



Paulding County Resource Directory

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This guide is intended to serve as a resource tool for families who need information for various community resources. It was not designed to exclude any business, service provider or community organization; however, it does not include all resources in or outside of Paulding County. The information was gathered by the Coordinator for the Paulding Family Connection Children's Cabinet from public information and has not been verified for accuracy.

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**Paulding Family Connection Children's Cabinet
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3236 Atlanta Hwy.
Dallas, Georgia 30132
nlauter@paulding.k12.ga.us**

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Advocacy/Support Groups

Ahimsa House - Helping People and Pets Escape Domestic Violence

<http://ahimsahouse.org/>

P.O. Box 8181

Atlanta, GA 31106

CRISIS LINE: 404-452-6248 **Email:** info@ahimsahouse.org

404-496-4038

Provides assistance to locate safe housing for pets in domestic violence situations

Alcoholics Anonymous

<http://www.aageorgia.org/district-14.html>

Go to the link above to locate meeting locations for Paulding County

Al-Anon/Alateen

<http://al-anon.info/MeetingSearch/Al-AnonMeetings.aspx?language=EN>

Go to the link above to locate meeting locations for Paulding County

American Red Cross - Metropolitan Atlanta Chapter

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

1955 Monroe Drive NE

Atlanta, GA

404-876-3302

Provides emergency community services

Autism Support Group – Pieces to the Puzzle

Gracepointe Church

7915 Dallas-Acworth Hwy.

Dallas, GA

770-605-7510 or 770-903-5699

Email: piecetothe puzzle@aol.com

Meets the 4th Thursday of every month at 7pm.

Stacey Robinson or Debra Hensley, co-founders

Behavioral Health Link – Call this number for 24-hr CRISIS HELP-1 (800) 715-4225

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

This crisis line is open anytime day or night to help with a mental health crisis or problem with drugs or alcohol or to find help to locate and schedule an appointment with an appropriate mental health provider.

Bethany Christian Services (Private Adoption & Foster Care Services)

<https://www.bethany.org/foster-care>

P.O. Box 5174

Rome, GA 30162

Phone: 706-331-6177 **Cell:** 678-580-8339 **Email:** chayes@bethany.org

There is a growing need for families willing to open their hearts and homes to children and teenagers who have been removed from their families because of neglect or abuse. These children need a loving family who will walk with them during a time of crisis and welcome them unconditionally into a caring home. The highest-priority need is for foster homes for sibling groups and children from the **counties in which they live**.

CASA of Paulding County (Court Appointed Special Advocates)

www.casapaulding.org

PO Box 24

Dallas, GA 30132

770-505-0065 **Fax:** 770-443-5940 **Email:** casapaulding@casapaulding.org

Provides trained, supervised volunteers to advocate for the best interests of abused and neglected children involved in juvenile court proceedings. Please contact for more information or for volunteer opportunities.

Celebrate Recovery

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

Celebrate Recovery Meeting Locations Paulding, Douglas and Surrounding Areas

A 12-step program based on Jesus' beatitudes focusing on anyone with a hurt, a habit or a hang-up

Bethany Christian Church

3264 Villa Rica Highway

Dallas, GA 30157

Contact: Ben Poole 770-318-1571

Beulah Baptist Church

4031 Bankhead Hwy

Douglasville, GA 30134

Contact: Mike Lane 678-522-7041

Burnt Hickory Baptist Church

5145 Due West Rd

Powder Springs, GA 30127

Contact: Alecia Hawkins 678-665-9546

Meetings Thursday 7:00pm

Central Baptist Church

5811 Central Church RD

Douglasville, GA 30135

Contact: Ted Smith 770-920-0155

Meetings Thursday 6:00pm

Covenant Life Church of God

130 Atlantic Ave. (US 78)

Bremen, GA 30110

Contact: Robby Williams 770-537-3747

Meetings Friday 6:00pm

Cobb Vineyard Church

3206 Old 41 Highway

Kennesaw, GA 30144

Contact: Chris Madden 678-469-0755

Meetings Friday 7:00pm

Ephesus Baptist Church

8445 Ephesus Church Road

Villa Rica, GA 30180

Contact: Ann Guider 770-330-5384

Meets Friday 7:00pm

First Baptist Church (Rockmart)

311 East Elm ST.

Rockmart, GA 30153

Contact: Skip Sproull 770-830-6638

Meetings Monday 7:00pm

First Christian Church

306 College Street

Carrollton, GA 30117

Contact: Billy & Cyndi Ressler 770-830-6638

Meetings Friday 6:30pm

Hiram First Baptist Church

4211 Hiram Sudie Rd.

Hiram, GA 30141

Contact: Tom Payne 404-312-2626

Meetings Monday 6:00pm

Legacy Baptist Church

2976 Dallas-Acworth Highway

Dallas, GA 3.132

Contact: Jim Yearwood 770-315-4071

Meetings Sunday 6:00pm

Lost Mountain Baptist Church

5400 Old Dallas Rd

Powder Springs, GA 30127

Meetings Tuesday 7:00pm

Celebrate Recovery (con't)

McEachern Memorial UMC
4075 Macland Rd
Powder Springs, GA 30127
Contact: Office 770-943-3008 x 5001

Pleasant Grove Baptist Church
1167 Angham Road
Hiram, GA 30141
Contact: Keith Hallman 770-222-1958
Meetings Thursday 6:00pm

Southern Hills Christian Church
1103 North Highway 113
Carrollton, GA 30117 Contact:
Jay Watts 770-832-1446 Meetings Saturday 10:00am

Child Support Enforcement

www.ocse.dhr.georgia.gov/portal/site

1387 Industrial Blvd. North
Dallas, GA 30157
P.O. 799
Dallas, GA 30132

Phone: 1-877-GA DHS GO (1-877-423-4746) **Fax:** 770-443-7888 Monday—Friday 8:00am - 5:00pm

Offers services to establish paternity; obtain orders for child support and medical insurance and enforces existing court orders for child support and insurance.

D.A.N.N.Y Center

www.dannycenter.org

6453 Spring Street
Douglasville, GA 30134
678-264-5519 **Fax:** 678-264-5519

The D.A.N.N.Y. Center organization serves as a centralized resource which provides evidenced based diversion and parenting programs to children and family members of the community.

Easter Seals of North Georgia

www.northgeorgia.easterseals.com/

5600 Roswell Road, Prado N. Suite 100
Atlanta, Ga. 30342
404-943-1070 **Fax:** 404-943-0890

Provides rehabilitative care and treatment, inclusive child care program, an early intervention program, referrals and information placement

Family Alliance of Paulding

Meth Alliance Paulding

Welcome Home Visitation Center

Paulding Community Support Partners

www.familyallianceofpaulding.org

P.O. Box 1088
Hiram, GA 30141

Drug Prevention Education Info: 678-202-5777 x 100

Welcome Home Center: 678-202-5777 x 101

PCSP: 678-202-5777 x 103

Main Phone: 678-202-5777 **Fax:** 678-202-5776

To schedule your free Drug Prevention 101/Drug Endangered Children educational seminar, contact Linda Verscharen 678-202-5777 x 100 or lindav883@comcast.net. For information regarding the Welcome Home Center for Supervised Family Visitation or for information about Parenting & Life Skills classes send an email to: visitation@familyallianceofpaulding.org or call 678-202-5777 x 101. For information about Paulding Community Support Partners send email to: pcsp@familyallianceofpaulding.org or call 678-202-5777 x 103.

Foster Parent Association of Paulding

Phone: 678-202-5777 x 102

Contact for meeting dates and times.

Georgia Center for Resources & Support (serving Adoptive Families)

www.gacrs.org

1105 W. Peachtree Street

Atlanta, GA 30309

404-929-0401 **Fax:** 404-929-0405

The mission of The Georgia Center for Resources and Support is "to establish a seamless, comprehensive support network of post placement services to strengthen adoptive and foster families throughout Georgia"

KCI Kids

<http://thefriendlyenemy.org/>

P.O. Box 165

Dallas, GA 30132

770-380-5555

The Friendly Enemy – Adult, Adolescent and Children’s Workbooks and Workshops bringing awareness and prevention to child abuse and exploitation – Download these books FREE of Charge

Learning Disabilities Association of Georgia

www.ldag.org

4105 Briarcliff Road, NE Suite 3

Atlanta, GA 30345

Information, referral, membership, conference & general questions: **Email:** LDAofGeorgia@gmail.com

Provides information and referrals, support group information and advocacy for people with learning-disabilities and their families

L.I.P.T (Local Interagency Planning Team)

Paulding County Juvenile Court

280 Constitution Blvd.

Dallas, Georgia 30132

Contact the *Coordinator of Treatment Services* for referral forms

Phone: 678- 224-4254 direct line **Main Phone: 770-443-7532**

LIPT is a collaborative team of local service and support agencies that bring many years of experience working with families and youth together to brainstorm **with** families to help identify needs and overcome challenges. The goal is to meet the needs of all families and youth within the community who are working to locate resources to help with emotional, mental and social challenges to help children succeed in school and into their adult life. **Free and voluntary just call for referral forms.**

N.A.M.I (National Alliance on Mental Illness)

3 Central Plaza, Box 317

Rome, GA 30161

NAMI Rome www.namirome.org

Phone: 706-506-5010

NAMI is a national alliance on mental illness focusing on three cornerstones: Support; Education; Advocacy. Contact for further information.

NAMI National www.nami.org

Information Helpline: 1-800-950-NAMI (6264)

NAMI Georgia www.namiga.org

Phone: 1-800-728-1052

Paulding Child Advocacy Center

P.O. Box 703

Dallas, Georgia 30132

Phone: 678- 363-7234 **Fax:** 678-363-7616

When there are allegations of abuse, PCAC works with local law enforcement and DFCS to provide intervention with a child-friendly atmosphere to interview the child and connect the family with local resources and services; PCAC facilitates weekly multi-disciplinary team meetings to aid all agencies involved in delivering effective services.

Paulding Crimes Against Children

1387 Industrial Blvd N Suite 103

Dallas, GA 30132

Phone: 770-445-6105 **Fax:** 770-445-8136

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

The Crimes Against Children Unit falls under the Juvenile Division and began operations as a separate unit in September 2006. The Crimes Against Children Unit specializes in crimes committed against children such as sexual and physical abuse.

Paulding Pregnancy Services, Inc

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

1899 Lake Road, Suite 120

Hiram, GA 30141

Phone: 770-222-6911 **Fax:** 770-222-6912 **24-hour help line:** 1.800.395.HELP (4357)

Hours: Monday—Friday 9:00am to 1:00pm **Email:** pps44@bellsouth.net

Offers FREE and confidential pregnancy testing and peer counseling; Education regarding pregnancy options, sexual integrity, adoption and abortion; medical, financial and adoption referrals; ALL SERVICES ARE FREE OF CHARGE

Renew You Personal Growth Center – Certified FVIP (Family Violence Intervention Program)

www.renewyoupgc.com

Email: mplotner@renewyoupgc.com

1035 Merchants Drive, Suite B

Dallas, GA 30132

Phone: 470-345-5243

Social Services organization providing a certified FVIP (Family Violence Intervention Program)

Ser Familia – social services program for Latino families

www.ser-familia.org

PO Box 146 – 209 Northridge Dr.

Acworth, GA 30101

Phone: 678-363-3079 **Email:** info@serfam.org

Provides social services programs for Latino families in Georgia

S.H.A.R.E. House – Family Violence Crisis Center

www.sharehousedouglas.org/

P. O. Box 723

Douglasville, GA 30133

770-949-0626 **Fax:** 770-947-7771 **24 hour crisis line** 770-489-7513

This agency provides women and children with a 24 hour emergency shelter, a transitional apartment, legal assistance and advocacy, children's programs, DV counseling, support groups, emergency food, clothing and community education services

Shepherd's Rest Ministries-Battered Women's Shelter

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

Post office Box 737

Dallas, GA 30132

24 hrs a day, seven days a week: 770-443-5213 Fax: 770-443-9795

Email: srminc1@bellsouth.net Monday—Friday 9:00am to 6:00pm

Emergency food, clothing, and shelter; Individual advocacy, legal advocacy; Weekly in-house support groups on a variety of subjects; Groups for youth aged 7 and up; Medical Screenings, Assistance with school enrollment; Outside referrals for counseling, housing, day care, and local community advocacy

United Way DIAL 211 for the Community Connection Line

www.unitedwayatlanta.org

995 Roswell Street, Suite 338

Marietta, GA 30060

Dial: **211** or 404-614-1000 **Administrative Phone Number: 678-623-2883**

United Way 211 is a multi-lingual, 24 hour a day, 7 days a week, community connection line. Providing resource information throughout the state of Georgia.

Sex Trafficking Information and Prevention

www.gacares.org **Phone: 404-602-0068** 24-hour hotline

Tallatoona Community Action Partnership

<http://www.tallatoonacap.org/index.cfm>

Corporate Office

P.O. Box 1480, 202 S Erwin Street

Cartersville, GA 30120 **Phone: (678) 721-9391 Fax: (678) 721-9396**

Assists with emergency utilities, rent, surplus food and winter energy assistance programs. Clients are seen by appointment and drop-ins. All services are FREE.

Early Education/Childcare

Bright from the Start

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

2 Martin Luther King Jr. Drive SE, 754 East Tower

Atlanta, Georgia 30334

404-656-5957

1-888-442-7735

Bright from the Start oversees a wide range of programs focused primarily on children ages birth to school age and their families.

Ivy Hall Day School

<http://ivyhalldayschool.com>

4860 East Paulding Drive

Dallas, GA 30157

Phone: 770-443-5055 **email:** ivyhalldallas@yahoo.com

Daycare 6 weeks – 12 years; Faith based; Georgia Pre-K programs

3375 Florence Road

Powder Springs, GA 30127

Phone: 770-943-3558

Quality Childcare for Children

Childcare for Children Resource & Referral of Northwest Georgia

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

877-255-4254 or search online 877.ALL.GA.KIDS **summer camp search:** www.allgacamps.org

Services are available in Spanish.

Provides parents, providers and the general public with answers about child care; Offers referrals for parents seeking childcare, before and after school programs and summer camps; On-site technical assistance for children with special needs, individual quality improvement plans and assistance in opening and operating family childcare homes

Tallatoona Early Childhood Development Centers

www.tallatoonacap.org

Headstart (2 locations)

Hiram Location:

Paulding Head Start @ YMCA

55 Hiram Drive

Hiram, GA 30141

678-626-0500

Fax: 678-626-0117

Dallas Location:

Paulding Head Start @ Chattahoochee Tech

400 Nathan Dean Blvd.

Dallas, GA 30132

770-443-3615

Fax: 770-443-3621

Head Start is a FREE comprehensive preschool for eligible 3/4 year old children who live in Paulding County, provides monthly parent meetings, training, family support, nutritional meals/snacks; Offers Georgia Pre-Kindergarten classes for 4 year olds.

YMCA Paulding Early Childhood Development Academy

55 Hiram Drive

Hiram, GA 30141

Phone: 678-626-0500 **Fax:** 678-626-0117

Hours: 6:30am – 6:30pm

Age range: Infant, Toddler, Pre-school, School-age

Education

Adult Education Programs – GED/ESL classes

<http://www.cobbk12.org/adulted/>

11 Court House Square
Dallas, GA 30132

Phone: 770-443-1660 **Fax:** 770-443-6320

Call or Visit website for current registration/class information. This website contains Cobb and Paulding GED information.

Chattahoochee Technical College – Paulding Campus

<http://chattahoocheetech5-px.rtrk5.com/contact-us/office-hours/>

400 Nathan Dean Blvd.
Dallas, GA 30132-4913

Main Line: 770-884-4738

Call or Visit website for additional information.

Kennesaw State University/Georgia Highlands College

www.kennesaw.edu/paulding

25 Courthouse Square
Dallas, GA 30132-4132

www.highlands.edu busoffice@highlands.edu

Kennesaw State University began offering classes in Paulding County in 2010, in partnership with Georgia Highlands College. Since that time, students have discovered that the Paulding Site is KSU's best-kept secret, featuring smaller class sizes, friendly faculty and an easily accessible campus. Students who live in or near Paulding County can take classes in Dallas while saving money on student fees, meal plans and gas! Stop by to find out why we want to be your Kennesaw State University campus close to home!

Northwest Georgia RESA (Regional Educational Service Agency)

www.nwgaresa.com

3167 Cedartown Hwy SE

Rome, GA 30161 **Phone:** 706-295-6189 **Fax:** 706-295-6098

Paulding County School District Office

www.paulding.k12.ga.us

3236 Atlanta Hwy
Dallas, GA 30132

Main Line: 770-443-8000 **Fax:** 770-443-8089

Paulding Literacy Council

The Paulding Literacy Council helps adults improve their reading and writing skills using an internationally acclaimed reading program that helps them see immediate results

Email **Pauldingliteracy@att.net** or call 770-974-5531 for additional information.

Food/Clothing/Furniture/Household Items/Financial Assistance

Been, The

551 Hardee Street

Dallas, GA 30132

770-443-7490 Monday-Saturday 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM

Provides clothing and some household items for low income families for a nominal fee; assists with medical/dental expenses up to \$100 per year; helps at Christmas by providing up to \$100 per family for food

Bethany Christian Church

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

3264 Villa Rica Hwy

Dallas, GA 30157

770-445-3181

Provides food on a walk-in basis and every 4th Thursday from 11am until 2pm - a food truck will distribute food; limited financial assistance depending on church finances – walk-ins up to \$50 once per year, members will probably receive a higher amount. Help for families at Christmas depending on resources.

CAYA (Come As You Are) Reconciliation Ministries

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

445 Paulding Lane

Dallas, GA 30132

770-445-9303

email: info@cayaministries.com

CAYA food pantry is open on Tuesday & Friday 10:00-12:30. Food for families or individuals is provided once per month. Available food includes canned and dry goods, bread and pastries, and meat and produce when available. Financial assistance is available when funds are available. All financial assistance applications must be made in person during our pantry hours. Our summer lunch program provides sack lunches Monday-Friday during the summer for kids in and around Dallas who would normally receive a free lunch during the school year. We also have a clothing closet, furniture and household items. Additionally we provide family and spiritual counseling by appointment or referral, Bible studies, and Thanksgiving and Christmas meal bags for individuals and families needing assistance during the holidays.

Dallas First Methodist

141 E Memorial Drive

Dallas, GA 30132

770-445-2509 Food Pantry Thursday 9:00am – 11:30am

Provides help for Paulding County residents with utility bills depending on pastor's discretion & availability of funds; limited to \$100 provided that client can pay remaining portion of bill. Help with Christmas if funds available. Once a year food distribution with no required verification. Restrictions/requirements; verification required; Paulding County residents only.

Fortified Hills Baptist Church

<https://fortifiedhills.com/>

4705 E Paulding Drive

Dallas, GA 30157

Main phone: 678-363-7267

Provides weekly food & clothing give away called "Bread of Life" each Thursday from 5pm to 7pm. People should begin to arrive around 5pm, check in and receive 'bucks' to shop the clothing close. Everyone must be registered by 6:15pm and attend the mandatory 6:15 service. After the completion of the service, the bags of food are distributed. One time assistance with past due utility bills up to \$100.

Helping Hands of Paulding County (Food Pantry)

www.helpinghandspauldingga.org

228 Spring Street

Dallas, GA 30132

770-443-1230 Fax: 770-443-1277 Monday – Friday 10:00 AM – 2:00 PM

Provides food for qualifying families or individuals up to twelve (12) times per calendar year (minimum of 7 days between visits and only once per month). In addition, provide perishable food items such as bread, pastries, and produce as we have available (minimum of 7 days between visits for perishable foods). Client file must be complete and meet all guidelines before any Financial, Clothing, or RX vouchers will be given.

Hiram United Methodist Church (Food Pantry & Clothes Closet)

<http://hiramfirstumc.org/>

324 Hiram Douglasville Hwy Mailing Address: P.O. Box 987

Hiram, GA 30141

Hiram, GA 30141

Phone: 770-943-1738 **Email:** hfumcoffice@gmail.com

Mobile food pantry, Food and clothes closet – contact for mobile food date and food/clothes closet hours.

Light House Food Pantry

294 W I Pkwy

Dallas, GA 30132

Phone: 678-363-7470 **Every** Monday & Thursday – 10:00AM – 12:00(NOON) & Friday 6:30AM – 8:00PM

Same on holidays (the exception to this would be during inclement weather when travel is unsafe, then the office will be closed). Recipients need to bring: photo ID for every adult in house; proof of address (a bill no older than 30 days). Eligible recipients may receive a box of food once every 30 days but you may come and receive bread, sweets & miscellaneous items each day as supplies last.

Must Ministries

www.mustministries.org

55 Elizabeth Church Road mailing address: P.O. Box 1717

Marietta, GA 30060

Marietta, GA 30061

Phone: 770-427-9862 **Fax:** 770-423-0446 **Office Hours:** Monday – Friday 8:30 AM – 5:00 PM

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

Patriot Foods 341

www.patriotfood341.com

P.O. Box 609

Winston, GA 30157

678-577-0571 Contact: David Moore dmmore@patriotfood341.com for more information and how to volunteer to help serve

Food, Resources for Veterans and Homeless

Pickett's Mill Baptist Church

www.pmbchurch.net

7147 Hiram Acworth Hwy

Dallas, GA 30157

770-423-0955 Assistance Hours: Tuesday & Thursday 10:00am to 12:00 noon

May provide assistance for housing, utilities, past due bills. The address on the driver's license must match the address on the past due bill.

The Thrift Store

740 Paulding Plaza

Dallas, GA 30132

Phone: 770-505-7707 **Fax:** 770-443-5535 **Hours:** Monday – Saturday 10:00 am to 6:00 pm

The store provides quality used clothing and household goods to families for a minimal cost.

St. Vincent De Paul Thrift Store

www.svdpatl.org

651 West Memorial Drive

Dallas, GA 30132

Phone: 770-443-1537 **Hours:** Monday - Saturday 9:00am to 5:00pm

Provides clothing and household items at a minimal charge

Victory Thrift

3083 Atlanta Hwy

Dallas, GA 30132

Phone: 770-712-1782 **Hours:** Tuesday-Friday 10am-5pm Saturday 10-4

100% of Victory Thrift sales supports the Victory Valley Rescue Ranch Ladies Drug Addiction Recovery Home.

Donations: clothes, home décor, furniture, books & games accepted. Call to schedule a pick-up.

Warehouse of Hope (Food, clothing, household products)

<http://warehouseofhope.squarespace.com/>

100 Hunter Road

Douglasville, Georgia 30134-4648

Call prior to initial visit: 770-489-0509 **Fax:** 770-489-5356

Find us on Facebook or email: efinger1215@gmail.com

Hours for members only: Tuesday – Thursday 9:00am to 2:00pm 1:45pm & 4:30pm to 7:45pm.

Orientation required for first time guests by appointment only. Appointments can be made by calling 770-489-0509.

Help is available on a weekly basis for food, clothing, toiletry items, baby & adult diapers.

West Metro Church of Christ

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

4550 Hiram Sudie Road

Hiram, GA 30141

Phone: 770-222-4983

Call for hours and additional information.

Types of assistance: Food, past due bills, housing.

Restrictions/requirements: Must be a resident of Paulding County. Payment of past due bills and housing is decided on a person by person basis based on the situation. The FOOD pantry is always open for a bag of non-perishable items and toiletries.

Health/Medical/Dental

Amerigroup Community Care

www.myamerigroup.com

303 Perimeter Center North

Atlanta, GA 30346

1-800-600-4441

Services for children on Medicaid & PeachCare for Kids

Babies Can't Wait

<http://dph.georgia.gov/Babies-Cant-Wait>

State Office:

2 Peachtree St NW, 11th Floor

Atlanta, GA 30303

Phone: 404-657-2850 or 888-651-2884

Provides therapies and evaluations for children with significant developmental delay birth-3 years. Seen by appointment only. Developmental evaluation at no cost to families to determine whether children are eligible for services. Services are billed on a sliding fee basis.

Statewide Directory: (Parent2Parent)

800-229-2038

770-451-5484 (Atlanta)

Children 1st

<https://dph.georgia.gov/children1st>

Comprehensive Child Health Services

2 Peachtree Street, NW

Atlanta, GA 30303

Phone: 404-657-2850 **Call in a referral:** 1-800-707-8277

Paulding County Health Department

451 Jimmy Campbell Pkwy

Dallas, GA 30132

Phone: 770-443-7881

This system helps parents provide their young children with a healthy start in life. It allows at-risk children to be identified early and gives them a chance to grow up healthy and ready for school. Participation is voluntary and there are no financial requirements for enrollment into the program.

Children's Health Care of Atlanta

www.choa.org

Children's at Eggleston

1405 Clifton Road NE

Atlanta, GA 30322

404-785-KIDS (5437)

Children's at Hughes Spalding

35 Jesse Hill Jr. Drive SE

Atlanta, GA 30303

404-785-KIDS (5437)

Children's at Town Center

625 Big Shanty Road NW

Kennesaw, GA 30144-6812

404-785-KIDS (5437)

Children's at Forsyth

410 Peachtree Pkwy.

Cumming, GA 30041-7407

404-785-KIDS (5437)

Children's at Scottish Rite

1001 Johnson Ferry Road NE

Atlanta, GA 30342

404-785-KIDS (5437)

Children's at North Point

3795 Mansell Rd.

Alpharetta, GA 30022-8247

404-785-KIDS (5437)

Children's at Hudson Bridge

1510 Hudson Bridge Rd.

Stockbridge, GA 30281-5020

404-785-KIDS (5437)

Children's at Satellite Boulevard

2660 Satellite Boulevard

Duluth, GA 30096-5803

404-785-KIDS (5437)

County Dental Providers

457 Nathan Dean Blvd

Suite 109

Dallas, GA 30132

Phone: 770-443-8411 **Fax:** 770-443-8985

Provides discounted services for county employees, meets special needs of school children – call for additional information.

East Paulding Pediatric Center

<http://www.wellstar.org/locations/pages/practice-detail.aspx?lid=988c20d6-ea5c-40ca-b32b-8affef606bfe>

Wellstar Medical Group

51 Hiram Dr. Building B

Hiram, GA 30141

Phone: 678-945-8300 **Fax:** 770-445-2060

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

Georgia Lions Lighthouse Foundation – Vision/Hearing

<https://lionslighthouse.org/>

5582 Peachtree Road

Atlanta, GA 30341

Ph: 404-325-3630 **Fax:** 404-636-5549 **E-mail:** satmore@lionslighthouse.org

Vision and hearing services are provided for the needy throughout the state

Paulding County Health Department

www.nwgapublichealth.org

451 Jimmy Campbell Parkway

Dallas, GA 30132

Phone: 770-443-7881 **Fax:** 770-443-7885

WIC: 770-443-7900

Monday - Wednesday 7:30am to 5:00pm

Thursday 7:30am to 6:30pm & Friday 7:30am to 1:30pm Walk-ins accepted each morning at 7:30am

Services Offered:

- Immunizations (children, adults and GA Form 3231)
- WIC (Pregnant women, infants, and children), Nutritional counseling and education
- Pregnancy testing and referrals
- STD screening, treatment, and counseling
- Family planning/Women's Wellness
- HIV screening and counseling, and coordination of care
- TB screening, treatment, X-ray and follow-up
- BCCP (Breast and Cervical Cancer Program) – pap smears and mammogram referrals
- Prenatal-Presumptive Medicaid, and Pregnancy Case Management services
- Child Health and Head Start Physicals
- General infant and child labs
- School hearing, vision, dental, and nutrition screening (GA Form 3300)
- Children Medical Service and Children 1st screenings, referrals, and resources
- Work with schools, day care, local physicians to control all communicable diseases
- Safe Kids Georgia – car seat assessments, instructions, and classes
- Early Hearing Detection Intervention (0-3months)

Payment accepted: cash and credit cards. Insurances accepted for some/most services: Medicaid, Medicare, BCBS GA, Cigna, and Aetna. A sliding scale for payment is available for some services, while there are flat fees for other services. Donations are accepted.

Environmental Health

240 Constitution Blvd., Suite 1A

Dallas, GA 30132

Phone: 770-443-7877

Paulding Pediatric ER

Wellstar Paulding Hospital
146 Bill Carruth Parkway
Hiram, GA 30141
Phone: 470-644-7131

PeachCare for Kids

<https://dch.georgia.gov/peachcare-kids>

Phone: 1-877-GA-Peach

PeachCare for Kids™ is a comprehensive health care program for uninsured children ages 18 and under living in Georgia. The health benefits include primary, preventive, specialist, dental care and vision care. PeachCare for Kids™ also covers hospitalization, emergency room services, prescription medications and mental health care. Each child in the program has a Georgia Healthy Families Care Management Organization (CMO) who is responsible for coordinating the child's care. Amerigroup, Wellcare and Peachstate are the three CMO programs

Poison Control

www.georgiapoisoncenter.org

Hughes Spalding Children's Hospital
Grady Health System
80 Jesse Hill Jr. Drive, SE
PO Box 26066
Atlanta, Georgia 30303-3801

Phone: 404-616-9000 **Educational Information:** 404-616-9235

Emergency Phone Number: 1-800-222-1222

24-hour poison emergency treatment; information services for human and animal poisonings and first aid

Primary Health Care Center – Offers a Sliding Scale Program for Uninsured

118 E Girard Ave.

Cedartown, GA 30125

Phone: 678-246-5174 **Hours:** 8:30 – 5:00 Monday – Friday

Must fill out sliding scale application and provide proof of monthly income. Application provided at front office. Contact office for additional information.

Right from the Start Medicaid (RSM)

<http://dfcs.dhs.georgia.gov/right-start-medicaid-program>

Phone: 1-800-809-7276

The Right from the Start Medicaid (RSM) Outreach Project provides access to affordable comprehensive health care coverage to working families for children and pregnant women.

Wellstar Hospitals (multiple locations)

www.wellstar.org

Wellstar Cobb Hospital

3950 Austell Road

Austell, Georgia 30106

Phone: 770.732.4000 *Gift Shop:* 770.732.3606

Wellstar Kennestone Hospital

677 Church Street

Marietta, Georgia 30060

Phone: 770.793.5000 *Gift Shop:* 770.793.5169

Radiation Oncology Center: 770.505.3855

Wellstar Douglas Hospital

8954 Hospital Drive

Douglasville, GA 30134

Phone: 770.949.1500 *Gift Shop:* 770.920.3280

WellStar Paulding Hospital

146 Bill Carruth Parkway

Hiram, GA 30141

Phone: 470.644.7000

See website for additional listings.

Veteran's Crisis Line – 1-800-273-8255 press 1
www.va.gov/directory

Housing/Shelter

Action Ministries - Housing

1-888-206-7372

Assistance to veterans and their families in need of a home - temporary financial assistance MAY include: rental assistance, utility payments, security payments and/or moving costs

Cedartown Housing Authority

344 West Ave.

Cedartown, GA 30125

770-748-1650

Dallas Housing Authority

434 Paulding Lane

PO Box 74

Dallas, GA 30132

770-445-3758 **Fax:** 770-445-0889

Housing to low and very low income families; Applications are taken by appointment only

Dallas Manor Apartments

350 Paulding Lane

Dallas, GA 30132

770-445-5059

Rental costs based on income

Douglas County Homeless Shelter

1755 Sandy Lane

Douglasville, GA 30134

770-949-4911 **Fax:** 770-577-6374 Office Hours: Monday-Friday 9:00 am – 2:00 pm

Serving mothers with children – boys up to age 13

Good Neighbor Homeless Shelter

110 Porter Street

Cartersville, GA 30120

Email: director@goodneighborshelter.org

770-607-0610 **Fax:** 770-607-0726

Merchants Court Apartments

1068 Merchants Drive

Dallas, GA 30132

678-363-0965

Affordable housing providing income based programs

Must Ministries

www.mustministries.org

55 Elizabeth Church Road mailing address: P.O. Box 1717

Marietta, GA 30060

Marietta, GA 30061

770-427-9862 **Fax:** 770-423-0446 Office open Monday – Friday 8:30 AM – 5:00 PM

Service Centers in Marietta, Smyrna and Cherokee provide housing information and possible emergency shelter

S.H.A.R.E. House – Family Violence Crisis Center

www.sharehousedouglas.org/

P. O. Box 723

Douglasville, GA 30133

770-949-0626 **Fax:** 770-947-7771 **24 hour crisis line** 770-489-7513

This agency provides women and children with a 24 hour emergency shelter, a transitional apartment, legal assistance and advocacy, children's programs, DV counseling, support groups, emergency food, clothing and community education services

Shepherd's Rest Ministries-Battered Women's Shelter

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

Post office Box 737

Dallas, GA 30132

24 hrs a day, seven days a week: 770-443-5213 **Fax:** 770-443-9795

Email: srminc1@bellsouth.net Monday—Friday 9:00am to 6:00pm

Emergency food, clothing, and shelter; Individual advocacy, legal advocacy; Weekly in-house support groups on a variety of subjects; Groups for youth aged 7 and up; Medical Screenings, Assistance with school enrollment; Outside referrals for counseling, housing, day care, and local community advocacy

Mental Health Providers

Anchor Hospital – Crisis Stabilization/Inpatient/Partial Inpatient Treatment Services

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

5454 Yorktowne Drive

Atlanta, Georgia 30349

Phone: 770-991-6044 or 1-866-667-8797

The Anchor Hospital campus of Southern Crescent Behavioral Health System is a 122-bed facility accredited by the Joint Commission that specializes in the treatment of behavioral health and addictive disease disorders for Adults and Older Adults. Anchor is situated two and one-half miles from Hartsfield-Jackson International Airport. Those seeking treatment for any program can obtain a free and confidential assessment with one of our mental health professionals by scheduling an appointment 24 hours, 7 days a week or simply walking into the facility. Contact for additional information and payment options.

Creative Interventions Inc. (CORE provider)

www.creativeinterventionsinc.com

3114 Cherokee St. Suite 209

Kennesaw, GA 30144

Phone: 770-627-3550 **Fax:** 678-401-8928

Monday – Friday 9:00 AM – 9:00 PM

A core services provider specializing in the preservation of the family, healing children, adolescents and adults through in-home family, individual therapy and community collaboration.

Accepted Insurance Plans: Aetna, Amerigroup, Blue Cross Blue Shield, Cigna, Humana, LifeSync, Medicaid, Peachstate, Tri-care (if your plan is not listed-contact office). Contact office for insurance verification.

Crescent Pines - Crisis Stabilization/Inpatient/Partial Inpatient Treatment Services

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

1000 Eagles Landing Parkway

Stockbridge, GA 30281

Free Assessments 24/7

Phone: 1-770-474-8888

Crescent Pines is a 50-bed behavioral health facility located just South of Metropolitan Atlanta, in Henry County, Georgia. Crescent Pines Hospital provides community based Behavioral Health and Addictive Disease treatment services to a diverse population. Contact for additional information, payment options and appointments.

Daily Healing Counseling Solutions, Inc.

www.dailyhealingcounselingsolutions.com

8330 Office Park Drive

Douglasville, GA 30134

770-577-1200

Serves: children, teens, adults & senior citizens. Services include but not limited to: behavior modification; psychological evaluations; parenting skills training; 24-hr crisis intervention; stress/emotional wellbeing; effective communication; managing emotions in a positive way; improving peer/sibling relationships; strengthening family relationships.

Devereux Georgia Treatment Network – Residential Treatment & more

http://www.devereux.org/site/PageServer?pagename=ga_about

1291 Stanley Road

Kennesaw, GA 30152

Phone: 800-342-3357 or 770-427-0147

Devereux is one of the nation's largest not-for-profit behavioral health organizations, giving Devereux Georgia access to national experts from across the country. Intensive residential treatment facility; depression, anger management, intellectual/developmental disabilities and much more.

Evergreen Counseling, LLC

Celeste Reichard, LPC

126 Enterprise Path, Suite 205

Hiram, GA 30141

770-634-8443 Fax: 404-920-8141 email: crtherapy@gmail.com

126 Enterprise Path, Suite 102, Hiram, GA 30141

This is a private practice offering individual and family therapy for children, teens and adults; art and play therapy for children.

Accepted Insurance Plans: Amerigroup, Blue Cross Blue Shield, Cenpatico (Peachstate), Cigna, Magellan Behavioral Health, WellCare, Tricare, self-pay (no sliding fee scale), contact for further details.

Focus Counseling & Training (CORE provider)

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

9876 Main Street, Suite 100

Woodstock, GA 30188

Phone: 770-516-1050 **Fax:** 770-516-1300

A CORE services provider; offers sliding scale rates for adults with no insurance or accepts families with no insurance and assign a fee based on ability to pay (from \$0 and upward based on household income). Contact for office hours and additional information.

Helping Hands Community Development Center, LLC (CORE provider)

<http://forahelpinghand.org/>

Millpointe Office Park

Enterprise Path

Hiram, GA 30141

Phone: 678-742-8995

Offers community based services for adults and children. A variety of mental health services; therapeutic after school and summer programs and a support group for military and their family. Free transportation is available for consumers with no access to transportation. Serving children 4-17 years of age, adults 18+. Types of payment: Medicare, Medicaid, Amerigroup, Peach State, Wellcare & self-pay.

Highland Rivers Behavioral Health Services (CORE provider)

www.highlandrivers.org

Paulding Outpatient

126 Enterprise Path

Suite 201

Hiram, GA 30141

Administrative Offices

1401 Applewood Dr., Suite 5

Dalton, GA 30720

Phone: 706-270-5000 (1st time appts/cancel appts) **Fax:** 706-270-5124

Phone: 678-567-0920 **Fax:** 678-567-0950 **Email:** info@highlandrivers.org

Office Hours: Monday through Thursday 8:00 am – 5:00 pm some extended hours for community based services

A CORE services provider offering Addictive Diseases Outpatient services; Community Supports – Adult, Child & Adolescent; Mental Health Outpatient Services – Adult, Child & Adolescent. Fees are based on a sliding scale, Medicaid, Medicare & most private insurance accepted

Hillside – Residential treatment & more

<https://hside.org/>

690 Courtenay Drive, NE

Atlanta, GA 30306

Phone: 404-875-4551

Provides residential and community mental health services. Programs focus on the strengths of kids and encourage the growth and improvement they need to navigate through life. Hillside provides specialized cutting edge behavioral treatment and education to children and their families. Contact for payment options and other information.

Laurel Heights – Residential Treatment & more

<http://www.laurelheightshospital.com/contact-us/>

934 Briarcliff Rd., NE

Atlanta, GA 30306

Main Hospital Phone: 404-888-7860 **Admissions Line:** 404-888-5475 **Fax:** 404-888-6000

Residential treatment programs, a specialty inpatient acute program, and therapeutic foster care.

Simply call our Admissions Department at 404.888.5475, 24 hours a day. We are here to help.

Contact for payment options and insurance coverage.

Laurelwood/NEGA Health System - Crisis Stabilization/Inpatient/Partial Inpatient Treatment Services

<http://www.nghs.com/mental-health-services>

Braselton Location

1400 River Place

Braselton, GA 30517

Phone: 770-848-8000

Gainesville Location

743 Spring Street

Gainesville, GA 30501

Phone: 770-219-9000

Laurelwood is part of Northeast Georgia Medical Center and is conveniently located on the Medical Center's campus in Gainesville. A 54-bed facility, Laurelwood is the region's largest private, not-for-profit, free-standing hospital dedicated to the stabilization and treatment of individuals with mental illness and/or substance abuse.

Lighthouse Care Center – Residential Treatment & more

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

3100 Perimeter Parkway

Augusta, GA 30909

Main Phone: 706-651-0005 **Admissions Line:** 706-396-2909 **Fax:** 706-396-2957

Lighthouse Care Center, located in Augusta, Georgia, provides high quality, mental health services to children and adolescents.

Specialized treatment services are provided by a multidisciplinary team of highly trained physicians, psychologists, social workers, addiction counselors, nurses, child and adolescent certified psychiatrists, and activity coordinators. Contact for appointment, payment and insurance information.

Lookout Mountain Care Management Entity

<http://lmcme.org/>

Phone: 706-806-1260 **Fax:** 706-806-1109

Lookout Mountain CME (LM CME) is an organizational entity, which is funded by the Georgia Department of Behavioral Health and Developmental Disabilities, to coordinate care for youth with complex behavioral health challenges and who are involved with multiple systems. Referrals are accepted on our website under the "Referral" tab.

McKenna Farms Horse Therapy

www.mckennafarmstherapy.org

3044 Due West Road

Dallas, GA 30157

Phone: 770-443-9672 **Fax:** 770-505-3595 **Email:** info@mckennafarmstherapy.org

A non-profit that provides therapy services to individuals with special needs in Northwest Georgia.

Murphy Harpst – Residential Treatment & more

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

740 Fletcher Street

Cedartown, GA 30125

Phone: 770-748-1500 **Fax:** 770-749-1094

Programs provide round-the-clock therapeutic care that enables children to heal and recover so that they can re-engage with society and lead productive lives. Contact for appointments and payment options.

Paulding Enterprises

P.O. Box 507

110 Stadium Dr.

Dallas, GA 30132

Phone: 770-445-6051 **Fax:** 770-443-2374 **Monday-Friday 8:30 am to 2:30 pm**

Provides day service programs that serve adults over 21 with diagnoses of developmental disabilities and mental retardation; Enrollment to Paulding Enterprises is based on the availability of space and funding for the specific services needed.

Peachford Hospital - Crisis Stabilization/Inpatient/Partial Inpatient Treatment Services

<http://peachford.com/>

2151 Peachford Road

Atlanta, GA 30338

Phone: 770-445-3200 **Assessments:** 770-454-2302

Peachford Hospital is a newly renovated, inpatient, acute care facility, offering partial hospitalization and intensive outpatient programs. No-cost assessments via walk-in appointments or scheduled referrals, 24 hours a day. Contact us at 770-454-2302.

PlayTime – A Therapy Center

www.playtimeatc.com

8330 Office Park Drive

Douglasville, GA 30134

678-871-PLAY (7529)

Serves: children, teens & tweens. In addition to talking use play, art, games, music and more.

The Potter's Clinic

www.thepottersclinic.com

Hiram Location:

5604 Wendy Bagwell Pkwy

Hiram, GA 30141

Phone: 770-439-3070 **Fax:** 770-439-3071

Villa Rica Location:

307 Old Stone Rd.

Villa Rica, GA 30180

Phone: 770-459-8799 **Fax:** 770-459-8919

Individual and group counseling and medication management; Autism and ADHD services; Addiction services; Court ordered anger management testing; Court ordered drug assessment; Computerized ADHD/ADD testing – ages 6-65

Premiere Transitional Services Inc (CORE provider)

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

Paulding Office

44 Darby's Crossing Dr.

Suite 110D

Hiram, GA 30141

Phone: 678-638-6610 **Fax:** 1-888-662-5262

Main Office

3330 Cumberland Blvd.

Suite 500

Atlanta, GA 30339

Payment Options: Accepts Amerigroup for CORE clients; contact for further payment options.

Services: Substance Abuse Groups; Anger Management Groups.

Ravens Nest Foundation, INC

www.ravensnestinc.org

1264 Concord Rd., suite 106

Smyrna, GA 30080

Phone: 888-975-3816 **Crisis Hotline:** 678-361-9754 **Fax:** 770-874-3239 **Email:** info@ravensnestinc.org

Hours: Monday – Friday 8:00am – 5:00pm **Saturday:** By appointment only

Payment Options: Aetna, Amerigroup, Peachstate, Tri-Care, United Health Care, Wellcare

Services: Assessments; Individual, Family, Group Counseling; Anger Management; Substance Abuse Programs; Marriage; Family Counseling; Wrap Around Services; Intensive Family Intervention; In-home services. Contact for additional information.

Ridgeview Institute - Crisis Stabilization/Inpatient/Partial Inpatient Treatment Services

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

3995 South Cobb Drive

Smyrna, Georgia 30080

Phone: 770-434-4567 or 800- 329-9775

Ridgeview Institute, a private, not-for-profit hospital treating people with addiction or mental health problems, has earned a national reputation for care and service. Call for additional information, appointments and payment options.

RiverWoods Behavioral Health System - Crisis Stabilization/Inpatient/Partial Inpatient Tmt Services

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

223 Medical Center Drive

Riverdale, GA 30274

Phone: 855-214-9804

RiverWoods Behavioral Health System is a 75-bed, treatment center that offers a full spectrum of treatment options to address chemical dependency and behavioral health disorders. We are adjacent to the Southern Regional Medical Center campus in Atlanta (Riverdale) Georgia, convenient to Interstate 75, allowing for easy access throughout the state. Call for appointments, payments options and additional information.

SummitRidge Hospital - Crisis Stabilization/Inpatient/Partial Inpatient Treatment Services

<http://www.summitridgehospital.net/>

250 Scenic Hwy.

Lawrenceville, GA 30046

General Hospital Information: 678-442-5800 **Admission or assessment information:** 678-442-5858

SummitRidge offers free confidential assessments 24 hours a day. Our staff is available to respond to calls or walk in inquiries..

View Point Health Care Management Entity

<https://www.myviewpointhealth.org/care-management-entity.da>

Phone: 678-209-2390

Provides state funded High Fidelity Wraparound services to help support families who have a child with a primary behavioral health diagnosis.

Willowbrook at Tanner (CORE provider) – Crisis Stabilization

www.tanner.org/Main/WillowbrookeatTanner.aspx

20 Herrell Rd.

Villa Rica, 30180

Phone: 770-456-3266 **24-hour Help Line:** 770-836-9551 **Fax:** 770-456-3267

Payment Options: Medicaid, Peachcare, Private Insurance, Financial Assistance Programs Available

Services: Free confidential assessments to anyone seeking help with emotional, behavioral or substance abuse regardless of age, insurance coverage or financial situation. Services include child & adolescent programs, adult mental health & substance abuse and in home counseling service.

Youth Villages Inner Harbor Campus – Residential Treatment

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

4685 Dorsett Shoals Rd.

Douglasville, GA 30135

Phone: 770-852-6300 **Toll-free:** 800-255-8657 **Fax:** 770-852-6301

Youth Villages is a private nonprofit organization dedicated to helping emotionally and behaviorally troubled children and their families live successfully. We help more than 22,000 children and families each year from more than 20 states and Washington, D.C. Our Evidentiary Family Restoration® approach involves intensive work with the child and family, a focus on measuring outcomes, keeping children in the community whenever safely possible, and providing accountability to families and funders. The EFR approach produces lasting success for children with success rates twice that of traditional services at one-third the cost of traditional care. Contact for further information.

Miscellaneous Faith Based Community Services

Cultivadores Church

www.cultivadores.org

770-542-9089

Email: info@cultivadores.org

Provides free assistance with interpretation/translation to families and/or organizations (English-Spanish) by appointment.

Hope Church

www.placeofhope.org

1970 Marietta Highway

Dallas, GA 30157

770-505-8720

Contact church for resource information.

Oasis Family Life Church

www.oasisfamilylife.com

210 Paulding Lane

Dallas, GA 30132

770-445-9201

Vintage 242 Church

8492 Dallas-Acworth Hwy.

Suite 115

Dallas, GA 30157

<http://vintage242.com/contact-us>

678-383-2299 **Fax:** 678-383-2288

West Ridge Church

www.westridge.com

3522 Hiram Acworth Highway

Dallas, GA 30157

770-222-2125 **Fax:** 770-222-2128

Types of Assistance: Financial/referrals

Restrictions/Requirements: Help families financially in Paulding/Cobb County serving families one time in a calendar year up to \$150 on past due utilities; gas, electric or water and rent that is 30 days past due. Must come in and fill out an application. Once served clients must attend a budgeting class before being served again.

Youth Programs

Beautiful Legacy, Inc.

www.mybeautifullegacy.org

Phone: 678-861-3872- Call for session location, dates and times.

Beautiful Legacy is a nonprofit organization providing mentoring, leadership, life skills, and goal oriented programs and workshops for young women ages 8-22 in the Greater Atlanta area. Beautiful Legacy is an organization designed to provide young ladies with access to the resources and tools necessary to achieve social, spiritual, financial, emotional, and academic success. Our mission is to educate, equip, and empower young women to leave their own unique footprint. Beautiful Legacy strives to motivate, inspire, and challenge young women to achieve their highest potential while building an inheritance for the future. Beautiful Legacy offers young women an opportunity to work with a caring mentor to improve their ability to develop a positive attitude towards their future.

Boys and Girls Club of Paulding County

www.bgcma.org/club/paulding

335A Academy Drive

Dallas, GA 30132

Phone: 678-363-8570

Provides Paulding children aged 6-18 with youth development, recreational activities, afterschool programs, and a full-time summer program.

Boy Scouts of America, Atlanta Area Council

1800 Circle 75 Parkway SE

Atlanta, GA 30339

Phone: 770-989-8820 **Fax:** 770-956-5981 **Email:** ahardin@atlantabsa.org

Provides boys and young adult males an effective educational program designed to build desirable qualities of moral strength and character.

Beyond the Front Porch

www.beyondthefrontporch.org

info@beyondthefrontporch.org **Phone:** 404-408-6448

This organization has a dual mission 1) to bring back the experience of educational field trips to our school aged children 2) expose economically disadvantaged teens to non-traditional activities beyond their current surroundings. Beyond the Front Porch serves children of Douglas County and surrounding areas. Providing both mental and physical experiences to promote teamwork, critical thinking and leadership skills.

Girl Scouts of Greater Atlanta, Inc.

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

5601 North Allen Road

Mableton, GA 30126

Phone: 800-771-1139 (in state)- OR 770-702-9100 (out of state) **Fax:** (770) 702-9560

Hours: Monday – Friday 9:00 am to 5:00 pm Saturday 10:00-4:00

Hiram Ruritan Club

www.hiramruritanathletics.org

264 Oak Street

P.O. Box 563

Hiram, GA 30141

Phone: 404-316-5321 Youth football, baseball, track, cheerleading programs

Paulding Parks and Recreation

<http://www.paulding.gov/index.aspx?nid=170>

For information regarding all the programs and activities available for families and children at the various Paulding County parks call 770-445-8065 Monday – Friday 8:00am – 5:00pm

Pinnacle Developmental Services

www.pinnacledevelopmentalservices.com

P.O. Box 2032

Rome, GA 30164-2032

770-324-7190/706-346-7651

A mentoring program for children and teens 5-19 year old girls and boys.

Truth in Nature, Inc.

www.truthinnature.org

P.O. Box 1340

Douglasville, GA 30133

404-374-4228 jeff.davis@truthinnature.org

This is a single parent outdoor ministry for middle and high school boys. Single parent children can come from a multitude of backgrounds: death, divorce, unwed mothers, living with grandparents, and step parent, etc

Youth Challenge Academy – Georgia National Guard Youth ChalleNGe Program

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

8Fort Stewart, Hinesville GA & Fort Gordan, Augusta, GA

912-876-1723 tdow@fsyca.org This program is federally and state funded and is offered at no tuition to the student.

For at-risk teens ages 16 to 18. Applicants must be: Volunteers; unemployed or underemployed; drug free; not on parole or probation other than juvenile status offenses, not indicted or charged, and free of felony convictions or capital offenses.

State & Local Government Agencies

Drivers License Examinations & Department of Motor Vehicle Safety

<http://www.dds.ga.gov/locations/dllocations.aspx?csc=3>

1626 Rockmart Hwy.

Cedartown, GA 30125

770-749-2203 call 678-413-8400 for additional information

Hours: Tuesday – Friday 8:00 am – 6:00 pm

Georgia Department of Labor

www.gdol.ga.gov

19 Felton Place

Cartersville, GA 30120-2148

770-387-3760 **Fax:** 770-387-3766 **Hours:** Monday – Friday 8:00 am – 4:30 pm

Clients are assisted with finding employment and filing for unemployment benefits

Georgia State Patrol (Serves Haralson and Paulding County)

www.georgia.gov

Troop and Post Location

1723 Bill Carruth Pkwy.

Hiram, GA 30141

Communications Center

130 State Route 20 Spur

Cartersville, GA 30120 Phone: 770-387-3702

Georgia Vocational Rehabilitation Agency

www.gvra.ga.gov

101 Bainbridge Way, Suite 300

Dallas, GA 30132

Telephone (770) 443-3717 / Fax (770) 443-3733 – Hours 8:00 AM to 4:30 PM

Assists individuals with disabilities to obtain employment

Hiram Police Department

www.cityofhiramga.gov

217 Main St

Hiram, GA 30141

770-943-3087

Paulding County Animal Control and Shelter

<http://www.paulding.gov/index.aspx?NID=80>

779 Industrial Blvd N

Dallas, GA 30132

770-445-1511 **Shelter Hours:** Monday, Saturday & Sunday 11:00 am - 3:00 pm

Tuesday & Friday 2:00pm – 7:00pm

Closed Wednesdays, Thursdays and Holidays

Paulding County Marshal Bureau

<http://www.paulding.gov/index.aspx?NID=117>

240 Constitution Blvd.

Second floor

Dallas, GA 30132

Phone: 770-443-9768 **Fax:** 678-383-3371 **Hours:** Monday – Friday 8:00 am - 5:00 pm

Primarily, the Marshals Bureau enforces state criminal laws and local county ordinances, which are usually those ordinances dealing with: Business licensing; Quality of life issues (junk vehicles, litter, grass); The regulation of alcohol and vehicle-for-hire (taxi cab) licensing & The regulation of motorized cart registration.

Paulding County Board of Registrars, Voter Registration

<http://www.paulding.gov/index.aspx?nid=216>

240 Constitution Blvd 1st floor

Dallas, GA 30132

Phone: 770-443-7503 **Fax** 770-443-7548 Monday-Friday 8:00am to 5:00pm Closed 12:00 noon to 1pm

Paulding County Chamber of Commerce

www.pauldingchamber.org

455 Jimmy Campbell Parkway

Dallas, GA 30132

Phone: 770-445-6016 **Fax:** 770-445-3050

Monday—Thursday 8:30am to 5:00pm -- Friday 8:30 am to 4:00 pm

The chamber maintains an up to date business directory online. The chamber focuses on networking opportunities to help local businesses grow & to bring new businesses to Paulding County

Paulding County Department of Family and Children Services (DFCS)

<http://dhs.georgia.gov>

1387 Industrial Blvd North

Dallas, GA 30132-0168

Phone: 770-443-7810 **Fax:** 770-443-7820

To Report Child Maltreatment Call: 855-GA-CHILD or 855-422-4453

24 hrs a day 7 days a week

Services provided are Medicaid, food stamps and TANF; Offers protective services to children; Develops foster and adoptive homes.

Adoptive and Foster Care Inquiry Line: 1-877-210-KIDS (5437)

Orientations are held every 2nd and 4th Thursday of the month at the Paulding County DFCS Office. Foster Care is about *special people doing special things for children*. **There is a need for people in Paulding County, GA to provide a safe and nurturing environment for children in state custody. Call for more information.**

Paulding County Department of Juvenile Justice

<http://www.djj.state.ga.us/FacilityLocator/CountyOffice.asp>

Community Services Office

101 Bainbridge Way Suite 230

Dallas, GA 30132-4270

Phone: 770- 443-7855 **Fax:** 770- 443-7887 **Hours:** 7:30 am – 5:30 pm

DJJ provides supervision services for youth involved in the Juvenile Court System. DJJ protects & serves the citizens of Georgia by holding youth offenders accountable for their actions through the delivery of effective services in appropriate settings, establishing them in their communities as law abiding citizens

Paulding County Fire Department in Hiram

<http://www.paulding.gov>

535 Seaboard Ave

Hiram, GA 30141

Phone: 770-222-1160 **Fax:** 770-222-7131 **Hours:** Monday – Friday 8:00 am to 5:00 pm

Paulding County District Attorney's Office

www.pauldingda.com

Victim-Witness Assistance Program

280 Constitution Blvd

Room 2072

Dallas, GA 30132

Phone: 770-443-7561 **Fax:** 770-773-7538

Paulding County Extension Service

www.ugaextension.com/Paulding

530 W. Memorial Drive

Dallas, GA 30132

Phone: 770-443-7616 **Fax:** 770-505-1359 **Email:** uge2223@uga.edu

Hours: Monday-Friday 8:00 am to 5:00 pm Closed for lunch from 12:00 to 1:00

Provides information and training on home management, family and life skills; health, nutrition, food preparation (safety and preservation), parenting, child development and training for child care providers. Educational services are also available on lawn, garden, landscaping, insect control, water and soil testing.

Paulding County Library Services (multiple locations)

www.paulding.public.lib.ga.us

Main Library

1010 East Memorial Drive

Dallas, GA 30132

Phone: 770-445-5680

Monday—Thursday 9:00am to 7:00pm

Friday-Saturday 8:00am to 5:00pm

New Georgia Library

94 Ridge Road

Dallas, GA 30157

Phone: 770-459-8163

Monday—Thursday 10:00am to 7:00pm -- Friday & Saturday 9:00am to 5:00pm

Story time for infants and new mom's each Tuesday at 10:30am.

Preschool story time Wednesday 10:30am

Maude P. Ragsdale Library

1815 Hiram-Douglasville Hwy

Hiram, GA 30141

Phone: 770-439-3964

Monday—Thursday 10:00am to 7:00pm

Friday & Saturday 9:00am to 5:00pm

Paulding County Parks and Recreation Department

<http://www.paulding.gov/index.aspx?nid=170>

775 Industrial Blvd North

Dallas, GA 30132

770-445-8065 **Fax:** 770-443-7518

Burnt Hickory Park.....770-443-7540

Earl Duncan Park at Paulding Meadows.....call Braly Sports Complex 770-445-8065

Homer Leggett Memorial Park..... call Braly Sports Complex 770-445-8065

Mt Tabor Park.....call Mt Tabor Park 770-505-3885

Samuel U. Braly Sports Complex..... call Braly Sports Complex 770-445-8065

Tara Drummond Memorial Park..... call Braly Sports Complex 770-445-8065

Taylor Farm Park.....call Taylor Farm Park 770-222-3270

White Oak Park..... call Braly Sports Complex 770-445-8065

Paulding County Recycling Center/Landfill

www.paulding.gov/index.aspx?nid=201

65 County Services Lane

Dallas, GA 30132

Phone: 770-445-5356 call for fees & disposal information

Hours: Monday-Saturday 8:00am to 4:30pm **CLOSED** Sunday and major holidays.

Paulding County Sheriff's Department

<http://www.paulding.gov/index.aspx?NID=69>

247 Industrial way North

Dallas, GA 30132

Phone: 770-443-3010 **Jail:** 770-443-3030 **Fax:** 770-443-3014

Emergency Dial: 9-1-1 **Non-Emergency Dispatch:** 770-445-2117

Paulding County Tax Commissioner's Office

<http://www.paulding.gov/index.aspx?NID=208>

240 Constitution Blvd

Room 3006

Dallas, GA 30132

Phone: 770-443-7581 **Fax:** 770-443-7588 **Motor Vehicle Division:** 770-443-7584

Property Tax: 770-443-7581

Paulding County Water Department

<http://www.paulding.gov/index.aspx?NID=225>

Customer Service:

240 Constitution Blvd

1st Floor

Dallas, GA 30132

To Report a Leak 24 hours a day: 770-445-2761

Hours: Monday – Friday 8:00am – 4:45pm

Engineering Department:

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

Social Security Administration

www.ssa.gov

908 S Carroll Rd

Villa Rica, GA 30180

Phone: 1-866-331-2318

1415 Franklin Rd

Marietta, GA 30067

Phone: 1-800-772-1213

Transportation

Paulding Transit (Division of Parks & Recreation)

<http://www.paulding.gov/index.aspx?NID=809>

54 North Industrial Way

Dallas, GA 30132

770-443-8873 **Fax:** 770-443-3227

Monday-Friday 8:00am to 5:00pm ***RESERVATIONS ARE REQUIRED***

This free transportation service is open to Paulding residents needing transportation to social service agencies, medical appointments, shopping, and limited employment.