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.
As a young person who is expecting or a current parent, you might have some questions, which is why this guide has been created. This guide should help you find things like medical care, housing, job training, and other information and resources you might need.

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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, its 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.

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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

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RESOURCE GUIDE EXPECTING & PARENTING YOUTH
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.
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 you 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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Contraceptives 101

**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.
Contraceptives 101

PILL
This method uses the hormones progestin 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 SOUTHWEST MISSISSIPPI
Resources Available in Adams County

Mental Health; Drug & Alcohol Assistance

Southwest MS Mental Health Complex Region XI
1701 White Street
P.O. Box 768
McComb, MS 39649-0768
(601) 684-2173
(601) 249-4227 (Children’s Services)
Crisis Services: (877) 353-8689
www.swmmhc.org

Services Provided: Telehealth, 24/7 Crisis Services, Adult Therapeutic Services, Long Term Services, Children and Youth Therapeutic Services, Medical Services, Community Supports and Substance Use Services. Medicare, Medicaid, and sliding fee insurance.

Adams County Mental Health Office
Location
200 S. Wall St.
Natchez, MS 39120
(601) 446-6634

Adams County Children’s Services (Mental Health)
14 Feltus Street
Natchez, MS 39120
(601) 446-8649

River Place
217 O’Ferrall Alley
Natchez, MS 39120
(601) 442-3130

Family Connections Counseling Center, LLC
418 Liberty Rd
Natchez, MS 39120
(601) 653-0936
https://www.familyconnections counselorscenter.com/

Services Provided: Individual Therapy, Family Therapy, Group Therapy, Medication Management, Psychological Evaluations, After School Academic Assistance, Offender Alternatives

Brentwood Outreach Center
114 Lower Woodville Rd
Natchez, MS 39120
(601) 446-8622
Bruce Professional Counseling Services, LLC  
(Tracetown, Natchez, MS Office)  
55 Sergeant Prentiss Drive, Suite 102, Natchez, MS 39120  
(601) 304-5567  
https://www.bruceprofessionalcounseling.com/  

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

Services Provided: Community Support Services, Individual Psychotherapy, Crisis Response, Outpatient Services, MAP Team, Targeted Case Management, Peer Support Service, Wraparound Services

Suicide Prevention Services  
24 HR suicide Prevention Phone Service  
(601) 446-6634

Human Services

Adams County Department of Human Services (MDHS)  
150 East Franklin  
Natchez, MS 39120  
(601) 442-1482

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

Services Provided: Aging and Adult Services, Economic Assistance SNAP and TANF benefits, Childcare vouchers, Youth services, Assistance with workforce development

Regional Child Support Enforcement Office  
119 Jefferson Davis Blvd, Suite A  
Natchez, MS 39120  
(887) -882-4916

Social Security Office  
Ground Floor  
110 Lower Woodville Rd.  
Natchez, MS 39120  
(877) 405-4565  
Fax: (833) 554-0363

Hours of Operation:  
Monday - Friday 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.  
Phone calls only

Catholic Charities  
109 S Union St  
Natchez, MS 39120  
(601) 442-4579

Services Provided: Housing/Food
Medicaid Office
103 State Street
Natchez, MS 39120
(601) 445-4971
Fax: (601) 445-8161

AJFC Community Action Agency
1038 N Union Street #A
Natchez, MS 39120
(601) 442-8681
https://ajfccaa.org/

Serves Adams, Franklin, Jefferson and Wilkinson counties

Services Provided: Utilities and Rent Assistance

Health and Medical Services

Adams County Health Department
415 Hwy 61 North
Natchez, MS 39120
(601) 445-4601
http://msdh.ms.gov/
(601) 445-460
WIC Certification: (601) 445-2039

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

Services Provided:
Breast & Cervical Cancer Treatment Referrals, Child Health (EPSDT), Oral Health, Children's Medical Program, Chronic Disease Mgmt/Prevention, Early Intervention (First Steps), Family Planning, Immunization, PHRM/ISS - A medical, nutritional, and social support program for high-risk expectant mothers and infants, Social Work, STD/HIV testing and treatment, Tuberculosis test and treatment, WIC program

Merit Health Natchez
54 Sergeant Prentiss Dr.
Natchez, MS 39120
(601) 443-2100
www.merithealthnatchez.com

Merit Health Medical
Group - Primary Care
46 Sgt Prentiss Dr. #201,
Natchez, MS 39120
(601) 445-1715

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

Riverpark Medical Center
107 Front St.
Vidalia, LA 71373
(318) 336-2222
Jefferson Comprehensive Health  
145 Homochitto St  
Natchez, MS 39120  
(601) 442-4863  
https://www.jeffersoncomprehensivehealthcenter.com/  

Hours of Operation:  
Monday - Friday 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.,  
Closed from 12:00 p.m. - 1pm  

Services Provided: Adult Internal Medicine and Family Practice, After Hours Access, Affordable Health Insurance, MS Shine Project, Pediatrics, Women's Health, WIC, Preventative Dental Care, Optometry, Lab, HIV Counseling Screen, Mental Health, Behavioral and Substance Abuse, Patient Portal

Natchez After Hours Clinic  
46 Sgt Prentiss Dr., #101  
Natchez, MS 39120  
(601) 442-1900  
http://www.natchezafterhours.com/  

Hours of Operation:  
Monday - Friday 8:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m.,  
Saturday - Sunday 9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Borum Family Health Clinic  
131 Jefferson Davis Boulevard Suite F  
Natchez, MS 39120  
(601) 207-8846  
www.borumfamilyhealthclinic.com  

Hours of Operation:  
8:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.,  
Friday 8:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Natchez OB/GYN  
46 Sgt Prentiss Dr #201  
Natchez, MS 39120  
(601) 442-3701  

Hours of Operation:  
Monday - Thursday 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.,  
Friday 8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Miss Lou OB/GYN Center  
55 Sgt. Prentiss Dr. #100  
Natchez, MS 39120  
(601) 304-0020  

Hours of Operation:  
Monday - Thursday 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.,  
Friday 8:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Natchez Women’s Center  
46 Sgt Prentiss Dr #301  
Natchez, MS 39120  
(601) 442-4488  

Hours of Operation:  
Monday - Thursday 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.,  
Friday 8:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Natchez Pediatric Clinic  
136 Jefferson Davis Blvd  
Natchez, MS 39120  
(601) 442-5439  

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

Pediatric and Adolescence Clinic  
308 Highland Blvd  
Natchez, MS 39120  
(601) 442-7676
**Employment Assistance**

**Natchez WIN Job Center**  
107 Col John Pitchford Parkway  
Natchez, MS 39120  
(601) 442-0243  
natchezjobcenter@mdes.ms.gov  
https://mdes.ms.gov/win-job-centers/  

**Hours of Operation:**  
Monday - Friday 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.,  
Closed Wednesdays at 4:00 p.m.,  

**Services Provided:**  
Job Placement Assistance;  
Job and Skill Training, Guidance and Support; Priority Services for Veterans;  
Career Counseling; Job Corps Information;  
Trade Adjustment Assistance Benefits Information; Referral to Supportive Services;  
Referral to Vocational Rehabilitation Services; and Information about HUD Rental and Homeownership Program

**People’s Choice Staffing, LLC**  
405 Texas St  
Vidalia, LA 71373  
(318) 414-2280  

**Services Provided:**  
Temporary placement, temp to hire, permanent placement, direct hire

**WeStaff**  
311 Texas St  
Vidalia, LA 71373  
(318) 336-8811  
https://www.westaff.com/  

**Services Provided:**  
Temporary placement, temp to hire, permanent placement, direct hire

**Placement Resources**

**Sunshine Children’s Center (Shelter)**  
409 N. Union St.  
Natchez, MS 39120  
(601) 445-2223  
www.sunshineshelter.org  

**Services Provided:**  
Sunshine Children’s Center provides up to 45 days of care to children who have been taken into protective custody by the Dept. of Human Services because of allegations of abuse or neglect. Our house covers 13 counties in Mississippi known as MS Dept. of Human Services Region V. We take referrals from the Department of Human Services, but also accept children from parents who volunteer them. Our facility is operated by Fertile Ground, Inc. a private Mississippi 501(c) (3) non-profit corporation. The Sunshine Children’s Center is the only emergency shelter in Region V.
**MS Child Protection Services (MDCPS)**
148 Liberty Road
Natchez, MS 39120
(601) 442-7031
https://www.mdcps.ms.gov/

Services Provided: strengthen families; prevent child abuse, neglect and exploitation; and, promote child and family well-being and permanent family connections.

**Foster/Adoption Information Hotline**
(800) 821-9157

**Report Child Abuse/Neglect:**
By (800) 222-8000
https://reportabuse.mdcps.ms.gov/

**Pregnancy and Parenting**

**Center for Pregnancy Choice**
1401 Adams St
Vicksburg, MS 39180
(601) 638-2778
https://www.vicksburgpregnancy.com/

Services Provided: Pregnancy testing, limited ultrasound, health education, fetal, prenatal development and parenting, life and relationships skills classes.

**Adams County Health Department**
415 Hwy 61 North
Natchez, MS 39120
(601) 445-4601
WIC Certification: (601) 445-2039
http://msdh.ms.gov/

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

Services Provided: Pregnancy Test, Family Planning, PHRM/ISS Program - The Perinatal High-Risk Management/Infant Services System (PHRM/ISS) is a case management program for high-risk pregnant women and their babies less than one year old. PHRM/ISS provides enhanced access to health care, nutritional and psychosocial support, home visits, and health education.

**Housing**

**Natchez Housing Authority**
160 Saint Catherine St
Natchez, MS 39120
(601) 442-1978
Brumfield School Apts.  
100 St. Catherine Street  
Natchez, MS 39120  
(601) 445-4497

Carpenter One School Apts.  
702 North Union Street  
Natchez, MS 39120  
(601) 442-7337

Jeffersonian Apartments  
951 Old Washington Rd.  
Natchez, MS 39120  
(601) 446-5341

St. Francis Apartments  
Natchez, MS 39120  
(601) 445-9799

Southwest Ms Planning & Dev  
300 Franklin Street  
Natchez, MS  
http://www.swmpdd.com/  
(601) 304-021

Child Care

Thompson Head Start Center  
1038 North Union Street, Bldg. B  
Natchez, MS  
(601) 445-8878  
Hours of Operation:  
Monday - Friday 7:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.  
Services Provided: Head Start, Early Head Start

Center For Learning Achievement Student  
151 Pilgram Blvd  
Natchez, Ms 39120  
(769) 355-2195  
Hours of Operation:  
Monday - Friday 7:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.  
Services Provided: Special Needs, Full Day, School Age After School, Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children
Prince Street Daycare Center  
3 Prentiss St  
Natchez, Ms 39120  
(601) 445-9428

Hours of Operation:  
Monday - Friday 7:15 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

Services Provided: Early Head Start, Full Day, Summer Day, Half Day Morning & Afternoon, School Age After School, Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children

Crows & Tiaras Academy  
162 E Franklin St  
Natchez, Ms 39120  
(601) 653-0012

Hours of Operation:  
Monday - Friday 7:00 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

Services Provided: Full Day, Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children

Fallin Early Learning Center  
315 Sgt Prentiss Dr  
Natchez, Ms 39120  
(601) 445-2902

Hours of Operation:  
Monday - Friday 7:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Services Provided: Full Day

First Class Academy  
126 Crown Ct  
Natchez, Ms 39120  
(601) 653-0664

Hours of Operation:  
Monday - Friday 6:00 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.

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

Hansel & Gretel Child Development Center  
180b Sgt Prentiss Dr  
Natchez, Ms 39120  
(601) 442-7774

Hours of Operation:  
Monday - Friday 6:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

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

Holy Family Early Childhood Center  
8 Orange Ave  
Natchez, Ms 39120  
(601) 442-3947

Hours of Operation:  
Monday - Friday 7:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Services Provided: Full Day, Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children

Jefferson Street UMC Preschool  
511 Jefferson St  
Natchez, Ms 39120  
(601) 445-8098

Hours of Operation:  
Monday - Friday 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Services Provided: Half Day Morning
Kid’s College Child Care And Learning Center
116 Pilgrim Rd
Natchez, Ms 39120
(601) 445-5105

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday  7:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

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

Little Blessing Daycare
19 Ridgeway Rd
Natchez, Ms 39120
(601) 445-5300

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday, 7:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

Services Provided: Full Day

Playschool Childcare & Learning Center
25 E Franklin St
Natchez, Ms 39120
(601) 445-9277

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

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

Education

Adams County Arc
PO Box 1352
Natchez, MS 39121-1362
(601) 442-2264
https://autismnow.org/local/adams-county-arc-2/

Services Provided: The Autism NOW Center provides high quality resources and information in core areas across the lifespan to individuals with Autism Spectrum Disorders (ASD) and other developmental disabilities, their families, caregivers, and professional in the field. Focus areas include: Early detection, Early intervention, and Early education; Transition from high school into early adulthood; Community based employment; Advocacy for families and self-advocates; Community Inclusion; Aging Issues; Policy; Implementation of Health Care Reform, including Long Term Care Services and Supports; Family and Sibling Support; and Networking in local, state, and national arenas. We accomplish these goals in a variety of ways.

Copiah-Lincoln Community College
Natchez Campus
11 Co-Lin Circle
Natchez, MS 39120
(601) 442-9111
**Children’s Program**

**Boys and Girls Club**
64 Homochitto Street,  
Natchez, MS 39120  
(601) 304-5548

**Natchez-Adams School District**
Parent Center @ Natchez High School  
Campus Rm. 7  
319 Sgt Prentiss Dr  
Natchez, MS 39120  
(601) 445-7728
Natchez National Historical Park
210 State St
Natchez, MS 39120
(601) 446-5790
www.nps.gov

Support Services

American Red Cross
211 N Union St.
Natchez, MS
(601) 442-3656
https://www.redcross.org/
Services Provided: Crisis/Disaster Relief, Red Cross volunteers and staff work to deliver vital services - from providing relief and support to those in crisis, to helping you be prepared to respond in emergencies. - Disaster Relief, Life Saving Blood, Training and Certification, International Services, Military Families

Stewpot
69 E Franklin St.
Natchez, MS 39120
(601) 442-9413
Services Provided: provide meals for the hungry

First Assembly Food Pantry Outreach
King's Kabinet Food Pantry
150 Liberty Rd.
Natchez, MS 39120
(601) 442-3178
http://www.natchezfirstassembly.com/
Hours of Operation:
Tuesday 12:00 p.m. - 12:30 p.m.,
Closed on 5th Tuesdays

Heavenly House of Hope Career Closet
319 N. Dr. Martin Luther King Street
Natchez, MS 39120
(225) 803-5903

Natchez Transit System Services
800 Washington Street, Natchez, MS 39120
(601) 445-7568
Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday 4:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.
Weekends 5:00 a.m. 4:00 p.m.
(call for Sunday hours)
Services Provided: Serving as the only general public transportation provider in the county, NTS through coordinated and contracted services provides transportation for Southwest Mental Health - Life Skills, MS Department of Medicaid, Natchez Convention Center, Natchez Chamber of Commerce, Catholic Charities and Natchez Housing Authority. Coordination of service with private companies includes First Class Limousine and Bus Terminal Tours.
Natchez Children’s Services Children’s Advocacy Center
P.O. Box 2028
Natchez, MS 39120
Office: (601) 442-6858
Mobile: (601) 431-2598

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Thursday 8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.,
Friday 8:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Services Provided: Abuse Prevention services,
Darkness to Light, Children's Education Programs, forensic interviewing for children who are witnesses of crime or possible victims/survivors of sexual or physical abuse.

Catholic Charities Guardian Sexual Assault Center
109 S Union St
Natchez, MS 39120
(601) 442-0107
Administration and counseling
(601) 442-4579

ChildHelp USA
(800) 4-A-Child
(800) 422-4453
www.childhelp.org

Services Provided: National Child Abuse Hotline

Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault
Victims Crisis line: (601) 638-0555
Hotline: (800) 898-0860

National Center for Missing & Exploited Children
(800) The-Lost
(800) 843-5678
www.missingkids.com

National Runaway Switchboard
(800) RUNAWAY
(800) 843-5678
www.1800runaway.org

United Way of Greater Miss-Lou
206 N Canal St
Natchez, MS 39120
(601) 442-1081

Salvation Army
509 North Canal Street
Natchez, MS, 39120
(601) 442-1867
Resources Available in Amite County

**Mental Health; Drug & Alcohol Assistance**

**Region 11- Southwest Mississippi Mental Health Complex**
1701 White Street, P.O. Box 768
McComb, MS 39640-0768
(601) 684-2173 (Administration)
(601) 249-4227 (Children's Services)
Fax: 601)-249-4234
www.swmmh.org

Services Provided: To provide, quality, affordable, consumer-oriented, comprehensive behavioral health services. Our culturally sensitive, community-based services will work through appropriate inter-agency collaboration to enable our clients to attain their highest level of individual and family functioning in the least restrictive environment.

**Southwest MS Mental Health Complex**
Amite County Mental Health Office
315 Main Street
Liberty, MS 39645
(601) 657-4354
Fax: (601) 657-4397

Services Provided: We offer an array of community mental health services. These include individual, group and family therapies; medication evaluation and monitoring; testing, evaluation, and consultation; day treatment programs; substance abuse and dependence treatment; case management; emergency services. We are the comprehensive mental health service provider for southwest Mississippi.

**Family Connections Counseling Center, LLC**
418 Liberty Rd
Natchez, MS 39120
(601) 653-0936
https://www.familyconnectionscounselingcenter.com/

Services Provided: Individual, family and group therapy, medication management, and psychological evaluations.

**Human Services**

**Southwest MS Opportunity, Inc.**
123 East Main Street
Gloster, MS 39638
(601) 225-7878

Services Provided: Case management, weatherization, commodities, and prescription assistance, parenting classes, anger management and substance abuse and dependence treatment; case management; emergency services. We are the comprehensive mental health service provider for southwest Mississippi.
Amite County Department of Human Services (DHS)
185 Irene St.
Liberty, MS 39645
(601) 657-8066
dfo.amitecounty@mdhs.ms.gov

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

Services Provided: Aging and Adult Services, Economic Assistance SNAP and TANF benefits, Childcare vouchers, Youth services, Assistance with workforce development

Regional Child Support Enforcement Office
907 South Locust Street
McComb, MS 39648
(877) 882-4916

Southwest MS Opportunity
123 E Main St
Gloster, MS 39638
(601) 225-7878
http://www.swmocaa.org/welcome.html

Services Provided: organizes the community, mobilizes resources, and coordinates efforts that combat poverty and related problems of disadvantaged persons including: employment, education, housing, nutrition, income management, and economic development; promoting self-sufficiency by empowering individuals and families through available services, community partnerships, and networking.

Programs - Weatherization, Family Day Care Home (FDCH) Nutritional Assistance, Community Services, Case Management Assistance

Social Security Office
116 Business Center Dr
McComb, MS 39648
(866) 253-5609 (Phone only)

Medicaid Office
301 Apache Drive
McComb, MS 39648-6309
(601) 249-2071
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**Hours of Operation:**
Tuesday, Thursday and Friday, 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

**Services Provided:**
Oral Health, Breast & Cervical Cancer Treatment Referrals, Child Health (EPSDT), Children's Medical Program, Chronic Disease Mgmt/Prevention, Early Intervention (First Steps), Family Planning, Immunization, PHRM/ISS - A medical, nutritional, and social support program for high-risk expectant mothers and infants, Social Work, STD/HIV testing and treatment, Tuberculosis test and treatment, WIC program

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Personal Pediatric Care
303 A Mall Dr
McComb, MS 39648
(601) 324-3464
https://ppc-ms.com/#services

Services Provided: At Personal Pediatric Care, we’re proud to provide exceptional care for medically fragile and/or technology dependent children from infancy to 21 years for up to 10 hours a day at our McComb, MS location. We accept children from McComb and surrounding areas, even for children that attend school. Our specialized team offers skilled pediatric nursing care along with physical therapy, speech therapy and occupational therapy.

McComb Children’s Clinic
309 Llewellyn Ave
McComb, MS 39648
(601) 684-7623
http://www.mccombchildrensclinic.com/

Employment Assistance
Temp South Inc.
118 N 6th St
McComb, MS 39648
(601) 250-0800

Services Provided: Temporary placement, temp to hire, permanent placement, direct hire

Temp Staff
608 Delaware Ave
McComb, MS 39648
(601) 250-0800
https://www.tempstaff.net/

US Army Recruiting McComb
1607 Delaware Ave
McComb, MS 39648
(601) 331-6923
https://www.goarmy.com/
McComb WIN Job Center
1400-A Harrison Avenue
McComb, MS 39648
(601) 684-4421

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.;
Closed Wednesday at 4:00 p.m.

Services Provided: Job Placement Assistance;
Job and Skill Training, Guidance and
Support; Priority Services for Veterans; Career
Counseling; Job Corps Information; Trade Act
Adjustment Benefits Information; Referral to
Supportive Services; Referral to Vocational
Rehabilitation Services; Referral to Job Testing
Services; and Information about HUD Rental
and Homeownership Programs

Services For People With Disabilities
Provider: Dept. of Rehabilitation Services
(601) 684-4421

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

Service to Veterans
Provider: McComb WIN Job Center
(601) 684-4421

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

Resources for Individuals: TTY machine, Screen
Reader for the visually impaired, Computer,
Phone, Copier, Resume Preparation, Career
Planning & Assessment, Access to Training

Placement Resources

Mississippi Families For Kids
407 Briarwood Dr # 209
Jackson, MS 39206
(601) 957-7670
https://mffk.org/

Services Provided: Therapeutic Foster Care,
Adoption, Kinship Care Training, Respite
Care, Day Treatment Program, Afterschool
Program, Counseling, Family Support Groups,
Grandparent Support Groups, Conflict
Resolution, Parenting Classes, Trainings

MS Child Protection Services (MDCPS)
179 Irene Street
Liberty, MS 39645
(601) 657-4188
https://www.mdcps.ms.gov/

Services Provided: Strengthen families;
prevent child abuse, neglect and exploitation;
and, promote child and family well-being and
permanent family connections.

Foster/Adoption Information Hotline
(800) 821-9157

Report Child Abuse/Neglect:
(800) 222-8000
National Domestic Violence Hotline:
(800) 799-SAFE(7233) or (800) 787-3224

Pregnancy and Parenting

Amite County Health Department
1000 Irene Street
Liberty, MS 39645
(601) 657-8351
WIC Certification: (601) 657-8350 (T, Th)
www.msdh.ms.gov

Hours of Operation:
Tuesday, Thursday and Friday
8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Services Provided: Pregnancy Test, Family Planning, PHRM/ISS Program - The Perinatal High-Risk Management/Infant Services System (PHRM/ISS) is a case management program for high-risk pregnant women and their babies less than one year old. PHRM/ISS provides enhanced access to health care, nutritional and psychosocial support, home visits, and health education.

Crisis Pregnancy Center
406 Delaware Ave
McComb, MS 39648
(601) 684-3987

Housing

MS Regional Housing Authority
Section VIII Housing
130 Commerce Street
McComb, MS 39648
(601) 684-9503

MS Regional Authority
Public Housing Project
P.O. Drawer 748
130 Commerce Street
McComb, MS 39648
(601) 684-6422
Gloster United Methodist Church
309 1st Street
Gloster, MS 39638
http://www.umc.org/
(601) 225-4836

Child Care

Gloster Headstart
183 East Tate Stree
Gloster, Ms 39638
(601) 225-7036
Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday, 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Services Provided: Head Start

Liberty Headstart
400 West Freedom Drive
Liberty, MS 39645
(601) 657-4022
Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday, 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Services Provided: Head Start, Special Needs

Brightbeginners Learning Center
151 West Freedom Drive
Liberty, MS, 39645
(601) 657-9292

Education

Gloster Public Library
229 East Main Street
Gloster, MS 39638
(601) 225-4341

Amite County School District
533 Maggie St.
Liberty, MS 39645
(601) 657-4361

Southwest Mississippi Community College Adult Basic Education/GED
1156 College Dr
Summit, MS 39666
Regional Workforce Training Center
(601) 276-3846
Children’s Program

4-H Club @ MSU Extension-Amite County
185 Irene St.
Liberty, MS 39645
(601) 657-8937

Services Provided: Ages 5 to 18-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.

Southwest Mississippi Children’s Advocacy Center
Forensic Interview Office:
420 Delaware Ave.
McComb, MS 39648
(601) 684-4009

Therapy/ Business Office:
411 Maryland Ave.
McComb, MS 39648
(601) 600-8283

Support Services

Salvation Army
604 South Magnolia St.
Magnolia, MS 39648
(601) 249-0131

Southwest Mississippi Opportunity Center
123 East Main Street
Gloster, MS 39638
(601) 225-7878
## Resources Available in Franklin County

### Mental Health; Drug & Alcohol Assistance

**Region 11**  
**Southwest Mississippi Mental Health Complex**  
1701 White Street, P.O. Box 768,  
McComb, MS 39640-0768  
(601) 684-2173 (Administration)  
(601) 249-4227 (Children's Services)  
www.swmmhc.org  

**Services Provided:** To provide, quality, affordable, consumer-oriented, comprehensive behavioral health services. Our culturally sensitive, community-based services will work through appropriate inter-agency collaboration to enable our clients to attain their highest level of individual and family functioning in the least restrictive environment.

**Southwest MS Mental Health**  
315 Main Street  
Liberty, MS 39645  
(601) 657-4354  

**Services Provided:** We offer an array of community mental health services. These include individual, group and family therapies; medication evaluation and monitoring; testing, evaluation, and consultation; day treatment programs; substance abuse and dependence treatment; case management; emergency services. We are the comprehensive mental health service provider for southwest Mississippi.

### Human Services

**Franklin County Department of Human Services (MDHS)**  
90 Mill Road  
Bude, MS 39630  
(601) 384-5837  
Dfo.franklincounty@mdhs.ms.gov  
www.mdhs.ms.gov  

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

**Services Provided:** Aging and Adult Services, Economic Assistance SNAP and TANF benefits, Childcare vouchers, Youth services, Assistance with workforce development

**Regional Child Support Office**  
907 S. Locust St. #C  
McComb, MS 39648  
(877) 882-4916
### Health and Medical Services

**Franklin County Health Department**  
140 West Mill Road  
Bude, MS 39630  
(601) 384-5871  

*Hours of Operation:*
Tuesday and Thursday, 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.  

*Services Provided:*
Oral Health, Breast & Cervical Cancer Treatment Referrals, Child Health (EPSDT), Children’s Medical Program, Chronic Disease Mgmt/Prevention, Early Intervention (First Steps), Family Planning, Immunization, PHRM/ISS - A medical, nutritional, and social support program for high-risk expectant mothers and infants, Social Work, STD/HIV testing and treatment, Tuberculosis test and treatment, WIC program

**Franklin County Memorial Hospital**  
40 Union Church Road  
Meadville, MS 39653  
(601) 384-8100, (601) 384-5801  
www.fcmh.net

**Meadville Medical Clinic**  
115 B Hwy 556  
Meadville, MS 39653  
(601) 384-2396

**Bude Medical Clinic**  
136 Main Street  
Bude, MS 39636  
(601) 384-2395

### Employment Assistance

### Placement Resources

**MS Child Protection Services (MDCPS)**  
https://www.mdcps.ms.gov/  

*Services Provided:*
Strengthen families; prevent child abuse, neglect and exploitation; and, promote child and family well-being and permanent family connections.
Pregnancy and Parenting

Franklin County Health Department

140 Mill Road
P.O. Box 99
Bude, MS 39630
(601) 384-5871

Services Provided
Health services for women of all ages, especially mothers, and for children up to 18 years of age. Programs and information to benefit Mississippians of all ages who want to improve and secure their health. Preventive health programs are ongoing efforts to continually improve the health of Mississippi now and tomorrow. Essential programs for maintaining and promoting health. Through a combination of disease surveillance and programs to bring preventive information to the public, we work to protect Mississippians from the cost and burdens of disease.

Delta Health Alliance: Healthy Pregnancy Program

(662) 390-3948
https://deltahealthalliance.org/find-a-program/healthy-pregnancy/

Services Provided: The program is free. Participants meet monthly to receive pregnancy information and support. Participants earn incentives by keeping prenatal care appointments, receiving prenatal screenings and tests, and meeting regularly with their pregnancy coach.

Housing

Bude Manor Apartments

460 Gerard St.
Bude, MS 39630
(601) 384-4484

MS Regional Authority Public Housing Project

P O Drawer 748
130 Commerce St.
McComb, MS 39648
(601) 684-6422
MS Regional Housing Authority
Section VIII Housing
130 Commerce Street
McComb, MS 39648
(601) 684-9503

Child Care

Franklin Headstart Complex
262 Pine St N
Bude, MS 39630
(601) 384-281
Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday 7:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.
Services Provided: Head Start, Early Head Start

Angie Kinder
4665 Tucker Rd.
Golden, MS, 38847
(662) 585-4353

Briar Ridge Child Ministries
1081 Seale Road Northwest
Roxie, MS, 39661
(601) 300-9670

Katiana L’s Day Care
102 Haris Ln.
Meadville, MS, 39653
(601) 384-6521

Kids Kountry
205 Burris Road Southeast
McCall Creek, MS, 39647
(601) 532-6104

Education

Franklin County Public Library
38 First Street
P.O. Box 336
Meadville, MS 39653
(601) 384-2997
Children’s Program

4-H Club @ MSU Extension-Franklin County
20 Walnut St.
Meadville, MS 39653
(601) 384-2349

Services Provided: Ages 5 to 18-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.

Natchez Children’s Services-
Children’s Advocacy Center
33 Fatherland Rd.
Natchez, MS 39121
(601) 442-6858
www.natchezcac.org

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Thursday 8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.;
Friday 8:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Support Services

Southwest MS Planning and Development
2265 Hwy 84 E
Meadville, MS 39653
(601) 384-5200
AJFC Community Action Agency  
38 Walnut St.  
Meadville, MS 39653  
(601) 384-5587

Bude Baptist Association  
122 Holly Street North  
Bude, MS 39630  
(601) 384-2759
Resources Available in Jefferson County

**Mental Health; Drug & Alcohol Assistance**

**Region 11**  
**Southwest Mississippi Mental Health Complex**  
1701 White Street  
P.O. Box 768  
McComb, MS 39640-0768  
(601) 684-2173 (Administration)  
(601) 249-4227 (Children’s Services)  
Fax: (601) 249-4234  
www.swmmhc.org

**Services Provided:** To provide, quality, affordable, consumer-oriented, comprehensive behavioral health services. Our culturally sensitive, community-based services will work through appropriate interagency collaboration to enable our clients to attain their highest level of individual and family functioning in the least restrictive environment.

**Southwest MS Mental Health**  
P. O. Box 369  
519 N. Main St.  
Fayette, MS 39060  
(601) 786-8091  
Fax: (601) 786-8023

**Services Provided:** We offer an array of community mental health services. These include individual, group and family therapies; medication evaluation and monitoring; testing, evaluation and consultation; day treatment programs; substance abuse and dependence treatment; case management; emergency services. We are the comprehensive mental health service provider for Southwest Mississippi.

**Human Services**

**Jefferson County Human Services**  
(Economic Assistance)  
P.O. Box 97  
235 Medgar Evers Blvd  
Fayette, MS 39069  
(601) 786-3571  
Fax: (601) 786-6005

**Services Provided:** The mission of the social service system, including private non-profit providers, local government agencies, and state agencies is to: protect vulnerable children and adults from abuse, neglect or exploitation; support family preservation and community living; prevent family violence and disruption.

**Jefferson County Human Services**  
(Child Support)  
235 Medgar Evers Blvd  
Fayette, MS 39069

**Services Provided:** The mission of the social service system, including private non-profit providers, local government agencies, and state agencies is to: protect vulnerable children and adults from abuse, neglect or exploitation; support family preservation and community living; prevent family violence and disruption.
Health and Medical Services

**Jefferson County Health Department**
700 Main Street  
P. O. Box 446  
Fayette, MS 39069  
(601) 786-3061  
Fax: (601) 786-3380

Services Provided: Health services for women of all ages, especially mothers, and for children up to 18 years of age. Programs and information to benefit Mississippians of all ages who want to improve and secure their health. Preventive health programs are ongoing efforts to continually improve the health of Mississippians now and tomorrow. Essential programs for maintaining and promoting health. Through a combination of disease surveillance and programs to bring preventive information to the public, we work to protect Mississippians from the cost and burdens of disease.

**Jefferson Comprehensive**
P. O. Box 98  
Fayette, MS 39069  
(601) 786-3475

Services Provided: WIC, health care, immunizations, Medicaid screens, STD testing, etc.

**Jefferson County Hospital**
809 South Main Street  
P. O. Box 577  
Fayette, MS 39069  
(601) 786-3401  
Fax (601) 786-3400

Services Provided: Jefferson County Hospital is a Hospital, clinic, emergency, medicine, doctor, ER, ICU, hospital room, hospital ward, nurse, doctor, physician, treatment facility.

Employment Assistance

Placement Resources

**MS Child Protection Services (MDCPS)**
https://www.mdcps.ms.gov/

Services Provided: Strengthen families; prevent child abuse, neglect and exploitation; and, promote child and family well-being and permanent family connections.

Pregnancy and Parenting
Jefferson County Health Department
700 Main Street
P. O. Box 446
Fayette, MS 39069
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Services Provided: The program is free. Participants meet monthly to receive pregnancy information and support. Participants earn incentives by keeping prenatal care appointments, receiving prenatal screenings and tests, and meeting regularly with their pregnancy coach.

Healthy Families Mississippi
(855) 466-6501
Local 769-572-1692
https://www.mdhs.ms.gov/

Services Provided: Healthy Families Mississippi is a new home visiting program serving pregnant mothers and parents with children up to three years of age. Healthy Families Mississippi will: Link families to community services and resources, Provide child development, nutrition, financial and safety education, Provide family support materials to eligible families; Refer families to other support services.
### Housing

**Guardian Shelter**  
Natchez, MS  
Crisis Line: (800) 273-6938  
Phone: (601) 442-0142  
http://www.catholiccharitiesjackson.org/natchez/shelters  

- Services Provided: Emergency Shelter, Childcare, Advocacy Services, 24-hour Crisis Line, Residential Counseling, Non-Residential Counseling, Emergency Transportation, Community Education, Referral Services, Legal Services  
- Counties Served: Adams, Amite, Claiborne, Copiah, Franklin, Jefferson, Lawrence, Lincoln, Pike, Walthall, Wilkinson

**Natchez Housing Authority**  
160 Saint Catherine St.  
Natchez, MS 39120  
(601) 445-2141

**Natchez Housing Authority**  
2 Auburn Ave.  
Natchez, MS 39120  
(601) 442-4030

**Natchez Housing Authority**  
111 Dumas Dr.  
Natchez, MS 39120  
(601) 442-0037

**Mississippi Housing Development**  
P. O. Box 730  
Fayette, MS 39069  
(601) 786-8552

### Child Care

**ASU Child Development Learning Center**  
1000 Alcorn Dr # 839  
Lorman, MS 39096  
(601) 877-6255  

- Hours of Operation: Monday - Friday 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.  
- Services Provided: Full Day

**Fayette Head Start**  
696 Main St  
P.O. Box2270  
Fayette, MS 39069  
(601) 786-8411  

- Hours of Operation: Monday - Friday 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.  
- Services Provided: Head Start
Jefferson County Day Care
P. O. Box 145
Fayette, MS 39069
(601) 786-6688

Kiddy Karrousel, Inc.
135 Gilchrist St
Fayette, MS 39069
(601) 786-6400

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday 6:00 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

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

Step By Step Kinder - Kids Academy
535 Main St
Fayette, MS 39069
(601) 786-6200

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday 6:30 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Services Provided: Full Day, Accepts MDHS
Subsidy Children

Victory Kidz Center
248 Harrison St
Fayette, MS 39069
(601) 786-9700

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday 7:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Services Provided: Full Day, Accepts MDHS
Subsidy Children

Education

Jefferson County Public Library
1269 Main St.
Fayette, MS 39069
(601) 786-3982

Jefferson County School District
942 Main St.
Fayette, MS 39069
(601) 786-3721
Children’s Program

Mississippi State University Extension-Jefferson County
1257 S. Main St.
Fayette, MS 39069
(601) 786-3131

Services Provided: Ages 5 to 18-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.

Natchez Children’s Services-
Children’s Advocacy Center
33 Fatherland Rd.
Natchez, MS 39121
(601) 442-6858
www.natchezcac.org

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Thursday 8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.,
Friday 8:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Support Services

Victims of Crime
P. O. Box 605
Fayette, MS 39069
(601) 786-9247 or (601) 786-1652
## Resources Available in Lamar County

### Mental Health; Drug & Alcohol Assistance

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<td>Vocational Rehab</td>
<td>17 JM Tatum Ind. Dr., Hattiesburg, MS 39401</td>
<td>(601) 584-4062</td>
<td>Assistance for disabled people in maintaining or gaining employment.</td>
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### Vocational Rehab

- **Hours of Operation:**
  - Monday - Friday 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
  - Friday by appointment only

### Human Services

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<td>207 Main Street</td>
<td>Services Provided: Health services for women of all ages, especially mothers, and for children up to 18 years of age. Programs and information to benefit Mississippians of all ages who want to improve and secure their health. Preventive health programs are ongoing efforts to continually improve the health of Mississippians now and tomorrow. Essential programs for maintaining and promoting health. Through a combination of disease surveillance and programs to bring preventive information to the public, we work to protect Mississippians from the cost and burdens of disease.</td>
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<td><strong>Domestic Abuse Shelter</strong></td>
<td>Services Provided: Housing and protection to women and children of domestic violence.</td>
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**Employment Assistance**

**Placement Resources**

**MS Child Protection Services (MDCPS)**

https://www.mdcps.ms.gov/

Services Provided: Strengthen families; prevent child abuse, neglect and exploitation; and, promote child and family well-being and permanent family connections.

**Pregnancy and Parenting**
Lamar County Health Department
207 Main Street
Purvis MS 39475
(601) 794-1055

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

Services Provided: Health services for women of all ages, especially mothers, and for children up to 18 years of age. Programs and information to benefit Mississippians of all ages who want to improve and secure their health. Preventive health programs are ongoing efforts to continually improve the health of Mississippians now and tomorrow. Essential programs for maintaining and promoting health. Through a combination of disease surveillance and programs to bring preventive information to the public, we work to protect Mississippians from the cost and burdens of disease.

Housing

Purvis United Methodist Church
206 Mitchell Ave #3158
Purvis, MS 39475
(601) 794-2968

Pineview Apartments
589 Hwy 589
Purvis, MS 39475
(601) 794-5007

Cinnamon Place Apartments
809 Main St.
Purvis, MS 39475
(601) 544-3172

Mississippi Regional Housing Authority VIII (Section 8)
228 Broadway Dr.
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
(601) 582-7664

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Thursday 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Friday by appointment only

Housing Authority of Hattiesburg
101 Hope Dr.
Hattiesburg, MS 39402
(601) 296-7956
Lumberton Housing Authority
956 Myrick Avenue
Lumberton, MS 39455
(601) 796-8628

Regency Place Apartments
125 Preston St.
Sumrall, MS 39482
(601) 758-3985

Guardian Shelter
Natchez, MS
Crisis Line: (800) 273-6938
Phone: (601) 442-0142
http://www.catholiccharitiesjackson.org/natchez/shelters
Services Provided: Emergency Shelter, Childcare, Advocacy Services, 24-hour Crisis Line, Residential Counseling, Non-Residential Counseling, Emergency Transportation, Community Education, Referral Services, Legal Services
Counties Served: Adams, Amite, Claiborne, Copiah, Franklin, Jefferson, Lawrence, Lincoln, Pike, Walthall, Wilkinson

Child Care

Creative Kids
330 Hegwood Rd.
Hattiesburg, MS 39402-8664
(601) 268-9293

Land of Make Believe Day Care
11 Shoreline Blvd.
Hattiesburg, MS 39402
(601) 264-9977

Clifton Preston, Sr Head Start Center
101 Center Ave
Sumrall, MS 39482
(601) 758-3297
Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday 7:45 a.m. - 2:45 p.m.
Services Provided: Head Start

Kids’ Kampus Purvis Sunset Drive
52 E Sunset Dr
Purvis, MS 39475
(601) 794-8842
Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday 6:30 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.
Services Provided: Full Day, School Age After School, Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children
Kids’ Kampus, Sumrall
1042 Highway 42
Sumrall, MS 39482
(601) 758-3066

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday 6:30 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

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

Learning Ladder
516 Mitchell Ave
Purvis, MS 39475
(769) 456-7688

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday 6:30 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Services Provided: Full Day, Summer Day, Half
Day Morning & Afternoon, School Age After
School, Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children

Learning Tree Preschool, LLC
4824 Old Highway 11
Purvis, MS 39475
(601) 909-2672

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday 6:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

Services Provided: Full Day, Accepts MDHS
Subsidy Children

Lumberton Headstart Center
600 5th Ave
Lumberton, MS 39455
(601) 796-3533

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday 8:00 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

Services Provided: Head Start, Early Head Start

Rogers Child Care Learning
Center & Leep
105 N 9th St
Lumberton, MS 39455
(601) 796-3990

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday 6:15 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

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

Skippy’s Learning Center
6 Crossland Rd
Sumrall, MS 39482
(601) 758-0010

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday 6:45 a.m. - 5:45:00 p.m.

Services Provided: Full Day, Accepts MDHS
Subsidy Children

Education

Lamar County Library
122 Shelby Speights Dr.
Purvis, MS 39475-4151
(601) 794-8651
Lamar County School District
424 Martin Luther King Dr.
Purvis, MS 39475
(601) 794-1030

Pearl River Community College - GED PRCC Woodall Center
906 Sullivan Dr.
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
(601) 554-5514 or (601) 740-1421

Free GED classes to anyone 17 or older.

Children’s Program

Boys & Girls Club of Lamar County
P.O. Box 51
656 Nan St.
Purvis, MS 39475

4-H Club @ Mississippi State University Extension-Lamar County
216 Shelby St. Suite B
Purvis, MS 39475
(601) 794-3910

Services Provided: Ages 5 to 18-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.

Kids Hub Children’s Advocacy Center
15 Millbranch Road, Suite 1000
Hattiesburg, MS 39402
(601) 909-6294

Support Services

Bass Memorial 7th Day Adventist Church
6427 Hwy 11
Purvis, MS 39475
(601) 794-8247 (Leave a Message)

Horus of Operation:
Last Sunday of Every Month
1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Birthright of Hattiesburg
5 Beaver Rd.
Hattiesburg, MS 39402
(601) 606-7054

Christian Services, Inc.
301 East 2nd St.
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
(601) 582-5683
To make an appointment
Call Friday @ 11 for the following week

American Red Cross
606 Hutchinson Ave.
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
(601) 582-8151

Catholic Social Services
2707 McInnis Loop
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
(601) 261-5320

Salvation Army
5670 Hwy 49 South
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
(601) 544-3634

Legal Aide
111 East Front St.
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
(601) 545-2950

The District South MS Planning and Development
700 Hardy St.
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
(601) 545-2137

PROV, Inc.-Lamar County
204 Pecan St.
Purvis, MS 39475
(601) 794-1093

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.;
1:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Thursday 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.;
Closed Friday

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

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Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Good Hope Baptist Church
331 Purvis-Oloh Rd.
Purvis, MS 39475
(601) 794-2972
(call for an appointment)

Lamar Baptist Association
2843 Hwy 589
Hattiesburg, MS 39402
(601) 268-7334
Make appointments on Tuesdays 8-12
by calling (601) 268-6978

Child Support Hotline
24 hour hotline: (877) 882-4916

Save Our Seed, Inc.
4985 Old Hwy 11
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
(601) 325-4808

St. Vincent DePaul
313 Walnut St.
Hattiesburg, MS 39401
(601) 408-7392
Call and Leave Message/Call will then be returned
Center for the Prevention of Child Abuse
(601) 545-6680

Lamar County Department of CPS
300 North St.
Purvis, MS 39475
(601) 794-1080

Adult and Children Abuse and Neglect Hotline
24 Hour Hotline: (800) 222-8000

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday, Closed Thursday

Distributions are made on Thursday by appointment only.

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
# Resources Available in Lawrence County

## Mental Health; Drug & Alcohol Assistance

**Southwest MS Mental Health Complex**  
P.O. Box 768  
McComb, MS 39649  
(601) 684-2173  
www.swmmhc.org

Services Provided: The Southwest MS Mental Health Complex services include: Adult Mental Health, Children's Mental Health, Substance Abuse or Chemical Dependence, Case management services, and long-term services.

**Pine Belt Health Care Resources Health**  
P.O. Box 979  
116 J E Johnson Road  
Prentiss, MS 39474  
(601) 792-4872  
Fax: (601) 792-2643  
www.pbmhr.com

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. Twenty-four-hour emergency services are available in all nine counties. Pine Belt also has a Critical Incident Stress Management Team, a trained multi-disciplinary team, available during times of crises. Pine Belt’s continuum of care includes four areas of services: Adult Services Chemical Dependency Services Children’s & Adolescent Services Developmental Disabilities Services.

## Human Services

**Lawrence County Department-Human Services**  
1200 Nola Rd  
Monticello, MS 39654  
(601) 587-7632

Services Provided: The mission of the social service system, including private non-profit providers, local government agencies, and state agencies is to: protect vulnerable children and adults from abuse, neglect or exploitation; support family preservation and community living; prevent family violence and disruption.

**Lawrence County Public Welfare**  
1200 Nola Rd  
Monticello, MS 39654  
(601) 587-4892
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<td><strong>Covington County Hospital</strong></td>
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<td>701 South Holly Avenue</td>
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<td>(601) 765-6711</td>
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<td><a href="http://www.covingtoncountyhospital.com">www.covingtoncountyhospital.com</a></td>
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<td>Services Provided: Covington County Hospital is on a mission to provide you and your family with the most technologically advanced primary care services available.</td>
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<td><strong>Magee General Hospital</strong></td>
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<td>300 Third Avenue Southeast</td>
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<td>Main: (601) 849-5070</td>
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<td>Business Office: (601) 849-7301</td>
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<td>(601) 849-7308</td>
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<td>Social Services: (601) 849-7321</td>
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<td><a href="http://www.mghosp.org">www.mghosp.org</a></td>
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<td>Services Provided: Magee General Hospital shall continue to provide quality healthcare to those that present themselves for our services. We are dedicated to meet the challenges of the future to assure that people of this community receive quality healthcare at a reasonable cost. We are committed to maintain patient confidentiality and comfort and respect patients, families, and friends.</td>
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Services Provided: The mission of Jefferson Davis Community Hospital is to provide quality healthcare services to the residents of our County, to promote health and wellness, and to provide nursing care to the elderly. We will provide these services with compassion, integrity, and resourcefulness for the greater good of those entrusted to our care. JDCH is a Critical Access Hospital that offers a wide array of healthcare services. We are licensed for 25 acute and swing beds, 10 geriatric psychiatric beds, 60 nursing home beds, and a Rural Health Clinic.

Employment Assistance

Win Job Center
545 Brookway Boulevard
Brookhaven, MS 39601
(601) 833-3079

Services Provided: The Workforce Investment Network (WIN) in Mississippi is an innovative strategy designed to provide convenient, one-stop employment and training services to employers and job seekers. Combining federal, state and community workforce programs and services into physical locations and electronic sites, WIN in Mississippi creates a system that is both convenient and user-friendly.

Hazlehurst Win Job Center
1016 Carroll Drive
Hazlehurst, MS 39083
(601) 894-2121

Services Provided: The Workforce Investment Network (WIN) in Mississippi is an innovative strategy designed to provide convenient, one-stop employment and training services to employers and job seekers. Combining federal, state and community workforce programs and services into physical locations and electronic sites, WIN in Mississippi creates a system that is both convenient and user-friendly.
## Placement Resources

**MS Child Protection Services (MDCPS)**

https://www.mdcps.ms.gov/

Services Provided: Strengthen families; prevent child abuse, neglect and exploitation; and, promote child and family well-being and permanent family connections.

## Pregnancy and Parenting

**Lawrence County Health Department**

1230 Nola Rd
Monticello, MS 39654
(601) 587-2561

Services Provided: Health services for women of all ages, especially mothers, and for children up to 18 years of age. Programs and information to benefit Mississippian of all ages who want to improve and secure their health. Preventive health programs are ongoing efforts to continually improve the health of Mississippian now and tomorrow. Essential programs for maintaining and promoting health. Through a combination of disease surveillance and programs to bring preventive information to the public, we work to protect Mississippian from the cost and burdens of disease.

## Housing

**Brookhaven Housing Authority**

501 Brookman Dr.
Brookhaven, MS 39601
(601) 833-1781

**Mississippi Regional Housing Authority VIII**

31 Harrison Jefferson Dr.
Columbia, MS 39429
(601) 736-4187

**Summit Housing Authority**

1002 Sedgewick St.
McComb, MS 39648
(601) 684-7291
Community Park Apartments
120 Gillis Circle
McComb, MS 39648
(601) 684-2531

Hazlehurst Housing Authority
36 Roebuck Ct.
Hazlehurst, MS 39083
(601) 894-1566

Child Care

Heaven’s Little Saints Daycare
128 Courthouse Sq
Monticello, MS 39654
(601) 587-5588

Five County Child Development Program
1118 3rd Street
Prentiss, MS 39474
(601) 792-5191

Five County Child Development
81 E Saint Stephens Rd.
Prentiss, MS 39474
(601) 792-4243

Kangaroo Pouch Daycare
1662 Highway 583 N
Jayess, MS 39641
(601) 684-9209

Topeka Head Start
P. O. Box 1195
Monticello, MS 39654
(601) 587-0074

Lawrence County School District
346 Thomas E Jolly Dr. W
Monticello, MS 39654
(601) 587-2506
**Education**

**Lawrence County School District**
346 Thomas E Jolly Dr. W,
Monticello, MS 39654
(601) 587-2506

**Lawrence County Public Library**
142 Courthouse Sq.
Monticello, MS 39654
(601) 587-2471

**New Hebron Public Library**
209 Jones St.
New Hebron, MS 39140
(601) 694-2623

**Children’s Program**

**4-H Club @ MSU Extension-Lawrence County**
Monticello, MS 39654
(601) 587-2271

Services Provided: Ages 5 to 18-The 4-H Youth program strives to improve the quality of life for Mississippi 4-Hers 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.

**Kids Hub Children’s Advocacy Center**
15 Millbranch Road, Suite 1000
Hattiesburg, MS 39402
(601) 909.6294

**Support Services**

**AJFC Community Action Agency**
166 Green St.
Monticello, MS 39654
(601) 587-4370
Fax: (601) 587-0394
www.ajfccommunityaction.org
Resources Available in Lincoln County

Mental Health; Drug & Alcohol Assistance

**Region 8 Mental Health Center**
1019 Carroll Drive
Hazlehurst, MS 39083-2036
(601) 894-2018
Fax: (601) 894-1748
http://www.region8mhs.org

**Services Provided:** Region 8 Mental Health Services will provide the highest level of mental health, intellectual/developmental disability, and alcohol and drug services, in the least restrictive environment possible within the limits of current knowledge.

**SW Mississippi Mental Health**
511 Brookman Drive
Brookhaven, MS 39601
(601) 833-5386

**Newhaven Recovery Center**
310 Nalco Lane Northeast
Brookhaven, MS 39601
(601) 833-3698

Human Services

**Lincoln County Human Services Department**
300 East Chickasaw Street
Brookhaven, MS 39601
(601) 833-3311

**Services Provided:** The mission of the social service system, including private non-profit providers, local government agencies, and state agencies is to: protect vulnerable children and adults from abuse, neglect or exploitation; support family preservation and community living; prevent family violence and disruption.

**Family & Children’s Services**
300 East Chickasaw Street
Brookhaven, MS 39601
(601) 835-2838

**Services Provided:** The mission of the social service system, including private non-profit providers, local government agencies, and state agencies is to: protect vulnerable children and adults from abuse, neglect or exploitation; support family preservation and community living; prevent family violence and disruption.
Lincoln County Health Department
1212 Northpark Lane
P.O. Box 603
Brookhaven, MS 39602
(601) 833-3314

Services Provided
Health services for women of all ages, especially mothers, and for children up to 18 years of age. Programs and information to benefit Mississippians of all ages who want to improve and secure their health. Preventive health programs are ongoing efforts to continually improve the health of Mississippians now and tomorrow. Essential programs for maintaining and promoting health. Through a combination of disease surveillance and programs to bring preventive information to the public, we work to protect Mississippians from the cost and burdens of disease.

Southwest Mississippi Regional Medical Center
215 Marion Avenue
McComb, MS 39648
(601) 249-5500

Services Provided: SMRMC includes the 160-bed Southwest Mississippi Regional Medical Center with over 1000 employees and 70 physicians on staff; the Mississippi Cancer Institute for the treatment and prevention of cancer; a 20-bed geriatric/psychiatric unit; and a home health service serving 17 counties. In addition, SMRMC owns and operates nine clinics, including rural health clinics, an internal medicine clinic, and an outpatient rehabilitation center. SMRMC also manages and operates Lawrence County Hospital in Monticello, MS. Southwest Mississippi Regional Medical Center’s Emergency Services is now classified as a Level III Trauma Center. A trauma center is equipped to provide comprehensive emergency medical services to patients suffering traumatic injuries. Trauma centers grew into existence out of the realization that traumatic injury is a disease process unto itself requiring specialized and experienced multidisciplinary treatment and specialized resources. A Level III trauma center has resources for emergency resuscitation, surgery, and intensive care of most trauma patients. A Level III center has transfer agreements with Level I or Level II trauma centers that provide back-up resources for the care of exceptionally severe injuries.
## Employment Assistance

**Win Job Center**  
545 Brookway Boulevard  
Brookhaven, MS 39601  
(601) 833-3079

Services Provided: The Workforce Investment Network (WIN) in Mississippi is an innovative strategy designed to provide convenient, one-stop employment and training services to employers and job seekers. Combining federal, state and community workforce programs and services into physical locations and electronic sites, WIN in Mississippi creates a system that is both convenient and user-friendly.

## Placement Resources

**MS Child Protection Services (MDCPS)**  
https://www.mdcps.ms.gov/

Services Provided: Strengthen families; prevent child abuse, neglect and exploitation; and, promote child and family well-being and permanent family connections.

## Pregnancy and Parenting

**Lincoln County Health Department**  
1212 Northpark Lane  
P.O. Box 603  
Brookhaven, MS 39602  
(601) 833-3314

Services Provided: Health services for women of all ages, especially mothers, and for children up to 18 years of age. Programs and information to benefit Mississippians of all ages who want to improve and secure their health. Preventive health programs are ongoing efforts to continually improve the health of Mississippians now and tomorrow. Essential programs for maintaining and promoting health. Through a combination of disease surveillance and programs to bring preventive information to the public, we work to protect Mississippians from the cost and burdens of disease.
Housing

Brookhaven Housing Authority
501 Brookman Dr.
Brookhaven, MS 39601
(601) 833-1781

MS Regional Authority
Public Housing Project
P O Drawer 748
130 Commerce St.
McComb, MS 39648
(601) 684-6422

MS Regional Housing Authority
Section VIII Housing
130 Commerce St.
McComb, MS 39648
(601) 684-9503

Guardian Shelter
Natchez, MS
Crisis Line: (800) 273-6938
(601) 442-0142
www.catholiccharitiesjackson.org/
natchez/shelters

Services Provided: Emergency Shelter,
Childcare, Advocacy Services, 24-hour Crisis
Line, Residential Counseling, Non-Residential
Counseling, Emergency Transportation,
Community Education, Referral Services, Legal
Services

Counties Served: Adams, Amite, Claiborne,
Copiah, Franklin, Jefferson, Lawrence, Lincoln,
Pike, Walthall, Wilkinson

Child Care

Thompson Learning Center LLC
421 S Washington St.
Brookhaven, MS 39601
(601) 835-3236

Play Time
523 Schwem Ave.
Brookhaven, MS 39601
(601) 833-7223

Dribble Drabble Child Development
215 N First St.
Brookhaven, MS 39601
(601) 835-1934
Cornerstone Preschool Annex
401 N Second St.
Brookhaven, MS 39601
(601) 833-6128

New Vision Fellowship
932 E Monticello St # A
Brookhaven, MS 39601
(601) 833-5184

Cindy’s Daycare
345 W Congress St.
Brookhaven, MS 39601
(601) 265-3626

Education

Lincoln County Public Library
100 South Jackson St.
Brookhaven, MS 39601
(601) 833-5038 or (601) 833-3369

Lawrence County Public Library
142 Courthouse Square
Monticello, MS 39654
(601) 587-2471

Newhebron Public Library
209 Jones St.
Newhebron, MS 39140
(601) 694-2623

Lincoln County School District
P.O. Box 826
Brookhaven, MS 39602
(601) 835-0011

Lindsey Head Start Center
624 East Monticello Street
Brookhaven, MS 39601
(601) 833-2826
Children’s Program

**Boys & Girls Club of Lincoln County**
213 S Second St  
Brookhaven, MS 39601  
(601) 835-2218

**4-H Club @ MSU Extension-Lincoln County**
301 South First Street Room 201  
Brookhaven, MS 39601  
(601) 835-3460  
Services Provided: Ages 5 to 18-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.

**Southwest Mississippi Children’s Advocacy Center**
Brookhaven Satellite Office  
439 North Jackson Street, Suite F  
Brookhaven, MS 39601  
(601) 990-2902

Support Services

**Brookhaven Outreach Ministries**
**South Central Mississippi Food Bank**
101 E Court St.  
Brookhaven, MS 39601  
(601) 833-8889

**Brookhaven YMCA**
221 North Whitworth Ave.  
Brookhaven, MS, 39601  
(601) 265-2500

**United Way**
P.O. Box 978  
Brookhaven, MS 39602  
(601) 833-1411
Crime Stoppers
300 S Second St.
Brookhaven, MS 39601
(601) 823-0150

AJFC Community Action Agency
127 W Court St.
Brookhaven, MS 39601
(601) 833-6349

American Red Cross
110 Monticello St.
Brookhaven, MS 39601
(601) 833-2771
## Resources Available in Marion County

### Mental Health; Drug & Alcohol Assistance

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<td>P.O. Box 965</td>
<td>217 Dewey Street, Columbia, MS 39429 (601) 736-6799 Fax: (601) 736-4809</td>
<td>Provide low-cost professional mental health to individuals with personal problems and emotional disturbances, assist other agencies and professionals with client related and program related mental health issues, provide consultation and education.</td>
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<td>Al-Anon Family Group</td>
<td>P.O. Box 376</td>
<td>Columbia, MS (601) 736-6776</td>
<td>Al-Anon Family groups help families and friends of alcoholics.</td>
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<td>Pine Grove Counseling Center of Columbia</td>
<td>418 Sumrall Rd</td>
<td>Columbia, MS (601) 736-4682</td>
<td>Provide Counseling services to the mentally disabled, emotionally disturbed.</td>
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### Human Services

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<td>908 Sumrall Rd.</td>
<td>Columbia, MS (601) 736-2676</td>
<td>Provides healthy food packages and nutritional education to pregnant mothers, education specialist available.</td>
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<td>MS Division of Medicaid</td>
<td>1111 Hwy 98 Bypass, Suite B</td>
<td>Columbia, MS (601) 731-2271</td>
<td>Determines the eligibility of Medicaid; Provides a means of health care for pregnant women, children, and infants to low-income persons, aged, blind or disabled.</td>
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Lamar County Dept. of Human Services
P.O. Box 779
207 Main St.
Purvis, MS 39475

Family and Children Services Child Support
(601) 794-1080
Fax: (601) 794-2960
Economic Assistance (601) 794-1050
Fax: (601) 794-1066
www.mdhs.state.ms.us

Services Provided: The mission of the social service system, including private non-profit providers, local government agencies, and state agencies is to: protect vulnerable children and adults from abuse, neglect or exploitation; support family preservation and community living; prevent family violence and disruption.

Health and Medical Services

Marion General Hospital
1560 Sumrall Rd.
P.O. Box 630
(601) 736-6303

Employment Assistance

Columbia Job Service
111 Hwy 98
Columbia, MS
(601) 736-2628

Services Provided: Provide job assistance, job placement, employment counseling, vocational training, on the job training, and a list of jobs available in MS.

Placement Resources

MS Child Protection Services (MDCPS)
https://www.mdcps.ms.gov/

Services Provided Strengthen families; prevent child abuse, neglect and exploitation; and, promote child and family well-being and permanent family connections.
Lincoln County Health Department  
1212 Northpark Lane  
P.O. Box 603  
Brookhaven, MS 39602  
(601) 833-3314

Services Provided: Health services for women of all ages, especially mothers, and for children up to 18 years of age. Programs and information to benefit Mississippians of all ages who want to improve and secure their health. Preventive health programs are ongoing efforts to continually improve the health of Mississippians now and tomorrow. Essential programs for maintaining and promoting health. Through a combination of disease surveillance and programs to bring preventive information to the public, we work to protect Mississippians from the cost and burdens of disease.

Housing

Mississippi Regional Housing Authority VII (Section 8)  
31 Harrison Jefferson Dr.  
Columbia, MS 39429  
(601) 736-4187

Marion Apartments L P  
211 Pittman Ave.  
Columbia, MS 39429  
(601) 731-2622

Columbia Development Programs  
1501 Hendricks St.  
Columbia, MS 39429  
(601) 736-8332

Dan Stepney Homes  
27 Harrison Jefferson Dr  
Columbia, MS 39429  
(601) 736-4187

Bassfield Apartments  
57 Barnes Ave  
Bassfield, MS 39421  
(601) 943-6089
PRVO Head Start/ Early Head Start Program
756 Hwy 98 Bypass
Columbia, MS
(601) 736-9564

Woodlawn Child Care Center
1452 Highway 98 E
Columbia, MS 39429
(601) 736-6781

First Baptist School
900 High School Ave
Columbia, MS 39429
(601) 736-4914

TLC Downtown
717 High School Ave.
Columbia, MS 39429
(601) 731-1933

Learning Center Childcare
300 South Main St.
Columbia, MS 39429
(601) 444-0239

New Hope Preschool Day Care
508 New Hope Church Rd.
Foxworth, MS 39483
(601) 736-3988

Columbia Presbyterian Day School
500 Church St. Columbia, MS 39429
(601) 736-4444

Hub Head Start Center
431 Old Highway 13 S
Columbia, MS 39429
(601) 736-7882

Hours of Operation:
PRVO Head Start/ Early Head Start Program
Monday - Friday 6:45 a.m. - 5:45 p.m.
Services Provided: Full Day, School Age After School

Hours of Operation:
Woodlawn Child Care Center
Monday - Friday 6:45 a.m. - 5:45 p.m.
Services Provided: Full Day, School Age After School

Hours of Operation:
First Baptist School
Monday - Friday 7:00 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.
Services Provided: Full Day, School Age After School

Hours of Operation:
TLC Downtown
Monday - Friday 6:45 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Services Provided: Full Day, School Age After School, Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children

Hours of Operation:
Learning Center Childcare
Monday - Friday 8:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.
Services Provided: Half Day Morning, School Age After School

Hours of Operation:
New Hope Preschool Day Care
Monday - Friday 8:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.
Services Provided: Half Day Morning, School Age After School

Hours of Operation:
Columbia Presbyterian Day School
Monday - Friday 6:45 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Services Provided: Full Day, School Age After School, Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children

Hours of Operation:
Hub Head Start Center
Monday - Friday 8:00 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.
Services Provided: Head Start, Early Head Start
**Kurious Little Hands**  
134 Garner Circle Drive  
Columbia, MS 39429  
(601) 297-7326  

Hours of Operation:  
Monday - Friday 6:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.  
Services Provided: Full Day, Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children

**Little Foxworth's Preschool**  
2216 Highway 586  
Foxworth, MS 39483  
(601) 441-2021  

Hours of Operation:  
Monday - Friday 6:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.  
Services Provided: Full Day, Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children

**My Luv Childcare Center**  
904 Church St  
Columbia, MS 39429  
(601) 731-2090  

Hours of Operation:  
Monday - Friday 7:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.  
Services Provided: Full Day, School Age After School, Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children

**Tender Loving Care**  
4 Lakeview Rd  
Columbia, MS 39429  
(601) 731-1098  

Hours of Operation:  
Monday - Friday 6:45 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.  
Services Provided: Full Day, Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children

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**Education**

**Marion County School District**  
1010 Highway 13 North  
Columbia, MS 39429  
(601) 736-7193

**Carl Loftin Vocational Tech Career Center**  
1140 Hwy 13 S.  
Columbia, MS 39429  
(601) 736-6095  
Services Provided: GED prep

**Pearl River Community College - GED PRCC Woodall Center**  
906 Sullivan Dr.  
Hattiesburg, MS 39401  
(601) 554-5514 or (601) 740-1421  
Free GED classes to anyone 17 or older.
South Mississippi Regional Library
(Columbia-Marion County)
900 Broad Street
Columbia, MS 39429
(601) 736-5516

Children’s Program

4-H Club @ MSU Extension-Marion County
1060 Hwy 13, South
Columbia, MS 39429
(601) 736-8251

Services Provided: Ages 5 to 18-The 4-H Youth program strives to improve the quality of life for Mississippi 4-Hers 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.

Kids Hub Children’s Advocacy Center
15 Millbranch Road, Suite 1000
Hattiesburg, MS 39402
601.909.6294

Support Services

PRVO
756 Hwy 98 Bypass
P.O. Box 188
Columbia MS 39429
(601) 736-9564

Salvation Army
226 2nd Street
Columbia MS 39429
(601) 736-7861

Southwest MS Legal Services
111 East Front Street
P.O. Drawer 1728
Hattiesburg, MS
(601) 545-2950
Resources Available in Pike County

**Mental Health; Drug & Alcohol Assistance**

**Region 11**
**Southwest Mississippi Mental Health Complex**
1701 White Street
P.O. Box 768
McComb, MS 39640-0768
(601) 684-2173 (Administration)
(601) 249-4227 (Children's Services)
Fax: (601) 249-4234
www.swmmhc.org

Services Provided: To provide, quality, affordable, consumer-oriented, comprehensive behavioral health services. Our culturally sensitive, community-based services will work through appropriate interagency collaboration to enable our clients to attain their highest level of individual and family functioning in the least restrictive environment.

**IMPACT Program for Children**
301 Robb Street
Summit, MS 39666
(601) 276-3040
www.swmmhc.org

Services Provided: Group home for seriously mentally ill adult females (7) (not in MDHS custody). Impact Children’s Program in Summit, MS is a private company categorized under Mental Health Services. Companies like Impact Children’s Program usually offer: One world Community Health Center, Best Psychologist, Biblical Counseling, Ingham Community Health Center and Credit Counseling Services.

**Southwest MS Mental Health**
315 Main Street
Liberty, MS 39645
(601) 657-4354

Services Provided: We offer an array of community mental health services. These include individual, group and family therapies; medication evaluation and monitoring; testing, evaluation and consultation; day treatment programs; substance abuse and dependence treatment; case management; emergency services. We are the comprehensive mental health service provider for southwest Mississippi.
Vocational Rehabilitation Services  
1400 Harrison Ave # A  
McComb, MS 39648  
(601) 684-1262  
Services Provided: Provides a timely and quality program of comprehensive rehabilitation services and disability determination services for people with disabilities.

Pike County Mental Health Office  
1701 White St.  
McComb, MS 39648  
(601) 684-2173  
Fax: (601) 249-4234  
Services Provided: We offer an array of community mental health services. These include individual, group and family therapies; medication evaluation and monitoring; testing, evaluation and consultation; day treatment programs; substance abuse and dependence treatment; case management; emergency services. We are the comprehensive mental health service provider for southwest Mississippi.

New Directions House  
534 W. Michigan  
McComb, MS 39648  
(601) 684-3227  
Fax: (601) 249-2134  
Services Provided: We offer an array of community mental health services. These include individual, group and family therapies; medication evaluation and monitoring; testing, evaluation and consultation; day treatment programs; substance abuse and dependence treatment; case management; emergency services. We are the comprehensive mental health service provider for southwest Mississippi.

Pike County Life Skills Center  
651 S. Broadway  
McComb, MS 39648  
(601) 684-7543  
Fax: (601) 249-4233  
Services Provided: We offer an array of community mental health services. These include individual, group and family therapies; medication evaluation and monitoring; testing, evaluation and consultation; day treatment programs; substance abuse and dependence treatment; case management; emergency services. We are the comprehensive mental health service provider for southwest Mississippi.
Human Services

Pike County Department of Human Services
(Economic Assistance)
1002 Warren Krout Road
McComb, MS 39648
(601) 684-7100
Fax: (601) 249-4632

Pike County Department of Human Services
(Child Support)
1002 Warren Krout Road
McComb, MS 39648
(601) 684-7100
Fax: (601) 249-4632

Pike County Department of Human Services
(Family & Children’s Services)
1002 Warren Krout Road
McComb, MS 39648
(601) 684-0195

Services Provided: The mission of the social service system, including private non-profit providers, local government agencies, and state agencies is to: protect vulnerable children and adults from abuse, neglect or exploitation; support family preservation and community living; prevent family violence and disruption.

Pike County Health Department
McComb Clinic
114 E. Presley Blvd.
McComb, MS 39648
(601) 684-1030

Services Provided: Health services for women of all ages, especially mothers, and for children up to 18 years of age. Programs and information to benefit Mississipians of all ages who want to improve and secure their health. Preventive health programs are ongoing efforts to continually improve the health of Mississipians now and tomorrow. Essential programs for maintaining and promoting health. Through a combination of disease surveillance and programs to bring preventive information to the public, we work to protect Mississipians from the cost and burdens of disease.
Health and Medical Services

Walthall County General Hospital
100 Hospital Dr.
Tylertown, MS
(601) 876-2122
Fax: (601) 876 - 4190
www.walthallhospitalms.org

Services Provided: Our patients are the most important aspect of our jobs. We are dedicated to creating a healing and nurturing environment through providing superior patient care with a positive attitude. We treat our patients with the kindness that we, ourselves, would want to be given. Our ACLS trained nurses are known for showing the utmost sensitivity and compassion while providing care. We practice the highest moral and professional standards possible and strive to be the primary care provider of Walthall County’s residents. Services include: Radiology, lab and blood bank services, cardiac emergency network, diagnostic cardiology, outpatient diet program, same day surgery, diagnostic endoscopy, wound care, outpatient cardiac-pulmonary rehabilitation, swing bed service-skilled nursing care, occupational therapy, speech therapy, physical therapy, pharmacy.

Southwest Mississippi General Hospital
215 Marion Ave
Box 1307
McComb, MS
(601) 249-5500
www.smrmc.com

Services Provided: The mission of the Southwest MS General Hospital is to attain regional leadership in the health care field. To provide excellence in health care. To provide superior facilities and needed services to enable physicians to best serve the needs of their patients.
Beacham Memorial Hospital
203 N. Cherry St.
Magnolia, MS
(601) 783-2351
www.beachammemhos.com

Services Provided: The Mission of Beacham Memorial Hospital is to serve our community by providing quality healthcare services, promoting wellness and healthful living. We strive to deliver our services with compassion and understanding. We do our utmost to deliver our services efficiently, using the highest level of technology available to us while keeping in mind our patients’ needs for cost containment. Beacham offers services: ACLS (Advanced Cardiac Life Support), cardiac emergency network, diagnostic cardiology, dietary teaching, lab and blood bank, occupational therapy, outpatient services, physical therapy, radiology, ultrasound and CT scans, respiratory therapy, respite care, speech therapy, swing therapy, social services, and activities department.

Stat Care PLLC
1017 Delaware Avenue
McComb, MS 39648
(601) 250-1122, (601) 250-1142
Fax: (601) 250-0290

Services Provided: Workers’ Compensation injuries, lab tests, drug screening, DNA testing, X-ray, physical exams, minor emergencies/illness, minor emergencies, illnesses, health insurances, flu vaccinations

Employment Assistance

WIN Job Center
416 Marion Ave.
P. O. Box 1306
McComb, MS 39649
(601) 684-4421

WIN Job Center (Tylertown)
200 Ball Avenue, Courthouse
Tylertown, MS 39667
(601) 876-3573

Services Provided: The workforce investment network (WIN) in Mississippi is an innovative strategy designed to provide convenient, one-stop employment and training services to employers and job seekers. Combining federal, state and community workforce programs and services into physical locations and electronic sites, WIN in Mississippi creates a system that is both convenient and user friendly.

Placement Resources
**Pike County MDCPS**
1002 Warren Krout Road
McComb, MS 39648
(601) 648-0195
MS Child Protection Services (MDCPS)
https://www.mdcps.ms.gov/

Services Provided: Strengthen families; prevent child abuse, neglect and exploitation; and, promote child and family well-being and permanent family connections.

**Pine Grove Hospital**
2255 Broadway Drive
Hattiesburg, MS 39402
(601) 288-2273

Services Provided: Acute care for 30 children ages 5-17 male and female

**M.I.C.A.**
126 5TH Street
McComb, MS 39648
(601) 684-1969

Services Provided: Food, Women’s 30-day shelter

**Pregnancy and Parenting**

**Pike County Health Department**
**McComb Clinic**
114 E. Presley Blvd.
McComb, MS 39648
(601) 684-1030

**Delta Health Alliance: Healthy Pregnancy Program**
(662) 390-3948
https://deltahealthalliance.org/find-a-program/healthy-pregnancy/

Services Provided: The program is free. Participants meet monthly to receive pregnancy information and support. Participants earn incentives by keeping prenatal care appointments, receiving prenatal screenings and tests, and meeting regularly with their pregnancy coach.

**Housing**

**McComb/Summit Housing Authority**
1002 Sedgewick St.
McComb, MS 39648
(601) 684-7291
Child Care

**Amazing Grace Academy**
1026 Lenora Seller Road
McComb, MS 39648
(601) 324-6481

**Hours of Operation:**
Monday - Friday 6:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

**Services Provided:** School Age After School

**Blessed Beginners**
1210 26th St
McComb, MS 39648
(601) 250-0012

**Hours of Operation:**
Monday - Friday 6:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

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

**Bright Minds Learning Center**
107 Burke Ave
McComb, MS 39648
(601) 324-3366

**Hours of Operation:**
Monday - Friday 6:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

**Services Provided:** Full Day, Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children

**Christian’s Community Learning Center**
1022 Van Norman Curve
McComb, MS 39648
(601) 248-4519

**Hours of Operation:**
Monday - Friday 6:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

**Services Provided:** Full Day, Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children

**Crayon College**
1063 Hwy 98/51
McComb, MS 39649
(601) 684-0950

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

**Services Provided:** Full Day, School Age After School, Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children
Creative Kids Academy
622 Edgar St
McComb, MS 39648
(601) 250-4780

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday 6:00 a.m. - 11:30 p.m.;
Saturday 6:00 a.m. - 11:30 p.m.

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

Isabell's Friends
1079 Berthadale Rd
McComb, MS 39648
(601) 684-7728

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday 7:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

Services Provided: Full Day, School Age After School

Kennedy Elementary Family Nurturing Center
207 S Myrtle St
McComb, MS 39648
(601) 250-5437

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday 7:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Services Provided: Full Day, Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children

Kids Kreation Learning Center
411 Lincoln Ave
McComb, MS 39648
(601) 600-2744

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday 6:00 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

Services Provided: Full Day, Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children

Kidz World Learning Center
530 Edgar St
McComb, MS 39648
(601) 324-3245

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday 6:30 a.m. - 7:30 p.m.

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

Little Lamb Day Care & Learning Center
412 S Broadway St
McComb, MS 39648
(601) 684-3416

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday 7:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

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

Little Lamb Daycare Extension
1140 Witterman St
McComb, MS 39648
(601) 551-6832

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday 7:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Services Provided: Full Day

Little Lambs II
334 Richmond St
McComb, MS 39648
(601) 250-4700

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday 7:30 a.m. - 11:30 p.m.

Services Provided: Full Day, School Age After School, Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children
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<td>McComb Learning Center III</td>
<td>1056 Hwy 51/98 Suite D, McComb, MS 39648</td>
<td>(601) 680-4163</td>
<td>Monday - Friday 7:00 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.</td>
<td>Full Day, Half Day Morning &amp; Afternoon, School Age After School, Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children</td>
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<td>Mississippi Kids Education Academy</td>
<td>1002 Pearl River Avenue Ext, McComb, MS 39648</td>
<td>(601) 324-3391</td>
<td>Monday - Friday 6:00 a.m. - 11:00 p.m.</td>
<td>Special Needs, Full Day, School Age After School, Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children</td>
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<td>Mother Goose Christian Ccc, LLC</td>
<td>122 N 5th St McComb, MS 39648</td>
<td>(601) 249-0555</td>
<td>Monday - Friday 7:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.</td>
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<td>Mpact LLC</td>
<td>605 N Clark Ave, Magnolia, MS 39652</td>
<td>(601) 248-1957</td>
<td>Monday - Friday 6:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.</td>
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<td>Preparatory Learning Academy</td>
<td>1313 Harrison Ave, McComb, MS 39648</td>
<td>(601) 730-9739</td>
<td>Monday - Friday 6:45 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.</td>
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<td>Safari Learning Center</td>
<td>1801 Robb St, Summit, MS 39666</td>
<td>(601) 276-6889</td>
<td>Monday - Friday 5:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.</td>
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Sankofa Academy
2070 Old Industrial Rd
McComb, MS 39648
(601) 810-1954

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday 6:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

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

South McComb Baptist Kindergarten
340 24th St
McComb, MS 39648
(601) 684-3369

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday 8:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

Services Provided: Half Day Morning

Tots And Toddlers Child Development Center
1136 Labranch St
McComb, MS 39648
(601) 249-3363

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday 6:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

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

Utopian Homes Head Start Center
1112 Dyson Dr
McComb, MS 39648
(601) 684-9279

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday 8:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.

Services Provided: Head Start

Vision's Christian Academy
6138 Highway 48 E
Magnolia, MS 39652
(601) 783-6400

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday 6:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

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

Wee Care Academy
304 Lynn Ave
McComb, MS 39648
(601) 249-2789

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday 6:00 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

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

Weekday Early Education Center
1700 Delaware Ave
McComb, MS 39648
(601) 684-0102

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday 7:00 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

Services Provided: Full Day

Westbrook Head Start Center
411 Saint Augustine Ave
McComb, MS 39648
(601) 249-0906

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday 7:40 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

Services Provided: Head Start, Early Head Start
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### Children's Program

**Jewel Rushing Unit Boys & Girls Of Southwest Mississippi**
1025 The Positive Pl McComb, MS 39648  
(601) 684-5437  

**Hours of Operation:**  
Monday - Friday 2:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

**4-H Club @ MSU Extension-Pike County**
1140 North Clark Ave.  
Magnolia, MS 39652  
(601) 783-5321  

**Services Provided:** Ages 5 to 18-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.

### Southwest MS Children’s Advocacy Center

420 Delaware Ave.  
McComb, MS 39648  

P. O. Box 7283  
McComb, MS 39649  
(601) 684-4009

### Support Services

**Salvation Army**  
604 South Magnolia St.  
Magnolia, MS 39648  
(601) 249-0131

**Crisis Center**  
P. O. Box 1152  
McComb, MS 39649  
(601) 276-6869

**Southwest MS Opportunity, Inc. SMO**  
811 B Delaware Ave.  
McComb, MS 39648  
(601) 648-5593
McComb Recreation Department
701 S. Magnolia St.
McComb, MS 39648
(601) 684-0893

Habitat For Humanity
Pike County
P. O. Box 1731
McComb, MS 39649
(601) 250-6257
## Resources Available in Walthall County

### Mental Health; Drug & Alcohol Assistance

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**Services Provided:** To provide, quality, affordable, consumer-oriented, comprehensive behavioral health services. Our culturally sensitive, community-based services will work through appropriate interagency collaboration to enable our clients to attain their highest level of individual and family.

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**Services Provided:** Mental Health services, life skills services

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<td>Gloster, MS 39638</td>
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<td>(601) 225-7878</td>
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**Services Provided:** Case management, weatherization, commodities, and prescription assistance, parenting classes, anger management and substance abuse prevention.

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<td>219 Ball Ave.</td>
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**Services Provided:** We offer an array of community mental health services. These include individual, group and family therapies; medication evaluation and monitoring; testing, evaluation and consultation; day treatment programs; substance abuse and dependence treatment; case management; emergency services. We are the comprehensive mental health service provider for southwest Mississippi.
**Human Services**

**Walthall County Human Services (Economic Assistance)**
P. O. Box 430
910 Union Road
Tylertown, MS 39667
(601) 876-2191
Fax: (601) 876-3262

Services Provided: The mission of the social service system, including private non-profit providers, local government agencies, and state agencies is to: protect vulnerable children and adults from abuse, neglect or exploitation; support family preservation and community living; prevent family violence and disruption.

**Health and Medical Services**

**Walthall County Health Department**
903 Union Road
Tylertown, MS 39667
(601) 876-4924

Services Provided: Health services for women of all ages, especially mothers, and for children up to 18 years of age. Programs and information to benefit Mississippians of all ages who want to improve and secure their health. Preventive health programs are ongoing efforts to continually improve the health of Mississippians now and tomorrow. Essential programs for maintaining and promoting health. Through a combination of disease surveillance and programs to bring preventive information to the public, we work to protect Mississippians from the cost and burdens of disease.

**Employment Assistance**

**WIN Job Center**
Tylertown WIN Job Center
Courthouse-200 Ball Avenue
Tylertown, MS 39667
(601) 222-2161

Services Provided: The workforce investment network (WIN) in Mississippi is an innovative strategy designed to provide convenient, one-stop employment and training services to employers and job seekers. Combining federal, state and community workforce programs and services into physical locations and electronic sites, WIN in Mississippi creates a system that is both convenient and user friendly.
Placement Resources

**Walthall County MDCPS**
901 Union Road
Tylertown 39667
(601) 876-3238

MS Child Protection Services (MDCPS)
https://www.mdcps.ms.gov/

Services Provided: Strengthen families; prevent child abuse, neglect and exploitation; and, promote child and family well-being and permanent family connections.

Pregnancy and Parenting

**Walthall County Health Department**
903 Union Road
Tylertown, MS 39667
(601) 876-4924

Services Provided: Health services for women of all ages, especially mothers, and for children up to 18 years of age. Programs and information to benefit Mississippians of all ages who want to improve and secure their health. Preventive health programs are ongoing efforts to continually improve the health of Mississippians now and tomorrow. Essential programs for maintaining and promoting health. Through a combination of disease surveillance and programs to bring preventive information to the public, we work to protect Mississippians from the cost and burdens of disease.

Housing

**MS Regional Authority-Public Housing Project**
P.O. Drawer 748
130 Commerce St.
McComb, MS 39648
(601) 684-6422

**MS Regional Housing Authority Section VIII Housing**
130 Commerce St.
McComb, MS 39648
(601) 684-9503
Guardian Shelter
Natchez, MS
Crisis Line: (800) 273-6938
(601) 442-0142
http://www.catholiccharitiesjackson.org/natchez/shelter

Services Provided: Emergency Shelter, Childcare, Advocacy Services, 24-hour Crisis Line, Residential Counseling, Non-Residential Counseling, Emergency Transportation, Community Education, Referral Services, Legal Services

Counties Served: Adams, Amite, Claiborne, Copiah, Franklin, Jefferson, Lawrence, Lincoln, Pike, Walthall, Wilkinson

Child Care

Harvey’s Academy Of Care
871 Hwy 27 North
Tylertown, MS 39667
(601) 222-2004

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday 7:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Services Provided: Full Day, Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children

Harvey’s Academy Too
307 Franklinton St
Tylertown, MS 39667
(601) 222-0082

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday 7:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Services Provided: Full Day, Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children

Kangaroo Pouch Learning Aca LLC
1662 Highway 583 N
Jayess, MS 39641
(601) 876-4103

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday 6:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Services Provided: Full Day, Summer Day, School Age After School

Lear Preschool And Daycare
600 Franklinton St
Tylertown, MS 39667
(601) 876-2828

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday 6:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

Services Provided: Full Day, Summer Day, Half Day Morning & Afternoon, School Age After School, Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children

Little Children Christian Day / Night Care
123 S Sandifer St
Tylertown, MS 39667
(601) 876-4696

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday 6:00 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

Services Provided: Full Day, School Age After School, Accepts MDHS Subsidy Children
Saint Mary Academy Inc.
667 Highway 583 N
Tylertown, MS 39667
(601) 876-9060

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday 6:00 a.m. - 6:50 p.m.

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

St. Paul Head Start Center
225 Saint Paul Rd
Tylertown, MS 39667
(601) 876-4369

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday 8:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Services Provided: Head Start

TLC Daycare & Learning Center
221 Rushingtown Rd
Tylertown, MS 39667
(601) 222-2319

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday 6:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

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

Education

Walthall County School District
814 Morse Ave.
Tylertown, MS 39667
(601) 876-3401

Southwest Mississippi Community College Adult Basic Education/GED
1156 College Dr
Summit, MS 39666
Regional Workforce Training Center Room 134
(601) 276-3846

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Children’s Program
4-H Club @ MSU Extension-Walthall County
250 Ball Ave.
Tylertown, MS 39667
(601) 876-4021

Services Provided: Ages 5 to 18-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.

Walthall County Unit Boys & Girls Of Southwest Mississippi
705 Broad St
Tylertown, MS 39667
(601) 222-0706

Hours of Operation:
Monday - Friday 2:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Southwest Mississippi Children’s Advocacy Center
Forensic Interview Office:
420 Delaware Ave.
McComb, MS 39648
(601) 684-4009

Therapy/ Business Office:
411 Maryland Ave.
McComb, MS 39648
(601) 600.8283

Support Services

Salvation Army
604 South Magnolia St.
Magnolia, MS 39648
(601) 249-0131

Southwest MS Opportunity, Inc. SMO
901 Union Rd.
Tylertown, MS 39667
(601) 876-4511
Tylertown Baptist Association
409 Tyler Ave.
Tylertown, MS 39667
(601) 876-2262

PRVO/ Pearl Valley Opportunity
P. O. Box 188
Columbia, MS 39429
(601) 736-9564
## Resources Available in Wilkerson County

### Mental Health; Drug & Alcohol Assistance

**Region 11**  
**Southwest Mississippi Mental Health Complex**  
1701 White Street  
P.O. Box 768  
McComb, MS 39640-0768  
(601) 684-2173 (Administration)  
(601) 249-4227 (Children’s Services)  
Fax: (601) 249-4234  
www.swmmhc.org

Services Provided  
To provide, quality, affordable, consumer-oriented, comprehensive behavioral health services. Our culturally sensitive, community-based services will work through appropriate interagency collaboration to enable our clients to attain their highest level of individual and family functioning in the least restrictive environment.

**Wilkinson County Mental Health Office**  
1495 Hwy 61S  
Woodville, MS 39669  
(601) 888-3022  
Fax: (601) 888-7248

Services Provided: We offer an array of community mental health services. These include individual, group and family therapies; medication evaluation and monitoring; testing, evaluation, and consultation; day treatment programs; substance abuse and dependence treatment; case management; emergency services. We are the comprehensive mental health service provider for southwest Mississippi.

**Southwest MS Opportunity, Inc.**  
123 East Main Street  
Gloster, MS 39638  
(601) 225-7878

Services Provided: Case management, weatherization, commodities, and prescription assistance, parenting classes, anger management and substance abuse prevention.

### Human Services

**Wilkinson County Human Services**  
(Economic Assistance)  
P.O. Box 726  
1391 Hwy 61  
South Woodville, MS 3669  
(601) 888-4311  
Fax: (601) 888-4371

Services Provided: The mission of the social service system, including private non-profit providers, local government agencies, and state agencies is to: protect vulnerable children and adults from abuse, neglect or exploitation; support family preservation and community living; prevent family violence and disruption.
Wilkinson County Human Services  
(Child Support)  
967 1st South Street  
Woodville, MS 39669  
(601) 888-3901

Health and Medical Services

Wilkinson County Health Department  
991 First South Street  
P. O. Box 398  
Woodville, MS 39669  
(601) 888-4202

Services Provided: Health services for women of all ages, especially mothers, and for children up to 18 years of age. Programs and information to benefit Mississippian of all ages who want to improve and secure their health. Preventive health programs are ongoing efforts to continually improve the health of Mississippian now and tomorrow. Essential programs for maintaining and promoting health. Through a combination of disease surveillance and programs to bring preventive information to the public, we work to protect Mississippian from the cost and burdens of disease.

Wilkinson County WIC Office  
212 1st West St S  
Woodville, MS  
(601) 888-3580

Services Provided: WIC is a special supplemental food program for pregnant, breastfeeding, and post-partum women, infants and children under five years of age. WIC helps you and your baby get healthy foods and healthy advice in the first years of life.

Employment Assistance
Placement Resources

**Wilkinson County MDCPS**
1391 Highway 61 South
Woodville 39669
(601) 888-4311

MS Child Protection Services (MDCPS)
https://www.mdcps.ms.gov/

Services Provided: Strengthen families; prevent child abuse, neglect and exploitation; and, promote child and family well-being and permanent family connections.

Pregnancy and Parenting

**Wilkinson County Health Department**
991 First South Street
P. O. Box 398
Woodville, MS 39669
(601) 888-4202

Services Provided: Health services for women of all ages, especially mothers, and for children up to 18 years of age. Programs and information to benefit Mississippians of all ages who want to improve and secure their health. Preventive health programs are ongoing efforts to continually improve the health of Mississippians now and tomorrow. Essential programs for maintaining and promoting health. Through a combination of disease surveillance and programs to bring preventive information to the public, we work to protect Mississippians from the cost and burdens of disease.

**Delta Health Alliance: Healthy Pregnancy Program**
(662) 390-3948
https://deltahealthalliance.org/find-a-program/healthy-pregnancy/

Services Provided: The program is free. Participants meet monthly to receive pregnancy information and support. Participants earn incentives by keeping prenatal care appointments, receiving prenatal screenings and tests, and meeting regularly with their pregnancy coach.

**Healthy Families Mississippi**
(855) 466-6501
Local (601) 720-8359
https://www.mdhs.ms.gov/

Services Provided: Healthy Families Mississippi is a new home visiting program serving pregnant mothers and parents with children up to three years of age. Healthy Families Mississippi will: Link families to community services and resources, Provide child development, nutrition, financial and safety education, Provide family support materials to eligible families;

Refer families to other support services.
services provided: parenting classes, abstinence classes, teen pregnancy prevention program, healthy marriage, relationship building skills, child abuse/neglect prevention program, effective fathering class, domestic violence prevention program, lectures, and support groups.

housing

ms regional housing authority-
public housing project
p.o. drawer 748
130 commerce st.
mccomb, ms 39648
(601) 684-6422

ms regional housing authority-
section viii housing
130 commerce st.
mccomb, ms 39648
(601) 684-9503

azalea estates
64 lemon st.
woodville, ms 39669
(601) 545-3512

woodcrest manor apartments
711 third south st.
woodville, ms 39669
(601) 888-6542

guardian shelter
natchez, ms
Crisis line: (800) 273-6938
(601) 442-0142
http://www.catholiccharitiesjackson.org/natchez/shelter

Services provided: emergency shelter, childcare, Advocacy services, 24-hour crisis line, Residential Counseling, Non-Residential Counseling, Emergency transportation, Community education, Referral services, legal services

Counties served: Adams, Amite, Claiborne, Copiah, Franklin, Jefferson, Lawrence, Lincoln, Pike, Walthall, Wilkinson
Child Care

**A Step In Faith Daycare**  
550 Natchez St  
Woodville, MS 39669  
(601) 888-4655  

Hours of Operation:  
Monday - Friday 7:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.  

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

**Busy Bees Daycare & Learning Center**  
357 S Cosby St  
Centreville, MS 39631  
(601) 807-4505  

Hours of Operation:  
Monday - Friday 7:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.  

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

**Centreville Head Start Center**  
580 Highway 24  
Centreville, MS 39631  
(601) 645-6342  

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

Services Provided: Head Start, Full Day

**Wilkinson Co. Christian Academy Child Care**  
2420 Us Highway 61 S  
Woodville, MS 39669  
(601) 779-0619  

Hours of Operation:  
Monday - Friday 7:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.  

Services Provided: Full Day, School Age After School

**Woodville Headstart Center**  
1823 Hwy 24 West  
Woodville, MS 39669  
(601) 888-3920  

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

Services Provided: Head Start

Education

**Kevin Poole Vancleave Memorial Library**  
141 West Park  
Centerville, MS 39631  
(601) 645-5771

**Woodville Public Library**  
489 Main Street  
Woodville, MS 39669  
(601) 888-6712
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PBM Ministries
639 Second South St.
Woodville, MS 39669
(601) 888-3880

Wilkinson County Mississippi WIC
178 Main St.
Woodville, MS 39669
(601) 888-3580

Catholic Charities Guardian Sexual Assault Center
(601) 442-0107
Crisis Line: (800) 273-6938
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

The Mississippi State Department of Health’s mission is to promote and protect the health of the citizens of Mississippi. Public health protection takes a wide variety of forms, from ensuring the safety of your food and water to setting standards for health and care facilities.

https://www.teenhealthms.org
124 East Second St.
Clarksdale, MS  38614
125 S. Congress St.
Jackson, MS 39201

Teen Health Mississippi’s mission is to ensure that all Mississippi teens have access to high-quality sex education and youth-friendly healthcare services. Teen Health Mississippi envisions a healthier Mississippi where youth have access to essential knowledge, skills, resources, and support so they may grow into healthy adults and move Mississippi forward.