



Resource Directory

*Working together to improve the lives of
Lamar County's children, youth, and families*

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Some services that are listed may not be available

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Child Abuse

CHILD ABUSE RESOURCES

<http://www.gpb.org/road-beyond-abuse/resources#>

Name: **Child Abuse Help-line**
Phone: 1-800-PREVENT
Website: www.childmolestationprevention.org

Name: **Prevent Child Abuse Georgia**
Phone: 404-413-1419 or 404-870-6565
Website: <http://www.preventchildabusega.org/>

Children with Special Needs

Name: **Georgia Vocational Rehabilitation Agency**
Address: 1815 North Expressway, Suite E
Griffin, GA 30233
Phone: 770-229-3140
Contact: Sherry Deakin, MRC, CRC
Email: Sherry.Deakin@gvra.ga.gov
Website: www.gvra.ga.gov
Description: Georgia Vocational Rehabilitation (VR) Agency partners with businesses to meet workforce needs while preparing people with disabilities to achieve workplace success. VR offers an array of services- - finding the right person for the right job; planning effective school to work transitions; helping injured workers return to their jobs; explaining ADA and other laws; providing assistive work technology expertise. Our purpose is to help people with disabilities reach their potential through independence and employment.

Name: **Parent Mentor Partnership**
Phone: 770-358-8661, Ext 118 or 770-358-5891
Contact: James Butler, Parent Mentor
Email: jbutler@lamar.k12.ga.us
Description: Provides assistance in understanding school district laws regarding special education and obtaining resources. In particular, our mentors provide guidance when obtaining services within the school system.

Name: **Parent-to-Parent of Georgia**
Address: 3805 Presidential Parkway, Suite 207
Atlanta, GA 30340
Phone: 800-229-2038
Website: WWW.P2PGA.ORG
Description: An information and referral service for parents and families of infants and toddlers who are “at risk” for developmental delay.

Clothing

Name: **Goodwill**
Address: 1424 Expressway
Griffin, GA 30224
Phone: 770-228-0813
Website: www.goodwill.org

Name: **Impact Christian Ministries Clothing Ministry Facility**
Address: P.O. Box 786
112 Merchant Way
Barnesville, GA 30204
Phone: 678-603-0831 or 770-412-9092
Website: www.impactchristianministries.com
Description: This ministry can supply clothing, hygiene items and occasionally some household cleaning supplies for the needy. You may also donate items.

Name: **The Salvation Army Thrift Store**
Address: 228 North Expressway
Griffin, GA 30223
Phone: 770-228-0373
Website: WWW.SALVATIONARMYUSA.ORG
Description: Clothing, furniture and house hold items for sale at a reasonable cost. Clothing tickets may be obtained at the Salvation Army's main office located at 725 Meriwether Street.
Monday – Friday 9:00am – 12:00pm; Saturday 9:00am – 6:00pm

Several Thrift Stores are located in Lamar County

Dental Care/Dentists

Name: **Affordable Dentures**
Address: Nearest offices are located in Macon, Commerce and Columbus.
Phone: 800-DENTURE
Website: WWW.AFFORDABLEDENTAL.COM
Description: Offers dentures and related dental work at a reduced cost. Cost varies by type of service needed. Call the 800 number for appointment information and for the office that is closest to you.

Name: **Allred Family Dentistry**
Address: 743 South 8th Street
Griffin, GA 30224
Phone: 770-228-6101
Website: www.allredfamilydental.com

Name: **Dr. Edward Parker, Jr.**
Address: 720 South 8th Street
Griffin, GA 30224
Phone: 770-229-9316

Name: **Dr. Gerald Cauthen**
Address: 819 College Drive
Barnesville, GA 30204
Phone: 770-358-0101

Name: **Dr. Joel Fuller**
Address: 251 Grove Street
Barnesville, GA 30204
Phone: 706-358-1800

Name: **Dr. Laura Durham**
Address: 102 Crescent West
Griffin, GA 30224
Phone: 770-412-8636

Name: **Dr. William Gardner**
Address: 507 West Gordon Street
Thomaston, GA 30286
Phone: 706-647-7914

Name: **Griffin Dental Concepts PC**
Address: 218 South 11th Street
Griffin, GA 30224
Phone: 770-412-6575

Name: **Help a Child Smile Program**
Address: 1806 Overlake Drive or 1816 Lakefield Court SE
Conyers, GA 30013
Phone: 770-760-7900 or 1-800-770-0388
Hours: Monday- Friday, 8am- 5pm
Website: www.helpachildsmile.org
Description: A mobile dental program that provides dentistry for children. It offers comprehensive dental care including exam, cleaning, x-rays, sealants, cavity treatment and education. This program works in conjunction with the school system and county health department to provide regular services in the community. Medicaid, Peach Care, most insurance and cash payment is accepted.

Name: **Lamar County Dental Clinic**
Address: 118 Academy Drive, Suite D
Barnesville, GA 30204

Phone: 770-358-7047
Appointment: 770-317-8335
Description: Dental services are available for children 12 months – 21years of age who are currently on Medicaid, Peachcare for Kids or have no dental insurance. The Lamar County Dental Clinic is open one day a week. Please call to make an appointment. Limited services available for adults.

Name: **Small Smiles**
Address: 1536 Eisenhower Parkway
Macon, GA 31206
Phone: 478-781-4331

Domestic Violence

Name: **Adult Protective Services**
Phone: 1-888-774-0152
Website: <https://aging.dhs.georgia.gov/adult-protective-services>

Name: **Child Abuse Hotline**
Phone: 1-800-532-3208

Name: **Christian Women's Center**
Address: P.O. Box 773
Sunnyside, GA 30284
Phone: 770-227-3700
Contact: Stephanie Summers, Executive Director
Email: exedir@cwpga.org
Website: www.cwpga.org

Name: **Haven House**
Address: P.O. Box 1150
McDonough, GA 30253
Phone: 770-954-2177
Website: www.henryhavenhouse.org

Name **Lamar County Sheriff's Office Victim Advocate**
Phone 770-358-5159
Contact Captain Tittin, Advocate
Email victimassistance@bellsouth.net
Website <http://www.lamarcountysheriff.com/victimassistance.html>
Description The Victim Advocate office is located within the Lamar County Sheriff's Office; service available 24/7; serves victims of crime within Lamar County; provides service to include, but are not limited to, stalking, harassment, child abuse, elder abuse, theft, assault, burglary, identity theft,

rape and domestic violence; provides transportation for crime victims, on a limited as needed basis, for court appearances, medical and counseling services; finds and transports the victim and his/her children to a "safe house." The locations of the available shelters are kept confidential and are guaranteed safe.

Name: **Promise Place**
Address: P.O. Box 854
Fayetteville, GA 30214
Phone: 770-460-1604
Crisis Hotline: 770-468-1673
Website: www.promiseplace.org
Description: A non-profit organization serving victims of domestic violence and their children in Fayette, Pike, Spalding and Upson counties.

Name: **Southern Crescent Sexual Assault Center**
Phone: 770-477-2177
Website: www.scsac.com

Education/Training for Adults

Name: **American Red Cross**
Address: 195 Holt Avenue
Macon, GA 31201
Phone: 478-743-8671
Website: WWW.REDCROSS.ORG
Description: A humanitarian organization that provides relief to victims of disaster and helps people prevent, prepare for, and respond to emergencies. Services include: Training for local volunteers in Mass Care and Disaster Shelter Operations, disaster preparedness education, HIV/AIDS education, First Aid and CPR training, and Lifeguard and Water Safety training. Educational courses for childcare workers, babysitters, staying home alone, having healthy pregnancies and healthy babies, and facts for life programs are available.

Name: **Another Alternative Consulting Service, LLC**
Address: 597 Hwy 41 South
Barnesville, GA 30204
Contact: Nancy Riner or Rhiana Brooks-Greaney
Phone: 770-856-7622
Email: njriner@att.net
Website: www.anotheralternativeconsulting.com
Description: Provides Education and Treatment for Addiction, Substance Abuse Education, Anger Management, Theft Prevention / Values Clarification, Parenting, Co-Dependency, Money Management mental health and other life issues and character development /Ethics. Meeting the needs of

Individuals and Groups in Butts, Fayette, Lamar, Monroe, Pike, and Spalding and Upson counties for ages 17+. Working with specialties including law enforcement, probation and parole officers, case management, DUI license reinstatement as well as Doctors and other healthcare professionals.

Name: **Barnesville GED Classes/Southern Crescent Technical College**
Address: 285 Indian Trail (Barnesville Housing Authority)
Barnesville, GA 30204
Phone: 770-358-4859
Description: An out-station of Southern Crescent Technical College Adult Education.
Monday-Thursday, 8:30am-11:30am

Name: **Child Care Resource and Referral Agency**
Address: 115 E Main Street
Thomaston, GA 30286
Phone: 706-646-6215
Website: www.gaccrra.org
Description: A program that works with parents, childcare providers, businesses and community organizations to help promote the availability of quality childcare services. Parenting classes and a lending library are available. Serves Butts, Pike, Upson, Lamar, Spalding, Heard, Meriwether, Coweta, Carrollton and Troup counties.

Name: **Educational Opportunity Center (TRIO)**
Phone: 404-756-2774/2732/4966
Website: www.atlm.edu/students/trio-programs.aspx
Description: EOC works in partnership with a variety of public and private organizations such as local high schools, postsecondary institutions, human service agencies, businesses, correctional institutions, and treatment centers to identify and serve eligible participants who are interested in furthering their education, improving their financial circumstance and increasing their employment options.

Name: **Georgia Fatherhood Program**
Address: Division Child Support Services
1435 N. Expressway, Suite 305
Griffin, GA 30224
Contact: Finley Steele, Sr.
Email: fisteele@dhr.state.ga.us
Phone: 770-229-3111
Description: The Fatherhood program works with non-custodial parents who have a case with Child Support Enforcement and are unable or unwilling to pay their child support. This program offers a 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. Services offered include: job counseling and placement services, a GED program, vocational training, classes on life-coping skills, and classes to strengthen parenting skills.

Name: **Georgia Department of Labor**
Address: 1514 Hwy 16 East
Griffin, GA 30224
Phone: 404-232-3001 or Toll Free: 877-709- 8185
Website: WWW.DOL.STATE.GA.US
Hours: 8:00am – 4:30pm, Monday-Friday
Description: Offers job placement services, unemployment insurance, job readiness workshops and Job Corp for disadvantaged youth. Provides job assessment, counseling, job referral and assists with dislocated workers. A resource library is open to the public. The library includes assistance with resume writing and job applications, typing tests, an Internet job search service, and a fax machine to fax resumes and job applications.

Name: **Georgia Vocational Rehabilitation Agency, Vocational Rehabilitation**
Address: 1815 North Expressway, Suite E
Griffin, GA 30233
Phone: 770-229-3140
Contact: Sherry Deakin, MRC, CRC
Email: Sherry.Deakin@gvra.ga.gov
Website: www.gvra.ga.gov
Description: Georgia Vocational Rehabilitation Agency partners with businesses to meet workforce needs while preparing people with disabilities to achieve workplace success. VR offers an array of services- - finding the right person for the right job; planning effective school to work transitions; helping injured workers return to their jobs; explaining ADA and other laws; providing assistive work technology expertise. Our purpose is to help people with disabilities reach their potential through independence and employment.

Name: **Gordon State College**
Address: 419 College Drive
Barnesville, GA 30204
Phone: 678-359-5555
Website: www.gordonstate.edu
Description: Gordon State College is a residential college in the University System of Georgia that offers bachelor's degrees in early childhood education, nursing, mathematics, biology, history, English and health services and informatics administration. Gordon State College also offers 40 programs of study that are fully transferable to other institutions within the University System. With an enrollment of approximately 4,000 students and a student-to-teacher ratio of 25:1, Gordon State offers an intimate academic setting where its students can receive individualized attention.

Name: **Griffin RESA Regional Education Service Agency**
Address: 440 Tinley Avenue
Griffin, GA 30224
Phone: 770-229-3247
Website: www.griffinresa.net
Description: Educational services are available for area school systems and teachers. Special education consultant services and materials for loan offered to parents and teachers of handicapped children. Audiology evaluations provided free of charge for students in public school with referral from local school. A vision teacher is also available for visually impaired students. For all services, contact local school system first.

Name: **Lamar County Extension Office**
Address: 118 Academy Drive, Suite A
Barnesville, GA 30204
Phone: 770-358-5163
Website: www.caes.uga.edu/extentiosn/lamar/index.html
Description: The Extension Office is a unit of the University of Georgia that offers research-based education in the areas of consumer science and agriculture. Community classes and workshops provided include health & nutrition, financial management, clothing/textiles, water quality/safety, leadership development, entomology, horticulture landscaping, soils and plants.

Name: **Literacy Missions**
Address: 430 Collier Road
Barnesville, GA 30204
Phone: 770-351-7255
Contact: Melanie Shearer
Description: One-on-One tutoring in a safe environment to share the love of Christ in our community by helping adults learn how to read and write.

Name: **Parent Educator**
Address: 118 Academy Drive
Barnesville, GA 30204
Phone: 770-358-1483
Contact: Becky Patterson
Email: lamarlbwinitiative@yahoo.com
Description: Trained Facilitator for Active Parenting Now/Active Parenting for Teens. Evidence based parenting education program designed by an established psychologist, Dr. Michael H. Popkin, and based on sound Adlerian psychological principles. Helps parents raise responsible children who are able to resist negative peer pressure. Demonstrates non-violent discipline, open communication and effective encouragement skills.

Name: **Southern Crescent Technical College**
Flint River Campus
Address: 115 East Main Street
Thomaston, GA 30286
Phone: 706-646-6121
Website: WWW.SCTECH.EDU
Services: Adult Literacy Education/GED Program, Certificate, Diploma and Associate of Applied technology degrees.

Name: **Southern Crescent Technical College**
Griffin Campus
Address: 501 Varsity Road
Griffin, GA 30223
Phone: 770-229-3176
Website: WWW.SCTECH.EDU
Description: Adult Literacy Education/GED Program, Certificate, Diploma and Associate of Applied technology degrees

Name: **Workforce Development TRCR**
Address: 1710 Hwy 16 West
Griffin, GA 30224
Phone: 1-877-633-9799 or 770-229-9799
Fax: 770-229-9924
Website: CAREERCONNECTIONS.ORG
Hours: Monday- Friday, 8:30am- 5pm
Description: West Central Georgia Workforce Development TRCR serves a ten-county region that encompasses Butts, Carroll, Coweta, Lamar, Heard, Meriwether, Pike, Spalding, Troup, and Upson Counties. The mission is to support and promote workforce development and job development through a number of programs targeted to youth ages 15-21, dislocated workers and adults. Some of the services offered include work experience, job shadowing, occupational skills training and GED preparation.

Education for Children/Youth

Name: **A Better Chance Learning Academy**
Address: 113 Academy Drive
Barnesville, GA 30204
Phone: 478-508-3787
Contact: Shaneika Murphy or Vickie Brownlee
Description: Serving ages: 2- 4 years old; Empowering Young Children

Name: **Brinkley's Day Care Center**
Address: 111 Zebulon Street
Barnesville, GA 30204
Phone: 770-358-4000
Description: Ages 6 weeks -12 years; call for information

Name: **Connie's Kiddie College**
Address: 601 Gordon Road
Phone: 770-358-2168
Contact: Connie Davis, Director
Description: Ages 2-10 years; call for information

Name: **E.P. Roberts Center**
Address: 188 Mill Street
Barnesville, GA 30204
Phone: 770-358-3311
Contact: April Smith, Director
Description: Offers various youth and summer programs. Community Food Bank.

Name: **Faith Friends Academy**
Address: 200 Zebulon Street
Barnesville, GA 30204
Phone: 770-358-1171
Contact: Lauren Rooks
Website: <http://www.fbcbarnesville.com>
Description: Education and after-school grades Pre-K through sixth grade.

Name: **Ferst Foundation of Lamar County**
Address: PO Box 926
Barnesville, GA 30204
Phone: 770-358-3270
Website: <http://www.fbcbarnesville.com>
Description: Provides free books for children ages 0-5

Name: **Lamar County Board Of Education**
Address: 100 Victory Lane
Barnesville, GA 30204
Phone: 770-358-5891
Website: www.lamar.k12.ga.us
Description: Education grades Pre-K through 12. Lamar County Primary School, Lamar County Elementary School, Lamar County Middle School, Lamar County Comprehensive High School, and The Trojan Learning Center. Lamar College and Career After-School Program.

Name: **Loving Hands Development Corp.**
Address: Bethel Baptist Church
702 Johnstonville Road
Barnesville, GA 30204
Phone: 770-358-1720
Website: www.bethelbaptistbarnesville.org

Description: Offers assistance with homework, tutoring in reading and math, project-based learning, apprenticeship opportunities, test taking strategies and more.

Name: **Mainstay Academy**
Address: 200 A.Z. Kelsey Avenue
Griffin, GA 30223

Phone: 770-467-6600

Description: This specialized program serves children ages 0-18, and is designed to help students work on severe behavioral, emotional, social, communication and academic difficulties. The child must be diagnosed as having severe emotional/behavioral problems. The ultimate goal is for the student to return to the regular school environment. Referrals must come from the local school system.

Name: **McIntosh Trail Early Childhood Development Council and Head Start**
Address: 630 Zebulon Street
Barnesville, GA 30204

Phone: 770-358-4223

Website: www.mtecdc.org

Description: Head Start is a federally funded program for low-income children ages three to five and their families. Head Start provides a developmentally appropriate learning environment for the children and a supportive atmosphere for the parents. Recognizing that the parents are a child's first teacher, Head Start works with the parent to empower the parent for a lifelong role in the child's maturation process.

Name: **New Horizons, New Directions Leadership Academy**

Address: 122 W. Broad Street
Griffin, GA 30224

Phone: 678-914-5781

Contact: Jamie Mann, Headmaster

Email: jwmann2@aol.com

Description: New Horizons, New Directions Leadership Academy is an accredited non-traditional high school for grades 9-12. We offer instruction and independent studies, offering a university-style learning schedule.

Name: **Stepping Stones Educational Therapy Center**

Address: 141 Futral Road
Griffin, GA 30224

Phone: 770-229-5511

Website: www.steppingstonesschool.org

Description: Non-profit educational therapy center for developmentally delayed and developmentally handicapped children ages 6 weeks through 13. Financial aid and scholarships are available upon request. Classes follow the Spalding County School System calendar.

Eye Care

Name: **Barnesville Eye Clinic**
Address: 211 Main Street
Barnesville, GA 30204
Phone: 770-358-4156

Name: **The Optical Shop**
Address: 641 Veterans Parkway
Barnesville, GA 30204
Phone: 770-358-1010

Name: **National Eye Care Project**
Phone: 1-877-887-EYES (6327)
Website: WWW.ALLABOUTVISION.COM
Description: A program for financially disadvantaged senior citizens age 65 or older to receive vision care from volunteer doctors.

Family Medicine

Name: **Barnesville Urgent Care and Family Practice**
Address: 522 Greenwood Street, Suite A
Barnesville, GA 30204
Phone: 770-872-3663
Fax: 770-872-3665
Website: www.taaronbuice.com

Name: **Drs. Woodall, Wilson, Manley**
Address: 101 Houston Street
Barnesville, GA 30204
Phone: 770-358-1961

Name: **Family Medical Center**
Address: 1512 Highway 19 North
Thomaston, GA 30286
Phone: 706-647-2641

Name: **Rock Springs Medical Clinic**
Address: 219 Rock Springs Road
Milner, GA 30257
Phone: 770-229-8663
678-688-1950- Clinic

Description: Open Thursdays at 4 pm (For uninsured) first come, first served basis

Name: **Upson Family Physicians, LLC**
Address: 612 W Gordon Street, Suite C
Thomaston, GA 30286
Phone: 706-647-7009

Name: **YourTown Health (Community Health Center)**
Address: 101 Commerce Street, Suite 1
Barnesville, GA 30204
Phone: 770-358-4408
Website: www.phcga.com

Food

Name: **Hope Tree Ministries**
Address: 118 Academy Drive
Barnesville, GA 30204
Phone: 770-358-3127
Contact: Jimmy Fambro
Description: Distribution is twice per month on the 2nd and 4th Saturdays from 1p.m. to 3p.m. Application requires Name, address, persons in home, and income. Food Stamp applications are available.

Name: **Lamar County Senior Center**
Address: 106 Veterans Drive
Barnesville, GA 30204
Phone: 770-358-5361
Contact Person: Sarah Corley
Website: www.lamarcountyga.com/seniorcitizen
Description: Lunch is served Monday-Friday at 11:30. Please call the center for reservations. Transportation is available.

Name: **Lamar County DFCS Food Pantry**
Address: 122 Westgate Plaza
Barnesville, GA 30204
Phone: 770-358-5170
Website: www.dfcs.dhr.georgia.gov
Hours: 8:00am - 5:00pm Monday-Friday
Description: The Lamar County Department of Family and Children Services has a food pantry. A form must be completed to determine eligibility. Individuals who do not receive Food Stamps are allowed to apply for services once every 90 days. Individuals who are receiving Food Stamps and request assistance from the Food Pantry must go through their case manager. Situations will be evaluated on a case-by-case basis.

Name: **Lamar County DFCS Food Stamp Program**
Address: 122 Westgate Plaza
Barnesville, GA 30204
Phone: 770-358-5170
Website: www.dfcs.dhr.georgia.gov
Hours: Monday – Friday, 8:00am – 5:00pm

Description: The Food Stamp Program provides electronic benefits on an EBT card that can be used to purchase food for individuals who meet the eligibility requirements. The program provides supplements for food to low-income families. Eligibility is based on household size, income and resources. All applications must be completed online.

Name: **Lamar County Senior Center**

Address: 106 Veterans Drive
Barnesville, GA 30204

Phone: 770-358-5361

Description: Center offers various activities such as fitness classes, aquatics, art, and bingo. For information and times of activities please call the center. Lunch is served Monday-Friday at 11:15. Please call the center for reservations. Transportation is available.

Name: **Lamar County WIC and Nutrition Center**

Address: 118 Academy Drive
Barnesville, GA 30204

Phone: 1-866-636-7942

Hours: M, W, F/8:00am-12:00noon/ Closed for lunch/1:00-5:00pm

Name: **Lamar County Senior Center**

Address: 106 Veterans Drive
Barnesville, GA 30204

Phone: 770-358-5361

Description: Center offers various activities such as fitness classes, aquatics, art, and bingo. For information and times of activities please call the center. Lunch is served Monday-Friday at 11:15. Please call the center for reservations. Transportation is available.

Name: **The Salvation Army**

Address: 725 Meriwether Street
Griffin, GA 30224

Phone: 770-412-6561

Website: WWW.SALVATIONARMYUSA.ORG

Hours: Monday-Friday, 9:00am – 12:00pm
Saturday, 9:00am- 6:00 pm

Description: Emergency food assistance is provided on a limited basis. No fees required, but must provide ID of all household members.

Home Care/Hospice/Respite Services

Name: **Angels of Hope**

Address: 215 East Gordon Street
Thomaston, GA 30286

Phone: 706-647-4673

Description: Angels of Hope provide palliative, respite, in-home hospice care to people with terminal illness and conditions; assists with medications associated with terminal illness, medical equipment, medical supplies and referrals to community resources. At Angels of Hope, we believe “From beginning to end, life was meant to be lived with dignity using the empathy and compassion that God gives us.”

Name: **Brightmoor Hospice**

Address: 3247 Newnan Road
Griffin, GA 30223

Phone: 770-467-9930

Website: WWW.BRIGHTMOORHOSPICE.COM

Description: When life expectancy is limited, Brightmoor Hospice can provide comfort and care by focusing on improving the quality of remaining days. A team of dedicated health care professionals is assigned to each patient and family. The team works to organize and implement a care plan that includes pain management, medical supplies, medications, medical equipment, counseling, financial and community resource contacts, assistance with spiritual needs, companionship, brief respite care and more.

Name: **Care Connection**

Phone: 770-358-5252

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

Description: Care Connection - Aging and Disability Resource Center (ADRC) is a convenient and reliable resource specialized in locating both private and public services for older adults and individuals with disabilities of all ages.

Name: **Coastal Home Care of Barnesville**

Address: 10 Market Street
Barnesville, GA 30204

Phone: 770-872-5007

Toll Free: 800-617-1126

Fax: 770-872-5010

Email: cidol@coastalhomecare.us

Website: www.coastalhomecare.us

Description: Offers a variety of services to meet the unique needs of every individual: Personal Care Services, Companion/Homemaker Services, Skilled Nursing Services, Care Management and Assessment Services.

Name: **Compassion Care, Inc.**

Address: 124 Atlanta Street, Suite F
Barnesville, GA 30204

Phone: 770-358-2141

Email: compassion_care_inc@yahoo.com

Description: "Caring For You in Your Own Home!" Free Assessment, Supervised Nursing Care, Personal Care, Medication Monitoring, Meal Preparation, Light Housekeeping and More

Name: **Eternal Hope Hospice**

Address: 204 Main Street
Barnesville, GA 30204
732 West Taylor Street
Griffin, GA 30223

Phone: 770-229-HOPE (4673)

Contact: Winfred Dixson, Chaplain

Website: www.eternalhopehospice.com

Description: Hospice care offers a comprehensive program of care to patients and families facing a life-limiting illness.

Name: **Heartland Hospice Service**

Address: 3312 Northside Drive Suite D 250
Macon, GA 31210

Phone: 478-477-0101

Fax: 478-477-9951

Website: www.hcr-manorcare.com/heartlandhospice/MACON

Description: Heartland Hospice is dedicated to providing care wherever patients call home. Whether it is in the home lived in for years, a skilled nursing center or an assisted living center, we tailor our care-giving to fit each patient's needs and each family's unique situation.

Name: **Homestead Hospice**

Address: 791A Highway 36 East, Unit 103
Jackson, GA 30233

Phone: 770-775-0100

Fax: 770-775-0200

Website: www.homesteadhospice.net

Description: At Homestead Hospice, we strive to help our patients and their families by providing care that involves the entire family through counseling, spiritual support, and access to our team of professionals. Our dedicated nurses lead our teams in conjunction with the patients' Primary Care Physician and under the supervision of the Hospice Medical Director. As team leaders, they make every effort to ensure that symptoms are controlled and well managed.

Name: **Reliance Healthcare Hospice**

Address: 621 Carver Road
Griffin, GA 30224

Phone: 770-233-9526

Fax: 770-227-7663

Website: www.cmhospice.com

Description: Recognizing and responding to the emotional, spiritual, and physical needs of the people. Striving to create an environment conducive to compassionate and dignified end of life regardless of age, sex, race, color, national origin, disability or ability to pay.

Name: **Southern Care Hospice**
Address: 5233 Riverside Drive, Suite E
Macon, GA 31210

Phone: 478-476-4627

Fax: 478-476-4628

Description: Providing private home care to keep people in their homes and out of nursing homes.

Name: **Thomaston Hospice**
Address: 512 South Center Street
Thomaston, GA 30286

Phone: 706-647-2273

Fax: 706-646-3858

Email: ALHINSON@THOMSTONHOSPICE.COM

Website: WWW.THOMASTONHOSPICE.COM

Description: Care for a loved one in the end-stages of life who is critically ill and expected to live 6 months or less. The care hospice makes your elderly parents as comfortable as possible, controls pain, and treats disease-related symptoms. Depending on what makes your loved one more comfortable, hospice services can be provided in the home or in a hospice facility.

Name: **Trinity Private Homecare**
Address: 125 W Carver Road
Griffin, GA 30224

Phone: 770-227-9222 or 770-584-7799

Contact: Stephanie Freeman

Fax: 678-688-3891

Description: Private Home Care is a Medicaid Funded Program designed to keep persons in their home and out of nursing homes. To qualify, a person does not have to be bed or home bound. Anyone with a life altering illness such as congestive heart failure, dementia, COPD, diabetes, etc., may qualify.

Housing/Shelter

Name: **Action Ministries**
Address: P.O. Box 54613
Atlanta, GA 30308

Phone: 404-881-1991

Website: www.actionministries.net

Description: A transitional housing project to enhance the ability of a family to live independently and to move toward self-sufficiency. It provides supportive services and temporary housing for homeless families for a period of six to nine months. Only homeless families are eligible. Also available is supportive transitional housing solely to persons living with AIDS.

Name: **Barnesville Housing Authority**

Address: 285 Indian Trail
Barnesville, GA 30204

Phone: 770-358-3935

Hours: Monday-Friday, 8:00am – 5:00pm

Description: Pre-applications are available during regular business hours. Applicants are placed on a waiting list and notified by mail when a unit is available. Three public housing units with income-based rent are Hillside Apartments, Smith Homes, Bush Homes and Barnesville Housing Authority Towaliga Village. The Barnesville Housing Authority does not accept or issue Section 8 vouchers.

Name: **Christian Women’s Center, Inc.**

Mailing Address: P.O. Box 773
Sunnyside, GA 30284

Phone: 770-227-3700

Description: A non-profit organization whose primary goal is to provide a temporary home to women and children in crisis.

Name: **Flint Circuit Council on Family Violence - Haven House**

Phone: 1-800-869-1150

Website: www.henryhavenhouse.org

Description: Flint Circuit Council on Family Violence serves people in Henry, Butts, Lamar, and Monroe counties. Services include: 24 hour crisis line, 24 hour crisis intervention, battered women’s support groups, children’s support groups, legal advocacy, temporary protective orders, legal, medical, and counseling referrals, community education and emergency shelter.

Name: **Promise Place**

Address: P.O. Box 854
Fayetteville, GA 30214

Phone: 770-460-1604/ Pike Office 770-567- 3447

Crisis Hotline: 770-468-1673

Website: www.promiseplace.org

Description: A non-profit organization serving victims of domestic violence and their children in Fayette, Pike, Spalding and Upson counties.

Name: **Salvation Army Home of Hope**
Address: 329 North 13th Street
Griffin, GA 30224
Phone: 770-227-2336
Website: WWW.SALVATIONARMYUSA.ORG
Description: Provides time limited housing for homeless families – men, women & children.

Medical Centers and Hospitals

Emergency Assistance 911

Name: **Monroe County Hospital**
Address: 88 Martin Luther Jr. Drive
Forsyth, GA 31029
Phone: 478-994-2521
Description: We offer private rooms, an individualized plan of care, meal preferences, nurses and assistance around the clock, professional therapists, frequent doctors' rounds. You'll be in a safe environment with all of the hospital services and medications available to you should you need them. You deserve to have the special care you need and to be close to home and your family.

Name: **Spalding Regional Medical Center**
Address: 601 S 8th Street
Griffin, GA 30224
Phone: 770-228-2721
Website: WWW.SPALDINGREGIONALHOSP.COM
Description: The hospital offers a hospital staff that represents a multitude of diagnostic treatment and surgical services. Wide ranges of services are available on inpatient and outpatient basis. Express emergency services and specialty services such as home health and women's health services are offered. Community education services and support groups such as CPR, Breast-Feeding, Diabetes Update, Nutritional Counseling, Parkinson Support Group and Sibling Preparation are a few that are available.

Name: **Upton Regional Medical Center**
Address: 801 W. Gordon Street
Thomaston, GA 30286
Phone: 706-647-8111
Fax: 770-872-3665
Website: WWW.URMC.ORG
Description: Upton Regional Medical Center is a 24-hour full health facility. Health services include obstetrics, intensive care, radiology, physical therapy, cardiac rehabilitation and 24-hour emergency room. Classes in CPR, First Aid, etc. are also available.

Medical Coverage

Name: **Amerigroup**
Phone: 1-800-600-4441
Website: www.myamerigroup.com/ga
Description: Amerigroup Community Care (Amerigroup) is one of the health plans offered to you by Georgia Families. Amerigroup has offered health care coverage to people enrolled in Georgia Families programs since 2006.

Name: **Georgia Families**
Address: P.O. Box 1096
Atlanta, GA 30303
Phone: 1-888-423-6765
Website: www.georgia-families.com
Description: Georgia Families gives you choices for your health care!

Name: **Right from the Start Medicaid**
Address: P.O. Box 342
541 Griffin Street
Zebulon, GA 30295
Contact: Derrick Barron
Phone: 770-567-8771
Website: Dbarron@dch.ga.gov
Description: The Right from the Start Medicaid (RSM) Outreach Program provides access to affordable comprehensive health care coverage for working families.

Name: **WellCare of Georgia, Inc.**
Address: 33 W 11th Street, Suite 101
Columbus, GA 31901
Contact: Marcel Ndubisi
Phone: 706-324-0824 or 706-566-4457
Website: Marcel.ndubisi@wellcare.com

Medical Services

Name: **Adolescent Health**
Address: 144 Brookwood Ave
Jackson, GA 30233
Phone: 678-774-8230

Name: **Barnesville Dialysis**
Address: 783 Hwy 341 South
Barnesville, GA 30204
Phone: 770-358-1142

Description: All Certified Nephrologists; Dialysis treatments provided by registered nurses and licensed practical nurses; full time dietitian and social workers; full time insurance specialist, individualized nursing care, clean, friendly, professional environment, short wait time; doctors on site weekly for appointments; latest advances in equipment technology; heated dialysis chairs; Wi-Fi.

Name: **Barnesville Urgent Care and Family Practice**
Address: 533 Greenwood Street, Suite A
Barnesville, GA 30204
Phone: 770-872-3663

Name: **Family Medical Center**
Address: 1512 Highway 19 North
Thomaston, GA 30286
Phone: 706-647-2641

Name: **Georgia Family Support Program**
Phone: 1-866-854-5652
Description: Support services to spouses or partners of individuals with Alzheimer's disease or Dementia

Name: **Georgia Medical Reserve Corps Volunteers**
Address: 122-A Gordon Commercial Drive
LaGrange, GA 30240
Contact: Pamela Masters, MSEM – healthcare liaison
Email: pamasters@dhr.state.ga.us
Phone: 706-298-7745
Description: The Medical Reserve Corps (MRC) is a national networking of locally based volunteer groups building strong, healthy and prepared communities.

Name: **Griffin Pediatrics**
Address: 1900 Zebulon Road
Griffin, GA 30224
Phone: 770-227-5510

Name: **Heritage Inn**
Address: 946 Veterans Parkway
Barnesville, GA 30204
Phone: 770-358-2485
Website: www.heritageinnbarnesville.org
Description: Heritage Inn is a 24-hour nursing facility with 117 beds. Medicaid, Medicare and VA funds are accepted as well as private pay.

Name: **Lamar County Health Department**
Address: 118 Academy Drive
Barnesville, GA 30204
Phone: 770-358-1483
Website: www.lamarcountyga.com/healthdept.
Description: Provides immunizations, pregnancy tests, Prenatal Care Management Program, Pregnancy Related Service Program, WIC, Family Planning and Healthy Lifestyle Classes.
Active Parenting Now Class: provides support and helpful information on parenting education; every other Tuesday from 10:30-11:30am; located in the W.I.C. office next to the Lamar County Health Department; no age, gender or income requirements - open to anyone in the community
American Cancer Society Fresh Start Quit Smoking Program: class every other Monday from 12:00pm-1:00pm; located in the 4-H building next to the Lamar County Health Department; lunch provided; registration required; no age, gender or income requirements - open to anyone in the community who wants to quit smoking; Nicotine patches and/or gum provided at no cost. Please call 770-358-1483 for additional information and to register.

Name: **Pediatric Associates**
Address: 331 West Main Street
Thomaston, GA 30286
Phone: 706-646-4543

Name: **Poison Control Center**
Phone: 800-282-5846

Name: **Rock Springs Medical Clinic**
Address: 219 Rock Springs Road
Milner, GA 30257
Phone: 706-229-8663
Clinic: 678-688-1950
Description: Open Thursday at 4pm. First come first serve basis

Name: **Spalding Regional Medical Center**
Center for Rehabilitation
Address: 702 Highway 341 South
Barnesville, GA 30204
Phone: 770-358-0751

Name: **Upson Medical Associates**
Address: 100 Highway 18 West, Suite #106
Barnesville, GA 30204
Phone: 770-358-3284

Name: **URMC Orthopedics Sports Medicine & Surgery**
Address: 100 Highway 18 West
Barnesville, GA 30204
Phone: 770-358-1860

Name: **URMC Rehab and Sports Medicine of Barnesville**
Address: 100 Highway 18 West
Barnesville, GA 30204
Phone: 770-358-9881

Name: **YourTown Health (Community Health Center)**
Address: 101 Commerce Street, Suite 1
Barnesville, GA 30204
Phone: 770-358-4408

Mental Health

Name: **Another Alternative Consulting Service, LLC**
Address: 597 Hwy 41 South
Barnesville, GA 30204
Phone: 770-856-7622 or 770-468-3019
Contact: Nancy Riner
Email: njriner@att.net
Website: www.anotheralternativeconsulting.com
Description: Provides Clinical Evaluations, Substance Abuse and Behavioral Health Assessments and referrals including Depression, Co-occurring Disorder, PTSD and Adult Children of Dysfunctional Families. Education and Treatment for Addiction, Anger Management, and other life issues. Serving Butts, Fayette, Lamar, Monroe, Pike, Spalding and Upson counties for ages 17+.

Name: **Benchmark Human Services, Mental Health Mobile Crisis**
Phone: 404-938-7000
Email: sstapleton@benchmark-hs.com
Website: <http://www.benchmark-hs.com/>
Description: Supporting people with mental illness, serious emotional disorders, substance-related disorder, and co-occurring substance related and serious emotional disorders and their caregivers during behavioral related crises.

Name: **Community Child and Adolescent Services**
Address: 2821 US Hwy 19
Meansville, GA 30256
Phone: 770-567-3779
Description: Community Child and Adolescent Services seeks to serve children, adolescents and their families in need of mental health and addiction services as defined by the State of Georgia Department of Mental Health,

Developmental Disabilities and Addictive Diseases. The center is a Georgia Medicaid Health Care Provider that primarily serves indigent children, adolescent's age birth to 17 years of age and their families in Pike and surrounding counties.

Name: **Divine Systems GA- Mental & Behavioral Health Services**
Address: 439 Highway 81, Suite 101
McDonough, GA 30253
Phone: 678-719-9552
Fax: 678-625-0368
Contact: Glendora Divine
E-Mail: gdvine@dsgeorgia.com
Website: www.DSgeorgia.com
Description: Provides therapeutic, professional and quality services in our mental health community, encouraging healthy living, family safeguarding and reliable community connections.

Name: **Griffin Counseling Center**
Address: 333 South 9th Street
Griffin, GA 30223
Phone: 770-229-8721 or 770-584-3636
Email: newgenesis98@aol.com
Description: New Genesis specializes in providing quality mental health services. Services include: Diagnostic Assessments, Individual, Family and Group Therapy, Clinical Supervision, and contracted services.

Name: **Help-Line Georgia**
Phone: 1-800-338-6745
Website: www.health.state.ga.us/programs/prevention/helpline
Description: Free statewide confidential telephone crisis intervention, information and referral system for: drug & alcohol problems, reporting drug selling, support & self-help groups, child sexual & physical abuse, problems gambling, legal matters, family violence, assault, crime victim compensation program information, community victim assistance programs and educational/information.

Name: **Lake Bridge Behavioral Hospital**
Address: 3500 Riverside Drive
Macon, GA 31210
Phone: 478-477-3829
Website: www.lakebridgebhs.com

Name: **Mainstay Academy**
Address: 200 A.Z. Kelsey Avenue
Griffin, GA 30223
Phone: 770-467-6600

Description: This specialized program serves children age birth through eighteen, and is designed to help students work on severe behavioral, emotional, social, communication and academic difficulties. The child must be diagnosed as having severe emotional/behavioral problems. The ultimate goal is for the student to return to the regular school environment. Referrals must come from the local school system.

Name: **McIntosh Trail Community Service Board
Lamar County Counseling Center and Peer Center**

Address: 133 Forsyth Street, Suite 3
Barnesville, GA 30204

Phone: 770-358-5252

Website: www.mcctrail.org

Hours: 8:00am – 4:30pm

Description: Lamar County Counseling Center offers assessment/intake, individual, family and Group Counseling, Community Support Services and PEER Support Services.

Name: **McIntosh Trail Community Service Board
Pinewoods**

Address: 700 Veterans Parkway
Barnesville, GA 30204

Phone: 770-358-5252

Website: www.mcctrail.org

Hours: 8:00am – 4:30pm

Description: Pinewoods Crisis Stabilization Units offers Crisis Stabilization and Detox for Adults with Severe and Persistent Mental Illness and Addictive Diseases.

Name: **McIntosh Trail Mental Health/Developmental Disabilities/Addictive
Diseases Community Service Board
Care Connection**

Phone: 770-358-5252

Website: www.mcctrail.org/mental_health

Description: Care Connection provides information on services available through McIntosh Trail Mental Health/Developmental Disabilities/Addictive Diseases Community Service Board. Individuals can schedule an appointment and will be seen based on their individual care needs. Care Connection is available 24 hours.

Name: **Midway Recovery Systems**

Address: 119 South 10th Street
P.O. Box 1308
Griffin, GA 30224

Phone: 770-227-8975

Website: www.midwayrecovery.com

Description: A private non-profit recovery program for the chemically dependent. Residential, males 21 years or older programs are available.

Name: **National Suicide Prevention Lifeline**

Phone: 1-800-273-8255

Website: WWW.SUICIDEPREVENTIONLIFELINE.ORG

Description: The National Suicide Prevention Lifeline is a network of local crisis centers located in communities across the country that are committed to suicide prevention. Callers to the hotline will receive suicide prevention counseling from trained staff at the closest certified crisis center in the network.

Name: **New Choices/McIntosh Trail**

Address: 101 Owens Lane

Mailing Address: P.O. Box E
Barnesville, GA 30204

Phone: 770-358-8267

Website: www.mctrail.org/new-choices

Description: New Choices is a gender specific residential treatment facility serving adult women who suffer from addictive disease. To make a referral, please call 770-358-8503/8506

Name: **On the Path Children and Family Services**

Address: 108 Byrd Way, Suite 400
Warner Robins, GA 31088

Phone: 478-953-0330

Fax: 478-953-0368

Website: www.onthepathga.com

Description: On the Path is a core Services and Intensive Family Intervention Program offering a range of mental health and crisis management services.

Name: **Pathways Center**

Address: 101 Commerce Place, Suite # 3
Barnesville, GA 30204

Contact: Site Manager /Brittany Thompson

Phone: 770-358-5269

Address: 244 Odell Road, Suite #6
Griffin, GA 30224

Phone: 770-229-3407

Website: www.pathwayscsb.org/lamar

Hours: Monday – Friday, 8:30am– 5:00pm

Description: Pathways Center is a premier behavioral health care organization serving children, adolescents, and adults addressing an array of mental health and substance abuse issues. We offer various behavioral health services that include but are not limited to behavioral health and Substance Abuse

assessments, Psychiatric Assessments and follow-up, individual, family and group counseling, and case management services.
After Hours/Emergency 1-877-566-5470

Name: **Personal Growth Center**
Address: 141 W. Solomon Street
Griffin, GA 30224
Phone: 770-229-3000
Hours: Monday-Friday, 8:00am – 5:00pm
Description: Services offered for mental health, substance abuse and mental retardation. Every client receives medical psychiatric evaluation, diagnostic assessment, individual or group therapy, crisis intervention, case management and medication administration and monitoring. Fees are at a reduced rate to indigent patients or free if patient is totally without funds. There is a pharmacy on site. Call for referral to all services.

Name: **Pike/Lamar Services, Inc.**
Address: 210 Chaffin St
Barnesville, GA 30204
Phone: 770-358-0743
Email: mildred.barber@yahoo.com
Description: We are a day support program for developmentally disabled adults. We work in a group environment to offer life skills, nutrition, safety, health care, human rights, and other classes. We also go on regular group outings and participate in various activities.

Name: **Reconciliation House Inc.**
Address: P.O. Box 143
Yatesville, GA 31097
Phone: 478-787-4215
Fax: 706-472-3031
Email: rhi@reconciliationhouse.org
Website: www.reconciliationhouse.org
Description: RHI is a long-term, faith based residential Women's Aftercare Reentry program for women who truly desire to change. Located on 53 acres in Middle Georgia, it is the perfect place to develop a therapeutic community. Our housing and training has empowered women to become career leaders in many fields. The impact of their experience has caused them to return as volunteers, in hopes of helping others to reach their level of freedom, success and empowerment.

Name: **Strategies, LLC**
Address: P.O. Box 1557
Milledgeville, GA 31059
Phone: 478-414-1027/478-804-3309

Description: Strategies, LLC is a network of highly qualified professionals with over 200 years of combined career experience offering family support, group activities, transportation, along with educational programs and support groups for survivors of abuse, divorce, domestic violence, substance abuse, grief and loss.

Pediatrics

Name: **Coker Pediatrics**
Address: 1717 Hwy 19 South
Zebulon, GA 30295
Phone: 678-688-1580
Internet: www.cokerpediatrics.com

Name: **Griffin Pediatrics**
Address: 7171 Highway 19 South
Zebulon, GA 30295
Phone: 770-227-5510
Website: www.griffinpediatrics.com

Name: **Pediatric Associates**
Address: 331 West Main Street
Thomaston, GA 30286
Phone: 706-646-4543

Name: **Pediatric Health Care for Kids**
Address: 41 West Johnston Street
Forsyth, GA 31029
Phone: 478-994-8709
Description: Provides pediatric day health care to children with medical complexities
Website: www.pediatrakiakids.com

Name: **Thomaston Pediatrics**
Address: 403 West Gordon Street
Thomaston, GA 30286
Phone: 706-647-1680
Fax: 706-646-3125

Name: **ZOe Center for Pediatric & Adolescent Health, LLC**
Address: 100 Hwy 18W, Suite 201
Barnesville, GA 30204
Phone: 678-359-1700
Website: www.zoepeds.com

Pharmacies

Name: **CVS Pharmacy**
Address: 622 Rose Avenue
Barnesville, GA 30204
Phone: 770-358-4600
Website: www.cvs.com

Name: **Hines Prescription Shop**
Address: 302 College Drive
Barnesville, GA 30204
Phone: 770-358-2266

Name: **Ingle's Market Inc.**
Address: 631 Hwy. 341 South
Barnesville, GA 30204
Phone: 770-358-7402
Website: www.ingles-markets.com/pharmacy

Name: **Walgreens**
Address: 592 Highway 341 South
Barnesville, GA 30204
Phone: 770-872-3924
Website: www.walgreens.com/pharmacy/

Resources:

Name: **Social Security Administration**
Address: 201 West Solomon Street
Griffin, GA 30223
Phone: 866-964-1005
Website: WWW.SSA.GOV
Description: Administers the federal program of Retirement Survivors Disability Income (RSDI) where people who meet eligibility criteria receive cash benefits. Eligibility is based upon their work history and other eligibility criteria. Medicare is a federal health insurance program for people over 65 and those who have received disability payments for 24 months. Supplemental Security Income (SSI) is also a federally funded program to provide monthly income for those who are over age 65, blind or who have disabilities with limited income and assets. Children can qualify, if they meet certain disability, income and asset requirements. Medicaid Assistance to pay for medical care is an automatic benefit of SSI.

Senior Services:

Name: **Georgia Senior Legal Hotline**
Phone: 1-888-257-9519 or 404-657-9915
Hours: Monday-Friday, 9am-3pm
Website: www.atlantalegalaid.org/departments
Description: Helpline staffed by attorneys who provide legal advice, brief service and lawyer referrals to older Georgians, their families and service providers who need legal advice or assistance.

Name: **Lamar County Senior Center**
Address: 106 Veterans Drive
Barnesville, GA 30204
Phone: 770-358-5361
Description: Center offers various activities such as fitness classes, aquatics, art, and bingo. For information and times of activities please call the center. Lunch is served Monday-Friday at 11:15. Please call the center for reservations. Transportation is available.

Name: **National Eye Care Project**
Phone: 1-877-887-EYES (6327)
Website: WWW.ALLABOUTVISION.COM
Description: A program for financially disadvantaged senior citizens age 65 or older to receive vision care from volunteer doctors.

Name: **Southern Crescent Area Agency on Aging**
Address: 13273 GA Hwy 34 East
P.O. Box 1600
Franklin, GA 30217
Phone: 1-866-854-5652
Fax: 770-854-5402
Website: www.scaaaa.net
Hours: Monday-Friday, 8am-4pm
Description: Provides services to elderly persons 60 years of age or older. This program is designed to maintain and strengthen the ability of the elderly to care for themselves remain independent and provide a broad range of recreational, social, health, nutritional, and educational services in addition to employment. Homemaker services, transportation and home delivered meals are available.

Name: **Three Rivers Regional Commission
Health Insurance Counseling Assistance and Referral for the Elderly
and Disabled**
Phone: 770-854-6026 or 706-675-6721
Website: WWW.HICARE.STATE.GA.US
Hours: Monday- Friday, 8am-5pm

Description: Services are for elderly (age 65 or older) or disabled (those who receive Medicare). Professionals answer questions about Medicare, Medicaid, long term care and private insurance groups, counsel in person and limited telephone counseling, assists with sorting through medical bills and assists with filing claims, legal assistance with complicated Medicare problems, referrals to other agencies, community education of health insurance issues and help with comparison and understanding of health insurance and managed care plans.

Support Groups/Programs

Name: **Alzheimer's Support Group (First United Methodist Church)**
Address: 375 Thomaston Street
Barnesville, GA 30204
Phone: 770-358-1494
Contact: Helen Sanderson
Website: WWW.BARNESVILLEFUMC.ORG
Description: Group meets the Last Tuesday of the month at 6:00 pm. (Closed on Friday)

Name: **American Cancer Society**
Phone: 1-800-227-2345
Description: 24 hours a day 365 days a year. Cancer patients and their families and care givers can receive info and guidance anytime. Greeted by a trained specialist who can answer questions about cancer, provide links to clinical trials, and offer information on available resources in the patient's community.

Name: **Court Appointed Special Advocates for Children (CASA)**
Address: 130 Library Street
Barnesville, GA 30204
Phone: 770-358-5029
Email: lwaller@tacourts.com
Description: A Court Appointed Special Advocate (CASA) is trained community volunteer who is appointed by a judge to advocate for the best interests of an abused, neglected or abandoned child in juvenile court proceedings. The CASA volunteer advocates for the safety, permanency and well-being of the child.

Name: **Christian 12-Step Support Group (Rock Springs Church)**
Address: 219 Rock Springs Road
Milner, GA 30257
Phone: 770-229-8663
Website: www.rockspringsonline.com/ministries

Description: The church offers a Christian 12-Step support group and family support group. The group meets every Thursday at 7:30 pm in the lower level of the sanctuary (enter at the side door with the awning.)

Name: **First Step Ministries (First Baptist Church of Barnesville)**

Address: 200 Zebulon Street
Barnesville, GA 30204

Phone: 770-358-2353

Website: www.fcbarnesville.com

Description: This Ministry for “hurts, habit, and hang-ups” is based on “Celebrate Recovery” ministry developed by Saddleback Church.
Meets every Monday at 7pm.

Name: **Flint Circuit Council on Family Violence**

Phone: 770-954-9229 or 770-954-1008

Description: Flint Circuit Council on Family Violence serves people in Henry, Butts, Lamar, Jasper and Monroe counties. Services include: 24 hour crisis line, 24 hour crisis intervention, battered women’s support groups, children’s support groups, legal advocacy, temporary protective orders, legal, medical, and counseling referrals, community education and emergency shelter.

Name: **Georgia Family Support Program**

Phone: 1-866-854-5652

Description: Support services to spouses or partners of individuals with Alzheimer’s disease or Dementia.

Name: **Help-Line Georgia**

Phone: 1-800-338-6745

Website: www.health.state.ga.us/programs/prevention/helpline

Description: Free statewide confidential telephone crisis intervention, information and referral system for: alcohol and drug problems, victims of violent crimes, gambling problems, legal problems, drug testing, drug trafficking, self help and support groups.

Name: **John’s Place (First United Methodist Church)**

Address: 375 Thomaston Street
Barnesville, GA 30204

Phone: 770-358-1494

Contact: Helen Sanderson

Website: www.barnesvillefumc.org

Description: Our mission is to meet the social and emotional needs of older adults as well as their caregivers. (Closed on Fridays)

Name: **Towaliga Accountability Courts**
Address: 130 Library Street
Barnesville, GA 30204
Phone: 770-358-5029
Contact: Patricia Gavel
Website: tacourts.com
Description: Our mission is to ensure your recovery and minimize repeat offenses, known as recidivism. We seek to achieve this goal by implementing a judicially supervised substance abuse treatment and rehabilitation program specifically designed to administer to specific cases within the circuit. We also intend to educate the public as to the positive impact the Towaliga Judicial Circuit Accountability Court has on the community. We serve Butts, Lamar and Monroe counties.

Thrift Stores

Name: **B & T Bargain Town II**
Address: 226 Main Street
Barnesville, GA 30204
Phone: 770-358-6238

Name: **Baby Bargains and More**
Address: 15 Market Street
Barnesville, GA 30204
Phone: 770-229-5679
Contact: Gloria McIntire
Description: Baby and children clothing, shoes, and other accessories.

Name: **The Salvation Family Thrift Store**
Address: 228 North Expressway
Griffin, GA 30224
Phone: 770-228-0373
Website: WWW.SALVATIONARMYUSA.ORG
Description: Clothing, furniture and house hold items for sale at a reasonable cost. Clothing tickets may be obtained at the Salvation Army's main office located at 725 Meriwether Street; Monday – Friday from 9:00am – 12:00pm.

Name: **Cash Liquidations, Inc. Furniture**
Address: 684 Indian Springs
Forsyth, GA 31029
Phone: 478-992-9901
Website: www.youcanaffordmore.com
Hours: Monday-Saturday, 10:00am -6:00pm

Transportation:

Name: **Blue Canoe Taxi Service**
Phone: 770-358-9031

Name: **Central – LogistiCare**
Phone: 1-866-913-5795
Website: www.logisticare.com
Description: Georgia Medicaid provides non-emergency transportation (NET) to Medicaid recipients who need medical services and have no other means of transport. NET services must be requested three (3) workdays before a routine medical appointment.

Name: **CGE Transportation Services**
Phone: 770-584-6276
Description: Local transportation services

Name: **Christian Air Ministry**
Phone: 770-584-6276
Description: Volunteer pilots provide air transportation for non-ambulatory patients in stable condition who cannot afford commercial air ambulances equipped for basic life support. Monday-Friday, 9am-5pm

Name: **Mercy Flight Southeast**
Address: 8864 Airport Boulevard
Leesburg, FL 34788
Phone: 352-326-0761
Fax: 352-326-9360
Toll Free Hotline: 1-800-352-4256
Email: www.mercyflightse.org or info@mercymail.org
Description: Coordinates Free Air Transportation for children and adults with medical or compelling human needs.

Name: **Quality Transportation**
Phone: 770-229-4885
Description: Need to go to the Grocery Store, or the Doctors? This office provides transportation in Butts, Lamar, Pike, Spalding, and Upson. Need Three day advance notice; wheelchair accessible; \$2.00 fee per one way trip

Utilities

Name: **Middle Georgia Community Action Agency, Inc.**
Mailing Address: 121 Prince Street
Warner Robins, GA 31099
Phone: 478-922- 4464
Website: www.mgcaa.org

Name: **The Neighborhood Service Center**
Phone: 770-358-6419
Description: Administers the weatherization program. Free home energy repairs including caulking, window repairs, weather-stripping, door replacement, attic insulation and other energy items.

Youth Programs

Name: **4-H**
Address: Lamar County Extension Office
118 Academy Drive
Barnesville, GA 30204
Phone: 770-358-5163
Website: www.caes.uga.edu/extension/lamar/4h
Description: To assist youth in acquiring knowledge, developing lifelong attitudes that will enable them to become self-directing, productive and contributing citizens.

Name: **A Better Chance Learning Academy**
Address: 113 Academy Drive
Barnesville, GA 30204
Phone: 478-508-3787
Contact: Vickie Brownlee/ Shenika Murphy
Description: 15 Years of experience, conveniently located across from the health department. A better chance learning academy offers high quality early child care. Affordable, Caring, and Dependable care to children ages 6wks to 4 years old in safe learning environment, also offered is a better chance day camp serving children ages 5-12 years old. The Day Camp operates summer break, and other school holidays. Business hours: Mon- Friday 6am-6pm. Mrs. Vickie is currently employed by the Lamar County BOE, and is now looking forward to serving our youngest Trojans!

Name: **Boys to Men**
Address: 121 Sullivan Street
Email: mike-021rogers@hotmail.com
Phone: 770-358-0320
Contact: Michael Rogers

Name: **Boy Scouts**
Phone: 770-358-3501
Contact: John Briley, Troop Committee Chairman
Website: www.beascout.scouting.org
Hours: 6:30pm-8:00pm every Thursday at the Aldora Scout Hut
Description: 11 yrs to 18 yrs; Troop 38 has been continuously chartered since 1946. The Scout Hut is located behind the Lamar County High School.

Name: **Bridging the Gaps Today, INC.**
Phone: 678-561-3043
Contact: Natasha Griffin
Website: www.btgtoday.com
Description: Bridging the Gaps Today, Inc is an agency that strives to help children and adults optimize their potential. We recognize that good behavioral health, education, social responsibility, employment, physical fitness and citizenship are interrelated and interdependent. Problems occur when there is instability between the mind, body and spirit. BTGT offers assistance for individuals who suffer trauma, experience instability, or develop conditions that affect how people think and behave. Because these conditions can disrupt our day-to-day lives in ways that can be harmful to us or to others, our professional staff is here to help, so your concerns will not impact your family, the people around you and your ability to function in school or at work. Good behavioral health helps people unlock their full potential and become a contributing member of the community.

Name: **Burning Bush Youth and Family Intervention Center, INC.**
Address: P.O. Box 1595
Jackson, GA 30233
Phone: 678-774-8230
Contact: Pastor Donald Tinsley
Website: www.burningbushyouth.org
Email: infor@burningbushyouth.org
Description: Burning Bush wants to be a place of comfort for youth and families to come and to feel there is hope. Each one of us has made mistakes and felt hopeless. Burning Bush is about helping youth and families in the community. It takes a community coming together to create a safe environment. We look forward to contributing our part to make a difference in the lives of our families.

Name: **Camp Grace**
Phone: 404-493-4075
Website: thecampgrace.com
Description: Camp Grace strives to strengthen what our ministry partners do by providing a high capacity, high quality overnight camp experience coupled with three additional relevant camps. Camp Grace seeks to transform the lives of impoverished youth through a week long overnight camp experience.

Name: **E.P. Roberts Center/A.D. Smith Community Services**
Address: 188 Mill Street
Barnesville, GA 30204
Phone: 770-358-3311/Cell 404-668-9028
Contact: April Smith, Director
Description: After school and enhancement programs for youth

Name: **Fun in the Son Camp, July 25-27, 2014**
Address: P.O. Box 143
Yatesville, GA 31097
Phone: 478-787-4215
Fax: 706-472-3031
Email: rhi@reconciliationhouse.org
Website: www.reconciliationhouse.org
Description: Fun in the Son is an annual camp hosted by the Reconciliation House. Since we welcomed our first camper in 2004, the free Fun in the Son camp for 12-18 year olds who have a parent incarcerated or recently released has opened a world of possibilities for forgiveness and reconciliation. Our camp enables children affected by incarceration to learn through discovery and grow through experience. Campers take home increased confidence and leadership abilities, better problem-solving skills, and friendships that last a lifetime.

Name: **Girl Scouts**
Phone: 678-359-9196
Contacts: Valerie Freeman, Membership Specialist
770-702-9416
Description: To build girls of courage, confidence, and character who make the world a better place.
Website: www.gsgatl.org/default.asp

Name: **Harpo Family Youth Association**
Address: P.O. Box 15
Barnesville, GA 30204
Phone: 770-714-3160 or 770-358-3671
Contact: James T. Harper, Owner/Director or Stasia Harper
Description: Helping adolescents reach potential

Name: **Lamar County Parks and Recreation**
Address: 122 Andrew Drive
Barnesville, GA 30204
Phone: 770-358-5800
Contact: Buddy Lanier, Director
Website: www.lamarcountyrec.org
Description: Provides youth activities, sports, playground, tennis courts, basketball, a skateboard park and walking track.

Name: **Loving Hands Youth Development Corporation**
Address: Bethel Baptist Church
702 Johnstonville Road
P.O. Box 586
Barnesville, GA 30204
Phone: 770-358-1720
Contact: Linda Smith-Olivier, Ed. Sp., Director

Email: BETHELBAPT@BELLSOUTH.NET
Hours: School Days Monday- Friday, 3pm- 6pm
Website: www.bethelbaptistbarnesville.org
Description: After-school and summer enrichment programs.

Name: **Otis W. Butler Youth Foundation**
Address: 450 High Falls Park Road
Barnesville, GA 30204
Phone: 770-358-1119
Fax: 770-358-0283
Contact: James Butler
Email: jameswbutler@bellsouth.net
Description: Youth development program that is a community based program aimed at strengthening social, emotional, behavioral, and cognitive skills of youth in Lamar County, Georgia.

Name: **Youth Challenge Academy**
Address: 16th& Niles Avenue
Fort Stewart, GA 31315
Phone: (912)-876-1724/767-9329
Contact: David L. John
Email: Djohn@fsyca.org
Website: www.ngycp.org
Description: The Georgia Challenge program is a community-based institution that aspires to reduce the number of high school dropouts, increase the quantity of productive citizens, and boost the perceived magnitude of education and life skills training among “at risk” youth.

Quick References

Barnesville Housing Authority
770-358-3935

Barnesville Police Department
770-358-1234

Barnesville Public Library
770-358-3270

Board of Education
770-358-5891

Chamber of Commerce
770-358-5886

City of Barnesville
770-358-0181

City of Milner
770-358-1604

Fire Department
770-358-1246/3262

Lamar County Commissioners
770-358-5146

Lamar County Health Department
770-358-1483

Lamar County Sheriff's Office
770-358-5159

Lamar County Tag/Tax Office
770-358-5162

Milner Police Department
770-358-1604