Community Resource Guide

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NOTES

FREQUENTLY USED NUMBERS

www.commonhelp.virginia.gov	855-242-8282
EBT	866-281-2448
Medicare	800-633-4227
Medicaid (MCO)	800-643-2273
Child Support Enforcement	Abingdon Office : 276-676-5490 Toll Free : 800-468-8894
PPL	866-364-1572
Red Cross 14298 Lee Hwy Bristol, VA 24202	276-645-6650
Social Security Office	866-504-5013
Translation Services	877-652-6482
Junk in the Trunk Cleaning/Hauling Service – Glade Spring, VA	276-477-7550
DMV (Abingdon Office)	276-676-1017
Safe Link Telephones – safelinkwireless.com	

Jaie Link letephones – Saletinkwiretess.com

Government program: Must meet income guidelines and receive local or federal assistance

Virginia 2-1-1

Dial 211

Connects individuals with needed resources within their local area. Calls are taken by trained professional. Recourses include *Basic Human Needs:* Food Banks, Shelters, Rent or Utility Assistance; *Physical & Mental Health Resources; Work Initiatives:* Job Trainings, English as a second language classes, GED prep, Financial & Transportation Assistance; *Support for Seniors and Those with Disabilities:* Adult day care, Meals at home, Respite care, Home Health; *Support for Children, Youth & Families:* After School Programs, Tutoring, Mentorship Programs, Counseling, Childcare Centers; *Volunteering in your Communities:* Mentorship Opportunities, Locations to donate food, clothing, furniture, computers or other items; *Disaster Support Services:* Up to date information on community or reginal response, volunteering, donation coordination, crisis intervention & human services coordination.

FOOD RESOURCES

Abingdon Faith in Action

276-628-4813

798 Hillman Hwy - Abingdon, VA 24210

Located behind St. John's Lutheran Church, Abingdon Faith in Action operates the *Stone Soup Food Pantry* serving Washington County residents. Clients can shop there once a month and will receive a \$25 gift certificate for clothing and shoes to use at *New Life Thrift Shop – A Ministry of Faith in Action* in Abingdon.

Additionally, FIA also provides emergency financial assistance to families for rent and utilities as funds are available through an application process, as well as helping those who are uninsured obtain medicine in emergency situations. FIA also hosts the *Crossroads Medical Mission* bus monthly.

Food Pantry Hours: Monday & Friday – 10:00 am to 1:00 pm

Tuesday – 4:00 pm to 6:00 pm

Crossroads Medical Mission: The first, third, and fourth Tuesdays of each month.

Feeding America

276-628-9266 (Fax: 276-628-3974) www.feedingswva.org 21452 Gravel Lake Rd - Abingdon, VA 24210

Located off Exit 17 in the Abingdon Distribution Center is the *Abingdon Harvest Home Community Kitchen*, which provides three home cooked meals to-go three days a week:

Tuesday – Thursday: 10:00 am to 1:00 pm (They also have a mobile food pantry; you must call for times and locations)

Hunger & Help Line - Call: 540-299-0004 Text: 276-250-4500

Email: hungerandhelp@feedingswva.org Hours: Mon-Fri 8:30-5:00pm

After Hours: Call 211

Highlands Fellowship

276-628-3297 (Fax: 276-628-1011; Bristol Campus: 276-669-7400) 22417 Watauga Rd - Abingdon, VA 24211

Located off Route 75, clients can visit once per month for food assistance.

Open Wednesdays 10 am – 12 pm (closed the 5th Wednesday of the month; closed if Washington Co Public Schools are closed)

Clothing – Free clothing closet to assist families in need

Haven of Rest

423-968-2011 624 Anderson St - Bristol, TN 37620

Serving residents of Virginia and Tennessee, Haven or Rest helps provide food, clothing, shelter, and counseling services.

Food Services:

- Nightly Community Meal: Sunday Friday, 5:00 pm to 5:40 pm
- **Haven Food Pantry**: Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday from 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm (by appointment only; must call to schedule time to be served)

Shelter Services:

- **The Grace Home:** 12-bed home for women with a maximum 60-day stay offering all basic amenities
- **Men's Shelter:** Space for up to 38 men with a maximum 60-day stay offering all basic amenities
- **The Haven Lighthouse:** Sober-living residential program for men where they can stay up to 24 months while they learn, heal, and are discipled. Admission is by interview with staff member after a stay in the emergency dorm. Guests in the program must have sustainable income and pay a minimal rent. Access to medical, mental health, recovery services, and legal obligations is facilitated by staff.

Clothing:

- **Haven Thrift Store:** Monday Saturday, 10:00 am to 5:00 pm; Offers clothing, household items, accessories, furniture, and some electronics at bargain prices.
- Clothing vouchers available Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday 10:00 am to 3:00 pm

Counseling:

- Available through the main office of Haven of Rest, counseling is free of charge. To schedule appointment, clients must email Emma Brewster (ebrewster@horbtn.org) or call the main office (423-968-2011).

(Haven of Rest cont'd)

Infant Ministry:

Giving diapers, wipes, and clothing to mothers in need – Monday through Friday,
 9am-3pm

The Salvation Army

423-764-6156 http://salvationarmybristoltn.org 137 Martin Luther King Jr Blvd - Bristol, VA

The Salvation Army offers the following to local residents:

Emergency Shelter – Beds for 20 men and 14 women

Soup Kitchen – Dinner at 5:00 pm, Monday – Saturday

Food Pantry – Open 9:30 am to 11:30 am, Tuesday – Thursday

Rental & Utility Assistance – Limited funding available; Call to apply

District Three - Governmental Cooperative

276-783-8157 4453 Lee Hwy - Marion, VA 24354

Serves residents of Washington, Smyth, Wythe, Bland, Carroll, and Grayson Counties in the following areas of assistance:

Food – Must be 60 & up

Virginia Senior Farmers Market Nutrition Program_— Issues special USDA checks that allow eligible seniors to purchase fresh, locally grown produce. (Must apply each year to be part of this program.)

Home Delivered Meals – Provided to elderly individuals who are unable to go to senior centers or other group meal sites and in need of nutrition services.

Transportation (through Mountain Lynx Transit)

- **Town of Abingdon:** Monday through Friday, 8:00 am to 5:00 pm; Available for any rider requesting transportation within town limits; All vehicles are wheelchair accessible; Call 276-676-0700 to schedule a trip (Reservations are taken on first-call basis; Calling 24 hours in advance is recommended)
- Washington County and City of Bristol: Weekly service to various parts of Washington County, Monday through Friday. (Areas and Day of Service available online at www.district-three.org

(District Three cont'd)

- After getting a caseworker, they will provide rides to UVA, Wake Forrest, Salem VA Hospital and Johnson City VA hospital.

Utilities (Must be age 60 and up):

- Grant based funding; Must first sign up and have a caseworker
 - **Depending on grant money, you can get an air conditioner. You must call starting June 1st to be put on the list.

Home Repairs – After applying with case worker, you can have ramps built and grab bars installed in home. When funds are available, other small home repairs can be done.

Homemakers Services – You can have someone come into your home and clean. If someone from the agency, does it, you can get 6 hrs. a month or 3 hrs. every 2 weeks. Alternatively, if you have someone (a family member, friend) that is willing to go to the office and take a drug test and complete background check – you are eligible for 16 hrs. a month.

Other Services:

- Insurance counseling dealing with Social Security plans
- Help filling out SNAP, Medicaid, and Social Security applications.

First Assembly of God

276-669-3016 1400 Lee Hwy - Bristol, VA 2420 www.firstassemblybristol.org

Food is distributed Wednesday at 10:00 am after Bible Study, until last person is served.

Clothing will be given out at this time as well.

Loaves & Fishes

276-646-9939 loavesfishesva.com 141 S Pine St - Chilhowie, VA 24319

Food pick-up on the third Thursday of the month, 9:00 am to 11:00 am and 6:30 pm to 7:30 pm. (Check Facebook page for updates, schedule changes, and special offerings.)

Mendota Food Pantry

2562 Mendota Rd - Mendota, VA 24270

Located at the Mendota Community Center, food distribution is the fourth Thursday every month from 3:00 pm to 5:00 pm. (If distribution day falls on holidays or there is no fourth Thursday, distribution will be the third Thursday)

Southern Manna Soup Kitchen

110 Town Square - Glade Spring, VA 24340

Hot meals on Friday, 11:00 am - 1:00 pm

It's a God Thing One Way Ministries

276-475-3318

1004 South Shady Ave - Damascus, VA 24236

Produce & Dairy: Wednesdays 4:00 pm to 5:00 pm

Produce: Sundays 12:30 pm

Food Box: 3rd Saturday of the month, 10:00 am to 12:00 pm

Southwestern Virginia Second Harvest Food Bank

276-628-9266

126 Russell Rd - Abingdon, VA 24210

Monday thru Friday, 8:00 am to 5:00pm

Damascus Senior Center

276-475-5232

209 Legion St - Damascus, VA

Wednesday 10:00 am to 11:00 am

Bristol Faith in Action

276-466-8292

1556 Euclid Ave - Bristol, VA 24201

Tuesday thru Friday, 10:00 am to 2:00 pm

Virginia Avenue Methodist Church

423-968-1353 1127 Virginia Ave - Bristol TN 37621 vaaveumc@btes.tv

Serves VA & TN residents; must bring photo ID. Need 2 forms of ID. A photo ID and a piece of mail that matches ID. Must fill out paperwork upon arrival the first time.

1st & 3rd Wednesday of the month, 2:00 pm to 4:00 pm

Pleasant View United Methodist Church

276-628-6323 18416 Lee Highway – Abingdon, VA

Monday thru Friday 9:30 am to 11:30 am

Abingdon Farmer's Market

276-698-1434 abingdonmarket@gmail.com www.abingdonfarmersmarket.com 100 Remsburg Dr - Abingdon, VA 24210

Participating vendors will match up to \$25 when using your EBT card.

April thru November: Saturday – 8:00 am to 1:00 pm Tuesday – 3:00 pm to 6:00 pm

Winter Market: First and Third Saturday, 10:00 am to 12:00 pm

Chilhowie Farmer's Market

276-645-3232 www.chilhowie.org 821 E Lee Hwy - Chilhowie, VA 24319 (Warrior Park)

May thru October: Thursday, 4:00 pm to 7:00 pm

Glade Spring Farmer's Market

276-608-7992 115 Town Sq St - Glade Spring VA

April thru October 8:00 am to 12:00 pm

Saltville Farmer's Market

276-685-9597 (Deanna Holmes) Downtown Commons Area on the Salt Trail - Saltville, VA

April thru October 3:00 pm to 6:00 pm

Marion Farmer's Market

Corner of E Cherry St & S Chestnut St - Marion, VA 24354 (Parking Lot behind Macado's Restaurant) 276-378-5029 www.marionva.org

Participating vendors will match up to \$25 when using your EBT card

May thru October: 8:00 am to 12:00 pm

January thru April: Second Saturday of the month, 10:00 am to 12:00 pm

Madam Russell United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall

207 West Main St - Saltville, VA 24370

Bundles of Blessings is currently serving residents from Washington and Smyth Counties in Virginia, with free diapers and baby supplies – while supplies last.

Second Saturday of every month 10:00 am to 12:00 pm

CLOTHING NEEDS

Hope Closet

306 E Laurel Ave Damascus VA 276-475-3002

Ran by First Baptist Church in Damascus. They have clothing, household items and toys free to needy families. They also take donations of these items. You must call or check First Baptist Church Facebook page for times and dates.

Higher Faith Ministries Inc

423-764-7904 ministry@higherfaith.org http://higherfaith.org/

Free clothing closet and athletic exchange for families. Household goods also free to needy families. Donations of clothing and materials taken. Call for hours of operation or to schedule appointment.

New Life Thrift Store

246 W E Main St Abingdon, VA 24210 276-525-4220

A ministry of *Faith in Action*, clients who visit their food pantry receive a \$25 gift certificate with each monthly pickup for clothes and shoes. Visit their Facebook page for hours of operation. Donations are also accepted through FIA for the store.

Please also see:

- -Haven of Rest Rescue Mission (p. 7)
- -Highlands Fellowship Church (p.7)
- -First Assembly of God (p. 9)

EMERGENCY SHELTER & HOUSING

Shepherds Inn

423-542-0180 Elizabethton, TN

The Shepherd's Inn in Elizabethton, Tennessee, is a shelter dedicated to supporting women and their children who are displaced due to domestic violence or temporary homelessness. They offer a range of services, including 24/7 admissions; assistance with obtaining orders of protection; housing; job placement.

Kings Mountain

1-833-429-7754

Kings Mountain was designed to meet the needs of homeless men with disabilities, including veterans. The multi-unit housing rehabilitation project in Bristol, VA provides residence and support.

Please also see:

- -Salvation Army (p. 3)
- -Haven or Rest (p. 7)

Housing

Section 8 (Through People Inc)	276-623-9000
Abingdon Housing Authority (190 E Main ST Abingdon VA 24210)	276-628-5661
Bristol Housing Authority (809 Edmond St Bristol, VA 24201)	276-642-2001
Abingdon Terrace Apartments (elderly/disabled)	276-628-8941
Washington Court Apartments (elderly/disabled)	276-676-2076
Abingdon Green (elderly/disabled)	276-676-3366
Ridgefield Court (certain units)	276-628-2275
Oak Knoll	276-475-5515

(Housing cont'd)

Woods Landing (elderly/disabled)	276-475-5515
Settler's Point	276-475-3395

UTILITY ASSISTANCE

LIHWAP (Low Income Household Water Assistance Program)

888-373-9908 virginialihwap.com

Affordable Connectivity Program

877-384-2575 fcc.qov/acp

Must receive SNAP, Medicaid, Federal Public Housing Assistance, SSI, WIC, Veterans Pension or Survivor Benefits

Appalachian Agency for Senior Citizens

276-964-4915 cpatton@assc.org www.aasc.org

Provides home repairs for senior citizens.

Please also see:

- -Faith in Action (p. 6)
- -Salvation Army (p. 8)
- -District Three Government Agency (p. 8)
- -Traci H. Energy Asst. Program

TRANSPORTATION

Medicaid Transportation (Non-Emergency)

Reservations: 866-386-8331 General Info: 866-810-8305

Salvation Army

423-764-6156 www.salvationarmyusa.org

Town of Abingdon Public Transit

276-676-0700

Must make reservations 24 hrs. in advance. Services the town of Abingdon, Monday through Friday, 8:00 am to 5:00 pm – pick up at your curb and deliver to any destination within town limits.

Washington County Public Transit

276-676-2662

Bristol, Virginia Transit

276-645-7384

Mountain Lynx Transit

276-676-0700

FREE! Must make advanced reservations – day before preferred. A different part of the county served daily, with pick up at your door. Destinations include Abingdon Walmart, Department of Social Services, and Washington County Health Department. Inquiries can be made regarding other places within the county.

District Three Governmental Cooperation

276-783-8157

4453 Lee Hwy Marion, VA 24354

For individuals aged 60 and over; must apply and talk to case worker in prior appointments. Provides medical transportation to: UVA, Winston-Salem, Johnson City, TN and Salem, VA veterans hospitals. You must call at least two weeks ahead to make reservations after initial case is setup.

ELDERLY & DISABLED SERVICES

Southwest Regional Deaf Services Program

P.O. Box 486 Lebanon, VA 24266 www.cmcsb.com TTY – 800-347-4939 Voice – 276-889-3785 Fax – 276-889-2842 Email – mbush@cmcsb.com or ltaylor@cmcsb.com

Program Services include counseling, medication & psychiatry, case management, communication

Virginia Dept of Visually Handicapped

359 Commonwealth Ave Suite 200 Bristol VA, 24201 276-642-7300 Fax- 276-642-7377

The Department for the Blind and Vision Impaired (DBVI) is committed to providing quality services to assist Virginia's citizens who are blind, deafblind or vision impaired in achieving their maximum level of employment, education, and personal independence. The department provides an array of specialized services to blind Virginians of all ages to assist them in attaining the skills, confidence and positive outlook that are critical to independence.

Virginia Dept of Aging and Rehab Services

207 Abingdon Place Abingdon VA 276-676-5565 Christi.Altizer@dars.virginia.gov

Help to improve the employment, quality of life, security, and independence of older Virginians, Virginians with disabilities, and their families.

Appalachian Independence Center

230 Charwood Dr Abingdon, VA 24210 276-628-2979 Fax: 276-628-4931 www.aicadvocates.org

Services include Individual Advocacy such as accessing benefits, vocational rehabilitation – as well as assistance to obtain or maintain education, training, employment, or assistive devices. Other services include Peer Counseling, Independent Living Skills Training, Information & Referral, Transition (Youth & Nursing Home Transition /Prevention), Community Education, Consumer Groups, Home Modifications, Technical Assistance.

Virginia Department of the Blind & Vision Impaired

1-800-622-2155 TTY/TTD 804-371-3133 www.dbvi.virginia.gov

Helping individuals that are deaf, blind, or hard of hearing find resources throughout the state.

Department for Aging & Rehabilitative Services

207 Abingdon Place Abingdon, VA 276-676-5565 www.vadrs.org

Provides assistance and services to individuals with disabilities.

HEALTH SERVICES

MFDICAL

Healing Hands

423-652-0260

CHIP (Comprehensive Health Investment Program – People Inc)

276-623-9000 www.peopleinc.net

Helps secure medical/dental services for children, educate parents, and screen children for developmental delays

Washington County Health Department

276-676-5604 15068 Lee Hwy - Bristol, VA 24202

Provides immunizations, birth control, pap tests, sports and school physicals, WIC, nursing home screenings, EWL (*Every Woman's Life*), and free mammograms for qualifying individuals.

Bristol City Health Department

276-642-7335 205 Piedmont Ave - Bristol, VA 24201

Provides immunizations, birth control, pap tests, sports and school physicals, WIC, nursing home screenings, EWL (*Every Woman's Life*), and free mammograms for qualifying individuals.

Faith in Action

276-628-4813 abingdonfaithinaction.com

Assistance with emergency medicines.

Spero Health

866-755-4258 sperohealth.com

Medicaid: Also assists with housing, employment, transportation (accepts Medicaid)

The Lions Club

lionsclub.org

The Lions Club offers assistance to individuals that need an eye exam and/or glasses. Application process required.

Remote Area Medical (RAM)

1-877-572-6872 http://ramvolunteers.org

Helps with health screenings, dentistry, eyeglasses for low-income families. First come first serve

Crossroads Medical Mission

276-466-1600 http://crossroadsmedicalmission.org

Southwest Virginia Community Health Systems

www.//svchs.com/

Program offers a sliding scale fee for qualifying patients. This includes offices in Saltville and Meadowview VA.

Stone Mountain Health Services

http://stonemountainhealthservices.org

Offers health care on a sliding scale fee for qualifying patients

Washington County Prescription Discount Card

CVS Caremark 1-877-321-2652

Abortion Alternatives and Crisis Pregnancy

423-968-4673

Mel Leaman Free Clinic

276-781-2090 601 Radio Hill Rd. Marion VA info@melleamanfreeclinic.org

Provides free health care to individuals in Washington, Smyth, and Grayson counties

Virginia Medicaid – Find a Provider

800-643-2273

http://www.dmas.virginia.gov/for-members/find-a-provider/

MCO HOTLINE

1-800-643-2273

Help with any question concerning client's insurance; Help finding a medical professional that takes their insurance

Ballad Urgent Care

276-619-0075

24530 Falcon Place Blvd. Abingdon VA

Healing Hands Health and Dental Clinic

423-652-0260

245 Midway Medical Park. Bristol, TN 37670

Individuals with no insurance or limited insurance can receive medical, behavioral health, dental, vision & supportive care. Must meet income guidelines.

MENTAL HEALTH

Highlands Community Services

276-525-1550 610 Campus Dr. Abingdon VA 24210 highlandscsb.org

Offers multiple services for adults and children.

The Anchor (HCS)

276-525-1650 Ext: 2

Crisis Center, substance use or psychiatric crisis, evaluation and monitoring (accepts Medicaid)

Hope and Healing

276-300-4422 hopeandhealingcounselingctr.com

Does accept Medicaid; offers in person and video appointments; offers individual, family, couple, and rotating group therapy

Healing Waters Counseling Center

276-963-0111 healingwaterscc.com

They offer all types of counseling. They accept Medicare/Medicaid.

Family Preservation Services

276-623-9245 fpscorp.com Statewide referral line 540-283-0486

Offers child and adolescent services: intensive in home, supportive in home, therapeutic monitoring, outpatient services. Family support services, school-based services, adult services and the arise program.

The Crisis Center

276-466-2218 140 Oakview Ave. Bristol, VA 24201

24-Hr Mental Health first aid, Domestic violence, and Sexual assault crisis

Health Connect America

276-628-5752 healthconnectamerica.com

Telehealth/in person counseling

Appalachian Independence Center

276-628-2979

230 Charwood Dr. Abingdon VA 24210

Nonresidential center for independent living. Services include, peer counseling, information & referral, independent living skills training, advocacy, and transition

Lifeline Services

276-623-2444

Mental Health Services

Southwest Care Connection for Children

276-645-4900

National Counseling Group

Abingdon office: 276-226-2828

Frontier Health

Bristol VA 423-989-4500

Adult outpatient counseling services: zoom and in person (accepts Medicaid)

SUBSTANCE ABUSE

Appalachian Substance Abuse Coalition

stopsubstanceabuse.com

Mended Women Lifestyle Recovery

Abingdon: 3276-451-3996

Bristol Lifestyle Recovery (Men only)

Bristol: 276-821-8030

Creekside Behavioral Health (detox)

888-397-7271

AA/NA Meetings

findrecovery.com 1-866-641-9190

Narcan/Naloxone Training

276-525-1550 #1452

New Day Recovery

Saltville: 276-496-4492

** If you have clients in Smyth Co VA that need Services

- Mount Rogers Community Services: 276-783-8185
- Heatherwood Counseling Center (Accepts Medicaid): 276-783-7600

Hannah's House

276-525-4474

Addiction treatment and support

Highlands Center for Behavioral Health

276-525-1550

Addiction treatment and behavioral support

Turning Point ***

423-926-0940

In-patient Rehab (Johnson City, TN)

The Laurels ***

276-889-3063

In-patient Rehab (Lebanon, VA)

The Life Center ***

276-293-9642

In-patient Rehab (Galax, VA)

Creekside Behavioral Health ***

423-830-8110

Detox program (Kingsport, TN)

*** Admission depends on bed availability. Some facilities have a pre-screening process that the client must meet to be admitted.

ASSESSMENTS:

Dr. Rick Carroll – Parenting Assessments: 423-383-1960

HSC/CAC - Trauma Assessments (Make Referral to CAC): 276-645-5867

Lynn Rasnake (administers trauma assessments): 276-608-3690

David Hever – *Lifeline Services*: 276-608-0193

MEDICATION DROPBOXES

Johnston Memorial Hospital 16000 Johnston Memorial Dr Abingdon, VA

Saltville Police Department 217 Palmer St Saltville, VA

Washington County Sheriff's Office 20281 Rustic Ln Abingdon, VA

Damascus Town Hall 208 W Laurel Ave Damascus, VA

DENTAL

Appalachian Highlands Community Dental

276-525-4487 616 Campus Dr Abingdon VA 24210

Offers low-cost dental care

Southwest Virginia Regional Dental Center

Saltville: 276-496-4492

888-912-3456

^{**}To help find a Dentist that takes Medicaid

LOCAL HOSPITALS

Johnston Memorial Hospital
Bristol Regional Medical Center
Smyth County Community Hospital
Russell County Medical Center
Dickenson Community Hospital
Norton Community Hospital
Lonesome Pine Hospital
Johnson City Medical Center
Indian Path Medical Center
Holston Valley Medical Center
Franklin Woods Hospital
Johnson County Community Hospital

FAMILY PROGRAMS

PARENTING CLASSES & EDUCATION

Strengthening Families – HCS

276-525-1550

Serves parents of pre-k to teens; Bristol location Tues 5-7; Abingdon location Wed 5-7; Class is free. Provides participants with food, childcare, gas assistance, parent workbooks and connects them with community resources. Lisa with *Strengthening Families* (phone 276-494-1112) will give information about whether the parents are attending/participating or not.

Project Dads - HCS

276-525-1550

Knowledge about discipline, working with moms and coparenting, showing and handling feedings, masculinity, dealing with anger, improving communication skills, stress, substance use, work, etc. Dads only parenting group.

Baby Care – WCHD

276-676-5604

Medicaid sponsored; RN will work with family to help them understand and educate more about having a healthy and safe baby. They do home visits.

Early Childhood Education – HCS

276-525-1550

For parents/caregivers and expecting parents; newborn – age 6; gain parenting skills; knowledge on how to handle tantrums, toilet training, lying, jealousy, etc.

Moms-R-US - YWCA

423-968-9444 106 State St. Bristol TN 37620

Teen pregnancy program; provides education, resources, and encouragement to work towards family self-sufficiency; Teens 19 and younger who are pregnant; Free of charge; Placed on a waiting list depending on baby's due date.

Helping Children Succeed – Bristol Family Resource Center

276-645-3765 41 Piedmont Ave Bristol VA 24201

For parents/grandparents/stepparent's/ caregivers in Bristol, VA; Free classes – preregistration required (*child may not attend*). Knowledge about positive discipline, nutrition, budgeting, ageappropriate learning, family management, safety issues; Can receive diapers, wipes, etc. Also may receive food vouchers for Bristol Food Pantry.

CHIP – People Inc

276-623-9000

Helps secure medical/dental for children; educate parents about child health, home safety, community resources and parenting; screen children for developmental delays; Help families learn about the growth and development of the child.

MISCELLANEOUS PROGRAMS

Early Intervention – HCS

276-525-1550

Early Intervention supports families of infants and toddlers, ages birth to three years, with developmental delays and disabilities.

Care Connection for Children

276-645-4900

Birth to 21 years with special medical services; care coordination; medical insurance benefits evaluation and coordination; family to family support;

Blue Mountain Therapy

276-477-0029

Early intervention - birth to 3 years; Pediatric Therapy Services - birth to 21 years; children who demonstrate an injury, developmental delay, or disability.

People Inc

276-619-2255 City of Bristol & Washington Co.

Whole Family Approach - coaches work with families on budgeting, goal setting and more, with the purpose of breaking the intergenerational cycle of poverty.

Christmas Assistance (Angel Tree)

423-764-6156 Salvation Army
Help needy families with Christmas gifts for their children

Springbrook Behavioral Health Autism Program

864-660-6220 Travelers Rest, SC

Residential Program for autism, continuing services after release

Multisystemic Therapy (MST)

Children ages 11-17 yrs. old who are displaying: truancy academic problems, criminal behavior, serious disrespect and disobedience, aggressive behavior, runaway, benefit the most from this therapy. Services are provided in the home, school and community

Family Functional Therapy (FFT)

Children ages 11-18 years old who are re-referrals for behavioral, emotional, or substance use problems.

Parent – Child Interaction Therapy (PCIT)

Children between the ages of 2 1/2 and 6 1/2 who engage in negative behaviors. One-hour, weekly sessions. Children that benefit from PCIT include those who, have relational problems with caregiver, are defiant, lose their temper, purposefully annoy others, fight or show aggression, having difficulty staying seated, playing quietly, have a history of trauma. This service works best with children and parents who are still living in the home together, as the therapy wants to child/parent/caregiver to practice these skills in their home

CHILD CARE

YWCA	423-968-9444
Boys & Girls Club of Abingdon	erved one meal;
Childcare Network #123	276-644-9480
Dreams High Point Elementary	276 -608-5191
Victory Christian Center	276-669-3008
North Bristol Christian Pre School	276-644-9148
Lee Street Community Child Care	276-669-2790
Blue Mountain Childcare	276-525-1332
Mary Thomas (Home Provider)	276-475-3935
Rebecca Thomas (Home Provider – Chilhowie Area)	276-646-8662
Melissa Chapman (Home Provider – Bristol Area)	276-285-3858
People Inc Abingdon Head Start Center	276-628-9932
Benham's Head Start	276-466-9122
Bristol Child Development Center	276-591-1439
Hayter's Gap Head Start	276-944-4617
Meadowview Head Start	276-944-5098
Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Washington Co	276-628-7053
YMCA of Bristol	423-968-3133
400 Martin Luther King Blvd – Bristol, TN	

Communities in Schools of Southwest Virginia	276-821-5630
220 Lee St Bristol, VA	
www.cisofswva.org	
Girls Inc	276-669-8686
885 Clinton Ave Bristol VA	

^{**}Find other providers at www.childcare.virginia.gov

MISCELLANEOUS

EMPLOYMENT

Luttrell Staffing Group

276-623-0039 luttrelstaffing.com

Virginia Employment Commission

276-642-7350 vec.virginia.gov

People Inc

276-623-9000 peopleinc.net

Adult Workforce Development (helping adults to land new opportunities and make a transition from job to career.) Dislocated Worker Employment & Training (help individuals who lost job at no fault of their own reenter the workforce.) Employment Services (help community members who meet income qualifications and have one minor child at home, work towards the career of their dreams.) CARES program for ex-offenders (helps individuals released from prison learn to re-enter their community)

Kelly Services

276-525-4797 kellyservices.com

Indeed

indeed.com

Resume Help

resumehelp.com

Virginia Career Works

Abingdon Office: 276-619-2255, Bristol Office: 276-642-7350 http://vcnewrivermtrogers.com

Career coaching and job search assistance

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE

Abuse Alternatives

Hotline: 423-764-2287 Washington Co: 276-628-6940

Emergency shelter for victims/children; Safety planning, Court advocacy, Accompaniment; Information/Referrals for survivors and families

APS & CPS Hotline

800-552-7096

The Crisis Center

276-466-2218

24-Hr mental health first aid, domestic violence, and sexual assault crisis

National Domestic Violence Hotline

800-799-7233

CASA of the 28th Judicial District

276-623-9000 CASA@peopleinc.net

We provide trained volunteers to speak for abused and neglected children who are the subjects of juvenile court proceedings.

Children's Advocacy Center

276-645-5867

Crisis Support & Warmline

800-500-7019

Project Jane-Highlands Community Services

276-525-1550

Project Jane provides unduplicated services that are focused on long-term change for victims and perpetrators of domestic violence. Services also focus on reducing the impact of trauma on the children involved. Project Jane works toward creating a change for life and ending domestic violence.

HOPE House

800-572-2278 www.hopehouse.net

Offers emergency shelter, food and clothing for abuse victims; 24-hr hotline coverage for support, information, and referrals

Virginia Family Violence & Sexual Assault

800-838-8238 or 804-793-9999

National Sexual Assault Hotline

800-656-4673

Domestic Violence Support Group

276-628-3092 or 276-628-8997

Located at Shady Grove UMC; Support group for women who are victims of domestic violence

People Incorporated

People Inc. provides temporary emergency shelter, court services, supportive services, and advocacy to help victims of domestic violence and/or sexual assault. A 24-hour crisis hotline offers immediate counseling and support.

Statewide Crisis Hotline: (877) 697-9444

Buchanan County Hotline: (276) 935-5485

Russell County Hotline: (276) 889-0178

LEGAL

Faith in Action

276-628-4813 abingdonfaithinaction.com

Advocacy and Referral

Legal Aid

Marion Office: 276-783-8300 Castlewood Office: 276-762-9354

www.svlas.org

A non-profit organization established to provide free, high quality legal services to low-income residents of the Southwestern Region of Virginia. The following types of cases may be handled: family related issues, housing, consumer issues, SSI, Food Stamps, TANF, Medicaid, Medicare, health care, and employment issues.

CASA – CASA of the 28th Judicial District

276-591-1430 volunteer@peopleinc.net

Trained CASA volunteers act as the voice for abused &/or neglected children. Representing their best interests.

Wahington County Circuit Court	276-676-6224
Wahington County General District Court	. 276-676-6279
Wahington County Juvenile Domestic Relations Court	. 276-676-6282
Washington County Sheriff Dept	. 276-676-6000
Washington County Dispatch.	. 276-669-7134
Abingdon Police Department	276-628-3111
Bristol (VA) Police Dept	276-645-7400

Chilhowie Police Dept	3232
Damascus Police Dept	-3341
Glade Spring VA Police Dept	2333
Saltville VA Police Dept	4321
Virginia State Police	3131
Virginia State Police	716
Bristol, Virginia Court System	7300
Abingdon Regional Jail	6650

SCHOOLS

Abingdon High School	276-739-3200, 276-821-5601 (Fax)
Holston High School	276-739-4000, 276-475-4024 (Fax)
John Battle High School	276-642-5300, 276-645-2386 (Fax)
Patrick Henry High School	276-739-3700, 276-739-3731 (Fax)
Damascus Middle School	276-739-4100, 276-475-4032 (Fax)
E.B. Stanley Middle School	276-739-3300, 276-676-1945 (Fax)
Glade Middle School	276-739-3800, 276-429-4211 (Fax)
Wallace Middle School	276-739-5400, 276-645-2365 (Fax)
Abingdon Elementary School	276-739-3400, 276-623-4121 (Fax)

Greendale Elementary School	276-739-3500, 276-623-4102 (Fax)
High Point Elementary School	276-642-5600, 276-645-2360 (Fax)
Meadowview Elementary School	276-739-3900, 276-944-2113 (Fax)
Rhea Valley Elementary School	276-739-4200, 276-475-4055 (Fax)
Valley Institute	276-642-5500, 276-645-2394 (Fax)
Watauga Elementary School	276-739-3600, 276-628-1847 (Fax)
Neff Vocational Center	276-739-3100, 276-623-4126 (Fax)
Virginia Highlands Community Collegewww.vhcc.edu	 276-739-2400
Northeast State Community Collegewww.northeaststate.edu	276-323-3191
Southwest Virginia Community College	276-964-2555

EDUCATION OPPORTUNITIES

People Inc

276-623-9000

People Inc has several programs to help high school children to succeed. *Improving Scholars* (help provide twice weekly tutoring & mentoring services to middle and high school students); *Project Discovery* (dropout prevention & college access preparatory program) *Youth Workforce Development* (offers education & training and employment opportunities for eligible youth ages 14-24)

Mount Rogers Regional Adult Education Program

276-619-4398 1 Partnership Cir. Abingdon, VA http://mrraep.com

This program provides leadership & support for adult education and literacy services, workplace education programs, GED preparation & instruction, the National External Diploma Program (all online), work ready certifications, Virginia Placement test Preparation. All classes and services are *free*.

Tri County Driving Academy

276-794-7660

www.tricountydrivingacademy.com

Assisting adults in obtaining their Commercial Driver's License; instruction and job placement. Financial aid may be available

Highlands Educational Literacy Program

13168 Meadowview Square Meadowview, VA http://helpliteracyofwc.weebly.com

Provide *free* one on one tutoring to adults in basic reading and writing; English as a second language; digital literacy to support job readiness skills

Jacobs Creek Job Corps

800-733-5627 984 Denton Valley Rd Bristol, TN http://jacobscreek.jobcorps.gov

Job training in the construction and forestry field, and assistance to those interested in obtaining a GED. The program can serve individuals 16-24yrs old that meet income requirements.

Blue Ridge Job Corps

276-783-7221 or 1-800-829-0191 245 W Main St Marion, VA http://blueridge.jobcorps.gov

Job training in the medical field and assistance to those interested in obtaining a GED. The program can serve those 16-24 yrs. of age that meet income requirements.

Literacy Academy of Bristol

276-645-8790 701 Goode St Bristol, VA jcc@bristol-library.org

Adult Learning-Technology-Art-Job Readiness; Resources for adults to enhance their education, digital literacy and computer skills, creative artistic expression and career mobility. Staffed for on demand, one on one assistance. Inquire at the Bristol Public Library.

Crown Cutz

276-669-2112 805 Commonwealth Ave Bristol, VA www.crowncutzacademy.edu

Provide training and employment opportunities in cosmetology field

LIBRARIES

Bristol Public Library (Closes at 8:00 pm) 701 Goode St Bristol VA http://www.bristol-library.org		. 276-645-8780
Chilhowie Public Library (Closes at 6:00 pm) 807 Chilhowie St Chilhowie, VA		276-646-3404
Damascus Public Library (Closes at 6:00 pm) 370 Water St Damascus, VA		276-475-3820
Glade Spring Public Library(Closes at 6pm) 305 N Glade St Glade Spring, VA		276-429-5626
Hayter's Gap Public Library (Closes at 6:00 pm) 7720 Hayter's Gap Rd Saltville, VA		. 276-944-4442
Mendota Public Library (Hours change daily – must call) 2562 Mendota Rd Mendota, VA		276-645-2374
Saltville Public Library (Closes at 6:00 pm) 111 Palmer Ave Saltville, VA		276-496-5514
Washington County Public Librar (Closes at 8:00 pm) 205 Oak Hill St. Abingdon VA http://wcpl.net	y (Front Desk)(Switchboard)	

INFORMATIONAL HELPLINES

AARP	1-866-542-8164
Alcohol & Drug Information/ Alcohol & Drug Referral Service	1-800-662-4357
Allergy & Asthma Network	1-800-878-4403
American Council of the Blind	1-800-424-8666
American Speech-Language-Hearing	1-800-638-8255
Ask A Nurse (Ballad Health)	1-800-888-5551
Baby Care Help Line/Medicaid/FAMIS	1-800-421-7376
Blue Ridge Poison Help Line	1-800-222-1222
CDC Information	1-800-232-4636
Career Information	1-800-542-5870
Child Abuse Hotline	1-800-552-7096
Child Help USA	1-800-4ACHILD
Child Support Enforcement	1-800-468-8894
Consumer Product Safety Information	1-800-638-2772
Crime Victim's Assistance	1-800-552-4007
Epilepsy Foundation	1-800-332-1000
Hearing Society-Hearing Aid Help Line	1-800-521-5247
Hospice Foundation	1-800-854-3402
Intensive Drug Treatment Evaluations for Woodbridge	1-800-366-1132
International Association of Eating Disorders	1-800-800-8126
National Hispanic Prenatal Hotline	1-800-504-7081
National Rehabilitation Information	1-800-346-2742

National Runaway Hotline	1-800-621-4000
Suicide & Crisis Lifeline	988
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VA Council for the Deaf & Hard of Hearing	1-800-552-7917
VA Family Violence/Sexual Assault	1-800-838-8238

HELPFUL WEBSITES

ABC TEACHwww.abcteach.com
A TO Z HOMESCHOOLINGwww.homeschooling.gomilpitas.com
CARE CONNECTION FOR CHILDRENwww.vdh.virginia.gov/care-connection-for-children
EDUCATION PLACEwww.eduplace.com
KID'S HEALTH FOR PARENTSwww.kidshealth.org
_EARNING PAGEwww.learningpage.com
LITERACY RESOURCESwww.literacycenter.net
LITTLE EXPLORERSwww.enchantedlearning.com
PBS KIDSwww.pbskids.org
PRE-SCHOOL EXPRESSwww.preschoolexpress.com
READING READINESSwww.getreadytoread.org
SITES FOR PARENTSwww.sitesforparents.com
STAR FALLwww.starfall.com

PEOPLE INCORPORATED – OTHER SERVICES

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

Ex-offender Services

FINANCIAL SERVICES

- -Business Loans
- -First time Homebuyer Loans and Homebuyer Loans
- -Foreclosure Prevention Counseling
- -Free Income Tax Preparation
- -Matched Savings Accounts
- -New Market Tax Credit
- -Personal Loans
- -Small Business Training and Technical Assistance
- -Tourism Loans

HOUSING

- -Affordable Housing Development
- -Affordable Rental Housing
- -Foreclosure Prevention Counseling
- -Homeless Solutions
- -Homeownership and Housing Counseling
- -Rental Assistance
- -Weatherization

For more information on these services contact People Inc:

1173 West Main St. Abingdon, VA 24210 276-623-9000 info@peopleinc.net

OCCUPATIONAL ENTERPRISES, INC

3R's- Recovery, Re-entry & Reunification

This program provides comprehensive assessment, advocacy, referrals, motivation, positive reinforcement and intensive case management

JRT Classes

All online or hybrid classes designed to assist VIEW participants prepare to enter the workforce.

WISA Services

Supports a client's choice to go to work by informing the client of how work will affect disposable income and help to identify work incentives. Assist with overpayments, Medicaid works, subsidies, etc.

Tickets to Work

Program gives disabled beneficiaries the opportunity to achieve steady, long-term employment.

OEI Cars for Work

This program is designed to offer transportation options to recipients. Participants must have a driver's license, working 25 hours per week, have a child 18 or under and meet income guidelines.

Together We Can

The primary goals of the TWC program are foster care prevention and the reunification of families that are involved with CPS and Foster Care at local Department of Social Services.

OEI Bargain Basement

Thrift store that is open Monday thru Friday 9:00 am – 5:00 pm Donations and volunteers are appreciated.

Community service and work experience site for partners.

Anger Management Classes

8-session comprehensive class for adults and adolescents

Court Ordered Parenting Education

Course is aimed to assist parents and children involved with divorce, separation, custody and/or visitation conflicts.

Involved Parenting

Comprehensive 6-section parenting class that educates parents in a variety of areas that will ultimately help improve and build parenting skills.

For more information on the services that OEI provides contact them at:

450 Commerce Dr. Ste # 6 Abingdon, VA 24211

Office: 276-889-0290 Toll Free: 866-205-9517 Fax: 276-525-4388

http://www.oe-inc.org

https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=61554446174520

CRISIS SERVICES – HIGHLANDS COMMUNITY SERVICES

EMERGENCY SERVICES

Mobile Crisis Intervention/Screening to determine need for inpatient treatment for those who may pose an imminent risk of harm to self, others, or community.

Phone # 276-525-1550, opt. #7

THE ANCHOR

23 hr. Program designed for those experiencing a behavioral or mental health crisis. *Phone # 276-525-1650, opt. #2*

HIGHLANDS HARBOR

Round-the-clock support & intervention for individuals facing psychiatric or substance –related crisis in a supportive, residential environment, ideally preventing psychiatric hospitalization. *Phone # 276-525-1650, opt. #3*

CRISIS INTERVENTION TEAM ASSESSMENT CENTER (CITAC)

CITAC offers a therapeutic process and space for law enforcement to transfer custody of consumers to qualified behavioral health professionals in Emergency Services in an effort to avoid use of force, reduce risk of injury and decrease hospitalizations while providing crisis intervention services.

CO-RESPONSE UNIT – (CRU)

Offers a multidisciplinary approach to addressing a behavioral health crisis by pairing specially trained law enforcement officers with clinicians, providing a more direct and effective response to individuals experiencing a crisis situation. This approach ensures the safety of the individual in crisis and connects them with the appropriate services and resources.

DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITY SERVICES – HIGHLANDS COMMUNITY SERIVCIES

Highlands CSB offers people with Developmental Disabilities services from birth to adulthood.

Service systems include the following:

- Service Providers
- Advocacy Organizations
- Public Agencies
- Non-Profit Partners

EARLY INTERVENTION

Help families with children who are under 3yrs of age who are not developing as expected or have a medical condition that can delay normal development.

To make a referral call:

276-525-1550 ext. 1764, 2407, & 3408

HORIZONS DAY SUPPORT PROGRAM

Provides opportunities for peer interactions, community integration and enhancement of social networks through activities in both center-based and community-based settings.

RESIDENTIAL SERVICES

Include Sponsored Residential and In-Home Residential/Community Housing Guide. The Sponsored Residential program consists of the individual residing with the person or a family. The main objective being to induce individuals into a home/family environment. In-Home Residential/Community Housing Guide provides support to individuals in community settings.

SUPPORT COORDINATION SERVICES

Support Coordination Services are the single point of entry to access Developmental Disability Services. Support Coordinators link, monitor, and coordinate the services individuals receive during their entire service period.

Contact Information:

Brittany Lyle- Program Director Ashley Heffin- Senior Transition Coordinator

 276-525-1550 ext. 5317
 276-525-1550 ext. 8803

 blyle@highlandscsb.org
 aheffin@highlandscsb.org

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