



RESOURCE GUIDE EXPECTING & PARENTING YOUTH IN SOUTHEAST MISSISSIPPI



Information on the Pregnancy Assistance Fund (PAF)

What is PAF?

This guide has been developed with support provided by the Office of Population Affairs (OPA) Pregnancy Assistance Fund (PAF) Program. The PAF Program is a grant program that aims to improve the health, educational, social, and economic outcomes of expectant and parenting teens, women, fathers, and their families. Since 2015, OPA has provided funding to the Mississippi State Department of Health (MSDH) to support its work with expectant and parenting teens. MSDH currently works closely with partner organization, Teen Health Mississippi, in a grant-supported collaboration to increase public awareness and education about the services available to expectant and parenting teens, women, fathers, and their families. One strategy to achieve this is the development of this guide.

How to use this guide?

This guide was developed based on input from expectant and parenting teens and service providers throughout Mississippi. They helped by telling us about the information, resources, services, and support that were most needed for themselves or to support a teen during pregnancy, after delivery, and while parenting. This guide gives general information anyone can use, and then more detailed information based on different areas of the state. This guide is intended to help expectant and parenting teens, women, fathers, and their families find resources and information they need to support a pregnancy and raise healthy families. This is a starting point to help you think about your pregnancy, your baby's birth, and being a parent.

The guide has information that might be helpful now and later. There is information about caring for yourself, what to expect as a parent, information that can help you with school, and information about family planning and birth control methods should you decide to wait a while before having another baby. At the end of the guide is a list of resources that are in or near your area.

Caring for You

Pregnancy and being a parent leads to a lot of changes in a person, both physically and emotionally. It's okay to feel a little (or a lot!) overwhelmed by these changes sometimes. The important part is knowing how to handle these feelings in a way that is safe and healthy for both you and your child. Below is information about some of the things to expect and ways to care for yourself and family during this time.



Body Changes

Some (but not all!) of the physical differences a person might notice during pregnancy include:

- Weight Gain
- Breast Swelling
- Stretch Marks
- Fatigue
- Swollen Feet
- Shortness of breath
- Mood Swings
- Morning Sickness (nausea)
- Cravings

Eating healthy foods, getting regular exercise, and staying away from alcohol, tobacco, and drugs are great ways to keep healthy. With so many changes happening, both physically and emotionally, make sure to check that the food and exercise you enjoy are good for you. The best way to do this is talking to doctors and nurses, and reading from accurate sources, like the websites listed below.

Mississippi State Department of Health: Healthy Pregnancy
https://msdh.ms.gov/msdhsite/_static/41,0,376.html

Center of for Disease Control and Prevention: Pregnancy
<https://www.cdc.gov/pregnancy/index.html>

U. S. Food and Drug Administration: Pregnancy
<https://www.fda.gov/consumers/womens-health-topics/pregnancy>

Postpartum is the time after pregnancy and delivery. During this time, a person's body is trying to recover from all the changes that occurred during the past several months. Most recovery is around 6-8 weeks and depends on the health of the person during pregnancy and childbirth, among other things. Each pregnancy and birth is different, so recovery will also vary as well. For people who have recently delivered a baby, it is important to see their doctor for their post-partum appointments to make sure their body is recovering well. Many doctors will want to make sure new parents have the support they need to ensure they and their families are healthy. This may include talking about plans to have another baby soon, or perhaps wait a while, and help make a good plan for either.

Emotional Changes

A person's hormones go through a roller coaster of changes both during and after pregnancy. This can result in mood swings from time to time. Many expecting and parenting young people find themselves getting upset or sad more easily than they used to. If a person finds this happening to themselves, they should talk to their family, their doctor, or another trusted adult about how they are feeling.

For the first few days after giving birth, many people experience what is known as "baby blues." This happens when the changes in hormones and the lack of sleep cause a person to feel overwhelmed and tired. Sometimes, the "baby blues" become something more serious. Postpartum Depression is a mood disorder that can affect people after birth. They can experience feelings of extreme sadness, anxiety, and exhaustion. This may make it difficult for them to complete daily activities or taking care of themselves or the baby. If a person is feeling any of these symptoms, it's important they reach out to their doctor or nurse who will know how to help them through these feelings and get them the support they need.

The National Help Hotline is a free, 24-hour, 365 day-a-year service for people to call to talk about any issues you may be facing. Don't hesitate to call to talk to someone about getting help: 1-800-662-4357

Stress Trips

Being a parent can be fun and exciting. But it can also be overwhelming and can cause you to lose your cool at times. When you feel the stress bubbling up, that is a sign to take a break. Below are some tips to help you stay calm and find your cool again:

- Take a deep breath.
- Close your eyes and count to 10.
- Put your child down in a safe place and step outside the room for a few minutes until you feel calmer.
- Ask for help. It's okay to let someone else help with your child from time to time.
- Even though you have a little one to take care of, you still need to take care of YOU. Take time every day, even if it is just for a few minutes, to do something you enjoy. It can be a hobby or alone time.

Caring for a newborn can be overwhelming and stressful for new and experienced parents. Frequent crying is normal for newborns. Crying increases around 2-3 weeks, reaches its height around 6-8-weeks, and becomes less frequent around 3-4 months old (12-16 weeks old). When your baby is crying a lot, it can be difficult and confusing, especially when you can't figure out why. When your baby is crying, remember to be gentle as they are very fragile. Any bouncing, shaking, or rough handling can be harmful to a baby. It is important to step away if you feel yourself becoming too upset about the baby crying. Take time to calm down or have someone else care for the baby to give yourself a break. Remember that the baby crying is part of their development. They are learning how to communicate, and when you respond in a gentle way, they learn they can depend on you to take care of them.

The Rights of Expectant and Parenting Youth - Title IX

Help for Staying in School

Being an expectant or parenting young person requires special services that are sometimes difficult for schools to provide. Because of this, pregnant and parenting young people can be treated differently, but not in a good way. Examples might be not being allowed to play a sport because you are a parent or not being allowed to make up work that you missed because of a doctor's appointment. The government recognized a need to protect pregnant women and parents from wrongful treatment and put into law Title IX (9). Title IX is a civil rights law that prohibits unfair treatment based on sex – including pregnancy and parental status. All public schools, school districts, colleges, and universities receiving federal funds must follow Title IX.

Following the Title IX law means your school must:

- Allow you to choose whether you want to participate in special programs or classes for pregnant and parenting students if they are available. This includes homebound instruction, at-home tutoring, and independent studies. You can participate if you want to, but your school cannot pressure you to do so.
- Allow you to participate in classes, activities, and sports even though you are pregnant or parenting. You are not required to submit a doctor's note unless your school would require a doctor's note from all students who require treatment by a doctor. For students that are pregnant, at a certain point in their pregnancy it may be best or required that they stop playing sports or stop participating in certain activities.
- Provide pregnant students with reasonable adjustments like a larger desk, elevator access, or allowing them to make frequent trips to the restroom due to their pregnancy.
- Excuse absences due to pregnancy or childbirth for as long as your doctor says is necessary.
- Allow you to return to the same grade level as before your medical absences began. This includes giving you the opportunity to make up any work missed while you were out.

Helpful Tips:

- Ask your school for help. Meet with your school's Title IX Coordinator or counselor regarding what your school can do to support you to stay in school and finish your academic program.
- Keep notes about your pregnancy- or parenting-related absences, any instances of being treated differently, and your talks with school staff about your pregnancy or parenting status. Immediately report problems to your school's Title IX Coordinator, counselor, or other staff.
- If you feel your school has treated you unfairly because you are pregnant or parenting, you may file a complaint using your school's Title IX complaint policy or with the Department of Education, Office for Civil Rights (OCR).

You can learn more about how the OCR works to protect students by visiting:
<https://www2.ed.gov/about/offices/list/ocr/docs/dcl-know-rights-201306-title-ix.html>

Help for Family Planning

The Title X (10) Family Planning Program is a federal grant program that provides family planning and preventive healthcare, like testing and treatment for sexually transmitted diseases (STDs), birth control, and pregnancy services. These services are provided in local health departments, health centers, and some other medical offices for people who couldn't otherwise afford such health care services on their own.

How This Applies to You

It will be important for you to think about whether you'll want to have another baby soon, or perhaps wait a while. Your doctor is a great person to talk this over with to help you make a plan for either option. However, you can also seek family planning services or birth control through any health clinic that uses Title X funds. Under Title X you do not need your parent's permission to receive birth control and the services are provided confidentially (or privately).



In Mississippi, Title X-funded health centers provide:

- Pregnancy testing
- Birth control
- Pelvic exams
- Screenings for high blood pressure, anemia, and diabetes
- Screenings for STDs
- Health education
- Referrals for other health and social services
- Reproductive life plan counseling
- Emergency Contraceptive Pills

All health department clinics in Mississippi are Title X sites and provide these services. You can also find other options for Title X-funded health centers in Mississippi by visiting <http://www.teenhealthms.org/find-healthcare>



Contraceptives 101

Emergency Contraceptives

Keeping up with your birth control can be challenging at times. If you are not currently on birth control, forget to take your birth control, or if the unexpected happens and you are no longer protected, there may still be time to prevent a pregnancy. Emergency contraception is a safe and effective way to prevent a pregnancy after having unprotected sex.

Emergency contraceptive is commonly in the form of a pill that is called the “morning after pill.” It must be taken within 72 hours of having sex. It’s important to note that the closer it is taken to when you had sex the better the chances of it preventing an unintended pregnancy.

The pill is available at all local health departments and is also sold at most pharmacies or drug stores. It can be purchased over the counter. This means you can either get the pill off the shelf or can purchase it from a pharmacy without a prescription.

Birth Control 101

Birth control is an important medical tool used to prevent things like pregnancy, heavy periods, cramping, acne, and some other things. For a person that has had a baby, it is important to think about whether they’ll want to have another baby soon, or perhaps wait a while. Your doctor will be able to help you plan for either option. It is important that a person has a discussion with their doctor about all the possible side effects and symptoms before being prescribed a birth control method so they can easily identify if the birth control is a good match and safe for them. Here are some methods of birth control. Your doctor may tell you about others.

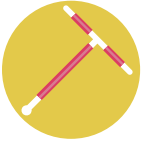


Abstinence

Sexual abstinence is defined as not having sex, meaning no vaginal, oral, or anal sex. Abstinence is the only 100 percent effective way to protect against pregnancy and STD's, ensuring that there is no exchange of bodily fluids.

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IUD (NON-HORMONAL)

This method can be kept private and is good for those who cannot take hormonal birth control. It is comprised of a copper coil that is placed in the uterus.

- 99% effective
- Lasts up to 3-10 years
- Pregnancy is usually possible after removal
- Does NOT protect against STDs

Notes: May have some pain when the IUD is placed. May cause cramps and periods to be heavier and longer.



IUD (HORMONAL)

This method uses progestin hormone to prevent pregnancy and can help lighten or stop periods and may reduce cramps until it is removed. The hormonal IUD usually takes less than a minute to place into the uterus.

- 99% effective
- Lasts 3-6 years
- Pregnancy is usually possible after removal
- Does NOT protect against STDs

Notes: May have some pain when the IUD is placed. Possible spotting (light bleeding) for 3-6 months that can transition to light or no period and may reduce cramping.



IMPLANT

This method can be kept private. It uses progestin hormone to prevent pregnancy, can help lighten or stop periods, and may reduce cramps until it is removed. It is inserted in the upper arm with a device that usually takes less than a few minutes.

- 99% effective
- Lasts 3 years
- Pregnancy is usually possible after removal
- Does NOT protect against STDs

Notes: Spotting may occur for the first few months, and can transition to light or no periods. May have some pain when implant is placed. Where the device is inserted can leave a small scar, some bruising, and be sore for a few days.

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SHOT

This method can be kept private. It uses the progestin hormone to prevent pregnancy, can help lighten or stop periods, and may reduce cramps. The shot is usually given in the arm. This method requires going to a health clinic for a shot every 3 months to stay protected.

- 94% effective
- Lasts for 3 months at a time
- Pregnancy is usually possible after removal
- Does NOT protect against STDs

Notes: Some people experience increased appetite, weight gain, headaches, depression, and slight bruising where the shot was given.



BIRTH CONTROL RING

This method uses the hormones progestin and estrogen. It may prevent or lighten periods, reduce cramps, and help with acne. The ring only works if it is used CORRECTLY. The ring is inserted into the vagina. It may stay in during sex or be taken out.

- 91% effective (when used correctly)
- Lasts for one month
- Pregnancy is usually possible after removal
- Does NOT protect against STDs

Notes: May cause spotting for a few months, nausea, and breast tenderness.



PATCH

This method uses the hormones progestin and estrogen. It may prevent or lighten periods, reduce cramps, and help with acne. The patch only works if it is used CORRECTLY. The patch is placed on the belly, upper arm, or back and the skin absorbs the hormones.

- 91% effective
- Lasts for one week
- Pregnancy is usually possible after removal
- Does NOT protect against STDs

Notes: May cause spotting for a few months, nausea, and breast tenderness.

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PILL

This method uses the hormones progesterin and estrogen, depending on the pill. It may prevent or lighten periods, reduce cramps, and help with acne. The pill is most effective when taken at the same time every day. When not taken regularly, the chance of getting pregnant is higher. Some medicines might cause the pill to not work for preventing pregnancy.

- 91% effective (when used correctly)
- Lasts for 24 hours
- Can become pregnant if not taken every day
- Does NOT protect against STDs

Notes: May cause spotting for a few months, nausea, and breast tenderness.



CONDOM

This method can be used to prevent pregnancy but only when used the correct way. This is also the only method that can prevent STDs when used every time and correctly.

- 82% effective
- Lasts for 1 sex act
- Must be removed carefully and away from partner to prevent pregnancy and STDs

Notes: Either partners' skin may have an allergic reaction to latex. If so, use a condom made from a different material that protects against STDs. Not all condoms protect against STDs.

**If you want to learn more about a method,
check out the resources below:**

Fact Not Fiction

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

Center for Disease Control and Prevention <http://www.cdc.gov/reproductivehealth/unintendedpregnancy/contraception.htm>

American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists
<https://www.acog.org/Patients/FAQs/Birth-Control-Especially-for-Teens>

Bedsider: www.bedsider.org

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**RESOURCES
AVAILABLE IN
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Resources Available in Forrest County

Mental Health Services; Drug & Alcohol Assistance

Pine Belt Mental Health
103 S 19th Avenue
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
Phone: (601)-544-4641

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday, 8:00am - 5:00pm

Payment Options: Sliding fee scale

Services Provided: Individual and group counseling for adults and children; alcohol and drug dependency, and marital problems

Pine Grove
225 Broadway Drive
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
Phone: (888)-574-4673

Hours of Operation: Open 24 Hours
Monday-Friday, 8:00 a.m.- 5:00 p.m.

Payment Options: Common insurance plans are Medicare, Medicaid, Blue Cross, Tricare, Aetna, Cigna, & United Behavioral Health; Please contact 1-888-574-HOPE (4673) for all pricing and insurance information regarding a particular service.

Services Provided: Behavioral health and addiction services. Inpatient, outpatient, and residential treatment for adults, children and adolescents suffering from psychiatric and addictive diseases.

Shafer Center for Crisis Intervention
507 N 37th Avenue
Hattiesburg, Mississippi 39406
Hotline (601) 264-7777
(601) 264-7078
Homicide Support Group (601) 584-0908
Laurel Office (601) 649-1721
KGNewell@aol.com|

Services Provided: The Shafer Center for Crisis Intervention is a social change agency dedicated to serving all survivors of sexual violence and co-victims of violent death, including homicide and suicide, at any point following their experience through exemplary direct services, advocacy, education, training and activism.

Serves: Covington, Forrest, Greene, Jasper, Jeff Davis, Jones, Lamar, Perry, Marion, Smith, and Wayne

South MS Psychiatric Services

1 Lincoln Rd #304
Hattiesburg, MS 39402
Phone: (601) 261-1750

Hours of Operation:
Monday-Friday, 8:00am - 4:30pm

Payment Options: Insurance accepted.

Services Provided: Outpatient psychiatric services for children, adolescents, and adults

Clearview Recovery Center

#3 Clearview Circle Moselle, MS 39459
Phone: (601)-545-1499

Hours of Operation: Open 27/7

Payment Options: Payment is determined upon meeting with a financial specialist to check eligibility for assistance

Services Provided: inpatient and outpatient for addictive diseases

Celebrate Recovery

7 Canaan Lane
Hattiesburg, MS
(601) 264-5118
(601) 264-0555
www.willowpointechurch.org

12 Step Recovery program meets every Thursday night at 6pm

Oak Arbor

4507 Hwy 49 S.
Hattiesburg, MS
(601) 545-2925
888-291-0646
www.oak-arbor.com

Services Provided: Transitional, Residential and Intensive outpatient services. Individual, Family, Educational, Group, Vocational, Etc.

Pine Grove Recovery Center

2255 Broadway Dr
Hattiesburg, MS 39402
(601) 288-2273

Services Provided: Substance abuse treatment, Detoxification, Halfway house, Hospital inpatient programs, Outpatient Programs, Residential long-term treatment, Partial hospitalization/day treatment for those with co-occurring mental illness, Serves persons with HIV/AIDS, LGBT, Pregnant/postpartum women, men and women

Youth Villages

116 North 40th Ave.
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
(601) 271-7600

Services Provided: Services in Hattiesburg Area – MYPAC – MS Youth ProgramS Around The Clock – provides home based services such as Individual Therapy, Family Therapy, Wraparound Services and Life Set – Life Set specialists help former foster youth and other vulnerable youth ages 17-22 identify their goals and guide them in transitioning into adulthood.

**Canopy Solutions
Behavioral Health Clinic – Hattiesburg**
105 Asbury Circle, Suite
Hattiesburg, MS 39402
(601) 264-7079

Hours of Operation:
Monday-Friday, 8:00am - 5:00pm

Payment Options: Insurance accepted.

Services Provided: Serves Children and youth 5 to 21-years-old who are in need of mental and behavioral health services

Memorial Behavioral Health
100 South 20th Ave.
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
(601) 545-9301

Services Provided: Offers help for behavioral and emotional issues ages 4 and up. Provides assessments

LampPost Counseling Center
113 Fairfield Drive, Suite 201
Hattiesburg, MS 39402
662-609-8880

Services Provided: Counseling for anger management, mental health disorders, anxiety, depression, grief, life transitions, marriage counseling, relationship issues, trauma, stress. Counseling for individuals, children, families, and couples

Right Track Medical Group
101 Aldersgate Circle
Hattiesburg, MS 39402
(601) 909-4080

Services Provided:

- Psychiatric Evaluation
- Medication Management
- Individual Therapy, Family Therapy
- Coping Skills Groups
- Child & Adolescent Services

The Drug and Alcohol Detox Clinic of South MS
5317 Old Hwy 11
Hattiesburg, MS 39402
(601) 261-9101

Services Provided: Specialize in evaluation and treatment for individuals with chemical dependency – Opiate Use Disorder, Alcoholism, Benzodiazapine Use Disorder, provide Child and Adolescent Psychiatric Evaluations, Adult Psychiatric Evaluations, Medical Legal Consultation

Human Services

Forrest County Department of Human Services
1604 West Pine Street
Hattiesburg, MS
(601) 554-4350

Hours of Operation:

Monday - Friday, 8:00am - 5:00pm

Services Provided: SNAP (Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program); TANF (Temporary Assistance for needy Families); eligibility based on income and resources

Goodwill**Store and Donation Center**

2305 Hardy Street
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
(601) 584-0448
<http://goodwillms.org/>

Christian Service Center

301 E. Second Street
Hattiesburg, MS
(601) 582-5683
www.christianserve.org

Services Provided:

- Soup Kitchen
 - Mobile Feeding Unit
 - Residential program for men
 - Emergency help for medication, groceries, Etc.
 - Meals on wheels
 - Low cost groceries for purchase
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Health and Medical Services

Forrest County Health Department

5008 Old Highway 42
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
(601) 583-0291
<http://msdh.ms.gov/>

Hours of Operation: Monday - Friday**Services Provided:**

- Breast & Cervical Cancer
 - Child Health (EPSDT)
 - Children's Health Insurance
 - Children's Medical Program
 - Diabetes control
 - Early Intervention (First Steps)
 - Family Planning
 - Hypertension (High blood pressure)
 - Immunization
 - Maternity
 - Perinatal (PHRM)
 - Social Work
 - STD/HIV
 - Tuberculosis
 - WIC
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- Meals on wheels
- Low cost groceries for purchase

Southeast MS Rural Health Initiative

5488 US 49
Hattiesburg, MS
(601)-545-8700

Hours of Operation:

Payment Options: Based on income.

Services Provided: Complete Family Medical Care, Social Services, Pharmacy Assistance, Ryan White Part C & Part D

Hattiesburg Community Dental Center

62 Old Airport Rd.
Hattiesburg, MS 39401-8382
(601) 583-4800

**Hattiesburg Family Health
and Dental Center**

66 Old Airport Rd.
Hattiesburg, MS 39401-8382
(601) 544-7500

Women's Health Center

62 Old Airport Rd.
Hattiesburg, Mississippi 39401-8382
(601) 544-4550

Merit Health Wesley

5001 Hardy St.
Hattiesburg, Mississippi 39402
(601) 268-8000

Planned Parenthood

214 South 27th Avenue
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
251-342-6695
(601) 268-1222 (Fax)

Services Provided:

- Abortion Referral
- Birth Control
- General Health Care
- HIV Testing
- LGBT Services
- Men's Health Care
- Morning-After Pill (Emergency Contraception)
- Pregnancy Testing & Services
- STD Testing, Treatment & Vaccines
- Women's Health Care

Hope Clinic

216 S 27th Avenue
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
Text: 669-500-TEST(8378)
Call: (601) 264-2181
questions@hopeclinicms.com

Hours: Monday 9:00am - 4:00pm

Tuesday 9:00am - 4:00pm

Wednesday 9:00am - 4:00pm

Thursday 9:00am - 4:00pm

Services Provided: Pregnancy Testing, Ultrasound, STD/STI information, Consultation

Hattiesburg Clinic: The Pediatric Clinic

1101 South 28th Avenue
Hattiesburg, MS 39402-2610
(601) 268-3735
www.hattiesburgclinic.com

Forrest General On Call

(601) 288-4445

A registered nurse offers answers to medical questions. 24 hours/day.

Forrest General Hospital

6051 U.S. Highway 49
Hattiesburg, MS 39404
Info: (601) 288-7000 • ER: (601) 288-2100
www.forrestgeneral.com

Minor Care Clinic (SEMRHI)

222 S. 27th Ave.
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
(601) 450-3030
12:00 pm-8:00 pm every day.

Hours of Operation:

12:00 pm-8:00 pm every day

Payment Options: Sliding Scale fees. Insurance not required.

Hattiesburg Public School and Community Clinic

404 Lillie Burney Street
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
(601) 450-6500

Free for students.

**Hattiesburg High School and
Community Clinic**

605 Stadium Drive
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
(601) 450-0310

Free for students.

**Medicaid/CHIPS (Children's Health
Insurance Program)**

Hattiesburg Regional Medicaid Office
132 Mayfair Boulevard, Suite A
Hattiesburg, MS 39402
(601) 264-5386

Services Provided: Health insurance for low
income families

**Southeast Mississippi Rural Health
Initiative (SEMRHI)**

Pharmacy Assistance
62 Old Airport Road
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
(601) 544-4163

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday 8:45am - 5:30pm
Closed 12:30pm - 1:00pm

Payment Options: Sliding Scale fees. Insurance
not required

Services Provided: Only prescriptions written
by Doctors and Nurse Practitioners of any of
the
14 sites of SEMRHI may be filled.

Lion's Club of Mississippi

(601) 583-9698 (leave message)

Services Provided: Provides assistance with
the purchase of eye-glasses.

Fellowship Health Clinic

1919 Edwards St.
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
(601) 255-5077
FellowshipClinic@gmail.com

All patients are seen by appointment only.
To learn how to make an appointment, visit
www.FellowshipClinic.org.

Services Provided: provides high quality
medical, dental, and pharmaceutical care at no
cost to eligible uninsured and underinsured
residents of Forrest and Lamar counties in
Mississippi. The clinic also provides integrated
care with social work case management
services, as well as health and wellness
education.

Children's Clinic – Hattiesburg

4210 Lincoln Rd.
Hattiesburg, MS
(601) 261-3500

Pediatric Clinic – Hattiesburg

1101 S 28th Ave.
Hattiesburg, MS 39402
(601) 579-3000

Children's Medical Group – Hattiesburg

39 Franklin Rd. #220
Hattiesburg, MS 39402

**Women's Pavilion of South Mississippi
(Hattiesburg)**

6524 US-98,
Hattiesburg, MS 39402
(601) 268-9393

28th Place Hattiesburg Clinic

421 S 28th Ave #200
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
(601) 268-5640

**Moffit Health Center (University of
Southern Miss Campus)**

2899 W 4th St.
Hattiesburg, MS 39406
Phone: (601) 266-5390

Employment Services

Hattiesburg WIN Job Center

1911 Arcadia Street
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
(601) 584-1202
<http://mdes.ms.gov/win-job-centers/>

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday 8:00am - 5:00pm
Closed Wednesday at 4:00pm

Services Provided: Job Placement, WIA
Services, Priority Services for Veterans, TAA,
Job Corps, typing & dictation testing, On-the-
Job Training, refer to Adult Basic Education &
Literacy

Pinebelt Christian Women’s Job Corps (CWJC)

106 N. 24th Avenue
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
(601) 544-4855|
Pbcwjc@comcast.com

Women who choose to participate in the program attend 10 weeks of intensive life and career skills classes that include Bible study, computer classes, money management, conflict resolution, communications, parenting, career skills and responsibility & decision-making. The curriculum is designed to give the participants a firm foundation on which to build a successful life and career. They are also assigned a Christian Friend who is committed to a one-year, one-on-one relationship to stand by her, encourage her and to serve as an accountability partner.

Southern Mississippi Planning and Development District

700 Hardy Street
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
(601) 545-2137

Services Provided: Provides basic education and pre-employment training classes; job search assistance.

Eligible: Persons between the ages of 17 and 21 who have dropped out of school.

Allied Enterprises

P.O. Box 15337
18 Industrial Drive
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
(601) 544-9530

Services Provided: Rehabilitation services provided to the handicapped in hopes of re-employment, setting includes sheltered workshop

Vocational Rehabilitation –| Supported Employment

(601) 582-4275

Services Provided: Supported employment for persons with disabilities.

People Ready (Labor Ready)

1608 Broadway Dr Ste 50
Hattiesburg, MS 39402
(601) 579-6466

Services Provided: Staffing agency

Pride Staff Hattiesburg

5910 U S Highway 49 Ste 5
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
(601) 582-8881

Services Provided: Staffing agency

Placement Services

Domestic Abuse Family Shelter, Inc.

PO Box 273

Laurel, MS 39441-0273

Statewide 24-hour crisis line:

1-800-649-1092

Local crisis line Laurel:

(601) 428-8821

Local crisis line Hattiesburg:

(601) 582-2102

Business office Laurel:

(601) 428-1707

Court Advocate Information Line:

(601) 498-0157

www.domesticabusefamilyshelter.org

Counties Served: Covington, Forrest, Greene, Jasper, Jefferson Davis, Jones, Lamar, Marion, Perry, Smith, and Wayne

Hours of Operation:

- Shelter: 24-hours a day, 7 days a week
- Business Office, Aftercare Case Management Program, and Children's Program - Monday - Friday, 8:00am - 5:00pm
- Domestic Violence Intervention Program and support groups are held by appointment.
- Closed Wednesday at 4:00pm

Services Provided:

- Statewide 24-hour crisis line
- 24-hour emergency shelter in Hattiesburg and Laurel up to 90 days
- Temporary housing, food, transportation, and personal hygiene articles
- Information and referrals regarding financial, medical, legal, housing, employment and educational assistance
- Individual and group counseling on site (shelter), as well as off-site (community)
- Victim advocacy in justice and municipal courts in 9 of the 11 counties
- Aftercare case management up to 90 days after departure from the shelter
- Children's program (therapeutic child care, crisis counseling)
- Public education, outreach, and community awareness programs
- Domestic Violence Intervention Program for abusers

MS Department of Child Protective Services

1604 West Pine St

Hattiesburg, MS - 39401

(601) 554-4354

Hours of Operation:

Monday - Friday 8:00am - 5:00pm

Closed Wednesday at 4:00pm

Services Provided: Adoption & placement services

Eve's House

P.O. Box 721

Hattiesburg, MS 39401

(601) 545-1879

www.eveshouse.com

eves.house1@yahoo.com

Services Provided: A residential program for low or no income women. The Eve's House Residential Recovery Program is designed for women who are seeking healing from substance abuse disorders and other patterns of victimization.

Lifeline Children's Services
7 Professional Pkwy Suite 103
Hattiesburg, MS
(205) 967-0811

Services Provided: Adoption, support and education to families who have experienced or are at risk of separation, education & counseling

Youth Villages
116 North 40th Ave
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
(601) 271-7600

Services Provided: Foster Care/Adoption

Homes of Hope for Children
344 Harold Tucker Road, Purvis, MS
39475
(769) 456-7021

Services Provided: Homes of Hope for Children serves boys and girls between the ages of 4 and 18. Homes of Hope for Children aspires to be the first placement for disadvantaged boys and girls in need of safe, stable homes throughout the state of Mississippi. There are two cottages for boys and two cottages for girls.

Canopy Solutions
Adoption and Therapeutic Foster Care
105 Asbury Circle, Suite A
Hattiesburg, MS 39402
(601) 264-7079

Pregnancy and Parenting

Forrest County Health Department
5008 Old Highway 42
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
(601) 583-0291
<http://msdh.ms.gov/>

Hours of Operation: Monday - Friday

Services:
Breast & Cervical Cancer, Child Health (EPSDT), Children's Health Insurance, Children's Medical Program, Diabetes control, Early Intervention (First Steps), Family Planning, Hypertension (High blood pressure), Immunization, Maternity, Perinatal High-77Risk Management/Infant Services System (PHRM/ISS) Case Management, Social Work, STD/HIV, Tuberculosis, WIC

Birthright of Hattiesburg

902 Dabbs St.
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
(601) 606-7054
24/7 Free Helpline: 1-800-550-4900

Services Provided: Receive info about Pregnancy, Childbirth, Adoption, Prenatal Care, Community Programs, Parenting Skills, Child Care, Referrals for resources, Free Resources – Pregnancy Tests, Maternity and Baby Item

La Leche League

1-877-LA-LECHE (525-3243)

Services Provided: Breastfeeding Group meets the 2nd Wednesday of each month at 10:30am

Housing

Hattiesburg Housing Authority

515 E 4th Street
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
(601)-583-1881

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday 8:00am - 5:00pm

MS Regional Housing Authority VII

228 Broadway Drive
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
(601) 582-7664

Services Provided: Assisted Housing

Bethesda Project

P.O. Box 1255
Hattiesburg, MS, 39403
1-888-983 4387 or (601) 583-4387
www.bethesdaprojectinc.org
Email info@bethesdaprojectinc.org

Hours: Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday:
9-8, Wednesday and Friday 9-6, Sat By
Appointment only

Services Provided: Rental Issues, life skills,
budget counseling, foreclosure counseling,
home buying

City of Hattiesburg Housing Authority

208 Gordon Street
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
(601) 583-1881

Services Provided: Offers public housing
programs (all properties in Hattiesburg) based
upon income.

Department of Human Services

Hattiesburg/Forrest County
(601) 554-4350
Toll Free 1-800-345-6347
Help on general program questions

The Lighthouse
204 Eupora Street
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
(601) 544-2169

A non-profit organization that is focused on serving the needs of homeless families by reaching out through meeting both short term and long-term needs.

Services:
Food, Shelter, GED Classes. Other classes including parental classes to money management, spiritual guidance, counseling

Project Recovery Rapid Re-housing
Institute of Disabilities
The University of Southern Mississippi
118 College Drive #5163
Hattiesburg, MS 39406
(601) 266-5163

Domestic Abuse Family Shelter
(601) 582-2102 (crisis line)
www.domesticabusefamilyshelter.org

Services Provided: Provides a 24-hour crisis line and 24-hour shelter (at no charge) for women and their children who are victims of domestic violence. Non-residential counseling services are provided for victims and domestic violence intervention classes are available for abusers.

Hattiesburg Area Habitat for Humanity
(601) 582-4663
www.habitat.org

Services Provided: Helps families build affordable housing through a partnership between families in need and others with the necessary resources.

Housing Alternatives of Hattiesburg
Cloverleaf Center
P.O. Box 1030
Hattiesburg, MS 39403
(601) 544-9140

Services Provided: Helps individuals and families in the Pine Belt region become homeowners.

Pine Grove Green Meadows
209 South 29th Avenue
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
(601) 296-6472

Services Provided: Provides supportive housing for homeless women and their children under age 12. Women must be either fleeing domestic violence, have a history of drug use/addiction, or have a history of mental health disorders.

Pine Grove Village

201 Rosa Avenue
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
(601) 544-8609
www.pinegrovetreatment.com

Hours of Operation:

Monday - Friday 8:00am - 5:00pm

Services Provided: Provides supportive housing and case management services for adult men who are chronically homeless with a disability (addiction, mental health, physical/medical).

South Mississippi Children's Center

P.O. Box 646
Hattiesburg, MS 39403
(601) 582-8891
www.mchscares.org

Services Provided: An emergency shelter for abused, neglected, and homeless youth ages 10- 17.

The center also runs Project Safe Place, an outreach program for youth in crisis.

Base Camp – McInnis Hall

4507 U.S. Highway 49
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
612 Plum Street
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
(601) 544-6142

Services Provided: Shelter for 12 men.

Genesis Homes – Christian Services Center

(601) 582-5683

Services Provided: A complex of three homes, a washeteria, and meeting room.

Safe, comfortable, temporary emergency shelter for families with children.

Fieldhouse for Homeless

5712 US Hattiesburg, MS 39401
(601) 336-4055

Lighthouse Rescue Mission

204 Eupora St. Hattiesburg, MS 39401
Phone: (601) 544-2169

Salvation Army

5670 US 49 Hattiesburg, MS 39401
Phone: (601) 544-3684

Childcare

Licensed Childcare Centers in Hattiesburg

After School Academics * Arts Program

106 N 38th Ave
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
(601) 336-5501
Nicole Jones / Van Jones
<https://www.asaap.us/>
Email: info@asaap.us

Hours of Operation:

Monday - Friday 7:30am - 6:00pm

Payment Options: Credit/Debit, PayPal, Check,
Center also accepts MDHS Subsidy Children

Services Provided: Summer Day, School Age
After School

**After School Academics & Arts
Program West**

10 Hunter Lane
Hattiesburg, MS 39402
(601) 336-5501
<https://www.asaap.us/>
Nicole Jones / Van Jones

Hours of Operation:

Monday - Friday 2:00pm - 6:00pm

Services Provided: Summer Day, School Age
After School

**After School Academics & Arts
Program West**

800 S. Main St.
Petal, MS 39465
(601) 336-5501
<https://www.asaap.us/>
Nicole Jones / Van Jones

Hours of Operation:

Monday - Friday 2:00pm - 6:00pm

Services Provided: Summer Day, School Age
After School

Aldersgate Mission

402 E 2nd Street
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
(601) 544-8141
Email: lfrdixon3@yahoo.com

Hours of Operation:

Monday - Friday 2:00pm - 6:00pm

Services Provided: Summer Day, School Age
After School

Anderson's Educare Academy

417 Eatonville Road
Hattiesburg, MS 3940
(601) 310-3055
Email:
aishadanderson.consulting@gmail.com

Hours of Operation:

Monday - Friday 5:00am - 8:00pm

Services Provided: Full Day, School Age After
School, Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children

Angel Academy

6080 US 49
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
(601) 545-7322
Email: angel.academy.dh@gmail.com

Hours of Operation:

Monday - Friday 6:30am - 6:00pm

Services Provided: Center based Child Care
Facility , Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children

Bright Beginnings

11 Main Street Blvd
Hattiesburg, MS 39402
(601) 296-8000
Email: preschool@
mainstreetbaptistchurch.org

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday 9:00am -12:30pm

Services Provided: Center based Child Care
Facility (Half Day, Morning)

**Brighter Beginnings Child
Development Center**

5 Shoreline Blvd
HATTIESBURG, MS 39402
(601) 325-1779
Email:
brighterbeginningscdc@gmail.com

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday 7:00am - 6:00pm

Services Provided: Center based Child Care
Facility, Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children

Connie's Child Care

321 S 23rd Ave
Hattiesbrug, MS 39401
(601) 544-0450
Email: conniedaycare@comcast.net

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday 6:30am - 5:30pm

Services Provided: Center based Child Care
Facility

Cornorstone Childcare

30 Town Center Sq
Hattiesburg, MS 39402
(601) 336-6757
Email: mmlearningfactory@yahoo.com

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday 6:45am - 5:45pm

Services Provided: CCAIR Emergency
Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children

Crayon College Learning Center

16 Courtland Dr
Hattiesburg, MS 39402
(601) 264-1195
Email: crayoncollege@comcast.net

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday 6:30am - 6:00pm

Services Provided: Center based Child Care
Facility

Creative Kids

330 Hegwood Rd
Hattiesburg, MS 39402
(601) 268-9293
Email: chris.bryant01@gmail.com

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday 6:30am - 6:00pm

Services Provided: Center based Child Care
Facility , Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children

Creative Kidz Wesley

205 Methodist Hospital Blvd
Hattiesburg, MS 39402
(601) 268-5220
Email: chris.bryant01@gmail.com

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday 6:30am - 6:00pm

Services Provided: CCAIR Emergency
Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children

Crosspoint Pre-K

3211 Highway 589
Hattiesburg, MS 39402
(601) 264-9234
Email: julia@crosspointhattiesburg.org

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday 7:00am - 5:45pm

Services Provided: Center based Child Care Facility

Earl Travillion Ehs

316 Travillion Rd
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
(769) -390-7968
Email: rlongino@prvoinc.org

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday 7:30am - 3:00pm

Services Provided: Center based Child Care Facility , Head Start, Early Head Start

Early Encounters

2420 Hardy St
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
(601) 544-1591
Email: lrobinson@earlyencounters.org

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday 7:30am - 5:30pm

Services Provided: CCAIR Emergency Full Day, School Age After School, Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children

First Start Academy

312 Green St
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
(601) 544-6443
Email: roseharrell2@aol.com

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday 7:00am - 6:00pm

Services Provided: Center based Child Care Facility
Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children
Full Day, Summer Day, School Age After School, Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children

Giggles Learning Center

1604 S 28th Ave
Hattiesburg, MS 39402
(601) 909-2549
Email: marcuschamp53@gmail.com

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday 6:00am - 6:00pm

Services Provided: CCAIR Emergency
Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children
Full Day, Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children

Grace Community School

30 Pioneer Rd S
Hattiesburg, MS 39402
(601) 264-3992
Email: wpwbigdaddy@aol.com

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday 6:30am - 6:00pm

Services Provided: Center based Child Care Facility

Lil' Teknon Learning Center, LLC

125 W 8th Street
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
(601) 336-7497
Email: liltekon@comcast.net

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday 6:00am - 6:00pm

Services Provided: CCAIR Emergency
Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children
Full Day, School Age After School, Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children

McLaurin Family Learning Academy

110 Everett St
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
(601) 602-6211
Email: rogers_charlene@yahoo.com

Hours of Operation:

Monday - Friday 6:00am - 6:00pm

Services Provided: Center based Child Care Facility, Special Needs, Full Day, Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children

Myers Child Care Center

1101 Dabbs St
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
(601) 583-4300
Email: myerschildcare@bellsouth.net

Hours of Operation:

Monday - Friday 6:00am - 6:00pm

Services Provided: CCAIR Emergency Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children Full Day, Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children

N.E.E.D.S. II Child Care Center

166 Old Airport Rd
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
(601) 582-2727
Email: shirleysims6464@gmail.com

Hours of Operation:

Monday - Friday 6:30am - 5:00pm

Services Provided: Center based Child Care Facility , Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children Full Day, Half Day Morning & Afternoon, Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children

Oak Grove Learning Center

2561 Old Highway 24
Hattiesburg, MS 39402
(601) 264-4609
Email: sbasteach@comcast.net

Hours of Operation:

Monday - Friday 6:45am - 6:00pm

Services Provided: Center based Child Care Facility Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children Full Day, Summer Day, School Age After School, Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children

River Of Life Learning Center

6837 U S Highway 98
Hattiesburg, MS 39402
(601) 268-0246
Email: riveroflifeelc@gmail.com

Hours of Operation:

Monday - Friday 7:00am - 5:45pm

Services Provided: Center based Child Care Facility , Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children Full Day, Summer Day, School Age After School, Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children

Small Miracles Child Development Center

609 Southern Ave
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
(601) 583-3569
Email: smallmiracles2@bellsouth.net

Hours of Operation:

Monday - Friday 7:30am - 5:30pm

Services Provided: Center based Child Care Facility , Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children

Smart Start Community School Llc 2

183 Old Airport Rd

Hattiesburg, MS 39401

(601) 790-9100

Email: smartstartcommunityschool@gmail.com

Hours of Operation:

Monday - Friday 6:30am - 6:00pm

Services Provided: CCAIR Emergency
Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children
Full Day, Half Day Morning & Afternoon,
Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children

Surehouse Learning Center

119 Broadway Dr

Hattiesburg, MS 39401

(601) 583-6900

Email: anointing2000@hotmail.com

Hours of Operation:

Monday - Friday 3:00pm - 6:00pm

Services Provided: CCAIR Emergency
Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children
Summer Day, School Age After School,
Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children

The Academy Of Kids

339 N 25th Ave

Hattiesburg, MS 39401

(601) 602-4684

Email: aok20102d@aol.com

Hours of Operation:

Monday - Friday 6:30am - 6:00pm

Services Provided: Center based Child Care
Facility , Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children
Special Needs, Full Day, Summer Day, School
Age After School, Accepts MDHS Subsidy
Children

The Arc Of Southeast Mississippi

65 Bonhomie Rd

Hattiesburg, MS 39401

(601) 583-4251

Email: phughes.arc@gmail.com

Hours of Operation:

Monday - Friday 2:00pm - 5:30pm

Services Provided: Center based Child Care
Facility , Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children
Special Needs, Summer Day, School Age After
School, Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children

The Family Y - School Age Program

3719 Veterans Memorial Dr

Hattiesburg, MS 39401

(601) 583-4000

Email: sbryd@ymcasems.org

Hours of Operation:

Monday - Friday 7:00am - 6:00pm

Services Provided: Center based Child Care
Facility , Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children
School Age After School

Therah's Child Care

216 S 21st Ave

Hattiesburg, MS 39401

(601) 554-9929

Email: ntherah@yahoo.com

Hours of Operation:

Monday - Friday 6:30am - 5:30pm

Services Provided: CCAIR Emergency
Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children
Full Day, Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children

<p>TJ's Learning Center 1903 Arcadia St Hattiesburg, MS 39401 (601) 545-3080 Email: thomascausey37@yahoo.com</p>	<p>Hours of Operation: Monday - Friday 6:30am - 6:00pm</p> <p>Services Provided: Center based Child Care Facility (Full Day), Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children</p>
<p>TKZ 6054 Highway 49 S Hattiesburg, MS 39401 (601) 543-5908 Email: totalkidszone@att.net</p>	<p>Hours of Operation: Monday - Friday 6:00am - 6:00pm</p> <p>Services Provided: Center based Child Care Facility (Full Day), Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children</p>
<p>Tunjia's Little Ones Child Development Center 104 N 39th Ave Hattiesburg, MS 39401 (601) 336-8435 Email: tunjiaslittleones@gmail.com</p>	<p>Hours of Operation: Monday - Friday 6:30am - 6:00pm</p> <p>Services Provided: Center based Child Care Facility (Full Day), Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children</p>
<p>USM Center For Child Development 3400 Morningside Drive Hattiesburg, MS 39401 (601) 266-5294 Email: melissa.weaver@usm.edu</p>	<p>Hours of Operation: Monday - Friday 7:30am - 5:30pm</p> <p>Services Provided: CCAIR Emergency (Full Day), Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children</p>
<p>Wayside Child Development Center 919/1000 Edwards St Hattiesburg, MS 39401 (601) 544-0370 Email: waysideholylemple@yahoo.com</p>	<p>Hours of Operation: Monday - Friday 6:30am - 5:30pm</p> <p>Services Provided: Center based Child Care Facility , Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children</p>
<p>West Point Christian Preschool 184 Hartfield Rd Hattiesburg, MS 39402 (601) 271-2585 Email: mscathey@thewpchurch.org</p>	<p>Hours of Operation: Monday - Friday 7:00am - 6:00pm</p> <p>Services Provided: Center based Child Care Facility (Full Day), Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children</p>
<p>Word Of Faith Christian Academy 46 Broadacres Dr Hattiesburg, MS 39401 (601) 545-7735 Email: principalcommodore@gmail.com</p>	<p>Hours of Operation: Monday - Friday 7:00am - 6:00pm</p> <p>Services Provided: Center based Child Care Facility, Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children</p>

Education

Pearl River Community College – GED

(601) 554-5514

(601) 740-1421

Services Provided: Free GED classes to anyone 17 or older

United Way of Southeast Mississippi

210 W. Front Street, P.O. Box 1648,

Hattiesburg, MS 39403-1648

(601) 545-7141

(601) 545-8872 Fax

unitedwaysems@megagate.com

Services Provided: Education, Financial, Stability, Health, Support Services

The University of Southern Mississippi

118 College Drive

Hattiesburg, MS 39406

(601) 266-1000

www.usm.edu

MCHS CARES School Hattiesburg

6722 6750, US-98

Hattiesburg, MS 39402

(601) 264-0200

William Carey University

710 William Carey Pkwy

Hattiesburg, MS 39401

(601) 318-6051

www.wmcarey.edu

Pearl River Community College

101 Highway 11 North

Poplarville, MS 39470

5448 U.S. Highway 49

Hattiesburg, MS

(601) 554-5555

www.prcc.ms.us

**Library of Hattiesburg Petal & Forrest
County**

329 Hardy St.

Hattiesburg, MS

(601) 582-4461

Hattiesburg Public School District

301 Mamie St.
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
(601) 582-5078

**Head Start and Early Head Start
(P.A.C.E.)
Pinebelt Association for Community
Enhancement, Inc.**

100 West Front St.
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
(601) 545-8110

Services Provided: A comprehensive child development and family services program for children birth to five years and expectant mothers of low-income families.

**Hattiesburg Public Schools
Harper-Wallin Family Education Center
Adult Basic Education – GED**

516 Forrest Street
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
(601) 545-3001 or (601) 582-5064

Services Provided: For Forrest and surrounding counties. Free reading tutoring program. Also, computer-based skills improvement classes. Year round. Learn to read. Offer GED, English, ESL Computer and Literacy Classes.

**Southern Mississippi Planning and
Development District**

700 Hardy Street
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
(601) 545-2137

Services Provided: Provides basic education and pre-employment training classes; job search assistance.

Eligible: Persons between the ages of 17 and 21 who have dropped out of school.

**Youth Challenge Program
Building 80**

Camp Shelby, MS 39407
1-800-507-6253
www.ngycp.org

Services Provided: Youth discipline and educational program. 5 month military program where youth ages 16-18 who have dropped out of school can earn a GED or diploma and gain other skills.

**USM Adult Education Services
Box 5154**

135 Education and Psychology Bldg.
Hattiesburg, MS 39406
(601) 266-4621

Mississippi School for the Blind

1252 Eastover Drive
Jackson, MS
(601) 984-8200

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday 8:00am - 4:30pm

Services Provided: Education for children pre-school through 12th grade – programs for visually impaired, deaf/blind, and multiple disabilities; homebound program also available for pre-school aged children.

Forrest County School District

400 Forrest St.
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
(601) 545-6055

Petal School District

115 East Central Ave.
Petal, MS 39465
(601) 545-3002

Children's Program

Salvation Army Boys & Girls Club

5670 US 49
Hattiesburg, MS
(601)-544-5437

After School Academics and Arts Program

106 N. 38th Avenue
Hattiesburg, MS 39402
(601) 336-5501

Services Provided: Students: K-5th grade

Parks & Recreation - Kamper Park

107 S 17th Ave
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
(601) 545-4576

Hours of Operation: 9:00am - 4:00pm

Services Provided: This 40-acre park is home to the Hattiesburg Zoo, plus tennis courts, playgrounds & walking trails.

Town Square Park

100 Main St
Hattiesburg, MS 39401

Hours of Operation: 6:30am - 5:30pm

Services Provided: Vibrant community park with an outdoor stage & many seasonal events, including a farmers market.

Tatum Park

101 Parkway Blvd
Hattiesburg, MS 39401

Support Services

Forrest Count WIC Distribution Center

1515 Florida Avenue
Hattiesburg, MS 39402
(601) 582-2081

Hours of Operation:

Monday - Friday 8:00am - 5:00pm

Services Provided: provides nutritional foods to pregnant women and children up to age 5

AIDS Services Coalition

P.O. Box 169
Hattiesburg, MS
(601) 450-4286
<http://ascms.weebly.com/>

Hours of Operation:

Monday - Friday 9:00am - 5:00pm

Services Provided: A comprehensive AIDS service organization providing a variety of services to persons living with HIV/AIDS and to those at risk of infection. 1-2-1 Haven House, is a transitional housing facility, Intensive case management and behavior monitoring, 1-2-1 Haven House acts as a drop-in center for persons living with HIV/AIDS to have a hot meal, to get information from our Resource Center, or to just have an ear to listen. Outreach, education and prevention are critical components of the AIDS Services Coalitions work in the community. provides much needed information to bars, schools, prisons, churches, employers and many other places. We facilitate a support group, Positive Living. Confidential Rapid HIV testing is provided in-house and at venues throughout our target area. Our staff also provides two CDC-approved interventions, RESPECT and CLEAR. Provides Information, Support-General, Testing, Counseling, Support-Housing

Southeast Mississippi Rural Health Initiative, Inc.

66 Old Airport Road
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
(601) 582-2619
<http://www.semrhi.com>

Hours of Operation:

Monday - Friday 8:00am - 5:30pm

Services Provided: Ambulatory HIV care, comprehensive medical case management, emergency financial assistance for medications, transportation assistance, speciality referrals, and monthly consumer advisory board meetings. Provides condoms, testing, care and treatment, Support-Drug, Support-Transportation

Bethesda Project

P.O. Box 1255
Hattiesburg, MS 39403
1-888-983 4387 or (601) 583-4387
www.bethesdaprojectinc.org
Email info@bethesdaprojectinc.org

Hours of Operation:
Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday
9:00am - 8:00pm
Wednesday and Friday 9:00am - 6:00pm
Saturday: By Appointment only

Services Provided: Rental Issues, life skills,
budget counseling, foreclosure counseling,
home buying

The Lighthouse

204 Eupora Street
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
(601) 544-2169

Services Provided: A non-profit organization
that is focused on serving the needs of
homeless families by reaching out through
meeting both short term and long term
needs.

- Food
- Shelter
- GED Classes
- Other classes including: parental classes
to money management, spiritual
guidance
- Counseling

American Red Cross

2020 Hardy St.
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
(601) 582-8151

Salvation Army

5670 US 49
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
(601) 544-3684

Services Provided: Rent, Prescriptions, Eye
Glass Program, Food, Shelter, Travel Aid for
people who are stranded. Administrator of
FEMA funds for food vouchers. Food Pantry.
Christmas Yulecare Program. Food provided at
disaster site or disaster shelter.

Goodwill of Mississippi – Hattiesburg

5916 US 49
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
(601) 584-0448

Christian Services

301 East 2nd St.
Hattiesburg, MS 39402
(601) 582-5683

Services Provided: The Soup Kitchen,
Operation Compassion – Food Delivery
service to low-income areas, Meals on Wheels,
Loving Hands – provides emergency help for
utilities, medicine, groceries, etc., Bargains
and Blessings-Outreach Thrift Store, Free Tax
Services

Breadbasket
(601) 584-7574

Hours of Operation: Mornings

Services Provided: Three-day supply of food, delivered, if necessary, to needy individuals and families in Hattiesburg/Petal area. Limited canned goods for transients.

Supported by various Hattiesburg churches.

Catholic Social Services
2707 McInnis Loop
Hattiesburg, MS 39402
(601) 261-5320

Edwards St. Fellowship Center
1919 Edwards Street
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
(601) 544-6149

Hours of Operation:
Thursday - Friday 9:00am - 4:00p,
Monday - Wednesday 9:00am - 2:00pm

Services Provided: Food pantry provides emergency and supplemental food every month from the following Mississippi counties: Covington, Forrest, Jasper, Jeff Davis, Jones, Lamar and Wayne. Eligibility is determined by household income using Mississippi Food Network guidelines.

Ephesus Seventh Day Adventist Community Service Center
500 Helveston Road
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
Home: (601) 544-5747
Church: (601) 544-1802

Services Provided: Canned Goods, Clothing, Financial Assistance.

Emergency Food
(601) 554-4350

Forrest County Department of Human Services
P.O. Box 1938
Hattiesburg, MS 39403

Services Provided: SNAP (Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program); Food Stamp Program; eligibility based on income and resources.

604 West Pine Street
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
(601) 554-4350 (DHS)
(601) 554-4200

Emergency Welfare Transportation

(601) 554-4950

(601) 554-4350

1-800-757-9665

Services Provided: Limited transportation available for Medicaid recipients

PRVO: Community Action Agency

Hattiesburg Office: (601) 544-1394

Main Office – Columbia: (601) 736-9564

Mississippi Center for Legal Services Corp.

P.O. Drawer 1728

111 E. Front Street

Hattiesburg, MS 39401

(601) 545-2950

Services Provided: Legal services for those unable to pay, cases concerning domestic matters, debts, deeds, public assistance and other civil matters. (No general cases, no workman's compensation and no adult criminal cases.)

Eligibility based on income; no fees except filing fee.

Social Security Administration

1911 Broadway Drive

Hattiesburg, MS 39402

(601) 264-6905

Supplemental Security Income – SSI Administration

(601) 544-7351

Mississippi Medicaid Regional Office

132 Mayfield Road

Hattiesburg, MS 39402

(601) 264-5386

Resources Available in Greene County

Mental Health; Drug & Alcohol Assistance

Pine Belt

P.O. Box 526
1501 Lackey Street
Leakesville, MS 39451
(601) 394-5047
Fax: (601) 394-6542

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday, 8:00am - 5:00pm

Services Provided: Mental Health Treatment for adolescents and adults

Pine Grove

2255 Broadway Drive
Hattiesburg, MS 39402
(601) 288-4125
1-888-574-4673
www.pinegrovetreatment.com

Services Provided: A Pine Grove Behavioral Health and Addiction service in Hattiesburg offering a continuum of services ranging from outpatient to inpatient and residential treatment for adults, children and adolescents suffering from psychiatric and addictive diseases.

Human Services Agencies

Greene County Human Services

1008 Jackson Avenue
Leakesville, MS 39451-9141
(601) 394-2362

Services Provided: Emergency Food and Shelter Program; Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP); assistance for low income families, housing, taxes and budgeting, HeadStart, Community Service Block Grant

Pearl River Valley Opportunity Greene County

313-A Lafayette
Leakesville, MS 39451
(601)-394-2248

Services Provided: Emergency Food and Shelter Program; Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP); assistance for low income families, housing, taxes and budgeting, HeadStart, Community Service Block Grant

Gulf Coast Community

Action Agency, Inc.
500 24th Street
Gulfport, MS 39502-0519
228-896-1409
www.gccaa.org

Services Provided:

Offers low income programs for the regions of George, Greene, Hancock, Harrison, Stone. Call to apply for energy bill assistance/LIHEAP and other aid, such as senior meals. Gulf Coast Community Action Agency, Inc. offers an array of programs. Community Service Block Grant, Head Start, Federal Emergency Management Assistance (FEMA), Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP), Homeownership Counseling, HUD Housing Counseling, Emergency Shelter Grant, Working On Winning Workforce Investment Act Program, and Earned Income Tax Credit Services. These programs offer a variety of social services that include case management, emergency services, housing, employment health services, early childhood education, nutrition, transportation, income management, and tax preparation. Families also have access to community resources, job training, and direct support.

Health and Medical Services

Greene County Health Department

1799 South Davis Street
Leakesville, MS 39451
(601) 394-2389
<http://msdh.ms.gov/>

Hours of Operation:

Monday and Wednesday 8:00am - 5:00pm

Services Provided: Breast & Cervical Cancer, Child Health (EPSDT), Children's Health Insurance, Children's Medical Program, Diabetes control, Early Intervention (First Steps), Family Planning, Hypertension (High blood pressure), Immunization, Perinatal High Risk Management/Infant Services System (PHRM/ISS), STD/HIV testing, management, Pregnancy Tests, Tuberculosis, WIC-Nutrition Services

Leakesville Dental Clinic

1614 William S. Dr.
Leakesville, Mississippi, 39451-5622
(601) 394-2866

Hours of Operation:

Monday and Wednesday 8:00am - 5:00pm

Services Provided: Dental Services for adults and children

State Line Clinic

52 Kennedy St.
State Line, MS 39362-9519
(601) 394-2866
(601) 848-7912

Hours of Operation:

Monday and Wednesday 8:00am - 5:00pm

Greene County Hospital

1017 Jackson Avenue
Leakesville, MS 39451
(601) 394-4135
Fax: (601) 394-2593

Hours of Operation:

Open 24 hours/ 7 days a week

Services Provided: Emergency Services,
Hospital Services

Leakesville Medical Center

(601) 394-4660
Fax: (601) 394-2593

Hours of Operation:

Monday and Wednesday 8:00am - 5:00pm

Services Provided: Medical Care

Coastal Family Health Center

1616 Williams Dr.
Leakesville, MS 39451

Medical, Dental, & Optometry
(601) 394-2381

Services Provided: Family Practice, Dentistry,
School-Based Health Services, Pediatrics,
Optometry, Radiology, Lab, Behavioral Health,
Telepsychiatry, Social Services & Medication
Assistance, Medicaid Outreach Station

Housing Services

Mississippi Regional Housing

800 Pecan Circle
Lucedale, MS 39452
(601) 947-7414

Hours of Operation:

Monday - Friday 8:00am - 5:00pm

Services Provided: The housing authority provides housing assistance to low income residents through the management of low rent public housing This program is income based and the eligibility guidelines are set by HUD.

Richton Housing Authority

203 Walnut Ave N
Richton, MS 39476
(601) 788-6231

Hours of Operation:

Monday - Friday 8:00am - 5:00pm

Services Provided: The housing authority provides housing assistance to low income residents through the management of low rent public housing This program is income based and the eligibility guidelines are set by HUD.

Childcare Services

Bettie's ABC Advanced Child Care 2 – Licensed Childcare Facility

1575 Industrial Park Rd.
Leakesville, MS 39451
(601) 818-9031

Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children

Services Provided: Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children

Education

Leakesville Library

301 Lafayette Avenue
Leakesville, MS 39451
(601) 394-2897

Hours of Operation:

Monday - Friday 9:00am - 5:00pm

Greene County School District

530 Main St.
Leakesville, MS 39451
(601) 394-2364

McLain Attendance Center

300 Shows St
McLain, MS 39456
(601) 753-2257

Sand Hill Attendance Center

39455 Hwy 63 Richton, MS 39476
(601) 989-2021

Jones County Community College

167 Vo Tech Rd.
Leakesville, MS 39451
(601) 394-4421

Services Provided CTE Welding, Computer Training, Adult Education Classes, Academic Classes, CTE Pipefitting, Workforce Welding, Safety Training, Life Support Certification Courses, Workforce Pipefitting

Placement Services

Domestic Abuse Family Shelter, Inc.

PO Box 273

Laurel, MS 39441-0273

Statewide 24-hour crisis line:

1-800-649-1092

Local crisis line Laurel:

(601) 428-8821

Local crisis line Hattiesburg:

(601) 582-2102

Business office Laurel:

(601) 428-1707

Court Advocate Information Line:

(601) 498-0157

www.domesticabusefamilyshelter.org

dafss@bellsouth.net

Hours of Operation:

Open 24 hours/ 7 days a week

Services Provided: Statewide 24-hour crisis line, 24-hour emergency shelter in Hattiesburg and Laurel up to 90 days, Temporary housing, food, transportation, and personal hygiene articles, Information and referrals regarding financial, medical, legal, housing, employment and educational assistance, Individual and group counseling on site (shelter), as well as off-site (community), Victim advocacy in justice and municipal courts in 9 of the 11 counties, Aftercare case management up to 90 days after departure from the shelter, Children's program (therapeutic childcare, crisis counseling), Public education, outreach, and community awareness prograMS Domestic Violence Intervention Program for abusers

Counties Served: Covington, Forrest, Greene, Jasper, Jefferson Davis, Jones, Lamar, Marion, Perry, Smith, and Wayne.

Jones County Department of Human Services (Child Protective Services)

5110 Highway 11 North

Ellisville, MS 39437

(601) 426-2266

Employment Services

Laurel WIN Job Center

2139 Mississippi 15

Laurel, MS 39440

(601) 399-4000

<http://mdes.ms.gov/win-job-centers/>

laureljobcenter@mdes.ms.gov

Hours of Operation:

Monday - Friday 8:00am - 5:00pm

Closed Wednesdays at 4:00pm

Services Provided: Job Placement, Priority Services for Veterans, WIA, TAA

Resources Available in Jones County

Mental Health; Drug & Alcohol Assistance

Clearview Recovery Center

#3 Clearview Circle
Moselle, MS 39459
(601)-545-1499

Hours of Operation:
Open 24 hours/ 7 days a week

Services Provided: inpatient and outpatient
for addictive diseases

Laurel Children's Center

1721 W. 10th St
Laurel, MS 39440
(601) 425-9322

Services Provided: Mental health services for
children

Pine Belt Mental Healthcare Resources Mental Health Center

PO Box 113
5192 Hwy 11 North
Laurel, MS 39440
(601) 649-7921
www.pbmhr.com

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday, 8:00am - 5:00pm

Services Provided: Individual and group
counseling for adults and children; alcohol
and drug dependency, and marital problems

Westway Behavioral Healthcare

934 West Drive
Laurel, MS 39440
(601) 426-7520
(601) 428-5790 Fax

Dying to Live

301 Nth 2nd Avenue
Laurel, MS 39440
Contact person:
Angela or Lynn - (601) 335-3474
Tammy - (601) 319-7437
<http://dyingtolive.nationbuilder.com/>

Services Provided: Faith-based addiction
recovery ministry that uses a non-traditional
version of the 12 step model to break the
cycle of addiction and help people recover.

South Central Regional Medical Recovery Center

1220 Jefferson St., Box 607
Laurel, MS 39441
(601) 426-4381
Contact: Anna Hamilton

Hours of Operation:
Open 24 hours/ 7 days a week

Services Provided: Inpatient, CDU, Recovery
Support, Detoxification, Adult Males/Females

Pine Grove Behavioral Health & Addiction Services

2255 Broadway Drive
Hattiesburg, MS 39402
(601) 288-2273

Services Provided: Adolescent Alcohol & Drug Outpatient Program

Domestic Abuse Family Shelter – Laurel

210 E Kingston St.
Laurel MS 39440
(601) 428-1707

Ellisville State School

1101 Hwy 11 South
Ellisville, MS 39437
(601) 477-9384

Services Provided: Community Services System – offers living arrangements for persons with intellectual and developmental disabilities in a more independent environment. Residential Services, Meaningful Day Services, Special Education School

Human Services

Jones County Department of Human Services

5110 Highway 11 North
Ellisville, MS 39437
(601) 426-1200

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday, 8:00am - 5:00pm

Services Provided: DHS Economic Assistance, TANF, SNAP Food Stamps, LIHEAP

Pearl River Valley Opportunity Inc. Jones County

130 North 12th Avenue
Laurel, MS 39440
(601) 428-3171
<http://prvoinc.org/>

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday, 8:00am - 5:00pm

Services Provided: Emergency Food and Shelter Program; Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP); assistance for low income families, housing, taxes and budgeting, HeadStart, Community Service Block Grant

Health and Medical Services

Family Health Center, Inc.

117 S. 11th Ave.
Laurel, MS 39440-4312
(601) 425-3033

After Hours

Call: (800) 957-3033

Hours of Operation:

Monday - Tuesday 8:00am - 7:00pm
Wednesday - Thursday 8:00am - 5:00pm
Friday 8:00am - 12:00pm (Pediatrics only)
Closed Sundays

Services Provided: DHS Economic Assistance,
TANF, SNAP Food Stamps, LIHEAP

Family Health Center - Sandersville Clinic

203 Broad St
Sandersville, MS 39477
(601) 426-9918
<http://www.lfhc.net/>

Hours of Operation:

Monday - Tuesday 8:00am - 7:00pm
Wednesday - Thursday 8:00am - 5:00pm
Friday 8:00am - 12:00pm

Services Provided: Internal Medicine,
Pediatrics, Telemedicine, OB/GYN, WIC,
Dental Care, Vision, Pharmacy, Social Services,
Behavioral Health Services, Allergy Testing,
Smoking Cessation, Diabetes Education,
Speed Pathology, PRHM/ISS, Ryan White
Program

Jones County Health Department

5167 US-11
Ellisville, MS 39437
(601) 426-3258
<http://msdh.ms.gov/>

Hours of Operation:

Monday - Friday 8:00am - 5:00pm

Services Provided: Breast & Cervical Cancer,
Child Health (EPSDT), Children's Health
Insurance, Children's Medical Program,
Diabetes control, Early Intervention (First
Steps), Family Planning, Hypertension (High
blood pressure), Immunization, Maternity,
Perinatal High Risk Management/Infant,
Services System (PHRM/ISS), Social Work, STD,
HIV, Tuberculosis, WIC

South Central Urgent Care

1430 Jefferson St.
Laurel, MS 39440
(601) 425-2273

Children's Clinic – Hattiesburg

4210 Lincoln Rd.
Hattiesburg, MS
(601) 261-3500

Pediatric Clinic – Hattiesburg

1101 S 28th Ave.
Hattiesburg, MS 39402
(601) 579-3000

Children’s Medical Group – Hattiesburg

39 Franklin Rd. #220
Hattiesburg, MS 39402

**Laurel Family Health Center/OB-GYN
Clinic**

103 South 12th Ave.
Laurel, MS 39440
(601) 399-1970

Laurel Pediatric Clinic

234 12th Ave.
Laurel, MS 39440
(601) 649-3520

Forrest General Hospital

6051 US 49
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
(601) 288-7000

South Central Regional Medical Center

1220 Jefferson St
Laurel, MS 39440
(601) 426-4000

Merit Health Wesley

5001 Hardy St
Hattiesburg, MS
(601) 268-8000

**Women’s Pavilion of South Mississippi
(Hattiesburg)**

6524 US-98
Hattiesburg, MS 39402
(601) 268-9393

**Women’s Pavilion of South MS
(Ellisville)**

1242 MS-29
Ellisville, MS 39437
(601) 268-9393

OB-GYN Group of Laurel

1008 N 15th Ave
Laurel, MS 39440
(601) 649-5421

OB-GYN Group of Ellisville

1102 Ave B
Ellisville, MS 39437
(601) 477-2226

28th Place Hattiesburg Clinic

421 S 28th Ave #200
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
(601) 268-5640

Ellisville Pediatric Clinic

1203 B Ave
Ellisville, MS 39437
(601) 477-3550

Medicaid Division

1100 Hillcrest Dr
Laurel, MS 39440
(601) 425-3175

Employment Services

Laurel WIN Job Center

2139 Mississippi 15
Laurel, MS 39440
(601) 399-4000
<http://mdes.ms.gov/win-job-centers/>
laureljobcenter@mdes.ms.gov

Hours of Operation:

Monday - Friday 8:00am - 5:00pm
Closed Wednesday at 4:00pm

Services Provided: Job Placement, Priority
Services for Veterans, WIA, TAA

Onin Staffing

2261 Hwy 15 North
Laurel, Mississippi 39440
601.398.9625

South Mississippi Planning and Development District (SMPDD) Youth Workforce Training Program

@ The Kress Building - Downtown
402 Central Ave
3rd Floor, Suite 302
Laurel, MS 39440
(601) 342-8220

Services Provided: Work readiness training, paid work experience, tutoring, support services for ages of 16 to 24 out of school or current high school seniors.

Placement Services

Domestic Abuse Family Shelter, Inc.

PO Box 273
Laurel, MS 39441-0273

Statewide 24-hour crisis line:
1-800-649-1092

Local crisis line Laurel:
(601) 428-8821

Local crisis line Hattiesburg:
(601) 582-2102

Business office Laurel:
(601) 428-1707

Court Advocate Information Line:
(601) 498-0157

www.domesticabusefamilyshelter.org

Counties Served: Covington, Forrest, Greene, Jasper, Jefferson Davis, Jones, Lamar, Marion, Perry, Smith, and Wayne

Hours of Operation:

- Shelter: 24-hours a day, 7 days a week
- Business Office, Aftercare Case Management Program, and Children's Program - Monday - Friday, 8:00am - 5:00pm
- Domestic Violence Intervention Program and support groups are held by appointment.
- Closed Wednesday at 4:00pm

Services Provided: Statewide 24-hour crisis line, 24-hour emergency shelter in Hattiesburg and Laurel up to 90 days, Temporary housing, food, transportation, and personal hygiene articles, Information and referrals regarding financial, medical, legal, housing, employment and educational assistance, Individual and group counseling on site (shelter), as well as off-site (community), Victim advocacy in justice and municipal courts in 9 of the 11 counties, Aftercare case management up to 90 days after departure from the shelter, Children's program (therapeutic childcare, crisis counseling), Public education, outreach, and community awareness programs Domestic Violence Intervention Program for abusers

MS Baptist Child and Youth Care

6 David Patterson Road
Moselle, MS 39459
(601) 596-3786

Hours of Operation: Contact agency

Services Provided: Shelter for homeless children ages 12-18. Independent living shelter/homes for youth 17-21 with or without mild disabilities and/or homeless. Youth must hold job/ looking for a job. Youth must abide by all rules/staff request. Youth must share a portion of their earnings for transportation and living arrangements

Pregnancy and Parenting

Choices Clinic of Laurel

115 South Magnolia Street
Laurel, MS 39440
(601) 428-4357

Hours of Operation:

Monday - Thursday - 8:30am - 3:30pm
Tuesday 8:30am - 5:00pm (appointment only)

Services Provided: Free Pregnancy Testing, Pregnancy Health education, Limited Ultrasound, STI/STD Testing and Education, Group Classes, Male Mentoring

Jones County Department of Human Services/ MS Dept of Child Protective Services

U.S. Highway 11 Ellisville, MS
(601) 426-1200

Services Provided: Child Support, Food Assistance, Parenting Classes

Jones County Health Department

5167 US-11
Ellisville, MS 39437
(601) 426-3258
<http://msdh.ms.gov/>

Services Provided: Child Health (EPSDT, Children's Health Insurance, Children's Medical Program, Early Intervention (First Steps), Family Planning, Immunization, Perinatal High Risk Management/Infant Services System (PHRM/ISS), STD/HIV, WIC

Housing

Laurel Housing Authority

701 Beacon St.
Laurel, MS 39440
(601) 425-4651

Hours of Operation:

Monday - Friday 8:00am - 5:00pm

Services Provided: Housing assistance to low income individuals

MS Regional Housing Authority VIII

228 Broadway Dr
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
(601) 582-7664

Services Provided: Administers housing choice vouchers, rental assistance, has public housing units

Project Recovery Rapid Re-Housing Program

Bond Hall, 4th floor 118 College Drive
#5163
Hattiesburg, MS 39406
(601) 266-5163

Services Provided: Services available include up to three months of financial assistance toward locating, obtaining and maintaining permanent housing. Eligible families must also have the capacity to financially maintain housing and have a verifiable income such as employment, child support or Social Security.

MUTEH

201 W Capitol St
Jackson, MS 39201
Phone (601) 960-0557

Services Provided: Assistance if you are homeless, in risk of losing your home, a homeless veteran, if you are a landlord with tenants behind on rent.

Habitat for Humanity

5191 Old Hwy 42, Hattiesburg, MS 39402
(601) 582-4663

Services Provided: Assist families in home construction, help elderly in need of housing revitalization, disaster response, financial education.

Shadowood Park

2600 Old Amy Road
Laurel, MS 39440
(601) 425-4190

Childcare

Early Head Start Brown Circle

152 Brown Circle
Laurel, MS 39440-5514
(601) 426-1013

Loving Mothers Child Care Center

404 W Paulding Road
Ellisville, MS 39437
(601) 447-3920

Kids Kingdom Learning Center

19 Bates Road
Laurel, MS 39443
(601) 649-1299
Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children

Sunshine Zoo Child Daycare

230 N 17th Avenue
Laurel, MS 39440
(601) 426-9612

Hours of Operation:

Monday - Friday 6:00am - 5:30pm

**Highland Baptist Kindergarten-Day
Care**

2513 North 7th Avenue
Laurel, MS 39440-2215
(601) 425-4225

Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children

First Trinity Early Learning Center

500 North 5th Avenue
Laurel, MS 39440-3411
(601) 649-7991

Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children

**Kids Kingdom Child Care
and Learning Center**

19 Bates Road
Laurel, MS 39443-0942
(601) 649-1299

**Great Expectations Children
Learning Center**

1816 Short 3rd Ave.
Laurel, MS 39440
(601) 342-5961

Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children

Angie's Child Development Center

1603 Susie B Ruffin Ave.
Laurel, MS 39440
(601) 422-8718

Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children

Bright Beginnings

1108 B Ave.
Ellisville, MS 39437
(601) 477-9330

**Bulldog University Learning
Center, Inc.**

188 Moselle Seminary Rd.
Moselle, MS 39459
(601) 596-2539

Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children

Children's Academy

232 S 12th Ave
Laurel, MS 39440
(601) 425-7563

Jones College Center for Child Development

900 S Court St.
Ellisville, MS 39437
(601) 477-4183

Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children

King Star Head Start/Early Head Start

1025 W 6th St.
Laurel, MS 39440
(601) 649-6503

Lil' Darlings

1503 W 9th St.
Laurel, MS 39440
(601) 422-8221

Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children

Millcreek Church of God Daycare Center

2247 Mill Creek Rd.
Laurel, MS 39443
(601) 428-4292

Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children

Queen Olive Head Start Center

518 Madison Street
Laurel, MS 39440
(601) 425-584

The Children's Depot, LLC

224 Lower Myrick Rd
Laurel, MS 39443
(601) 342-5240

The Tepee, LLC

24 Warrior Rd
Ellisville, MS 39437
(601) 477-8660

Education

Laurel-Jones County Library

www.laurel.lib.ms.us

Laurel Jones County Library

(601) 428-4313 ext 104
530 Commerce Street
Laurel, MS 39440-3998

Ellisville Public Library

(601) 477-9271
201 Poplar Street
Ellisville, MS 39437-2750

Hours of Operation:

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, & Friday
8:00am - 6:00pm
Saturday - 10:00am - 2:00pm
Wednesday & Sunday – Closed

Services Provided: Robotics, STEM, Summer Reading, Summer Tutoring, Computer Services, etc.

Jones County Early Head Start Center

148 Brown Circle
Laurel, MS 39440
(601) 426-1013

Hours of Operation:

Monday - Friday 7:30am - 4:30pm

Services Provided: Comprehensive early development program that serves infants, toddlers, pregnant women and their families

King Star Head Start/Early

Head Start Center
1025 W. 6th Street
Laurel, MS 39440
(601) 649-6503

Hours of Operation:

Monday - Friday 7:30am - 4:30pm

Services Provided: Comprehensive early development program that serves children ages 3 to 5 years of age; comprehensive early development program that serves infants, toddlers, pregnant women and their families

Queen Olive Head Start Center

518 Madison Street
Laurel, MS 39440
(601) 425-584

Hours of Operation:

Monday - Friday 7:30am - 4:30pm

Services Provided: Comprehensive early development program that serves children ages 3 to 5 years of age

Jones County Junior College

900 S Court St
Ellisville, MS 39437
(601) 477-4000

**Jones County Junior College –
Mibest Program**
(601) 477-2228

Services Provided: Mississippi Integrated Basic Education and Skills Training Program (MI-Best) in partnership with Mississippi community colleges quickly teaches students literacy, work, and college-readiness skills so they can move through school and into living wage jobs faster. Eligible: Mississippians, age 17 and older, who lack a high school diploma or equivalency.

Pathways Available:

- Commercial Truck Driving
- Healthcare Assistant
- Welding Technology
- Commercial and Residential Maintenance
- Healthcare Data Technology
- Office Systems Technology

**Jones County Junior College –
Adult Education Department**
(601) 477-4164

Services Provided: The Adult Education Department of Jones College provides opportunities for individuals to improve basic skills, obtain a high school equivalency, and proceed to college or the workforce. There are multiple paths to take to earn the Mississippi High School Equivalency Diploma

Laurel School District
303 West 8th St.
Laurel, MS 39440
(601) 649-6391

Jones County School District
5204 Hwy. 11
N Ellisville, MS 39437
(601) 649-5201

Ellisville State School
1101 Hwy 11
South Ellisville, MS 39437
(601) 477-9384

Services Provided: Special Education School

Children's Program

Kids Kingdom Learning Center

19 Bates Road
Laurel, MS 39443
(601) 649-1299

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday 6:00am - 6:00pm

Services Provided: After School Care for kindergarten through 6th grade

Lil Darlings of Laurel

1503 West 9th Street
Laurel, MS 39440
(601) 651-2174

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday 2:00pm - 6:00pm

Services Provided: After School Care for kindergarten through 6th grade

Support Services

American Red Cross

401 W Oak St # 3
Laurel, MS 39440
(601) 426-9071
Disaster Relief

Salvation Army

129 N 13th Ave
Laurel, MS 39440
(601) 428-4232

Services Provided: Financial Assistance, Grocery Assistance, Food boxes, Clothing Assistance, Prescription Assistance, Emergency Shelter, Disaster Services, Holiday Assistance, Youth Program, Women's Ministry

Counties Served: Jones, Jasper, Smith, Simpson, Clarke, and Wayne

PRVO (Pearl River Valley Opportunity)

1104 W 1st St #7
Laurel, MS 39440
(601) 428-3171

The Shafer Center for Crisis Intervention

118 College Drive Box 5196
Hattiesburg, MS 39406
(601) 649-1721

D. J. Transit

1125 West 10th St.

Laurel, MS 39440

(601) 682-0701

Email: djtransitinc@gmail.com

www.djtransitinc.com

Services Provided: Employment Routes,
Service Provider, Community Transit

Jones County WIC Distribution Center

1222 Hillcrest Drive

Laurel, MS 39440

(601) 428-4178

Hours of Operation:

Monday - Friday 8:00am - 5:00pm

Services Provided: WIC provides supplemental foods, health care referrals, and nutrition education for low-income pregnant, breastfeeding, and non-breastfeeding postpartum women, and to infants and children up to age five who are found to be at nutritional risk

Resources Available in Perry County

Mental Health; Drug & Alcohol Assistance

Mental Health Center

PO Box 1167
91180 Hwy 42 West
Richton, MS 39476
(601) 788-6308
(601) 788-6349 Fax

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday 8:00am - 5:00pm

Services Provided: Mental Health Treatment
for adolescents and adults

Pine Belt Mental Healthcare Resources

PO Box 18679
4100 Mamie St
Hattiesburg, MS 39402
(601) 705-1901
(601) 705-1952 (Fax)
www.pbmhr.com

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday 8:00am - 5:00pm

Services Provided: Mental Health Treatment
for adolescents and adults

Human Services

Perry County Department of Human Services

201 1st St.
New Augusta, MS 39462
(601) 964-8374

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday 8:00am - 5:00pm

Perry County WIC Distribution

200 3rd Avenue
New Augusta, MS 39462
(601) 964-3608

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday 8:00am - 5:00pm

Pearl River Valley Opportunity Inc. Perry County

105 Main Street Suite 6-8
New Augusta, MS 39462
(601) 964-8231
<http://prvoinc.org/>

Services Provided: Emergency Food and
Shelter Program, Low-Income Home Energy
Assistance Program (LIHEAP)

Health and Medical Services

New Augusta Family Health Center

404 Main St.
New Augusta, MS 39462
(601) 964-8391

Perry County Health Department

102 Main Street
New Augusta, MS 39462
(601) 964-3288
<http://msdh.ms.gov/>

Services Provided: Breast & Cervical Cancer, Child Health (EPSDT), Children's Health Insurance, Children's Medical Program, Diabetes control, Early Intervention (First Steps), Family Planning, Hypertension (High blood pressure), Immunization, Maternity, Perinatal High Risk Management/Infant Service System (PHRM-ISS) Case Management Program, Social Work, STD/HIV, Tuberculosis, WIC

Perry County General Hospital

206 Bay Avenue/ P.O. Box 1665
Richton, MS 39476
(601)788-6316

Services Provided: Emergency Services (ER), Radiology – Inpatient and Outpatient, Physical Therapy

Southeast Rural Health Initiative Beaumont Family Health Center

1411 Bradley Avenue
P.O. Box 235
Beaumont, MS 39423
(601) 784-3922

Hours of Operation:

- Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday
8:00 am – 5:30 pm,
- Thursday – 8:00 am – 12:00 pm

Services Provided: Annual Checkups, Diabetic Screening/Care, Diagnostic Lab, Comprehensive ExaMS General Medical Care, Immunizations, Minor Injury Treatment, Physicals, X-ray Referral, Ryan White Program, Preventative Health Screenings

Employment Services

Hattiesburg WIN Job Center
1911 Arcadia Street
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
(601) 584-1202
<http://mdes.ms.gov/win-job-centers/hattiesburgjobcenter@mdes.ms.gov>

Hours of Operation:
Monday-Friday 8:00am - 5:00pm
Closed Wednesday at 4:00pm

Services Provided: Job Placement, WIA Services, Priority Services for Veterans, TAA, Job Corps, typing & dictation testing, On-the-Job Training, refer to Adult Basic Education & Literacy

Placement Services

Domestic Abuse Family Shelter, Inc.
PO Box 273
Laurel, MS 39441-0273

Hours of Operation:
Open 24 hours/ 7 days a week

Statewide 24-hour crisis line:
1-800-649-1092

Local crisis line Laurel:
(601) 428-8821

Local crisis line Hattiesburg:
(601) 582-2102

Business office Laurel:
(601) 428-1707

Court Advocate Information Line:
(601) 498-0157

www.domesticabusefamilyshelter.org
dafss@bellsouth.net

Services Provided: Statewide 24-hour crisis line, 24-hour emergency shelter in Hattiesburg and Laurel up to 90 days, Temporary housing, food, transportation, and personal hygiene articles, Information and referrals regarding financial, medical, legal, housing, employment and educational assistance, Individual and group counseling on site (shelter), as well as off-site (community), Victim advocacy in justice and municipal courts in 9 of the 11 counties, Aftercare case management up to 90 days after departure from the shelter, Children's program (therapeutic childcare, crisis counseling), Public education, outreach, and community awareness programs
Domestic Violence Intervention Program for abusers

Counties Served: Covington, Forrest, Greene, Jasper, Jefferson Davis, Jones, Lamar, Marion, Perry, Smith, and Wayne

Pregnancy and Parenting

Perry County Health Department
102 Main Street
New Augusta, MS 39462
(601) 964-3288
<http://msdh.ms.gov/>

Services Provided: Breast & Cervical Cancer, Child Health (EPSDT), Children's Health Insurance, Children's Medical Program, Diabetes control, Early Intervention (First Steps), Family Planning, Hypertension (High blood pressure), Immunization, Maternity, Perinatal High Risk Management/ Infant Service System (PHRM-ISS) Case Management Program, Social Work, STD/ HIV, Tuberculosis, WIC

Housing

Richton Housing Authority
203 Walnut St
Richton, MS 39476
(601) 788-6231

Childcare

Richton Early Headstart
1107 Ash Ave
Richton, MS 39476
(601) 788-5863

Services Provided: comprehensive, community-based child development and family services program for primary preschool children of low income families

Richton Head Start Center
1301 Ash Avenue
Richton, MS 39476
(601) 788-5511 Office
(601) 788-5863 Fax

Services Provided: 4 classrooms, 75 children

Eva Ward, Center Administrator
email: eward@mapheadstart.org

Richton United Methodist
Church Preschool
500 Dogwood Avenue
Richton, MS 39476
(601) 788-6709

Union/Green Head Start Center

37765 Highway 63
Richton, MS 39476

Education

New Augusta Public Library

510 First Street East
New Augusta, MS 39462
(601) 964-3774

**Mississippi State University
(MSU) Extension**

103-B 2nd Street West
New Augusta, MS 39462
(601) 964-3668

Perry County School District

105 Main St.
P.O. Box 137
New Augusta, MS 39462
(601) 964-3211

Children's Program

Perry County 4-H Youth Agents

103 2nd St. W
New Augusta, MS 39462
Phone: (601) 964-3668

Services Provided: The 4-H Youth program strives to improve the quality of life for Mississippi 4-H'ers by developing the potential of young people and by providing "hands-on" (experiential) educational programs. Program priorities identified include leadership development, life skills training, developing positive self-esteem, and empowering volunteers. Programs are delivered through local county Extension offices to volunteer leaders.

Support Services

Pearl River Valley Opportunity Inc.

Perry County

105 Main Street Suite 6-8

New Augusta, MS 39462

(601) 964-8231

<http://prvoinc.org/>

Services: Emergency Food and Shelter Program, Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP)

Resources Available in Wayne County

Mental Health; Drug & Alcohol Assistance

Pine Belt Mental Healthcare Resources Mental Health Center

P.O. Box 611
1104B Cedar Street
Waynesboro, MS 39367
(601) 735-3350

Services Provided: As a comprehensive mental healthcare center, Pine Belt offers specialized services for children and their families, adults, the elderly, persons with developmental disabilities, persons with chemical dependencies and persons with a serious mental illness.

Pine Belt Mental Healthcare Resources

P.O. Box 18679
4100 Mamie St
Hattiesburg, MS 39402
(601) 705-1901
www.pbmhr.com

A Straight Path Counseling

906 Spring St.
Waynesboro, MS 39367
Phone: (601) 466-2186
bonnie@astraightpathcounseling.com

Hours of Operation:
By Appointment Only

Services Provided: Individual and family counseling for addiction, anxiety, depression and trauma

Human Services / Support Services

Wayne County Dept of Human Services

1104 Cedar St.
Waynesboro, MS 39367

Hours of Operation: 8:00am - 5:00pm

Economic Assistance
Phone: (601) 735-2847

Employment Training
Phone: (601) 735-2272

Family/Children Services
Phone: (601) 735-6254

Youth Services Counselor
Phone: (601) 735-2190

Samaritans Closet

702 Azalea Dr
Waynesboro, MS 39367
Phone: (601) 755-9068

Hours of Operation:

Monday - Tuesday 9:00am - 5:00pm
Wednesday - Closed
Thursday - Friday 9:00am - 5:00pm

Services Provided: Christian based organization offering food pantry and thrift store items for needy families (application and approval for services required)

WIC Food Distribution Center

1105 Bradley Dr
Waynesboro, MS 39367
(601) 735-5447

Hours of Operation:

Monday 8:00am - 5:00pm
Tuesday - Closed
Wednesday - Friday 8:00am - 5:00pm

Services Provided: provide women, infants & children with food, counseling, and access to health services

Neighborhood Service Center

1104 Cedar Street
Waynesboro, MS 39367
(601) 735-3470

Services Provided: Assistance with energy costs, employment services, weatherization of home for low income people primarily those who are disabled, elderly, and families with children, emergency food and shelter, volunteer income tax assistance, summer work program

Health and Medical Services

Wayne County Health Department

1100-A Cedar Street
Waynesboro, MS 39367
(601) 735-2351
<http://msdh.ms.gov/>

Hours of Operation:

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday
8:00am - 5:00pm

Services Provided: Breast & Cervical Cancer, Child Health (EPSDT), Children's Health Insurance, Children's Medical Program, Diabetes Control, Early Intervention (First Steps), Family Planning, Hypertension (High blood pressure), Immunization, Maternity (PHRM/ISS) Maternity and Infant Case Management Services, Social Work, STD/HIV Tuberculosis
WIC

Perry County Health Department

102 Main Street
New Augusta, MS 39462
(601) 964-3288
<http://msdh.ms.gov/>

Services Provided: Breast & Cervical Cancer, Child Health (EPSDT), Children's Health Insurance, Children's Medical Program, Diabetes control, Early Intervention (First Steps), Family Planning, Hypertension (High blood pressure), Immunization, Maternity, Perinatal High Risk Management/Infant Service System (PHRM-ISS) Case Management Program, Social Work, STD/HIV, Tuberculosis, WIC

Family Health Center Waynesboro Clinic

713 Lomax Avenue
Waynesboro, MS 39367
Phone: (601) 671-2400

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Tuesday 8:00am – 7:00pm
Wednesday - Thursday 8:00am – 5:00pm
Friday 8:00am – 12:00pm
Saturday 9:00am – 1:00pm (Pediatrics Only)
Sunday CLOSED

Services Provided: Internal Medicine, Pediatrics, Telemedicine, OB/GYN, WIC, Dental Care, Vision, Pharmacy, Social Services, Behavioral Health Services, Allergy Testing, Smoking Cessation, Diabetes Education, Speed Pathology, PRHM/ISS, Ryan White Program

Fast Pace Urgent Care

1008 Azalea Dr
Waynesboro, MS 39367
(601) 509-2584

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday 8:00am - 8:00pm
Saturday 8:00am - 6:00pm
Sunday 1:00pm - 5:00pm

Services Provided: COVID 19 testing center, provide treatments for a wide range of illnesses, injuries, and common conditions, as well as provide a variety of wellness, diagnostic, and screening services

Wayne General Hospital

950 Matthew Dr
Waynesboro, MS 39367
(601) 735-5151

Hours of Operation:
24 hours a day/ 7 days a week

Services Provided: Emergency medical services, diabetes management, general and acute care, home health, intensive care, etc. Women's Health – Adolescent Gynecology, Surgical Techniques, Preconception Counseling, Reproductive Evaluation and Fertility Treatments, Perimenopausal and Menopausal Medicine

Waynesboro Family Medicine

951 Matthew Dr
Waynesboro, MS 39367
(601) 735-2401

Hours of Operation:
Monday – Friday 8:00 am - 5:00pm

Services Provided: Offers fast, friendly and affordable medical service for everyone from infants to the elderly

Family Dental

500 Court St
Waynesboro, MS 39367
(601) 735-5462

Hours of Operation:
Monday – Thursday 8:00am - 5:00pm

Services Provided: General treatment, cosmetic smiles engineering, replacing missing teeth

Magnolia Smiles

806 MS Dr
Waynesboro, MS 39367
(601) 735-5086

Hours of Operation:
Monday – Thursday 8:00am - 5:00pm
Friday 8:00am - 12:00pm

Services Provided: Provides high quality, comprehensive dental care for individuals in and around the Waynesboro area; offers a wide range of preventive, restorative, and cosmetic procedures for patients of all ages

Employment Services

Laurel WIN Job Center

2139 Mississippi 15
Laurel, MS 39440
Phone: (601) 399-4000
<http://mdes.ms.gov/win-job-centers/laureljobcenter@mdes.ms.gov>

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday 8:00am-5:00pm
Closes Wednesday at 4:00pm

Services Provided: Job Placement, Priority Services for Veterans, WIA, TAA

Wayne County Career and Technical Center

100 Collins Street
Waynesboro, MS 39367
(601) 735-5036

Services Provided: Wayne County Career-Technical Center offers skills in the following twelve programs: AEST, Ag and Natural Resources, Business Design Technology, Heavy Equipment Operations, Construction and Carpentry, Culinary Arts, Diesel Service Tech, Health Sciences, Information Technology, Law & Public Safety, Teacher Academy, and Welding, as well as, STEM and Family and Consumer Science. Our goal is to provide students with the necessary skills to enter the workforce after high school graduation and/or continue their post-secondary education. Wayne County Career-Technical Center serves students from all of Wayne County including Wayne County High School, Wayne Academy, and home school students.

Placement Services

Domestic Abuse Family Shelter, Inc.

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Laurel, MS 39441-0273

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Court Advocate Information Line:
(601) 498-0157

www.domesticabusefamilyshelter.org
dafss@bellsouth.net

Hours of Operation:
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**Wayne County Family and Children
Services (DHS)**

1104-A Cedar Street
Waynesboro, MS 39637
(601) 735-6254

**Baptist Children's Village
Powell-Walley Campus**

5579 Hwy 84
Waynesboro, MS 39367
(601) 671-3553

Services Provided: Residential program to meet the long-term needs of children, ages 1 through 20

Pregnancy and Parenting

Wayne County Health Department

1100-A Cedar Street
Waynesboro, MS 39367
(601) 735-2351
<http://msdh.ms.gov/>

Hours of Operation:

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday
8:00am - 5:00pm

Services Provided: Breast & Cervical Cancer, Child Health (EPSDT), Children's Health Insurance, Children's Medical Program, Diabetes control, Early Intervention (First Steps), Family Planning, Hypertension (High blood pressure), Immunization, Maternity, (PHRM/ISS) Maternity and Infant Case Management Services, Social Work, STD/HIV, Tuberculosis, WIC

Housing

Waynesboro Housing Authority

1069 Wayne St.
Waynesboro, MS 39637
(601) 735-4522

Childcare

Annie's Day Care

10 Jo Land Dr.
Waynesboro, MS 39367
(601) 735-3678

Bridgeway Preschool

181 Tatum Rd.
Waynesboro, MS 39367
(601) 671-0025

Bryant Turner Head Start Center

215 Mississippi Dr.
Waynesboro, MS 39367
(601) 735-9844

First Baptist Early Learning Center

814 Azalea Dr.
Waynesboro, MS 39367
(601) 735-9880

Taylor Day Care and Learning Center

559 County Lake Denham Rd.
Waynesboro, MS 39367
(601) 735-2135

Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children

Tonya's Learning Center II

903 Hudson LN
Waynesboro, MS 39367
(601) 410-0095

Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children

Education

Bryant Turner Friends of Children of MS

215 MS Dr
Waynesboro, MS
(601) 735-9844

Services Provided: Friends of Children of Mississippi (FCM), Inc. provides quality Head Start and Early Head Start Services to 2205 Head Start enrollees and 495 Early Head Start (Birth to 5 years old).

Wayne Academy

46 Joe Jordan Dr
Waynesboro, MS
(601) 735-2921

Wayne Co School District

810 Chickasawhay St
Waynesboro, MS
(601) 735-5341

Services Provided: provide all students with the knowledge and skills necessary to prepare them for success in college, the workforce, and be responsible lifelong learners

Waynesboro-Wayne Co Library

1103 Mississippi Dr
Waynesboro, MS
(601) 735-2268

Hours of Operation:

Monday – Friday 9:00am - 6:00pm
Saturday 9:00am - 1:00pm

Services Provided: Individuals can send and receive faxes, surf the internet in computer lab or using our free Wi-Fi services.; library also hosts a number of workshops and free classes for patrons; quiet study areas, easy access to laser printers and onsite test proctoring, fax machines and copier use for resumes, notary services

Children's Program

Support Services

Wayne County School District

810 Chickasawhay St.
Waynesboro, MS 39367
(601) 735-4871

Mississippi State University (MSU)**Extension – Wayne County**

810-A Chickasawhay Street
Waynesboro, MS 39367
(601) 735-2243

Wayne County Career and Technical Center

100 Collins Street
Waynesboro, MS 39367
(601) 735-5036

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Ellisville State School

60 Joe Jordan Dr.
Waynesboro, MS 39637
(601) 671-0823

277 Ramey Lane
Waynesboro, MS 39637
(601) 671-0200

If you know of an organization that provides services to expectant and parenting youth that should be included in this Resource Guide, please contact us at contact@teenhealthms.org.

For more information, visit the PAF partners:

<https://www.msdh.ms.gov>
570 E Woodrow Wilson Ave,
Jackson, MS 39216



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<https://www.teenhealthms.org>

124 East Second St.
Clarksdale, MS 38614

125 S. Congress St.
Jackson, MS 39201

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