



## RESOURCES FOR HABERSHAM RESIDENTS

### **Alcoholics Anonymous** (706)776-1069

Support for persons with drinking problems as well as support for adults and teenagers affected by someone else's drinking.

Toll free: 1-800-344-2666, AL-Anon\*Alateen 1-800-568-1619

### **Alzheimer's Family Support Group,**

P. O. Box 513, Baldwin (706)778-7813

Provides emotional support and educational information for caregivers and family.

### **AARP Chapter #2040** Cornelia (706)778-7230

Serving persons 50 years and older in the community.

### **American Red Cross-NE GA**

PO Box 820, Cornelia (706)894-2002

Provides disaster relief/blood supply needs.

### **ARC** P.O. Box 478, Demorest (706)754-5676

Provides recreation, support, respite, and other services for the developmentally delayed.

### **Boy Scouts, N.E. GA Council** (706)754-5331

Provides educational, character, and physical fitness to boys.

### **CASA Program**

P.O. Box 776, Clarkesville (706)839-1064

Provides and trains volunteers to advocate for abused or neglected children in juvenile court deprivation proceedings.

### **Challenged Child, Inc....and Friends**

PO Box 1283, Gainesville (770)535-8372

Provides early intervention services to children ages birth-5 with developmental delays and disabilities or at-risk conditions.

**Child Support Enforcement**

P.O. Box 1930, Clarkesville (706)754-9100  
Assistance in collecting child support

**Circle of Hope** P.O. Box 833, Cornelia (706)776-4673

Shelter for battered women and their children

**Counseling Services-**

Georgia Crisis & Access Line (800)715-4225  
Catholic Social Services- (speak Spanish)- Gainesville (770)534-3337  
Centerpoint Counseling Services- Clarkesville (706)754-8319  
Clarkesville Counseling & Mediation Services, Inc.- Clarkesville (706)768-1420  
Cornerstone Counseling- Cleveland (706)348-8674  
Family Art Therapy- Clayton (706)782-0717  
Family Relations Program- Gainesville (770)532-6530  
Foothills Counseling Center- Clarkesville (706)754-5155  
Georgia Mountains Community Services- Habersham Mental Health (706)894-3700  
LifeWorks Counseling, Inc- (speak Spanish) Clarkesville (706)754-0238  
Mustard Seed Counseling Service, Inc.- Clarkesville (706)409-2534  
North Georgia Counseling Center, Inc.- Demorest (706)778-0954  
Power House for Kids – Toccoa (706)886-2290  
Turning Points- Toccoa (706)244-4832

**Eagle Ranch** PO Box 7200, Chestnut Mountain (770)967-8500

Provides a Christian home for children between the ages of 8-16.  
Serves children with mild to moderate emotional or behavioral problems.

**Georgia Dept. of Juvenile Justice**

148 W. Tugalo St., Toccoa (706)282-4520  
Provides pre and post adjudicatory supervision for status and delinquent offenders.

**Georgia Dept. of Labor** 215 Hodges St. #205, Cornelia (706)776-0811

Resource center for job placement

**GA Dept of Veterans Services** P.O. Box 1135, Clarkesville (706)754-4316

Serves veterans, their dependents and survivors.

**Georgia Legal Services** 1276 Jesse Jewel Parkway SE, Gainesville (800)745-5717

**Georgia Mountains Community Services, Habersham Mental Health**

(706) 894-3700 196 Scoggins Dr., Demorest  
Supports individuals and families dealing with mental health and substance abuse issues.

**GraceGate Medical Clinic**

1040-B Historic Highway 441, Demorest (706)839-4080  
Provides Christ-centered medical care for qualified, low-income, uninsured adults.

**HCMC Chaplain's Association**

P.O. Box 37, Demorest (706)754-3113

Provides nondenominational spiritual guidance to patients, families and staff of Habersham County Medical Center.

**Habersham Christian Learning Center**

P.O. Box 427, Cornelia (706)778-5483

Provides lifestyle and character development courses to high school students.

**Habersham County Animal Shelter**

P.O. Box 1442, Clarkesville (706)754-3533

Offers pet adoption, spay/neuter program, animal cruelty control and shelter services for animals.

**Habersham Co. Dept. of Family & Children Services**

P.O. Box 160, Clarkesville (706)754-2148

Provides adoption services for special needs children & interim foster care; adult protective services; child protective services; funeral assistance fund; indigent hospital care; food stamps; refugee care; subsidized childcare; and TANF.

**Habersham Co. Family Connection**

P.O. Box 70, Clarkesville (706)754-2110

Identifies needs in the community and works with various agencies to meet those needs.

**Habersham Co. Health Dept.**

185 Scoggins Dr., Demorest (706)778-7156

Offers assistance with adult, children and adolescent health as well as environmental health issues, family planning, infectious disease, prenatal health, medical coverage for pregnant women & WIC.

**Habersham Co. Homework Centers**

P.O. Box 582, Demorest (706)754-2254

Addresses after school needs of elementary school children.

**Habersham Co. Mentoring Program**

P.O. Box 453, Demorest (706)778-7978

Matches volunteers with children to provide positive role models.

**Habersham County Medical Center** Old Historic 441, Demorest (706)754-2161

**Habersham Co. Senior Center**

217 Scoggins Dr., Demorest (706)776-7768

Strives to aid the elderly by helping them remain as independent as possible; also provides the Meals on Wheels program.

**Habersham Co. Schools** 132 Stanford Mill Rd., Clarkesville (706)754-2110

**Habersham Co. Soup Kitchens**

P.O. Box 220, Sautee (706)754-6539

Operates two kitchens, one in Cornelia and one in Clarkesville, providing a nutritious meal daily for the disadvantaged.

**Habersham Homeless Ministries**

Lockwood St., Clarkesville (706)754-9031  
Temporary shelter for families and individuals in emergency situations until housing can be found. Stay limited to 30 days.

**Habersham Life**

215 Hodges St., Suite 101, P.O. Box 612, Cornelia (706)776-5225  
Offers support to women in crisis pregnancy situations who choose to give birth.

**Habersham Transit** (706)776-7768

Transport to buy groceries, beauty shop, medical appointments, employment. Able to transport wheelchair-bound individuals.

**Habitat for Humanity** P.O. Box 982, Clarkesville (706)754-5313  
Builds homes for families unable to attain traditional home mortgages.

**Hope for the Hungry at Level Grove Baptist Church**

157 Old Level Grove Road, Cornelia (706)778-6371  
Distributes nonperishable food items from 10 am until 2 pm on the first and third Wednesdays of each month.

**Housing Authority** 605 Pond Street, Toccoa (706)886-9455  
Offers public housing in Clarkesville, Cleveland, Cornelia, Homer and Toccoa who qualify by income and other eligibility requirements.

**Lions Club** P.O. Box 310, Cornelia (800)718-7483  
Offers sight and hearing services for those in need of glasses and hearing aids.

**Laurelwood** 200 Wisteria Drive, Gainesville (800)848-3649  
Offers mental health and alcohol and drug services..

**New Connections to Work** P.O. Box 65, Clarkesville (706)754-7766  
Sponsored by N GA Tech. College, this program offers workshops and services to assist single parents, displaced homemakers and single pregnant women in their job search

**New Vision Worship Center**

L.C. Turner Road, Baldwin (706)778-8364  
Distributes nonperishable food items to qualified, low-income families from 10 am until 12 noon on the second and fourth Thursdays of each month. Also operates Angel Food Ministries program once per month.

**Ninth District Opportunity** P.O. Box 250, Cornelia (706)754-2520  
Offers emergency service, energy assistance, weatherization program, commodity foods.

**Prevent Child Abuse-Habersham**

P.O. Box 2064, Clarkesville (706)754-3100

Sponsors First Steps program for parents of newborns and the Need to Talk Program for youth.

**Rape Response** (706)839-7273

Seeks to eliminate sexual violence and facilitate recovery of survivors.

**Salvation Army** (706)886-5293

348 E. Franklin Street, Toccoa

Provides funds for rent assistance, prescription medications, and utility bills through Project Share.

**Sharing & Caring Places**

➤ Camelot Way, Clarkesville (706)754-6420

➤ 195 Stovall St., Cornelia (706)778-2980

Operating under Habersham Churches in Cooperative Ministry, Inc., they provide clothing, food and financial assistance to meet emergency needs of the poor.

**Special Education/Special Programs Department**

P.O. Box 70, Clarkesville (706)754-2118

Working through the Habersham Co. School system, this department is charged with providing services to any child, age 3 –12, who meets eligibility requirements.

**Victory Home** P.O. Box 7, Tallulah Falls (706)754-6030

Provides Christian residential rehabilitation to alcohol dependent males.