic eligibility or by the child demonstrating significant development delays in at least one area of development during the evaluation process. Every child is initially screened using the Ages and Stages Questionnaire if a development screening has not been completed. If a child shows delays as a result of the screen or if the parent requests that an evaluation to be complete, a family assessment and standardized testing is complete within a 45 day time period. The process of eligibility determination is provided at no cost to the parent. Ongoing services are determined using a sliding scale determination based on current year poverty levels. Families are integral in the education and instruction of children in Babies Can't Wait and are active participants.

The Southeast Health district 9-2 Babies Can't Wait program, which provides Babies Can't Wait services to Bulloch County, also has a telehealth system at their disposal to network with providers (Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy and Speech Language Pathology) in other locations who are contracted with Babies Can't Wait. They are currently working on using this technology in the family's home through a partnership with the Family Infant and Preschool Program in Morganton, NC.

Boys & Girls Club of Bulloch County

515 Denmark Street, Suite 1200
Statesboro, GA 30458

Phone: 912-764-9696 Fax: 912-489-3265

Email: mjones@bgcbulloch.org

Website: www.bgcbulloch.org

Hours of Operation: Administrative Office: 8:30 a.m. – 5:30 p.m., Monday through Friday
 Denmark and Portal Units: 2:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m., Monday through Friday
 Teen Center: 3:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m., Monday through Friday

Contact: Mike Jones, Director

Services:

- ❖ School Term Program
 - Elementary Children: 2:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m., \$50 annually
 - Teenage Children: 3:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m., \$50 annually

- ❖ Summer Term Program: 7:30 a.m. – 5:30 p.m., \$50 annually

Eligibility: Any child 6 years to 18 years of age.

Bright from the Start

Georgia Department of Early Care and Learning
10 Park Place South, Suite 600
Atlanta, GA 30303

Phone: 404-657-5580 or 404-657-5562/63

Fax: 404-656-0351 or 404-657-8936

Email: Sherry.Smith@dec.state.ga.us

Contact: Sherry Smith

Services:

Bright from the Start is responsible for meeting the child care and early education needs of Georgia's children and their families. Bright from the Start oversees a wide range of programs focused primarily on children ages birth to school age and their families. These include:

- ❖ Administering Georgia's Pre-K Program
- ❖ Licensing and monitoring all center-based and home-based child care facilities (approximately 10,000)
- ❖ Overseeing the federal Child and Adult Care Food Program and the Summer Food Service Program
- ❖ Implementing the Standards of Care Program and Family Homes of Quality to help child care providers enhance the quality of their programs
- ❖ Housing the Head Start State Collaboration Office
- ❖ Funding and partnering with the resource and referral agencies that provide services and information to families and child care providers at the local level
- ❖ Administering federal quality dollars
- ❖ Providing technical assistance, training, and support to families and child care providers who care for children with special needs
- ❖ Collaborating with Head Start, Family Connection, the Department of Human Resources Family and Children Services, the Division of Public Health and Smart Start Georgia to blend federal, state, and private dollars to enhance early care and education

Bulloch Alcohol and Drug Council

419 Fair Road
P.O. Box 694 (mailing)
Statesboro, GA 30459

Phone: 912-764-6405 Fax: 912-764-7221

E-mail: badc@nctv.com

Website: www.bullochadc.org

Contact: Joyce Stubbs

Services:

- ❖ Provides awareness and education activities aimed at preventing or minimizing alcohol and drug problems
- ❖ Classes are taught to students assigned by Board of Education, young people on probation assigned by juvenile court workers, and other “at-risk” young people
- ❖ Substance abuse classes for college age individuals probated by the court system
- ❖ Provides an Academic Scholarship for a full time students at Georgia Southern University or Ogeechee Technical College
- ❖ Sponsors Red Ribbon Week in the Fall
- ❖ Acts as a lending library of books, pamphlets and film with current information about mind altering drugs
- ❖ Staff will consult with any group or individual seeking help or information and provide speakers or programs for civic, church or school groups
- ❖ A United Way Agency

Comments: Fees are charged depending on service; however, most are free.

Bulloch County Board of Education

150 Williams Road, Suite A
Statesboro, GA 30458

Phone: 912-212-8501 Fax: 912-764-8436

Web Site: www.bulloch.k12.ga.us

Hours of Operation: Monday – Friday, 7:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Contact: Kim Wilson, Receptionist (912-212-8501)
Mary Henley, Administrative Assistant for Superintendent (912-212-8505)

Superintendent:

Assistant Superintendents: Mr. Craig Liggett, Information Systems
Mr. Kevin Judy, Human Resources & Student Services
Mr. Charles Wilson, Business & Finance
Dr. Fran Stephens, Curriculum 6-12

Services:

Bulloch County Board of Education offers a public education agency serving children in grades Pre-K through twelve. Approximately 9680 students are served in this system's three high schools, four middle schools and nine elementary schools.

Systems Programs:

- ❖ Breakfast, Lunch Program in all schools
- ❖ Business/Education Partnerships with area and local business and institutions of higher learning
- ❖ School Nurses to serve medical needs of students
- ❖ Comprehensive Special Education
- ❖ QUEST for Intellectually Gifted
- ❖ Comprehensive CTAE and their co-curricular clubs (FBLA, FCCLA, FFA, WBC, etc.)
- ❖ Junior ROTC
- ❖ In-School Suspension
- ❖ Alternative School
- ❖ Performance Learning Program
- ❖ Guidance, Counseling and Student Advisement (Elementary, Middle and High School)
- ❖ Professional Learning

Bulloch County Child Abuse Protocol Committee / Bulloch County Child Fatality Review Committee

1 Courtland Street
Statesboro, GA 30458

Phone: 912-764-9924 Fax: 912-489-2907

Contact: Kathy A. Bradley, Assistant District Attorney

Services:

- ❖ Committee is mandated by Georgia Law to review all child fatalities in the county.

Bulloch County Children's Health Improvement and Lifestyle Development

P.O. Box 8076
Statesboro, GA 30460

Phone: 912-478-0200 (Dr. Joyner) Fax: 912-478-0381

GSU College of Health and Human Sciences Department of Health and Kinesiology

Email: bullochcountychild@gmail.com

Website: www.bullochcountychild.com

Hours: 8 am – 5 pm, Monday – Friday

Contact: Dr. Barry Joyner, Department Chair
Shelby Freeman, Bulloch County Health Department (912-764-3800)

Services:

- ❖ Community Collaborative for the increased awareness of childhood obesity in Bulloch County. Member of NIH *WeCan* and *Let's Move* efforts.
- ❖ Goals are to:
 - Improve health by increasing consumption of fruits and vegetables.
 - Increase physical activity and decrease sedentary activities.
 - Increase breastfeeding initiation, duration and exclusivity.
- ❖ Website contains links and related information for interested persons.
- ❖ Presentations and fun activities for children, parents and care providers. *WeCan* presentations and training provide parents with education on *energy in/energy out concept*. Physical activity events in conjunction with other community efforts such as Farmers Market and SBCPRD events.

Comments: Volunteers and community support are welcome and strongly encouraged to effectively address this concern in our county. Bulloch County ranks 123rd of the 159 counties in Georgia in the category of overweight and obese adults.

Bulloch County Commission on Human Services

P.O. Box 761
Statesboro, GA 30459

Phone: 912-764-6179 Fax: 912-764-6645

Email: cate@frontiernet.net
Contact: Catherine Hendrix, Executive Director

The Bulloch County Commission on Human services, Inc. is a unique public, private and grassroots community partnership. Operating as a collaborative, BCHS serves as an umbrella structure for federal, state and local efforts focusing on improving the conditions of children and families in Bulloch County. BCHS is a private not for profit corporation governed by a 13 member Board of Directors. Endorsed in 1997 by the Bulloch County Commissioners, BCHS serves as the clearinghouse for children and family initiatives BCHS meets monthly (2nd Tuesday of every month, 12pm at East Georgia Regional Medical Center Education Room) and utilizes an annual and multi-year strategic plan. **BCHS collaborative membership is open to those who exhibit an invested interest and desire for improving outcomes for children and families in Bulloch County.**

- ❖ Improvements in area of child and family well-being through exposure of services, linking resources and brokerage of existing community programs.
- ❖ Community based decision-making by collaborative members
- ❖ Leveraging local, state and federal funds to support community plan
- ❖ Strong collaborative relationships built and partnerships formed
- ❖ Implementation of programs identified as “best practices” or scientifically research based

BCHS Umbrella Initiatives:

- ❖ Family Connection: community /collaborative development and strategic planning
- ❖ Communities In Schools: high school completion and Performance Learning Center
- ❖ Grants to Reduce Alcohol Abuse: education to reduce alcohol use and abuse in middle and high schools
- ❖ Drug-Free Community Support Program (Contact Spencer Beckum at 912-764-9954 for more information.): community awareness and education

*BCHS serves as the umbrella for additional initiatives.

Contact the Executive Director if you would like more information.

Bulloch County Family Violence Task Force

1015 East Inman St.
Statesboro, Ga. 30458

Phone Number: 764-7751

Fax Number: 764-8531

Email: Betsey@connersplace.org

Hours of Operation: 10a.m. - 6p.m

Contact: Betsy Blair, Chair

Services:

- ❖ Meetings provide information and resources on family violence

Eligibility:

- ❖ Anyone can attend the meetings or call for more information.

Bulloch County Health Department

P.O. Box 2009 (mailing)
Statesboro, GA 30459

1 West Altman Street
Statesboro, GA 30458

Phone: 912-764-3800 Fax: 912-871-1901

Email: thflatman@dhr.state.ga.us

Website: www.sehdph.org

Hours of operation: Monday – Friday, 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Contact: Tony Flatman, RN, MSN, Nurse Manager

Adult Health Services:

- ❖ Family Planning, includes complete physical assessments and pregnancy test
- ❖ Sexually Transmitted Disease Clinic
- ❖ AIDS Testing and Counseling
- ❖ X-Ray clinic for TB contacts and cases
- ❖ WIC-assessments for pregnant, post-partum and breast feeding women, supplemental food program for women, infants, and children
- ❖ Prenatal Case Management
- ❖ Child Birth Classes-home visits for newborns
- ❖ Breast test-free physicals and mammograms for income eligible women over 50
- ❖ Hearing, vision, and dental screening

Child Health Services:

- ❖ Healthy children check-up
- ❖ Developmental screenings and referrals
- ❖ Immunizations
- ❖ WIC
- ❖ Lead Screening

General Clinics:

- ❖ Immunizations of all ages
- ❖ Screening for intestinal parasites
- ❖ PKU testing
- ❖ T.B. testing
- ❖ Hemocult screening
- ❖ Sickle Cell testing
- ❖ Head Lice check

Bulloch County Health Department Cont...

- ❖ Walk-in blood pressure checks
- ❖ Pre-marital blood tests
- ❖ Diabetes, cervical cancer, breast cancer screening and referral

Vital Records:

- ❖ Birth Certificates
- ❖ Death Certificates

Environmental Health Services:

- ❖ Pollution Control: inspection of water, land, air, septic tanks, dead animals (domestic), etc.
- ❖ Injury prevention Control: educational modules, seminars, literature advertisement and consultation with companies and workmen
- ❖ Disease Control: rabies (animal bites), food and waterborne illnesses
- ❖ Routine Inspections: public facilities mandated by the state laws, e.g. detention facilities, restaurants, nursing homes, personal care homes, schools, ambulance services, foster homes, etc.

Eligibility: Services based on sliding scale fee. The WIC program has income eligibility requirements.

Bulloch County Health Department Home Care Services

P.O. Box 1273 (mailing)
204 N. College St.
Statesboro, GA 30459

Phone: 912-764-6717 Fax: 912-764-7807

Contact: Karen Fadden, R.N.

Services:

- ❖ Only Medicare certified public Home Health Agency in Georgia operating since 1968.
- ❖ Provides skilled nursing, physical therapy, occupational therapy, speech therapy, home health aide, and medical social services.
- ❖ Payers—Medicare, Medicaid, private insurance.

Fees:

- ❖ Sliding scale fee

Bulloch County Health Department
Perinatal Case Management

P.O. Box 2009 (mailing)
1 West Altman Street
Statesboro, GA 30459

Phone: 912-764-3800 Fax: 912-871-1901

Contact: Cindi Hart, RN

Services:

- ❖ Serves as a liaison between Medicaid eligibility clients and community resources such as WIC services, transportation, and presumptive Medicaid evaluations
- ❖ Referrals given for medical education and psycho-social evaluation.

Fees: No Fees

Bulloch County Negro Business & Professional Women

1 West Altman Street 619 West Jones
Statesboro, GA 30458

Phone: 912-764-3291 or 912-531-1332

Contact: Glennera Martin

Services:

- ❖ Banquet for ministers
- ❖ Community workshops
- ❖ Clean-up Campaign

Bulloch County Sheriff's Office

17257 U.S. 301 North
Statesboro, GA 30458

Phone: 912-764-8888 Fax: 912-764-2917

Emergency Phone: 911

Contact: Sheriff Lynn Anderson
 Chief Deputy Gene McDaniels (912-764-1785)

Services:

- ❖ Drug Abuse Resistance Education (D.A.R.E.) Program. Contact Lee Harris or Jimmy Billings.

Bulloch Recovery Resources & Bulloch DUI

18 Simmons Center
Statesboro, GA 30458

Phone: 912-489-8401 Fax: 912-489-4316

Email: vernh@nctv.com

Website: www.bullochdui.com

Hours: 8 am – 5 pm, Monday – Friday, Weekend Classes Sat-Sun

Contact: Vern Howard or Cindy Bohler

Services:

- ❖ DUI Reduction School
- ❖ Defensive Driving Program
- ❖ Bulloch Driver Training
- ❖ Clinical Evaluation
- ❖ Multiple Offender Program
- ❖ Anger Management
- ❖ Cognitive Life Skills Theft Course
- ❖ SAP Services/DOT Approved Provider
- ❖ Substance Abuse Education/ASAM Level 1
- ❖ JASAE (Adolescent) Substance Abuse Assessments and Counseling
- ❖ Probation/Court Ordered Alcohol and Drug Assessments
- ❖ Individual Counseling
- ❖ Co-Dependent Counseling
- ❖ Group Counseling Recreational Counseling
- ❖ Out of State License Reinstatement

Eligibility: Any person in need of the services listed. Fees are charged depending on service.

Bulloch Wellness Center

P.O. Box 1539
Statesboro, GA 30459

Phone: 912-764-2402 Fax: 912-764-5561

Hours of Operation: Monday-Friday, 8 a.m.-5 p.m.

Contact: Cheryl Cornwell, Site Coordinator

Services:

A coalition of public agencies provide: HIV/AIDS counseling, testing, information, referral, education, health and social services.

Fees: Sliding discounts.

Career Services, GSU

P.O. Box 8069
Statesboro, GA 30460

Phone: 912-478-5197 Fax: 912-478-0564

Email: careersv@georgiasouthern.edu

Website: <http://students.georgiasouthern.edu/career/>

Hours of Operation: Monday – Thursday 8 a.m. - 6 p.m., Friday 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Contact: Warren Riles, Director

Services:

- ❖ List Serves: Join our co-op and/or professional employment list serve. Contact our office or homepage for more information.
- ❖ Career Advising: GSU and students may seek help with selecting and planning a major or career area, developing a job search strategy, etc. Call for an appointment.
- ❖ Career Fairs: Education Career Day and The Eagle Expo and Education Career Fair are held each semester for students who are seeking employment with schools. This gives the campus a chance to meet employers in all types of fields.
- ❖ Career Resource Center (CRC): Walk-in hours available from 8 a.m. – 5 p.m., Monday-Friday. Here you will find information on careers including job vacancies, employer directories, salaries, employer profiles, and graduate school data. Our Career Resource Specialist can assist you with basic career questions, Monday-Friday, 9 a.m. – noon and 1 – 4 p.m.
- ❖ Co-Op/ Internship Opportunities: Employers seeking GSU students for Co-Ops and Internships which are listed through Eagle Career Net. Meet with our Experiential Education Coordinator to find out more about these opportunities.
- ❖ Employer Information: Books, videotapes, and files detailing information about employers are in the CRC. We also have Georgia specific books to help you find details on local companies.
- ❖ Graduate School Information: Information is available to help you learn about grad schools. Using GCIS, you can search for colleges in the U.S. by major. We do not carry college catalogs.

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- ❖ **Group Presentations:** Programs created to impart info on career related issues from “Resume Writing” to “Business Etiquette”. Call to set a date for your student group or class.
- ❖ **Job Search Resources:** Books, guides, and directories covering various career fields. Annual magazines are also free to students.
- ❖ **Self-Evaluation Inventories:** Our career advisors are able to help students assess their interests and learn about careers or majors that they may like. Please call for an appointment.
- ❖ **Major Information Binders:** Looking for a major? Seeking career ideas within your field of study? Trying to find out what’s required in a specific degree? Look at our helpful major notebooks in our CRC.
- ❖ **On Campus Interviews:** Graduating students and alumni may register with our office to participate in the on campus interview with employers. Please call to sign up for an appointment.
- ❖ **Resume Critiquing:** Drop off a draft of your resume or cover letter to our front office and we’ll critique it within 48 hours.
- ❖ **Resume Referrals:** Graduating students who use Eagle Career Net can become part of our resume referral database. Career Services refers thousands of resumes to hundreds of employers every year through our database and Web Resume Book.
- ❖ **Focus II and GCIS:** Self-guided computer programs which help students learn about their values, interests, and career possibilities. Please call for an appointment.
- ❖ **Surf the Net:** We have computers which will allow you to surf the net to obtain career information and employment opportunities.
- ❖ **Video Taped Mock Interviews:** While we ask sample questions, your interview is videotaped, and then reviewed to evaluate your performance.
- ❖ **Handouts:** Career services houses a wide range of handouts including career specific information for each major with a resume example and sample interview questions.

CASA—Court Appointed Special Advocate Ogeechee Judicial Circuit

515 Denmark St., Suite 1400
Statesboro, GA 30458

Phone: 912-764-4849 Fax: 912-489-4134

Email: edcasaogee@frontiernet.net

Website: www.gacasa.org

Hours of Operation: Monday-Friday, 10 a.m. – 5 p.m. by appointment

Contact: Carolyn Fields (Executive Director)

Services:

- ❖ The mission of CASA Ogeechee is to provide screened, trained, and supervised volunteers to advocate for the best interests of abused and neglected children in the Superior Court deprivation proceedings in Bulloch, Effingham, Jenkins, and Screven Counties.
- ❖ The volunteer advocate is the “voice” for the child in the court system. The advocate serves as the “eyes and ears for the judge” and gives the court an independent report of their findings and recommendations in the case.
- ❖ The ultimate goal of CASA Ogeechee is to ensure that every child served has a safe and permanent home as soon as possible.

Cedarwood Program

150 Langston Chapel Road
Statesboro, GA 30458

Phone: 912-681-3115 Fax: 912-681-4540

Email: cedarsboro@frontiernet.net

Hours of Operation: Monday – Friday, 8 a.m. – 4 p.m.

Contact: Sandra Mason, Coordinator

Services:

Part of Georgia's educational system, provides a therapeutic program for severely emotionally and/or/ behaviorally disturbed children, birth to 21 years. Services include:

- ❖ Classes
- ❖ Diagnostic evaluation (educational, social, developmental, psychological)
- ❖ Home management programs which focus on educational, behavioral, socialization and communication skills.
- ❖ Assists schools and families in understanding and coping with a troubled environment.

Referrals are initiated by schools and agencies, after contact with the child's parents.

Fees: No cost.

Center for Behavioral Medicine Memorial University Medical Center

5002 Waters Ave.
Savannah, GA 31404

Phone: 912-350-5600

24 Hour Access Line: 912-350-3023

Services:

- ❖ **Mental Health Treatment:** Addresses the physical, psychological, emotional, social, and spiritual needs of people with mental health disorders.
- ❖ **Adult Psychiatric Services:** Program for people age 18 or older who have a primary psychiatric illness that may be coupled with substance abuse issues.
- ❖ **Senior Care Program:** Acute, short-term program for patients aged 65 and older in need of a secure, therapeutic environment 24-hours a day.
- ❖ **Intensive Outpatient Program (IOP):** Can be used to transition from an inpatient stay or to provide an intensive therapeutic intervention to prevent an inpatient stay. The program utilizes a cognitive-behavioral and skills-training therapeutic approach. People with dual diagnosis may benefit from this program.
- ❖ **Psychiatric Assessment Team (PAT):** Consists of experienced registered nurses in the emergency department at Memorial University Medical Center and in the Center for Behavioral Medicine. They are on call 24 hours a day, seven days a week to quickly evaluate, assess, and refer emergency patients in need of psychiatric assistance. The team also provides emotional support for patients and families.

Children's Medical Services (CMS)

3 West Altman Street
Statesboro, GA 30458

Phone: 912-871-1850 Fax: 912-681-0910

Hours of Operation: Monday-Friday, 8 a.m. – 5 p.m.

Contact: Hollie Eckles, Nursing Administrator

Services:

Children's Medical Services, formerly the Crippled Children's Program, is a public health program which provides medical care to income eligible children with special health care needs in Georgia. CMX offers long-term treatment and therapy. Physicians at the CMS outpatient clinics evaluate each child's condition, design a treatment plan and provide follow-up care. Case management is provided by the CMS nursing staff. The nurse is responsible for implementing the treatment plan and coordinating the services needed by the child and the family.

Conditions treated by CMS include:

- ❖ Burns
- ❖ Cardiac Conditions
- ❖ Chronic Lung Disease
- ❖ Craniofacial Anomalies including cleft lip and/or palate
- ❖ Cystic Fibrosis
- ❖ Diabetes Mellitus, Type 1
- ❖ Gastrointestinal Disorders
- ❖ Genitourinary Disorders
- ❖ Hearing Disorders
- ❖ Myelomeningocele (Spina Bifida)
- ❖ Neurological & Neurosurgical Disorders including Epilepsy, and Hydrocephalus
- ❖ Benign Tumors
- ❖ Orthopedic & Neuromuscular Disorders including Cerebral Palsy, Scoliosis, Rheumatoid Arthritis, Amputation of Limbs
- ❖ Visual disorders including Cataracts, Glaucoma, Amblyopia, Strabismus

Eligibility for CMS is based on:

- ❖ Type of medical problem
- ❖ Age of child—birth to age 21
- ❖ Residency in Georgia
- ❖ Annual family income

Statesboro CMS serves Bulloch, Candler, Evans, Tattnall, and Toombs counties.

Fees: Parents required to help, depending on income and household size.

Childcare Network

155 Williams Road
Statesboro, GA 30458

Phone: 912-489-4331 Fax: 912-489-7568

Website: www.childcarenetwork.net

Hours: Mon-Fri. 6:00am – 6:30pm

Contact: Linda Taylor, Director

Services

- ❖ Childcare services for children from 6weeks to 12years old.

Fees

- ❖ Children 6 weeks to 4 years old (\$105.00 - \$115.00)
- ❖ Lottery Pre-K (Free)
- ❖ Before & After School (\$55.00 part time & \$90.00 full time)
- ❖ Summer Camp (\$90.00)

Child Support Enforcement, Office of Ogeechee Judicial Circuit

P.O. Box 367 (mailing)
34 Hill Street
Statesboro, GA 30459

Phone: 912-489-8747 Fax: 912-764-5990

Toll Free: 800-227-7993

Website: www.cse.dhr.state.ga.us

Contact: Sherree Parker, Director

Services:

Collecting Child Support:

- ❖ Child Support Enforcement (CSE) services are available to Georgia Parents who need assistance. The custodial parent may apply for the CSE office that serves their county. There is an application fee of \$25. The custodial parent is asked to furnish legal documents if available, and information about the non-custodial parent.

Child Support Services include:

- ❖ Locating non-custodial parents
- ❖ Establishing paternity
- ❖ Establishing and enforcing child support orders
- ❖ Establishing and enforcing medical support orders
- ❖ Collecting and disturbing support payments

Collection and Enforcement Tools Available:

- ❖ Withholding child support from paychecks or unemployment benefits
- ❖ Intercepting federal and/or state income tax refunds to pay child support arrears
- ❖ Garnishing worker's compensation benefits
- ❖ Reporting parents owing more than \$1000 in child support payments to credit bureaus
- ❖ Suspending or revoking driver's, professional or occupational licenses for failure to pay child support
- ❖ Reviewing and modifying child support orders periodically
- ❖ Intercepting lottery winnings of more than \$5000
- ❖ Filing contempt of court actions which may result in a jail sentence if the non-custodial parent is found in contempt of court
- ❖ Filing liens and levies on tangible/intangible property
- ❖ Seizing matched bank accounts after notice

Child Support Enforcement continued...

Fatherhood Program

- ❖ The Fatherhood Program works with non-custodial parents who have a case with CSE and are unable to pay their child support. The program offers:
 - Job counseling and placement assistance
 - Places participants in a GED program
 - Provides classes on life coping skills such as how to interview for a job, retain employment and manage finances
 - Provides classes to strengthen parenting skills, learn about child development and explore ways to be more involved in their children's lives

Comments:

CSE has entered into a contract with the Department of Technical and Adult Education to provide the range of services non-custodial parents need to get a job or move up the career ladder. Gainful, stable employment enables these parents to provide regular financial support for their children.

Choices of the Heart Pregnancy Center

P.O. Box 2037 (mailing)
220 South Zetterower Ave.
Statesboro, GA 30458

Phone: 912-764-4303

Hours of Operation: by appointment only

Contact: Tammy Olliff, Executive Director

Services:

- ❖ Pregnancy testing
- ❖ Pregnancy counseling
- ❖ Post-abortion counseling
- ❖ Life Coach
- ❖ Parenting classes
- ❖ Bible Study
- ❖ Financial Classes
- ❖ Baby Boutique for use with credits earned from other services

Eligibility:

- ❖ Young women and couples who are parents or soon to be parents
- ❖ Any women needing any of our services

Citizens Against Violence, Inc.

DBA/Safe Haven

P.O. Box 2494
Statesboro, GA 30459

Phone: 912-764-4605 Fax: 912-764-4096

24 Hour Crisis Line Toll Free: 800-33-HAVEN (334-2836)

Contact: Mary S. Harden

Services:

- ❖ Emergency assistance includes: counseling, temporary shelter, food, emergency travel etc. for victims of domestic violence, sexual assault, or child abuse.
- ❖ Support groups for victims of domestic violence. Meets weekly. Contact office for time and place.
- ❖ Assistance to crime victims with court related problems, such as court familiarization for child witnesses, assistance with restraining orders of domestic violence victims, etc.

Fees: None.

Coastal Empire Council Boy Scouts of America

P.O. Box 60007 (mailing)
11900 Abercorn Street
Savannah, GA 31420

Phone: 912-927-7272 Fax; 912-920-4030

Web Site: www.bsasavannah.org

Hours of Operation: Monday – Friday, 9 a.m.-5:30 p.m.

Contact: Tom Cardiff, Scout Executive

Services:

- ❖ Serves youth 6 through 20 years of age.
- ❖ Provides educational opportunities, character development, citizenship training and personal fitness.
- ❖ Also provides Drug Education Programs and Child Abuse Programs.

Community Thrift Center
Amazing Grace Gospel Ministries

112 Eason Street
Statesboro, GA 30458

Phone: 912-852-5852

Hours of Operation: Call to make an appointment.

Contact: Gracie Hill

Services:

- ❖ A non-profit organization that provides emergency assistance to victims of burn-outs and needy persons.
- ❖ Assistance includes: food, clothing, furniture, medications, and ministry.

Concerted Services, Inc.
Bulloch County Service Center

P.O. Box 491 (mailing)
515 Denmark Street Suite 400
Statesboro, GA 30459

Phone: 912-489-1604 Fax: 912-764-3210

Email: dlcsi@frontiernet.net

Contact: Mary L. Phillips, Co. Coordinator

Services:

- ❖ Community Service Program: Commodity distribution, emergency assistance, energy assistance, food bank, high-risk mother/infant services, information and referral.
- ❖ Educational Talent Search Program (available only in Tattnall and Toombs County)
- ❖ Elderly Service Program: Home delivered meals, nutrition program, ombudsman program, energy assistance
- ❖ Weatherization Program for home repairs
- ❖ Job Training Program: Youth tryout on-the-job training (available only in Evans County)
- ❖ Transportation for the elderly and handicapped

Conner's Place

1015 East Inman Street
Statesboro, GA 30458

Phone: 912-764-7751 Fax: 912-764-8531

Email: betsey@connersplace.org

Website: <http://www.connersplace.org/>

Contact: Betsey Blair, Owner and Director

Services:

Conner's Place offers a variety of services to businesses, non-profit organizations, and individuals, with a focus on providing training that addresses behaviors related to substance abuse, violence, and risk reduction. Services offered include:

- ❖ Supervised Visitation and Monitored Custody Exchanges
- ❖ Certified Family Violence Intervention Program
- ❖ Anger Management Provider
- ❖ Substance Abuse Education
- ❖ Georgia Licensed Driver Training
- ❖ Training for Human Resource Managers or General Supervisors
- ❖ Volunteer opportunities

Department of Family and Children Services

41 Pulaski Hwy.
P.O. Box 1103 (mailing)
Statesboro, GA 30459

Phone: 912-871-1333 Fax: 912-681-5990

Contact: Rebecca Boston, Director

Services:

- ❖ TANF: Provides financial assistance to needy families with dependent children under 18 who are deprived of the support of at least one parent and meet the eligibility requirements.
- ❖ Food Stamps: Provides assistance for purchasing food for individuals who meet eligibility requirements.
- ❖ Medicaid: Provides payment for medical care to:
 - Eligible families who meet requirements for TANF or Refugee Assistance
 - Individuals in medical treatment facilities who meet requirements for SSI program except for income
 - Individuals who are in their own homes and were terminated from SSI due to cost of living increases in SSI benefits
 - Effective January 1, 1985 individuals who meet eligibility requirements for the medically needy programs
 - Pregnant women and children

Support services include:

- ❖ Child care for those participants in job search training, school, and beginning employment
- ❖ Transportation costs
- ❖ Post-employment child care and medical benefits
- ❖ Educational services to teen parents
- ❖ Job Skills Training
- ❖ Education and training for adults
- ❖ Case Management
- ❖ Refugee Assistance: Refugee and Entrant Assistance provides for the effective resettlement of refugees and entrants and assists them to achieve economic self-sufficiency through cash and medical assistance and supportive social services.

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- ❖ **General Assistance:** Approximately one fourth of Georgia's counties use local funds to provide general assistance to varying degrees. In some counties, this may simply be the provision of canned food, while others may make monthly financial payments comparable to those of the TANF Program. General assistance is usually provided for emergency needs and on-going money payments are restricted to those individuals not eligible for federally funded programs. Eligibility requirements, type, and amount of assistance are determined by the individual counties funding the programs.

Other Services: Employability and Preventive Services, Child and Adult Protective Services, Placement Services for Children and Adults, Information and Referral Services, Homemaker Services, Work Incentive Benefits, AFDC and Child Welfare (CAW), Family Foster Care, AFDC and CAW Institutional Foster Care, Adoption Supplement, Foster Care Insurance, Daycare, Psychological, Psychiatric, and Speech Services.

Department of Juvenile Justice

1 N. Main St.
Statesboro, GA 30458

Phone: 912-681-5996 Fax: 912-871-1707

Website: www.djj.state.ga.us

Hours of operation: Monday – Friday, 8 a.m. – 5 p.m.

Contact: Glenda Gignilliat

Services:

Provide services to law enforcement agencies and parents when juveniles have committed unruly or delinquent offenses.

- ❖ Services may include:
 - ❖ informal counseling
 - ❖ crisis intervention
 - ❖ court-ordered probation services
 - ❖ court-ordered commitment services
 - ❖ referrals to other appropriate agencies

District Attorney's Office Ogeechee Judicial Circuit of Georgia

1 Courtland Street
Statesboro, GA 30458

Phone: 912-764-9924 Fax: 912-489-2907

Toll Free: 1-888-282-4529

Contact: Richard A. Mallard, District Attorney

Hours of Operation: Monday – Friday, 8 a.m. – 5 p.m.

Services:

- ❖ Crisis Intervention Services
 - Crisis Intervention Counseling (Safe Haven)
 - Emergency referrals for medical care, shelter, and food
 - Information and brochures on victim rights provided at the scene of the crime or first contact

- ❖ Counseling and General Advocacy Services
 - Supportive individual counseling, generally no longer than six months at any one time unless there is a criminal prosecution (may be renewed if crisis is renewed due to a trigger event.)
 - General advocacy including:
 - Assistance with victim compensation applications
 - Creditor, landlord, and employer intervention
 - Intervention with hospitals, medical and mental health professionals
 - Assistance with protective relocation or shelter for victims of family violence
 - Information and referrals services including:
 - General victimization information
 - Victimization prevention information
 - Body disposition, funeral, and memorial procedures
 - Information on any administrative or justice-related proceedings that may take place with or without arrest or criminal investigations
 - Support groups for peer victims and/or survivors
 - Specific victimization information concerning the crime survived by the victim

- ❖ Support services during criminal justice investigation and post arrest:
 - Accompaniment to line-ups and photo line-up review sessions
 - Accompaniment to interviews
 - Information about case status
 - Information about victim compensation and assistance in filing when needed

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- Information about available protection and restraining orders
- Emergency shelter referrals
- Available crime-screen assistance for street-side identification
- Victim-tailored protection plans including relocation when necessary
- Death notification assistance and body identification accompaniment

- ❖ Support services during prosecution:
 - Personal support throughout hearings, interviews and trial
 - Information on what is expected of victims in the criminal justice process at each stage of the proceedings
 - “Call-ins” system concerning court dates, times, and places
 - “Call-ins” system in the event of a postponement of a hearing
 - Assistance in preparing a victim impact statement for use at plea bargains and at sentencing
 - Court-room familiarizations for priority victims and child witnesses

- ❖ Support services after case disposition:
 - Information on all victim rights in the aftermath of case disposition
 - Enforcement of restitution orders through monitoring of payments with Probation Department
 - Assistance in writing a victim impact statement for Parole Board
 - Accompaniment during all appeals or motions for retrials
 - Accompaniment to probation revocation hearings when needed

Eagle Health and Rehabilitation

405 South College Street
Statesboro, GA 30458

Phone: 912-764-4575 Fax: 912-764-3916

Website: www.eaglehealthrehabitation.org **or** www.ethicahealth.org

Hours: Mon-Fri. 8:00am - 5:00pm

Email: Alienhard@ethicahealth.org

Contact: Amanda Leinhard, Social Services & Admissions Director; Rachel Eggleston, Administrator

Services

- ❖ 24 hour skilled Nursing Care
- ❖ Short term or long term rehabilitation (Physical, Occupational & Speech Therapy)
- ❖ Physician services, pharmacy, restorative program, activities, social services, dietary evaluations, salon, laundry services, and transportation.

Eligibility

- ❖ Anyone looking for long term skilled nursing care and/or short term or long term rehabilitation.

Fees

- ❖ Private and semi-private accommodations available

Educational Talent Search Program/Upward Bound/Ronald E. McNair Georgia Southern University

P.O. Box 8071 (mailing)
400 Georgia Avenue, Williams Center Bldg., Suite 1026
Statesboro, GA 30460

Phone: 912-478-5458 Fax: 912-478-0863

Email: eop@georgiasouthern.edu

Website: <http://students.georgiasouthern.edu/eop>

Hours of Operation: Monday – Friday, 8 a.m. – 5 p.m.

Contact: Sue Hawks-Foster, Director
Deborah Lee (Upward Bound)
Ronald E. McNair (Carolyn Boles)

Services:

Program designed to provide middle school, high school and out of school youth with support and assistance needed to enter a program of post-secondary education. Eligible participants must be residents of Bulloch, Emanuel, Jenkins, Evans, Screven Counties, be enrolled in the 6th through 12th grades or be a high school/post secondary school dropout; be a potential first generation college student or meet the economic guidelines established for low income families; possess the potential to be successful at the post-secondary educational level; or be 12-27 years of age, or be a veteran, regardless of age. Services provided through this program include:

- ❖ Tutorial sessions
- ❖ Counseling sessions on admissions requirements and financial aid
- ❖ Career day programs
- ❖ Tours of post-secondary institutions
- ❖ Workshops on financial aid and study skills
- ❖ Career and academic counseling
- ❖ Literature on post-secondary programs
- ❖ SAT and ACT preparation

Experience Works

62 Packinghouse Road
Statesboro, GA 30458

Phone: 912-681-5156 Fax: 912-681-5228

Email: jessie_nesmith@experienceworks.org

Website: www.experienceworks.org

Hours: 8 am-12 pm & 1pm-4pm, Monday – Thursday

Contact: Jessie Nesmith, ETC

Services:

- ❖ Provides an employment program to people ages 55 and older. Gives a person the opportunity to improve their lives through training, community service and employment.

Eligibility: A person must be age 55 or older and meet income guidelines.

Family Assistance Center

18934 US HWY 301 N
Statesboro, GA 30461

Phone: 912-212-2808 Fax: 912-212-2809 Cell: 912-531-5957(24hrs)

Email: laura.howard@us.army.mil

Hours: 7 am – 3:30 pm, Monday – Friday after office hours by appointment

Contact: Laura Howard, Family Assistance Specialist (FAS)

Services:

- ❖ Provide resource and referral to all military branches regardless of status and their families
- ❖ Provide Month Of Military Child (MOMC) events to region
- ❖ Provide public speaking engagements or attendance at community events by request
- ❖ Provide financial assistance through various military and civilian organizations
- ❖ Provide a link between the military and local community organizations or individuals

Eligibility: Clients must be military members, Guard, Reserve, veterans, retirees or family members

Comments: Volunteers are welcome but they must submit contact information and complete a background check.

First Baptist Church of Statesboro

108 North Main Street
Statesboro, GA 30458

Phone: 912-764-5627

Website: www.fbc-statesboro.org

Email: Katherine@fbc-statesboro.org

Hours of Operation: Monday – Friday, 8 a.m. – 5 p.m.

Contact: Katherine Rountree, Church Secretary

Services:

- ❖ Pre-School Program, ½ day August – May
- ❖ Senior Adult Programs (Mondays)
- ❖ Extension Ministry to the Homebound
- ❖ Sunday Worship Service beginning 8:30 a.m., 11:00 a.m., and 6:30 p.m.
- ❖ Sunday School begins at 9:45 a.m.
- ❖ College Worship--Sundays @ 11:00 a.m.
- ❖ Korean Mission—Sundays @ 11:00 a.m.
- ❖ Wednesday Fellowship Meal—5:00 p.m. followed by Prayer Meeting
- ❖ On-going Youth Activities—Call for more information

Comments: Fees required for Pre-School Program

First District Regional Educational Service Agency (RESA)

201 West Lee Street
P.O. Box 780
Brooklet, GA 30415

Phone: 912-842-5000 Fax: 912-842-5161

Website: www.fdresa.org

Hours of Operation: Monday – Friday, 8 a.m. – 5 p.m.

Contact: Shelly Smith, Executive Director

Services:

Providing service to school systems in the First District in the areas of:

- ❖ Planning
- ❖ Research
- ❖ Staff Development
- ❖ Leadership Development
- ❖ Instruction
- ❖ Curriculum
- ❖ Assessment
- ❖ Evaluation
- ❖ Prevention
- ❖ Educational Technology
- ❖ School Improvement
- ❖ Safe and Drug Free Schools
- ❖ School Psychology Services
- ❖ Audiological Services
- ❖ Cooperative purchasing
- ❖ Audio Visual Equipment Repair
- ❖ Environmental Consultation
- ❖ Endorsement Programs
- ❖ Youth Apprenticeship Program

Comments: First District RESA is also the fiscal agent for the Cedarwood Georgia Network for Educational and Therapeutic Supports (GNETS) Program, the Coastal Academy GNETS Program, Southeast GLRS, and Coastal GLRS.

First United Methodist Church

P.O. Box 2048 (mailing)
101 South Main Street
Statesboro, GA 30459

Phone: 912-764-7589 Fax: 912-764-7638

Email: mail@statesborofirst.com

Website: www.statesborofirst.com

Hours of Operation: Monday – Friday, 8 a.m. – 5 p.m.

Contact: Robin Kersey, Church Administrator

Services:

- ❖ Sunday Worship Service (Traditional)—8:30 a.m. and 10:55 a.m. (Sanctuary)
- ❖ Praise—Sunday @ 9:00 a.m. (Fellowship Hall)
- ❖ College Worship Service—Sunday @ 11:00 a.m. (Fellowship Hall)
- ❖ Methodist Youth Fellowship with Youth Director
- ❖ Snack Supper for Youth, Sunday, 5:30 p.m.
- ❖ Pastors available for pastoral care as need arises
- ❖ Pre-School Program: Fees required—Contact Ann Haskins at 764-1876
- ❖ Young at Heart Older Adults Group, Jewel Dabbs, Coordinator
- ❖ Helping Hands
- ❖ Disciple Groups: Bible Encounter and Growth Groups (September – May)
- ❖ Choirs: Adult, hand-bell, 3 children and youth
- ❖ Wednesday night suppers, 5:15 p.m., charge for meal (September – May)
- ❖ Boy Scout Troop

Comments: Fees required for some programs.

Food Bank, Inc., The

P.O. Box 2353 (mailing)
600 East Jones Street
Statesboro, GA 30459

Phone: 912-489-3663 Fax: 912-489-1469

Email: kv301@nctv.com

Hours of Operation: Monday – Friday, 2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Contact: Keith F. Hickman

Services:

- ❖ Provides emergency food to those in need.

Eligibility:

- ❖ Persons in need referred to the food bank by agencies such as DFCS, ACTS, CSI, Red Cross, Pineland, etc. The Clients may have lost jobs, been to ill to work, fire occurred or other situations where they may need food.

Fees:

- ❖ No fees

Fresh Start Counseling Services, LLC

326 Myrtle Crossing Drive, Ste 200
Statesboro, GA 30458

Phone: 912-489-7590 Fax: 912-489-3877

Email: info@freshstartboro.com

Website: www.freshstartboro.com

Hours: Mondays – 8:00 a.m.-7:00 p.m. – Tuesday-Friday – 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

Therapists: Dr. John Geerdes, Joey Fennell, & Cynthia Lee

Services:

At Fresh Start, we provide services that are based on Christian principles and values. Research proven techniques are combined with Biblical wisdom to provide clients with the opportunity to integrate their faith into the treatment process at their request. As Christians and therapists, we value each individual; therefore, each therapist will respect a client's right to choose whether spiritual issues are incorporated into the session process. We welcome the opportunity to serve anyone that is ready to improve his or her overall well-being.

Counseling is usually recommended when people experience emotional or behavioral problems that interrupt their daily functioning, add stress to their family, and/or prevent them from living out their potential and enjoying life. Our staff works with children, teenagers, adults, couples, and families to address a broad range of emotional, behavioral, or adjustment problems.

GA Safe Routes to School Resource Center

GA Safe Routes to School Resource Center
400 North park Town Center
1000 Abernathy Rd, Suite 900
Atlanta, GA 30328

Phone: 404-849-3141

Email: Patti@SafeRoutesGA.org

Website: www.SafeRoutesGA.org

Hours: 8 am – 5 pm, Monday – Friday

Contact: Patti Sistrunk, School Outreach Coordinator, Coastal Region (including Bulloch County and surrounding region)

Services:

- ❖ Provide outreach services for elementary and middle schools (K-8) to implement Safe Routes to School Programs
- ❖ Through working with the Resource Center, schools may develop a customized SRTS plan; conduct walkability/bikability assessments; develop bicycle and pedestrian safety trainings; host a Walk to School Day event; sustain weekly walking and bicycling days; coordinate with local planners, engineers, and law enforcement regarding school safety issues; educate students and the community regarding safe bicycle and pedestrian skills and practices and/or the benefits of walking and bicycling to/from school, etc.

Eligibility: Any school with any grades kindergarten (5-K) through eighth (8th) in Georgia is eligible to partner and receive resources. Services and resources are free to partner schools and their surrounding communities. Stakeholder organizations are encouraged to join the network by becoming “Friends” of Safe Routes to School.

Comments: The GA Safe Routes to School Resource Center is a federally-funded project of the Georgia Department of Transportation (GDOT.) Funding for Safe Routes to School Infrastructure improvements is awarded via a GDOT competitive grant application process.

Gentilly Gardens

625 Gentilly Rd.
Statesboro Ga, 30458

Phone: 912-681-1923 Fax: 912-681-2123

Contact: Chris Purser (Director)
Cynthia Wilson

Services:

Assisted Living

- ❖ Licensed Nurse on Staff
- ❖ Private and shared suites and kitchenettes
- ❖ Three delicious meals served daily in our elegant dining room
- ❖ Assisted living services with customized level of care need
- ❖ Hospice care
- ❖ An appealing assortment of snacks and beverages served throughout the day
- ❖ Medication management
- ❖ Scheduled transportation
- ❖ Meaningful activities
- ❖ Weekly housekeeping and laundry services
- ❖ 24- hour watchful oversight
- ❖ Individualized care
- ❖ Professionally staffed beauty and barber shop
- ❖ Personal Care Assistance
- ❖ Continence management
- ❖ State-of-the-art emergency service/response team
- ❖ Short term / respite stays available
- ❖ Secure Alzheimer's neighborhood with secure courtyard
- ❖ VA residents welcome

Eligibility: Anyone who qualifies for assisted living.

GSU Area Senior Companion Program

P.O Box 8098-01
Statesboro, GA 30460

Phone: 912-478-0712 Fax: 912-478-1787

Hours: Mon-Fri. 8:00am – 5:00pm

Services

- ❖ Senior Companion volunteers assist their clients with grocery shopping (using the clients car); if no car, assisting the client with finding transportation to medical appointments and shopping.
- ❖ The volunteers make the lives of those they serve less lonely. By providing companionship the most meaningful friendships are formed. By giving back to their community the volunteer receives a feeling of self-worth and remains both mentally and physically healthy longer.

Eligibility

- ❖ A volunteer must be at least 55 years of age and be able to pass a physical and get a criminal background check as well as an FBI fingerprint check. They are also checked to make sure they are not on the national sex offender public website. They must fall within the 200 percent poverty level. After 40 hours of pre-service training, they are placed with a client. Follow-up is made every few weeks to make sure the placement is working. A client satisfaction survey is done every 6 months.

Fees

- ❖ There is no fee for the care receiver. The need is given to the Senior Companion office from Home Health Agencies and Social Service Agencies, and family members if affected usually elderly clients. The volunteer assists adults age 21 and up.

GSU Center for Rural Health and Research

P.O. Box 8015 (mailing)
JPHCOPH, Herty Drive, Bldg 0253
Statesboro, GA 30459

Phone: 912-478-1922 Fax: 912-478-7553

Email: stedders@georgiasouthern.edu

Website: <http://jphcoph.georgiasouthern.edu/crhr/>

Hours of Operation: Monday – Friday, 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Contact: Dr. Stuart H. Tedders, Director – CRHR

Services:

- ❖ Community assessment
- ❖ Health program evaluation
- ❖ Data analysis and presentation
- ❖ Grant writing
- ❖ Population-based research

GSU Department of Public Safety

P.O. Box 8072
Statesboro, GA 30460

Phone: 912-478-5234 Fax: 912-478-0806

Emergency Phone: 911

TDD (Telecommunications device for the deaf): 478-5119

Contact: Major Mike Russell or Captain Laura McCullough

G.S.U. Coordinated Religious Ministries

P.O. Box 8117
Statesboro, GA 30460

Phone: 912-478-2241

Contact: Dr. Jerry F. Johnson, President (912-478-2481)

Services: Coordinated Religious Ministries (CRM) was created to coordinate religious activities for the Georgia Southern University community with a variety of religious experiences.

Organizations involved:

- ❖ Bahai Faith: Dan Rea, 478-1547, danrea@georgiasouthern.edu
- ❖ Baptist Collegiate Ministries: Jerry Johnson, Donna Blackburn, Nanette Smith: 478-2241, jerry@student.org, georgiasouthernbcm.com
- ❖ Campus Outreach: BJ Jordan, 541-0584, bjordan@campusoutreach.org
- ❖ Catholic Newman Association: Brooks Coates: 478-6726, brookscoates@aol.com
- ❖ Christian Faculty and Staff Forum: Norman E. Schmidt, 478-5043, Normans@georgiasouthern.edu
- ❖ Chi Alpha Christian Fellowship: Brad and Stacy Lacy, bradlacy@yahoo.com
- ❖ Christ Full Gospel Ministries: Francys Johnson, francysjohnson@hotmail.com, 478-0117
- ❖ Christian Campus Fellowship: Danny Groover, dangroover@hotmail.com
- ❖ Episcopal Campus Ministry: Lonnie Lacy, Lonnie@ecmgsu.org, 489-4208
- ❖ First Baptist Church Collegiate Ministry: Stewart Moody, stewart@fbc-statesboro.org
- ❖ New Life Ministry: Dr. Sophie George, 478-0599, georges@georgiasouthern.edu
- ❖ Hillel Affiliate: Box 8054, 478-5797
- ❖ JEDI Fellowship: Dr. Trent Maurer, 852-2978
- ❖ Latter-day Saints: Dr. Curtis Ricker, 478-5434, cricker@georgiasouthern.edu
- ❖ Reformed University Fellowship: Sammy Rhodes, 912-481-3922

G.S.U. Coordinated Religious Ministries continued...

- ❖ Remnant College Ministries: Craig Roell, 478-5862, croell@georgiasouthern.edu
- ❖ Voices in Ministry: Philip Cody, 681-5458
- ❖ Wesley Foundation: Carl Blackburn, Tammy Gann, 681-3136, gsuwesley@gmail.com

GSU Family Life Center

P.O. Box 8021
Statesboro, Ga. 30460

Phone: 912-478-5537 Fax: 912-478-7087

Website: www.georgiasouthernhealthscience.com/department/hfcs/resources/centers.html

Hours of Operation: Fall and Spring Semester, Monday-Friday, 7:45 a.m. – 5:15 p.m., Summer program, Monday-Friday, 7:45p.m – 1:00p.m. .

Contact: Cynthia Edenfield, Director

Services:

- ❖ Preschool beginning at 7:45 a.m.
- ❖ Pick-up times at 12 p.m., half day, 3 p.m. full day, and 5:15 p.m. extended day during fall and spring semesters. Ten-week summer program running 7:45a.m.-1:00p.m.

Comments: Fees vary depending on program selected. Programs follow the University calendar. Not a drop-in facility.

GSU Interfraternity Council, Panhellenic Association, and National Pan-Hellenic Council

P.O. Box 8097
Russell Union Room 2007
Statesboro, GA 30460

Phone: 912-478-5185 Fax: 912-478-1409

Email: kjhamm@georgiasouthern.edu

Website: <http://students.georgiasouthern.edu/greeklife/>

Hours of Operation: Monday – Friday, 8 a.m. – 5 p.m.

Contact: K. Joy Hamm, Director of Greek Life

Services: 26 Greek organizations that would like to do community service projects.

GSU Nesmith-Lane Continuing Education

P.O. Box 8124
Statesboro, GA 30460-8124

Phone: 912-478-5555 Fax: 912-478-0306

Website: www.georgiasouthern.edu/conted

Hours of Operation: Monday – Friday, 8 a.m. – 5 p.m.

Contact: Dr. Tony Bretti, Director of Continuing Education/Assistant Dean

Services:

- ❖ Provides programs that promote lifelong learning to the citizens of Southeast Georgia.
- ❖ The Nesmith-Lane Continuing Education Building, on the campus of Georgia Southern University, provides a leading-edge environment for lifelong learning and cultural enrichment. It is designed especially for training and development programs for adults, for hosting conferences and providing distance education, and for presentation of the performing arts.
- ❖ The facility has 39,600 square feet of meeting space, a 376-seat auditorium and 9 meeting rooms. New construction completed in 2001 added an additional 105,000 square feet, and includes an 850-seat Performing Arts facility, 600-seat multi-purpose room, other meeting rooms, office space, and a full kitchen.
- ❖ The Nessmith-Lane Building, with its training support systems, audiovisual equipment, and telecommunication equipment, provides an excellent environment for training programs, conferences, workshops, seminars, symposia, and business meetings, as well as related functions and entertainment.

Fees: Contact Facility

GSU Office of Admissions

P.O. Box 8024
Statesboro, GA 30460

Phone: 912-478-5391 Fax: 912-478-1156

Contact: Susan B. Davies, Director

Services:

- ❖ Answers questions about admission to GSU
- ❖ Admissions process, requirements and fees
- ❖ May provide students or counselor as a speaker or presenter for GSU
- ❖ Furnishes printed materials for 9th graders and above
- ❖ Provides walking tours of campus Monday – Friday at 10:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m.

Georgia Southern University Psychology Clinic

P.O. Box 8041-01
788 Forest Drive
Statesboro, GA 30460

Phone: 912-478-1685 Fax: 912-478-2430

Website: <http://class.georgiasouthern.edu/psychology/clinic.php>

Hours: Tuesday-Friday

Contact: Dr. Amy Luna, Clinic Director

Services

- ❖ Individual Counseling
- ❖ Couples Counseling
- ❖ Group Counseling
- ❖ Family Counseling
- ❖ Cognitive Counseling (Learning Disabilities & ADHD)
- ❖ Career Assessment

Eligibility

- ❖ Children, Adolescents, Adults, Seniors, Community Members & College Students

Fees

- ❖ Sliding Scale fee schedule is based on annual household income. Fees start at \$5.00.

GSU Student Organizations

P.O. Box 7990

Russell Union (Office of Student Activities)

Statesboro, GA 30460-8094

Phone: 912-478-7270

Fax: 912-478-7359

Email: sac@georgiasouthern.edu

Website: eagleentertainmentonline.com

Hours of Operation: Monday – Thursday, 8 a.m. – 8 p.m., Friday 8 a.m. – 5 p.m.

Services:

- ❖ Many different organizations specializing in the following areas:
 - Academic and professional
 - Advocacy and service
 - Greek
 - Honorary
 - Media
 - Multicultural
 - Political
 - Production and performance
 - Recreation
 - Religious and spiritual

Georgia Department of Labor

62 Packinghouse Road
Statesboro, GA 30458

Phone: 912-681-5156 Fax: 912-681-5228

Hours: 8:00-4:30pm, Monday-Friday

Website: www.dol.state.ga.us

Contact: Brian Davis, Manager

Services:

- ❖ Unemployment Insurance: Provides weekly benefits to people who have lost their job through no fault of their own.
- ❖ Employment Services: Job listing from employers in the area, state, and nationally. Referrals made for those who meet employer qualifications.
- ❖ Support Services
 - Labor market information
 - Employment counseling
 - Job development
 - Job skills workshop
 - Financial planning workshop
 - Veterans program
 - Migrant seasonal farm worker program
 - Reemployment services
 - Typing proficiency test

Eligibility

- ❖ General Public

Georgia Department of Labor Rehabilitation Services

P.O. Box 692 (mailing)
117 Savannah Avenue
Statesboro, GA 30459

Phone: 912-871-1173 Fax: 912-871-1164

Website: www.vocrehabga.org

Hours of Operation: Monday – Friday, 8 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Services:

Vocational Rehabilitation provides services to help persons with disabilities prepare for, start, and maintain competitive employment, thus becoming productive and independent citizens in their communities. The VR program has 13 regional offices statewide, as well as 53 local offices with expert teams who work in the community and have an in-depth knowledge of both the marketplace and the support services available. All customers are therefore able to benefit from opportunities tailored to their specific needs. Services include:

- ❖ Counseling and guidance
- ❖ College and University Instruction
- ❖ Supported Employment
- ❖ Work Readiness Training
- ❖ Work Adjustment Training
- ❖ Vocational and Technical Training
- ❖ On the Job Training
- ❖ Job Coaching

Eligibility: Vocational Rehabilitation (VR) is eligibility, not an entitlement program. Any Georgia citizen may qualify for VR services if:

- ❖ The individual has a permanent physical or mental impairment, which interferes with the ability to work and
- ❖ Vocational rehabilitation services are necessary for the individual to prepare for, enter, engage in or keep gainful (paid) employment and
- ❖ The individual with a disability can, will and wants to go to work.

Fees: Financial eligibility requirements need to be met to receive some purchased services

Georgia Legal Services Program Savannah Regional Office

10 Whitaker Street, Second Floor
Savannah, GA 31401

Phone: 912- 651-2180
1-888-220-8399

Website: www.glsp.org

Services:

Georgia Legal Services, an independent, non-profit organization, provides free legal services to low-income people in civil matters in the 154 Georgia counties outside the 5 county Atlanta metropolitan areas. The mission of Georgia Legal Services is to work for equal access to justice under law to all people of Georgia.

Issues addressed by this program include (but are not limited to):

- ❖ Adoption and custody issues
- ❖ Criminal Law and Personal Injury
- ❖ Driving issues
- ❖ Debt collection
- ❖ Discrimination
- ❖ Disability
- ❖ Family Law and Domestic Violence
- ❖ Health Care
- ❖ Housing
- ❖ Public Benefits
- ❖ Seniors
- ❖ Wills and Life Planning

**Georgia Legal Services Program
Farmworker Division**

104 Marietta Street, Suite 250
Atlanta, GA 30303

Phone: 404-463-1633 Fax: 404-463-1623

Toll Free: 1-800-537-7496

Contact: Dawson Morton, Senior Staff Attorney

Services:

Provides free legal services for farm workers

Comments: Represents agricultural workers throughout Georgia. All employees speak Spanish.

Girl Scout Council of Savannah, Inc.

1 Lee Hill Street, Suite 100
Statesboro, GA 30458

Phone: 912-489-3269 Fax: 912-489-6579

Email: amandal@girlscouting.org

Website: www.girlscouting.org

Hours of Operation: Monday – Friday, 9 a.m. – 5 p.m.

Contact: Amanda Lienhard, Membership Services Manager
Tiffany Connolly, Membership Development Director

Services:

- ❖ 26 troops in Bulloch County
- ❖ Call regarding existing troops and information to start new troops
- ❖ Programs based on traditional Girl Scout principles and addresses contemporary issues

Comments:

Membership in Girl Scouting is open to any girls who meet the following requirements:

- ❖ Between the ages of 5 and 17
- ❖ Accept the Girl Scout Promise and Law
- ❖ Pay the \$10 annual membership dues (financial assistance is available)

Habitat for Humanity of Bulloch County

P.O. Box 1253
515 Denmark Street, Suite 700
Statesboro, Georgia 30459

Phone: 912-489-2076 Fax: 912-764-3207

Email: habitat@frontiernet.net

Contact: Arliesha Lovett

Services:

Habitat for Humanity is a nonprofit, nondenominational Christian housing organization. We welcome all people to join us as we build simple, decent, affordable houses in partnership with those needing adequate shelter. Houses are built through partnerships with volunteers, home buyers, church, school, social and professional groups. Habitat for Humanity reduces cost by seeking donations of money, materials, and labor.

Habitat ReStore

37 East Cherry Street
Statesboro, GA 30458

Phone: 912-764-5777

Hours of Operation: Saturdays, 9 a.m.-2 p.m.

Services:

The Habitat ReStore is a re-sale store run by Habitat volunteers. Our goal is to provide good quality used furniture, appliances and household goods to the public for reasonable prices. The ReStore benefits the community by promoting recycling and providing people with affordable, quality necessities. All profits from the ReStore sales go to Habitat for Humanity of Bulloch County.

Hands on Ogeechee

P.O. Box 654 (mailing)
1 Lee Hill Drive
Statesboro, GA 30459

Phone: (912) 212-HELP

Website: <http://www.BeHandsOn.org>

Email: jforeman@communitycentered.org

Contact: Jeremy Foreman, Executive Director

Services:

- ❖ Hands On Ogeechee brings people together to strengthen communities through meaningful volunteer action
- ❖ Provides volunteer opportunities, project management, outreach programs, and referral services in Bulloch, Candler, Emanuel, Evans, Jenkins, Montgomery, Screven, Tattnall, Toombs and Treutlen counties

Head Start, Statesboro

150 Williams Road
Statesboro, GA 30458

Phone: 912-764-5330 Fax: 912-489-4585

Hours of Operation: 7:30 a.m. – 3:45 p.m. (children until 2 p.m.)

Contact: Almarita Donaldson, Center Director

Services:

Head Start is a comprehensive preschool program for 4-year-olds (must be 4 by December 31st) that includes learning activities, medical and dental examinations, breakfast, lunch, snack, social services and opportunities for parental involvement. Special services are provided for children with disabilities.

Eligibility: Accepted according to family income.

CSRA EOA Head Start

P.O. Box 10104
1261 Green Street
Augusta, GA 30903-2704

Phone: 706-722-0493 Fax: 706-722-8565

Hours of Operation: 8 a.m. – 4 p.m. (children until 2 p.m.)

Contact: Ernestine Smith, Program Director

Homebound Services, Inc.

515 Denmark Street, Suite 600
Statesboro, GA 30458

Phone: 912-764-9500 Fax: 912-764-8510
 912-764-8196

Hours of operation: 9 am - 1 pm, Monday – Friday

Contact: Sheri Hendrix, Director

Services:

- ❖ In order to help homebound elderly and handicapped to remain in their homes as long as possible, Homebound Services offers three main services. Homemaker services are provided to assist with routine house hold tasks, such as vacuuming, dusting, cleaning the kitchen and bath, and helping with laundry, if needed. Clients have a Homemaker for 2 hours a week.
- ❖ The agency provides telephone reassurance for people who need it. Each client is called Monday through Friday, except holidays, to ensure they are (alright?). They are called about the same time daily and a pre-arranged emergency plan is put into action if no one answers after 2 or 3 attempts.
- ❖ The agency's Med Connection Program helps qualified Bulloch County citizens at a free or reduced cost. It also provides Medicare Part D counseling and enrollment.
- ❖ The agency also provides home visitation, information and referral.
- ❖ Normally, there are waiting lists for the homemaker services. The length of the wait may vary from a couple of weeks to a month or two, depending on the length of the list.

Comments: Once a person is assessed and found to be in need of homemaker services, a sliding scale is used to determine the suggested fee for service. However, no one is denied service if unable to pay. There is no charge for other services.

Inspirations Outpatient Counseling Center

EGRMC Medical Office Building
1497 Fair Rd, Suite 100
Statesboro, Ga. 30458

Phone: 912-486-1756 Fax: 912-486-1758

Email: rrenfro@ahmgt.com

Hours of Operation: Monday-Friday 8:00a.m.-5:00p.m.

AM Session

9:00 am – 11:45 am (group therapy)

Lunch is served at 11:45am

PM Session

12:15 pm – 3:00 pm (group therapy)

Lunch is served at 11:30 am

Contact: Regina Renfro, Program Director Wayne Akins, Community Educator

Services

Inspirations is an outpatient department of a hospital which provides a variety of mental health services for older adults who are experiencing psychiatric symptoms. The program uses an interdisciplinary approach to respond to individual needs. Enrollment in the Inspirations program is voluntary.

Elements of the treatment include group therapies, individual therapy, family therapy and diagnostic services. Patients receive 3 - 15 groups of physician ordered therapies per week. The psychiatrist works closely with the team to develop and implement a treatment plan that meets the needs of each individual patient.

The program target population is older adults with a primary psychiatric diagnosis. Younger adults may be admitted to the program if clinically indicated and it does not compromise the treatment of older adults. Intensive outpatient services are for patients who are assessed as not at an immediate risk to self or others or in need of inpatient psychiatric care. Prior treatment is not necessary; however, patient must be able to participate in active treatment, benefit from treatment and have the capacity to consent to treatment. The patient's Global Assessment of Functioning (GAF) will typically be above 40.

Eligibility:

Patients must exhibit mild to moderate psychiatric symptoms, have the capacity to participate in program, and be able to benefit from active treatment.

Fees:

The program charges are billed under Medicare Part B and Medicaid or Medicare Part B and other supplemental/secondary policies. In cases where patients do not have supplemental/secondary coverage, we will work with the patient in an effort to collect the Medicare deductibles and co-pays. Inspirations is proud to offer transportation to all of our patients without a means to attend the program.

Joseph's Home for Boys

P.O. Box 1434
Statesboro, GA 30459

Phone: 912-681-8526 Fax: 912-681-8701

Contact: Amy Futch, Director

Services:

Joseph's Home is a private non-profit residential group home licensed by the State of Georgia to accept boys from the ages 6 – 18 years old. All residents go to public schools. Group therapy and individual counseling is part of the weekly program. These are provided by the on site clinical Director/LPC.

Eligibility: Child must be referred from the Department of Family and Children Services or Department of Juvenile Justice.

Kiwanis Club, Statesboro

P.O. Box 472
Statesboro, GA 30459

Phone: 912-681-7342 (Community Building)
912-681-2202 (Fairgrounds)

Contact: Darrell Colsen

Services:

Man hours and money expended for all aspects of community needs. Contact the President of the club. Community building is available at the Fairgrounds.

Fees: Fees are charged for the use of the Community Building.

Live Oak Migrant Education Agency

P.O. Box 780 (mailing)
201 West Lee Street
Brooklet, GA 30451

Phone: 912-842-5400 Fax: 912-842-5440

Toll Free: 1-800-621-5217

Contact: James Phenis, Coordinator

Services:

Provides educational and support services for the children of migrant workers. The agency is a service oriented resource center for 38 school systems. It specializes in helping schools to better provide for the LEP (Limited English Proficient) migrant students.

Magnolia Coastlands Area Health Education Center

P.O. Box 8146
Georgia Southern University
Statesboro, GA 30460

Phone: 912-478-1050 Fax: 912-478-0816

Email: mkpung@georgiasouthern.edu

Website: www.magnoliacoastlandsahec.org

Hours: Monday-Friday, 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Contact: Mary Kate Pung, Director

Services

- ❖ MCAHEC supports the recruitment, training, and retention of a diverse health professions workforce in Southeast Georgia. We offer career presentations to high schools, summer camps, housing for medical and other students, and continuing education.

Eligibility

- ❖ Anyone with an interest in health professions. We focus on middle and high school youth, students in post secondary health training, and health providers in rural areas.

Fees

- ❖ No fees

NAACP

6390 Ga. Highway 46
Statesboro, GA 30458

Phone: 912-839-4416

Contact: Pearl Brown, President

Services:

Involved in various issues as need arises to advance people of color, such as voter registration and advising individuals and groups in situations involving racial discrimination.

National Alliance on Mental Illness

425 Langston Chapel Road
Statesboro, GA 30458

Phone: 912-536-4448

E-mail: middleground425@gmail.com

Contact: Lois Roberts

Services:

The NAMI support group meets the 2nd Monday of each month at 7:30p.m. at First Presbyterian Church located on Fair road.

Nightingale Hospice

203 Savannah Ave.
Statesboro, GA 30461

Phone: 912-764-6222 Fax: 912-681-4165

E-mail: bmosley@nightingalehospice.org

Hours of Operation: Monday – Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Contact: Barbara Mosley, Director

Services:

- ❖ Nursing visits, nursing assistants for personal care and light housework and meal preparation
- ❖ Social work visits to assist with financial, emotional, and social issues
- ❖ Chaplain visits for spiritual comfort and support
- ❖ Volunteers for socialization, errands, etc.
- ❖ Bereavement care for loved ones for 13 months after death of patient

Eligibility:

Terminal diagnosis with prognosis of 6 months or less (COPD, heart disease, renal failure, cirrhosis of the liver, cancer, debility)

Further comments:

- ❖ Bill Medicare, Medicaid, and private insurance--but do not refuse to care for anyone, regardless of their ability to pay.
- ❖ Serving patients in 24 counties surrounding Bulloch County.

Office of Child Support Enforcement Ogeechee Judicial Circuit

P.O. Box 367
Statesboro, Ga. 30458

Phone: 800-227-7993 Fax: 912-764- 5990

Contact: Sherree Parker, Director

Services:

Collecting Child Support

- ❖ Child Support Enforcement (CSE) services are available to Georgia Parents who need assistance. The custodial parent may apply for the CSE office that serves their country. There is an application fee of \$25. The custodial parent is asked furnish legal documents if available, and information about the non-custodial parent.

Child Support Services include:

- ❖ Locating non-custodial parents
- ❖ Establishing paternity
- ❖ Establishing and enforcing child support orders
- ❖ Establishing and enforcing medical support orders
- ❖ Collecting and distributing support payments

Collections and Enforcement Tools Available:

- ❖ Withholding child support from paychecks or unemployment benefits
- ❖ Intercepting federal and/or state income tax refunds to pay child support arrears
- ❖ Garnishing worker's compensation benefits
- ❖ Reporting parents owing more than \$1000 in child support payments to credit bureaus
- ❖ Suspending or revoking driver's, professional or occupational licenses for failure to pay child support
- ❖ Reviewing and modifying child support orders periodically
- ❖ Intercepting lottery winnings of more than \$5000
- ❖ Filing contempt of court action which may result in a jail sentence in the non-custodial parent is found in contempt of court
- ❖ Filing liens and levies on tangible/intangible property
- ❖ Seizing matched bank accounts after notice

Fatherhood Program

- ❖ The Fatherhood program works with non-custodial parents who have a case with CSE and are unable to pay their child support. The program offers:
 - Job counseling and placement assistance
 - Places participants in a GED program

Office of Child Support Enforcement continued...

- Provides classes on life coping skills such as how to interview for a job, retain employment and manage finances
- Provides classes to strengthen parenting skills, learn about child development and explore ways to be more involved in their children's lives

Comments: CSE has entered into a contract with the Department of Technical and Adult Education to provide the range of services non-custodial parents need to get a job or move up the career ladder. Gainful, stable employment enables these parents to provide regular financial support for their children.

Ogeechee Area Hospice

P.O. Box 531 (mailing)
200 Donehoo Street
Statesboro, GA 30459

Phone: 912-764-8441 Fax: 912-489-8247

Toll Free: 1-800-236-1142

Contact: Nancy Bryant, Director

Services:

- ❖ Home visits by Hospice
- ❖ Hospice Nurses on call 24/7
- ❖ Periodic visits by a social worker for emotional support, problem solving and planning
- ❖ Spiritual care and support based on patient and family needs
- ❖ Assistance with personal hygiene from Hospice nursing assistants
- ❖ Support from trained volunteers
- ❖ Payment for medications related to the terminal illness
- ❖ Supplies and equipment at no additional cost to the patient
- ❖ Bereavement support for the family up to 13 months after the death
- ❖ Short-term inpatient care for symptom management
- ❖ Inpatient respite care

Fees: Accepts anyone meeting criteria for care, regardless of ability to pay. Accept Medicare and Medicaid, as well as private insurance.

Ogeechee Home Health Agency/Gentiva

P.O. Box 1452 (mailing)
1525 Fair Road
Statesboro, GA 30459

Phone: 912-486-1900 Fax: 912-681-6442

Website: www.gentiva.com

Hours of Operation: Monday – Friday, 8 a.m. – 5 p.m.

Contact: Kelley Hood, RN Branch Manager

Services:

- ❖ Skilled nursing
- ❖ Physical Therapy
- ❖ Speech Therapy
- ❖ Occupational Therapy
- ❖ Nursing Assistants
- ❖ Medical Social Worker

Eligibility: Medicare, Medicaid, most private insurance

Ogeechee Technical College

1 Joe Kennedy Blvd.
Statesboro, GA 30458

Phone: 912-681-5500 Fax: 912-486-7704

Email: info@ogeecheetech.edu

Website: www.ogeecheetech.edu

Hours of Operation: Monday – Thursday, 8 a.m. – 10 p.m., Friday 8 a.m. – 4 p.m.

Contact: Dr. Dawn H. Cartee, President (912-871-1638)

Services:

- ❖ Postsecondary Education (AAS degrees, diplomas, and certificates)
- ❖ Adult Literacy Education
- ❖ GED Preparation and Testing
- ❖ Continuing Education Courses
- ❖ Customized Business and Industry Training.

Comments: Ogeechee Technical College is a unit of the Technical College System of Georgia.

Parent to Parent of Georgia, Inc.

3 West Altman Street
Statesboro, GA 30458

Phone: 912-489-1904 Fax: 912-681-0910

Toll Free: 1-800-229-2038

Website: <http://www.parenttoparentofga.org/>

Contact: Marsha Hagan

Services:

- ❖ Trained volunteer supporting parents who offer emotional support and information to parents whose children have a disability or serious chronic illness. Information about specific disabilities, resources, and services are also available. Serves all counties in Georgia.
- ❖ **Special Needs Database:** Parent to Parent's comprehensive resource database containing over 4,000 resources in over 100 categories. The database is a user-friendly, accessible system of complete, up-to-date information for individuals with disabilities, their families, and professionals throughout Georgia. There is no cost to search the database. Resource information is included on:
 - Advocacy
 - Early intervention
 - Diagnostic and evaluation
 - Physical therapy
 - Speech therapy
 - Occupational therapy
 - Child care centers
 - Respite care
 - Medicaid
 - Education
 - Counseling
 - Support groups
 - Camps
 - Vocational services
- ❖ **Navigational Team:** Local team of parents and professionals whose goal is to strengthen families in the Bulloch/Candler County area, especially those with children with disabilities, and develop a point of contact so that parents of young children and parents of school-aged youth will not feel alone. Call Mitzy Williams-Proffitt at 682-9921 for more information.

Pilot Club of Statesboro

P.O. Box 1242
Statesboro, GA 30459

Phone: 912-681-7345

Contact: Virginia Yarber

Services:

The Pilot Club is an international volunteer organization of executive, business and professional leaders working together to improve quality of life in communities throughout the world by serving those with brain related disorders and disabilities. The Pilot Club of Statesboro, Inc. was organized in 1965 and serves our area through many service projects, including:

- ❖ Alzheimer's Caregivers Support Group (See East Georgia Regional Medical Center, pg.64)
- ❖ Parkinson's Support Group (See EGRMC, pg. 64)
- ❖ Alzheimer's Support Group (Contact Martha Ray at 912-489-0062 for more information)
- ❖ The Silver Lining Club (See pg.116)
- ❖ Project Lifesaver

Project Lifesaver

P.O. Box 1242
Statesboro, GA 30459

Contact: Magina Bullock (912-489-5525)
Lt. Neil Casey (912-764-1748)

Services:

- ❖ Project lifesaver is a monitoring system worn by persons who may wander and become lost.
- ❖ It is a radio transmitter the size of a watch and can be worn on the wrist or the ankle.
- ❖ This service is sponsored by the Pilot Club of Statesboro, Inc. and the Bulloch County Sheriff's Office.

Fees: Sliding scale

Pineland Mental Health/Developmental Disabilities/Addictive Diseases Services

P.O. Box 745 (mailing)
9 Allen-Cail Drive
Statesboro, GA 30459

Phone: 912-764-6906

Helpline Phone: 912-764-5125 or 800/Pineland

Website: <http://www.pinelandcsb.org/>

Contact: June DiPolito, Executive Director

Mental Health Services:

Bulloch Counseling Center

11 North College Street
Statesboro, GA 30458

Phone: 912-764-9868

Fax: 912-764-5066

Contact: Dr. Cynthia Cone-Dekle, Ph.D., Director

Provides:

- ❖ Counseling and screening services for individuals, couples, groups and families.
- ❖ Children and adolescent services management
- ❖ Diagnostic Assessment
- ❖ Referral for inpatient treatment

CSI

11 North College Street
P.O. Box 2668
Statesboro, GA 30459

Phone: 912-489-8026

Contact: Dr. Cynthia Cone-Dekle, Ph.D., Director

Bulloch Day Habilitation-New Beginnings

127 N. Main St., Bldg. B
P.O. Box 745 (mailing)
Statesboro, GA 30459

Phone: 912-489-9170

Fax: 912-681-6129

Contact: Adelia Rogers, Manager

Pineland Mental Health/Developmental Disabilities/Addictive Disease Services continued...

Developmental Disabilities Services:

Bulloch-Candler Service Center

213 Simons Road
Statesboro, GA 30458

Phone: 912-489-8711

Contact: Gloria Kenure, Site Manager

Services:

- ❖ Training in daily living
- ❖ Recreation/leisure training
- ❖ Work activity programs
- ❖ Supported employment
- ❖ Early intervention for children 0-3 years

Community Housing Program

211 Simons Road
Statesboro, GA 30458

Phone: 912-489-8641

Contact: Laurie Bradford, MR Residential Coordinator

The Community Housing Program of Pineland MR Services offers a continuum of residential services for persons that have developmental disabilities. These services include:

- ❖ Residential Group Home/Licensed Personal Care Homes
 - 3-Statesboro
 - 1-Glenntown
 - 2-Lyons
 - 2-Jesup
- ❖ Personal Support Homes
 - Consumer homes where staff goes in and offers up to 24-hour personal support
- ❖ Developmental Training Homes
 - Trained individuals open their homes for up to 3 persons with a developmental disability.

Pineland Mental Health/Developmental Disabilities/Addictive Disease Services continued...

- ❖ Semi-Independent Living Arrangements
 - Consumers live on their own and staff go into the home to offer personal support services.

Addictive Diseases Services

John's Place (Residential Substance Abuse Service)

4 West Altman Street
P.O. Box 1835
Statesboro, GA 30458

Phone: 912-764-6129 Fax: 912-489-4470

Contact: Susan Ford, Director
Diane Neville, Manager

Services: Available to all ages, residential treatment program, Medical Detoxification (5-7 Days), Residential services (21 Days). Provides individual and group counseling, recreational activities, women's groups, and prevention relapse groups. Family group meetings are held every Thursday at 7 p.m. Fees are based on income/sliding scale.

Pineland Outpatient Substance Abuse

4 West Altman Street
P.O. Box 1835
Statesboro, GA 30459

Phone: 912-764-6129

Contact: Susan Ford

Services:

- ❖ Individual Counseling
- ❖ Family Counseling
- ❖ Group Therapy
- ❖ Anabuse therapy for alcohol and drug abuse

**Pineland Mental Health/ Developmental Disabilities/ Addictive Disease
Services continued...**

Fees are based on income/sliding scale.

John's Place Detox/Crisis Residential Services

4 West Altman St.
P.O. Box 1835
Statesboro, GA 30459

Phone: 912-764-6129

Contact: Diane Neville, Manager
Dr. Robert Brian, Medical Director

Pittman Park United Methodist Church

1102 Fair Road
Statesboro, GA 30458

Phone: 912-681-3213

Contact: Rev. Mike Huling

Services:

❖ **Worship Services**

- 8:45 a.m.-Morning Worship
- 9:05 a.m.-Contemporary Worship
- 9:45 a.m.-Sunday School
- 11:00 a.m.-Morning Worship
- Sunday Evenings- Weekly Youth Fellowship
- 7:00 p.m.-Evening Worship

- ❖ Wednesday Night Suppers: September through May at 5:30 p.m. with program at 6:30 p.m.
- ❖ Day Care Center (Pittman Park Education Center) for children from birth to age three. Hours are Monday through Friday, 7 a.m. to 5:45 p.m. Fee Required. Contact Serena Nelson at 681-6503 for more information.
- ❖ Angel Tree Ministry at Christmas Time: Christmas presents are purchased for children whose parents are in prison. This is done under the organization of Prison Fellowship.
- ❖ The pastor and other staff members are available for limited counseling.
- ❖ Relay for Life team

Prevent Child Abuse Bulloch County

515 Denmark Street

Suite 300

Statesboro, GA 30458

Phone: 912-764-9462

Fax: 912-764-9836

Lora Cooper, Executive Director; Email: pcabullochcounty@frontiernet.net

Jennifer Becker, First Steps Coordinator; Email: fspcabullochcounty@frontiernet.net

Hours of Operation: Monday-Friday

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Services:

- ❖ First Steps—A primary child abuse prevention program that sends trained volunteers into East Georgia Regional Medical Center to meet new parents. The volunteers provide educational information, referrals to community resources, and support for up to three months.
- ❖ Child Abuse 101 Training—A class that educates the participants on the signs and symptoms of child abuse and the participant's role in reporting any suspected cases of child abuse.
- ❖ Pinwheels for Prevention—An annual event held during the presidential proclaimed National Child Abuse Prevention Month of April. Pinwheels are placed on the Courthouse Lawn and other locations throughout the community, each one representing a reported case of child abuse in Bulloch County.
- ❖ Stuff the Bus—A program that provides back-to-school supplies to children in need in the Bulloch County school system.
- ❖ Need to Talk—A program that provides middle and high school aged youth a place to call when they need to discuss tough issues. Students can call 1-800-CHILDREN from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. Monday through Friday to speak to trained staff and volunteers.
- ❖ Stop It Now!—A program that educates adults on their role in preventing child sexual abuse and how to keep kids safe.
- ❖ Foster Children Birthdays Presents—A program that provides birthday presents to children in foster in Bulloch County.

Comments: Unlike any other organization in Bulloch County, Prevent Child Abuse Bulloch County's primary focus is not to step in after a child has been hurt, but to prevent child abuse before it happens.

R.E.A.D.Y. 2000, Inc.: Responsible, Educated Advocates for the Development of Youth

P.O. Box 562
Statesboro, GA 30459

Phone: 912-842-4445 Fax: 681-8188

Contact: Diane Watkins

Services:

- ❖ A non-profit corporation that allows for the creation of a variety of service programs that promotes the positive development of different segments of the community.
- ❖ Our mission is to organize, operate, and conduct spiritually enriched activities in the form of educational programs, summer camps, seminars, and other community service projects for the overall development of young people, ages 5 to 18.
- ❖ The corporation desires to enhance self-awareness, to improve self-confidence, and to improve communication skills.
- ❖ R.E.A.D.Y. desires to provide an opportunity for young people to make positive contributions to their community through civic projects and avenues of service.

Rotary Club of Statesboro

P.O. Box 1399

Statesboro, GA 30459

Phone: 912-764-2573 Fax: 912-489-4296

Website: www.statesbororotary.org

Contacts: Bryan R. Burke, President
Lynda Williamson, Vice President

Services:

- ❖ Sponsor teams in the Recreation Department
- ❖ Support Boy Scouts
- ❖ Georgia Rotary Student Program (GRSP)
- ❖ Sponsor 2-3 students to Rotary Youth Leadership Award (RYLA) conference weekend
- ❖ Support Polio Plus: worldwide eradication of polio
- ❖ Supply the 4-Way Test Coloring Book to all 3rd graders in Bulloch County
- ❖ Built and financially supported 4 new homes for Habitat for Humanity
- ❖ Contributed to the Mayor's Christmas Fund for Needy Children
- ❖ Contributed to Ogeechee Technical College
- ❖ Support the Bulloch County Care Ring Program
- ❖ Provided readers to various Bulloch County Elementary Schools
- ❖ Co-Sponsor of the Citizen of the Year Award and Banquet

Royal Savings and Civic Club

803 Miller Street Ext.
Statesboro, GA 30458

Phone: 912-764-4681

Contact: Connie Alston, President

Services:

- ❖ Scholarships
- ❖ Nursing home visits
- ❖ Community service

Rural Nursing Outreach Program: Community Nursing Center

P.O. Box 8158
Statesboro, Ga. 30460

Phone: 912-478-5166

Contact: Beverly Carroll, Community Nursing Center Secretary

Hours of Operation: Outreach Activities: TBA
Community Nursing Center: T, TR, 9a.m.-5 p.m.

Services:

- ❖ A division of GSU College of Health and Human Services, the Rural Nursing Outreach program is an initiative of the School of Nursing.
- ❖ Physical Examinations, free health screenings, health education, testing for glucose, cholesterol, liver functions, eye, ear, and bone density for osteoporosis.
 - Portal Clinic- hours are by appointment
 - On GSU campus in the Nursing Chemistry Building RM 1004, Tuesday & Wednesday by appointment. (generally 8:30-4:30).

Eligibility:

Any Bulloch County resident who has no insurance or is under-insured.

Safe Haven Domestic Violence Shelter

P.O. Box 2494
Statesboro, Ga. 30459

Contact: Mary S. Harden, Executive Director
Phone: 912-764-4605
Fax: 912-764-4096
Email: safehaven@nctv.com
Website: www.safehavenstatesboro.org
Hours of Operation: 24 hours a day/ 7 days a week/ 365 days a year

Services:

Safe Haven is a non-profit 501© (3) organization service victims of Domestic violence and their children in Bulloch, Candler, Effingham, Jenkins, Screven, and Washington Counties. We offer emergency shelter, counseling and support groups, legal and TANF advocacy.

Comments: Available to anyone involved in an abusive relationship.

Silver Lining Club

P.O. Box 3031
Statesboro, GA 30459

Phone: 912-536-8672

Contact: Valerie Thomas, Director

Services:

The Silver Lining Club is a socialization opportunity for persons suffering from early stage Alzheimer's disease or dementia related illnesses. Participation in the Silver Lining Club provides much needed respite care for caregivers. The club meets on Saturday morning at the First Presbyterian Church (1215 Fair Road) and provides stimulating activities, crafts and a light lunch. A CAN is available to assist the participants. The Silver Lining Club of Statesboro is sponsored by the Pilot Club of Statesboro and the First Presbyterian Church. Call 912-536-8672 to sign up.

Social Security Administration

1050 Brannen Street
Statesboro, GA 30461

Phone: 866-748-2088 Fax: 912-764-7155

Website: www.socialsecurity.gov

Hours: Mon-Fri. 9:00 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Email: brandie.coppett@ssa.gov, bobby.nesmith@ssa.gov

Contact: Brandie Coppett, Operations Supervisor
Bobby Nesmith, Service Representative

Services

- ❖ Retirement, Survivors, disability benefits
- ❖ SSI
- ❖ Medicare
- ❖ SSN Cards

Eligibility

- ❖ General Public

Southeast Prevention Services

7D North Zetterower Ave.
P.O. Box 1038 (mailing)
Statesboro, GA 30459

Phone: 912-764-2475 Fax: 912-489-8552

Contact: Brielle Clarkson, Manager

Services:

The mission of the SEPS is to provide a variety of services specifically designed to identify and utilize research based strategies to prevent state, regional, community, family and individual alcohol, tobacco, drug and violence programs in Southeast Georgia.

Our purpose is to increase awareness of the problems related to the use of alcohol, tobacco, and other drugs through information dissemination, education, and training in Bulloch and the surrounding counties.

- ❖ The center maintains a clearinghouse of prevention materials including videos, books, games, and program curricula that may be checked out to students, individuals/organizations, churches involved in prevention activities.
- ❖ A variety of prevention materials, posters, booklets, pamphlets, and other printed materials are distributed free of charge.
- ❖ SEPS promotes Alternative Activities excluding the use of alcohol, tobacco, and other drugs (ATOD). We encourage communities in Southeast Georgia to provide safe and drug-free activities for children and youth. Through our newsletter we share information about drug-free activities that are working and can be used as models.
- ❖ Prevention Progress is a newsletter published by Southeast Prevention highlighting successful prevention activities and providing updated information related to ATOD. The newsletter is a tool for strengthening the prevention network and promoting alternative activities. Prevention Progress is distributed to schools, human service agencies, law enforcement, community-based organizations and individuals.
- ❖ Technical assistance for existing prevention programs in Southeast Georgia or in the development of new programs is available.
- ❖ Conference and workshops are planned and coordinated to educate/update service providers and consumers about the problems associated with the use and abuse of alcohol, tobacco, and other drugs.

Southeast Prevention Services continued...

- ❖ SEPS participates in campaigns, such as Red Ribbon Week. We participate in community events (health fairs, awareness campaigns) by exhibiting and distributing prevention materials.
- ❖ Offer training in a variety of research-based prevention programs that focus on substance abuse, violence prevention, media literacy, and suicide prevention.
- ❖ Offer trainings to enhance personal and professional development, including topics such as conflict resolution, anger management, parenting skills, stress management, signs of suicide, etc.

Call or visit the center for more information about resources and services.

Southern Manor Retirement Inn

1532 Fair Rd.
Statesboro, Ga. 30458

Phone: 912-681-2686

Email: director@southernmanor.biz

Website: www.southernmanor.biz

Contact: Karen Wildes P.N., owner, director

Services:

- ❖ 24 hour supervision & Assistance
- ❖ 3 full meals daily
- ❖ Weekly laundry and housekeeping
- ❖ Medication supervision and assistance
- ❖ Planned activities
- ❖ Beauty/ Barber Salon
- ❖ Free Cable
- ❖ Transportation to Physician

Eligibility: Anyone who is 55 years or older

St. Paul's Lutheran Church

18098 Ga. Hwy. 67
Statesboro, GA 30458

Pastor: Sam Clay

Phone: 912-681-2481

Email: stpaul@bulloch.com

Services:

- ❖ Sunday School and Adult Bible Study: Sunday, 9:15 a.m.
- ❖ Sunday Worship: Sunday, 10:30 a.m.
- ❖ Campus Ministry: Lutheran Student Fellowship
- ❖ Wednesday dinners for students, 6:00 p.m. at the church

Statesboro-Bulloch County Parks and Recreation

P.O. Box 408 (mailing)
1 Max Lockwood Drive
Statesboro, GA 30459

Phone: 912-764-5637 Fax: 912-764-2425

Information Hotline: 912-489-2087

Email: mail@bullochrec.com

Website: www.bullochrec.com

Hours of Operation: Monday-Friday, 8:30 a.m. – 6 p.m.

Contact: Mike Rollins, Director

Services:

Recreation services, experience in programs in a wide variety of social, creative, cultural, physical and educational pursuits that will enrich the quality of life for all citizens (individually as well as members of the community).

- ❖ Adult programs for ages 50 and up. \$15 annual membership. For more information, call Alison Brown at 912-764-5637.
- ❖ Youth sports programs in baseball, softball, soccer, basketball, football, cheerleading, wrestling, tennis, swim team, track, and more.
- ❖ Adult team sports in softball, flag football and basketball.

Splash in the Boro Waterpark

Email: mail@splashintheboro.com

Website: www.splashintheboro.com

Hours of Operation: Varies by season...see website for details

Splash in the Boro Waterpark continued...

Services:

- ❖ Splash in the Boro Waterpark & Aquatics Center is open from May until Labor Day with the Summer Park.
- ❖ From October until May, two heated Olympic-size pools are covered with a heated dome to allow programming and swim teams to meet. Under the Dome programs include (but are not limited to): Family Recreational Swimming, Water Aerobics, Fitness/Lap Swimming, H2O Sports Conditioning, Aquasize, Learn to Swim Classes and much more.
- ❖ The Summer Park offers an 800 ft. Lazy River, 3 waterslides, a play pool, a leisure pool, and the two lap pools.
- ❖ Learn to Swim classes are offered year round, along with programs such as Lifeguard Courses, Lifeguard Instructor Courses, Water Safety Instructor Courses and more.

Statesboro Housing Authority

P.O. Box 552 (mailing)
33 Cone Homes
Statesboro, GA 30459

Phone: 912-764-3512 Fax: 489-5106

Contact: Robert J. Cason, Executive Director

Services:

- ❖ Low rent housing for lower income families
- ❖ Rent is based on family income
- ❖ **Housing units are:** Cone Homes, Butler Homes, Groover Homes, and Braswell Homes. Braswell Homes are for the elderly.

Statesboro Noon Lion's Club

3983 Mallard Pond Road
Statesboro, GA 30461

Phone: 912-682-4144

Email: alionfirst@gmail.com

Hours of Operation: 24/7

Contact: Joe Bill Brannen, PDG (Past District Governor)

Services:

- ❖ Eyeglasses
- ❖ Service to Community
- ❖ Hearing Services

Eligibility: Individual asking for services should demonstrate need with no other source available.

Statesboro Police Department

25 West Grady Street
Statesboro, GA

Phone: 912-764-9911 Fax: 912-489-5051

Contact: Chief Stan York

Services:

- ❖ Drug Abuse Resistance Education (D.A.R.E.) Program Contact: Corporal Steven Gravley or A.P.O. Larry Futch
- ❖ For presentations on substance abuse to schools and community groups contact the police department.
- ❖ Administers transient ministry for Statesboro Ministerial Association. Can arrange two of the following options for transients:
 - One night in a motel
 - One meal
 - Gasoline for car
 - Bus ticket to Savannah to stay in homeless shelter

Statesboro Regional Library

124 South Main Street

Statesboro, Ga. 30458

Phone: 912-764-1329

Fax: 912-764-1384

Email: loisr@strl.info

Website: www.strl.info

Contact: Lois Roberts, System Director

Services:

- ❖ Talking book services for the blind
- ❖ Books for the elderly and homebound
- ❖ Information services by phone or in person
- ❖ Program materials for adults
- ❖ Children's services: Pre-School, Toddlers and Summer Reading Programs
- ❖ Literacy instruction: Laubach Instruction
- ❖ Genealogy
- ❖ English as a second language, (ESL)
- ❖ Family reading center: self help books for families
- ❖ R.I.F. (Reading is Fundamental): Elaine McDuffie, Coordinator, gives books to children as motivation for reading. The program works through schools and the summer reading program at the library.
- ❖ Friends of the Library
- ❖ Access to internet and word processing
- ❖ Public Programs
- ❖ Free checkout of books, audio, and video tapes to area residents
- ❖ A Pines Member Library

Statesboro Regional Sexual Assault Center (SRSAC)

515 Denmark Street, Suite 400
Statesboro, GA 30458

Phone: 912-489-6060

Crisis Line: 1-866-489-2225

Contact: Christie Perry, Executive Director & Advocate Coordinator

Email: srsac@frontiernet.net

Website: www.srsac.org

Hours: 8 am – 5 pm, Monday – Friday

Victim Services:

- ❖ **24 Hour Crisis Line:** The crisis line provides support and information to victims of sexual assault and their family and friends. The crisis line is supported by trained volunteers and staff. This service is provided 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.
- ❖ **Medical Accompaniment:** Trained volunteers and/or staff accompany victims for the forensic exam process in order to provide support and information. This service is provided 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.
- ❖ **Forensic Nurse:** The Forensic Nurse collaborate with SRSAC to offer victims the forensic exam. The Forensic Nurse is a specially trained, certified nurse who collects evidence for law enforcement.
- ❖ **In-Person Crisis Intervention:** Short-term crisis intervention for victims of sexual assault and their family and friends.
- ❖ **Information & Referral:** Information about sexual assault and the healing process are provided to victims and their family and friends. Referral to other social service agencies is available for those victims who request additional community services.
- ❖ **Advocacy:** A victim advocate offers support and accompaniment to victims throughout the legal process.
- ❖ **Support Groups:** Support groups for survivors of a variety of sexual crimes.

Prevention Services:

- ❖ A range of prevention is available thru displays, booths, pamphlets, classes, speeches, posters.
- ❖ Prevention is delivered in a sensitive and age appropriate manner

Statesboro Regional Sexual Assault Center (SRSAC) continued

Programs Include, but are not limited to: Good Touch / Bad Touch, Child Abuse Puppet Program— "Someone To Talk To", Bully Prevention, Identified Bullies Program, Internet Safety, Sexual Harassment Prevention, Date/Acquaintance Rape Prevention, Women's Self-Defense Training, Faculty and Parent's Program, Sexual Assault Prevention for Individuals with Developmental and/or Physical Challenges, Campus Safety and Awareness, Sexual Assault Awareness, Professional Training, Male Involvement Programs, Modified Child Sexual Abuse Prevention, Adults Protecting Children from sexual assault, Safe Space

Eligibility:

Everyone is eligible for awareness, education, and risk reduction information.

Victims of sexual assault and family and friends of victims are eligible for victim services.

Comments:

SRSAC is primarily a volunteer based organization. Volunteers are on-call 24 hours/365 days a year to answer crisis calls and accompany the victim during forensic exams.

SRSAC is an unfunded, legally-appointed agency that relies on financial support from the community and grant funding.

Telamon Cooperation

105 Elm Street
P.O. Box 645 (mailing)
Statesboro, GA 30459

Phone: 912-764-6169 (voice mail)

Fax: 912-489-6516

Contact: Elsie Tretheway-Blanton

Services: A private non-profit employment and training agency dedicated to serving low-income farm workers and other disadvantaged persons. Services do have Spanish Speaking staff. Services include:

- ❖ On-the-job training with local employers
- ❖ Classroom training, tailored to fit the current local job market
- ❖ Testing and counseling services
- ❖ Preparation for GED exam
- ❖ Transportation to and payment of GED exam for clients
- ❖ Comprehensive referral service with other agencies
- ❖ Home visits
- ❖ Training and job site visits
- ❖ Limited services are also offered for food, transportation, and other emergency needs
- ❖ Current grantee and provider of WIA Youth At-Risk Program for youth ages 14-21 for Bulloch and Effingham Counties

Tools for Life

1700 Century Circle, Suite 300
Atlanta, GA 30345

Phone: 404-638-0390 Fax: 404-486-0219

Toll Free: 1-800-497-8665

Email: info@gatfl.org

Website: www.gatfl.org

Contact: Liz Persaud, Training and Development Coordinator

Services:

Georgia's Assistive Technology Act Program that provides information, resources, and funding resources to increase access to assistive technology for Georgians of all ages and all disabilities.

Walton Options for Independent Living

Assistive Technology Resource Center

611 15th St.
Augusta, GA 30901

Phone: 706-724-6262 Fax: 706-724-6729

TDD: 706-724-2324 or 706-261-0199

Website: <http://www.waltonoptions.org>

Contact: Kathy Pelletier, Coordinator

United Way of Southeast Georgia

515 Denmark Street Suite 1100
Statesboro, GA 30458

Phone: 912-489-8475 Fax: 912-489-4388

Email: bolliff@unitedwaysega.org or cmelton@unitedwaysega.org

Website: www.unitedwaysega.org

Contact: Bob Olliff, Executive Director
Carey Melton, Executive Assistant

Hours: Monday-Friday 9 a.m.-5 p.m.

Services:

Community fundraising organization that distributes and allocates funds raised for other community organizations that focus on health and human service programs. Funds distributed through an annual application process.

Fees:

None

U.N.I.T.Y. (Understanding Needs in Teens and Youth) Teen Advisory Board

P.O. Box 761
Statesboro, GA 30459

Phone: 912-764-6179

Email: chendrix@bulloch.k12.ga.us

Contact: Catherine Hendrix, Adult Advisor

Services:

The UNITY Teen Advisory Board consists of high school students from each school in Bulloch County. The board is designed to encourage young people to take an active role in their community by performing prevention efforts that address teen issues. These teen issues include but are not limited to:

- ❖ Alcohol and Drug Education
- ❖ Tobacco Prevention Strategies
- ❖ Pregnancy Prevention Strategies
- ❖ Leadership Training
- ❖ Volunteering
- ❖ Developing Youth Activities
- ❖ Other Community Issues

Eligibility:

- ❖ Maximum of 12-15 students
- ❖ Recommendations may come from teachers, school counselors, community, and teen center staff
- ❖ Must complete an application and take part in a brief interview

**University of Georgia Cooperative Extension
Family and Consumer Sciences, 4-H Youth, Agriculture**

151 Langston Chapel Rd., Suite 600
Statesboro, GA 30458

Phone: 912-871-0504 Fax: 912-871-6955
 912-871-0504 (Family and Consumer Sciences)

Email: dianem@uga.edu

Website: www.ugaextension.com/bulloch

Hours of Operation: Monday – Friday, 8 a.m. – 5 p.m.

Contact:

Services:

The Bulloch County Office of the University of Georgia Cooperative Extension offers education in all areas of child, family and personal development; nutrition and health; budgeting and financial management; consumer issues, and environmental concerns. County Extension Agents will assist individuals by telephone and home or office visits as well as in group meetings.

Comments: Occasional minimal cost for supplies only.

Veteran's Service Office, Georgia State Government

3A W. Altman Street
Statesboro, GA 30458

Phone: 912-871-1104 Fax: 912-871-1270

Email: jdixon@vs.state.ga.us or lhunnicutt@vs.state.ga.us

Hours of Operation: Monday – Friday, 8:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Contact: JoAnn M. Dixon, Manager

Services:

Assist veteran and dependents in filing for federal and state benefits to which they may be entitled.

Women's Place, The

P.O. Box 745
Statesboro, GA 30459

Phone: 912-871-7355 Fax: 912-681-2213

Contact: Shareaka Green-Miller, Director
Vivian Byrd, Case Manager

Services:

Residential program for pregnant, substance abusing women, who meet admission criteria, and their infants: prenatal, postnatal care, individual and group counseling, support groups.

S.A. Day Treatment

P.O. Box 745
Statesboro, GA 30458

Phone: 912-764-1817 Fax: 912-764-7623

Contact: Norma Dixon, Director

Services:

- ❖ Day program for women in recovery of substance abuse
- ❖ Addiction education
- ❖ Basic education (including G.E.D. preparation)
- ❖ Local transportation
- ❖ Nutrition education
- ❖ Parenting education

Comments: Provide Day Treatment services for Appling, Bulloch, Candler, Evans, Jeff Davis, Tattnall and Toombs counties.

Ready for Work TANF Residential

P.O. Box 745
Statesboro, GA 30458

Phone: 912-871-7355 Fax: 912-681-2213

Contact: Shareaka Green-Miller, Director
Vivian Byrd, Case-Manager

Services: Long term residential treatment facility for substance abusing women and their dependent children who meet TANF eligibility criteria. Offers substance abuse education and support services; individual counseling; Therapeutic Childcare access; parenting classes and support; job readiness and support services.

Willingway Hospital

311 Jones Mill Road
Statesboro, GA 30458

Phone: 912-6236

Fax: 912-764-7063

Toll Free: 800-242-9455

Contact: Admissions office

Services:

Alcohol and drug detox and rehabilitation. Willing way's core program includes:

- ❖ Educational and counseling programs based on the 12 Steps of Alcoholics Anonymous
- ❖ Individual and group counseling
- ❖ Discussion groups
- ❖ Recreational therapy and leisure education – promoting healthy lifestyles
- ❖ Tutorial services for inpatient adolescents
- ❖ Extended treatment options for both men and women
- ❖ Unique family program
- ❖ Statesboro outpatient services
- ❖ Continuing Care programs in other area cities

Comments: Willingway, a privately owned and operated specialty hospital, has been quietly saving lives from alcoholism and drug addiction for over 40 years. The founders, Dr. John and Dot Mooney, pioneers in addiction medicine, began treating patients in their home in the 1960's. Today, Willingway Hospital is internationally recognized as a leader in the addiction field and has an outstanding reputation for providing excellent addiction treatment.

Willow Pond Assisted Living

4344 Country Club Rd.
Statesboro, Ga. 30458

Phone: 912-489-4774 Fax 912-489-2050

Email: willow3@frontiernet.net

Hours/Days of Operation: 24/7

Contact: Karen Martin, Executive Director, 912-489-4774

Services:

- ❖ Assisted Living Facilities
- ❖ Retirement Centers and Apartments
- ❖ Assisted Living and Elder Care Services

Eligibility: Anyone needing assistance in activities of daily living.

Willow Pond at Home

4344 Country Club Rd
Statesboro, Ga. 30458

Phone: 912-489-5158 Fax: 912-489-2050

Email: willowpondathome@earthlink.net

Website: www.willowpondathome.com

Hours of Operation: 24/7

Contact: Karen Martin, Executive Director, 912-489-2050

Services:

Willow pond at Home is designed for people who are not ready to leave their home or live with a relative, but because of an illness may need support to live at home. We have highly qualified and trained caregivers who can provide one-on-one care in the home and provide assistance with daily activities such as:

- ❖ Caring Companionship
- ❖ Meal planning and preparation
- ❖ Incidental transportation
- ❖ Running errands
- ❖ Light housekeeping
- ❖ Medication reminders
- ❖ Assistance with bathing and grooming
- ❖ Assistance with bill paying
- ❖ Information and referral services

Eligibility: Anyone needing assistance in activities of daily living.

Young Life

Phone: 912-682-2201
912-587-5926

Email: alicezta@frontiernet.net
ctmartin@bulloch.net

Website: <http://www.younglife.org>

Contact: Alice Matthews
Cindy Martin

Services:

- ❖ Young Life is a non-denominational Christian ministry that reaches out to middle school, high school and college-aged kids.
- ❖ Five “C’s” of Young Life:
 - **Contact work** - For a Young Life leader, the arena of ministry is any place where a teenager might be found: the school lunchroom, the athletic fields, the mall. Like Jesus did, leaders meet kids in their own world and model unconditional love in a culture that often values style over substance.
 - **Club** - The most common descriptor of Young Life club is, “You have to see it to really understand it.” The ingredients are lively singing, off-kilter games and skits and the simple proclamation of Jesus Christ’s love. The result is a safe place where teenagers can drop their masks and possibly consider God’s design for their lives.
 - **Campaigners** - Picture a Young Life leader and a small group of teenagers, gathered on a living room floor, discussing the lessons of the Bible and how it applies to their lives. This is Campaigners, the place where kids who have been touched by the message of Jesus grow their spiritual roots and learn what it means to follow Him.
 - **Camp** - Every year, Young Life leaders invite teenagers to camp by promising them "the best week of their lives." And Young Life’s 21 camps deliver — with excellent facilities and food, creative programming and high-adventure activities. Throughout the week teenagers also hear about God’s love for them presented in ways they can relate to. As some 75,000 high school and middle schoolers a year can testify, no one does camping like Young Life.

Young Life continued...

- **Committee** - The backbone of every Young Life area is its local committee a group of adults charged with supporting its staff and volunteers through fundraising, event planning, prayer and other encouragement. Where there's a healthy committee, there is usually a dynamic and effective Young Life ministry.

Southeast Georgia Learning Resources System, (GLRS)

720 Church Street
Claxton, GA 30417

4 N. College St.
Claxton, GA 30417
(As of July 2012)

Phone: (912) 739-1551 Fax: (912) 739-2414

Email: alexjordan@southeastglrs.org

Website: southeastglrs.org

Hours of Operation: Monday- Thursday 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m., Friday 8 a.m.- 4 p.m.

Contact: Alex Jordan, Director

Services:

Southeast GLRS serves the school district of Appling, Bulloch, Candler, Evans, Jeff Davos, Tattnall, Toombs, Wayne and Vidalia City. Southeast GLRS provides professional development for educators and family members of students with disabilities. There is a lending library of books and materials for specific disability areas and the teaching of reading, language arts and mathematics. These materials are available for check out.

Eligibility

Educators and family members of students with disabilities are eligible for services.

Regents Center for Learning Disorders

2254 Southern Drive
Statesboro, GA 30460

Phone: (912) 478-0100 Fax: (912) 478-5380

Email: beverlysermons@georgiasouthern.edu

Website: <http://services.georgiasouthern.edu/rcld>

Hours of Operation: Monday- Friday 8 a.m.-5 p.m.

Contact: Beverly Sermons, Liaison/Consultant

Services:

- ❖ Diagnostics
- ❖ Disabilities
- ❖ Education and Training (on Disability Issues)
- ❖ Resource Referral

Eligibility

Students enrolled in college/university, technical college, or high school students in transition.

Fees

\$500.00

Open Hearts Community Mission

P.O. Box 2048
Statesboro, GA 3048

Phone: (912) 764-1870

Email: openheartsmission@yahoo.com

Hours of Operation: 24/7

Contact: DeWa Mobley

Services:

Temporary housing for homeless and those in emergency situations.

Eligibility

- ❖ Homeless seeking temporary shelter. All applicants must submit to a drug screen and background check.

Fees

Free

Bulloch County Health Department WIC Program

1 West Altman St.
Statesboro, GA 30458

Phone: (912) 764-4151 Fax: (912) 871-1901

Hours of Operation: Monday-Friday 8 a.m.-5 p.m.

Website: www.sehdph.org

Services:

- ❖ Nutrition education and counseling
- ❖ Vouches to buy free, healthy food
- ❖ Breastfeeding education and support
- ❖ Referrals for medical and dental care, health insurance, child care, housing and other services

Eligibility

- ❖ Pregnant women, breastfeeding women, women who have had a baby in the past six months, women whose pregnancy ended early, infants, children under 5
- ❖ Parents, grandparents, foster parents and legal guardians of children under 5 can apply for their children. Must meet WIC income guidelines.

Fees

All services are free.

Girl Scouts of Historic Georgia

110 Pipemakers Circle, Suite 116
Pooler, GA 31322

Phone: (912) 236-1571 Ext. 117

Email Address: rmcmillan@gshg.org

Website: www.gshg.org

Hours of Operation: Monday-Thursday 9 a.m.-5 p.m., Friday 9 a.m.-12 p.m.

Contact: Rikki McMillan, Membership Services Manager

Services:

- ❖ Volunteer CED Troops, Summer Camp, Council Events

Eligibility

Girls Kindergarten-12th grade

Fees

\$12/ year membership registration

Early Start CCR&R of Southeast GA

190 Crossroads Parkway
Savannah, GA 31407

Phone: (912) 443-3011, 1-877-935-7575 Fax: (912) 966-6713

Email Address: ccr&r@savannahtec.edu

Website: www.ccrrofsoutheastga.org

Hours of Operation: Monday-Friday 8 a.m.-5 p.m.

Contact: Sherry Costa, Director (912) 443-3016

Services:

For parents:

- ❖ Parent and Consumer education
- ❖ Inclusion services for families of children with special needs

For Providers:

- ❖ Quality improvement consultations to child care professionals on site or via the telephone
- ❖ State approved training opportunities
- ❖ Training and technical assistance in caring for children with special needs
- ❖ Support and assistance to child care programs seeking National child care accreditation
- ❖ Quarterly Newsletter

For Business and Community Partners:

- ❖ Source for demographic and statistical information on child care and parent needs
- ❖ Conducts seminars and public awareness activities in the community to inform the public about quality child care and child care options
- ❖ Fostering community solutions through community agency participation

Eligibility

- ❖ Parents needing inclusion services
- ❖ Childcare providers in our region

Fees

No fee for Inclusion services or Technical Assistance. Minimal fee for child care training

Christian Social Ministries (CSM)

17 North College St.
Statesboro, GA 30458

2nd Location: 9941 Hwy 301 S
Statesboro, GA 30458

Phone: (912) 489-2407 Fax: (912) 489-4566

Email Address: orbaoffice@ frontiernet.net

Hours of Operation: 2nd Monday 9 a.m.-noon, 2nd Location: Mondays 1-5 p.m.

Contact: Rev. John Long (912) 512-0107

Services:

Primary Location: utilities, rent, prescriptions

2nd Location: food, clothing thrift store (Mondays, Fridays, Saturdays)

Eligibility

- ❖ Those in urgent or emergency situations.

Bulloch County 4-H

151 Langston Chapel Rd., Suite 600
Statesboro, GA 30458

Phone: (912) 871-6130 Fax: (912) 871-6955

Email Address: leeannam@uga.edu

Website: www.ugaextension.com/bulloch

Hours of Operation: Monday-Friday 8a.m.-5 p.m. (closed 12-1 for lunch)

Contact: LeeAnna Deal, County Extension 4-H Agent

Services:

Youth Development Program for youth ages 9-19

Eligibility

Youth 9-19

Fees

No membership fees, per event varies

Bright from the Start Licensed Day Care Centers

Child Care Learning Centers		
Name	Address	Phone
ABC Day Care Center	238 West Main St.	912-489-1772
Childcare Network #137	155 Williams Rd.	912-489-3464
Divine Deliverance Child Care and Learning Center	308 East Main St.	912-764-6872
First United Methodist Church Preschool and Childcare Ministries	101 South Main St.	912-764-1876
Great Beginnings Day Care and Learning Center, Inc.	28 James St.	912-764-3704
Kids World Childcare	367 Savannah Ave.	912-764-4298
Little Rascals Childcare and Learning Center	196A Zetterower Road	912-764-5127
Love's Childcare Services, Inc.	503 Denmark St.	912-764-8020
Mary's Day Care	707 West Jones Ave.	912-489-8589
Pittman Park Education Center	1102 Fair Road	912-681-6503
Sandy's Pre-School	24 East Parrish St.	912-764-4573
Smiles, Giggles, and Hugs Child Development Center, LLC	22 Joe Kennedy Blvd.	912-681-1100
Steps to the Future Daycare and Learning Center, Inc.	1 Orange St.	912-764-5975
Sunshine Christian Childcare and Learning Center, Inc.	208 Institute St.	912-489-3679
Sunshine Christian Childcare and Learning Center II	9226 US Hwy 301-S	912-681-4847
Super Kids Child Care Center, LLC	21 Lester Road	912-764-2726
Bumblebee's Childcare and Learning Center	967-C Highway 24 East	912-764-5590
Creative Angels Childcare and Enrichment Center	414 Northside Dr. West	912-764-7758
Timothy Badie Christian Academy, Inc.	20597 Highway 301 North	912-587-2992

Family Day Care Homes		
Name	Address	Phone
Mary A. Brown	3048 Nevils-Daisy Rd.	912-839-3402
Dale T. Carrell	39 Northlake Dr.	912-764-3362
Betty J. Givens	204 Best St.	912-489-5850
Mary D. Hall	108 Success Ct.	912-764-9776
Leslie A. Howell	119 Old Towne Drive	912-681-8388
Mary L. Littles	417 Mincey St.	912-764-4861
Dana E. Pryor	301 Flethcher Drive	912-764-7363
Jeanette Pugh	104 President Circle	912-871-7943
Deanna J. Skrak	205 N. Edgewood Dr.	912-681-9959
Tiyana M. Snelling	138 US Hwy. 301 N Apt. 8	706-871-6779
Fredrica Y. Spicer	208 Lewis St.	912-531-6662
Cheryl Stephens	200 Lewis St.	912-489-1023
Lavieta P. Williams	317 Donaldson St.	912-489-4449
Mary A. Youngblood	2333 Lotts Creek Rd.	912-852-9335
Theretha J. Alston	109 Dodd Circle	912-489-1417
Lisa A. Anderson	937 Brannen Rd.	912-489-3915
Kimberly L. Fowler	917 Brannen Rd.	912-764-8599
Deborah K. Lawton	116 Sandy Way	912-764-9959
Gloria J. Riggs	302 Stepping Stone Ct.	912-489-5618
Brenda L. Rushing	114 Pretoria Rushing Rd.	912-764-5308

Group Day Care Homes		
Name	Address	Phone
Charlotte's Day Care	409 Wilburn Circle	912-764-6313
Hill's Jump Start Child Care and Learning Center	110 North Foss St.	912-764-8389
Jan's Daycare	2 Eason St.	912-764-7631
Pamper Me Day Care	13445 Hwy. 67	912-839-2033
Kidovations Childcare Services	7380 Burkhalter Road	912-871-3366

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Bulloch County Commission on Human Services, Inc.
Resource Directory

Agency Form
(Please print clearly)

Name of Organization: _____

Address: _____ P.O. Box _____

City: _____ Zip Code: _____

Phone Number: () _____ Fax Number: () _____

E-mail Address: _____

Websites: _____

Hours/Days of Operation: _____

Contact (Name, Title, Phone #) _____

Service Description: Please list any services available for anyone meeting the eligibility requirements. (Attach if necessary)

Eligibility: Who is eligible for your services?

Fees:

Categories that apply to your organization: Check all that apply. Your organization can be listed under multiple categories.

Alcohol/ Drugs/ Substance Abuse		Home Health & Nursing Services	
Child Abuse		Housing and Shelter	
Child Care		Job Assistance	
Children Youth & Services		Legal Assistance	
Churches		Mental Illness	
Civic Organization		Medical Services	
Clothing		Multicultural	
Counseling & Therapy Services		Pregnancy Support	
Disabilities		Resource Referral	
Domestic Violence		Senior Citizens	
Education Training		Teens & Young Adult Resources	
Emergency Assistance		Transportation	
Emergency Personnel		United Way Agencies	
Family Services		Veteran Services	
Financial Assistance		Volunteer Opportunities	
Food			