

ROME/FLOYD COUNTY COMMUNITY RESOURCES

Please note that this resource list is updated upon notice from individuals/agencies that changes have occurred. If you have any problem contacting a resource, please contact the Paulding Child Advocacy Center at 678.363.7234 for further assistance.

Call to Report Abuse

Contact the Child Protection Services Program (DFCS) at [1-855-GACHILD \(1-855-422-4453\)](tel:1-855-GACHILD) or any Law Enforcement Agency at [911](tel:911). You are not required to provide proof. Anyone who makes a good faith report based on reasonable grounds is immune from prosecution.

Helplines

Georgia Crisis and Access Line	800-715-4225
National Domestic Violence Hotline	1-800-799-SAFE (7233)
Domestic Violence Helpline	1-800-33-HAVEN (42836)
Georgia Alcohol and Drug Abuse Helpline	1-800-338-6745
Suicide Hotline (National Hopeline Network)	1-800-SUICIDE (784-2433)
Poison Control Center	1-800-222-1222
Committee for Missing Children	1-800-525-8204
AIDS Information Hotline	1-800-551-2728
American Red Cross (disaster relief)	706-291-6648
CODE RED	
Free emergency notification calling system	706-236-5002
C.E.R.T (Citizens Emergency Response Team)	706-236-5002

Legal Help

Georgia Crime Victim Assistance Helpline	1-800-338-6745
CASA (Court Appointed Special Advocates) Program	706-235-2272
Child Protective Services (DFCS) Dept. of Family & Children Services (Floyd Co. Office)	706-295-6500
Clerk of Superior Court	706-291-5190
Criminal Records	706-233-0059
Dept. of Juvenile Justice	706-295-6256
District Attorney's Office	706-291-5210
Floyd Co. Juvenile Court (referral opportunities-unrulys & runaways)	706-291-5273
Floyd Co. Police Department (non-emergency 911)	706-235-7766
Foster Care or Adopt	1-877-210-5437
Juvenile Court	706-291-5180
Rome City Police Department (non emergency 911)	706-238-5111
Sheriff's Community Posse	706-291-4111
Floyd County Sheriff's Department	706-314-0710
Victim Witness Assistance Program	706-291-5210
Julie Tomlin	706-233-0023
Sandy Kunneman	706-291-5264

Transportation

Logisticare	1-800-486-7642
Transportation to/from doctor appointments for Medicaid recipients	
*Must call at least four days in advance	

Financial Assistance

Floyd Co. Division of Family and Children Services	706-295-6550
450 Riverside Pkwy., Rome, GA 30161	
Medicaid, Peach Care, TANF (Temporary Assistance for Needy Families), Food Stamps	
<i>*Must Apply in person</i>	
West Rome United Methodist Church	706-290-9223
1003 Shorter Ave, Rome, GA 30165	
<i>*Must Call First, No Longer Offers Monetary Assistance</i>	

Financial Assistance continued...	
Salvation Army 317 East First Ave, Rome, GA 30161	706-291-4745
Floyd Human Resource Development Center 710 Turner McCall Blvd. Rome, GA 30165	706-295-7124
Good Neighbor Ministries 208 East Second St., Rome, GA 30161 <i>*Closes at noon</i>	706-291-0556
Georgia Department of Labor (employment services)	706-295-6051
Social Security (Disability Benefits)	1-800-772-1213
Veterans (Benefits for Veterans)	1-800-827-1000

Shelters and Housing Assistance	
Ashton Ridge Apartments	706-802-0017
Callier Forrest Apartments	706-291-2936
Cave Spring Housing Authority	706-777-3375
Greystone Apartments	706-232-5798
Hospitality House (domestic violence shelter for women and their young children)	706-235-4673
The Open Door Home (group home for foster children)	706-232-6662
Rome Housing Authority	706-290-9833
Tamassee Lane Apartments	706-292-0240
William Davies Homeless Shelter (men only)	706-232-9990

Community Centers	
Kelsey-Aycock-Burrell Center (Restored former Main High) <i>MLK Jr. Commission</i>	706-235-7415
<i>100 Black Men of Rome</i>	706-266-3435
<i>Delta Sigma Theta Sorority</i>	706-237-5022
<i>Main High Reunion Committee</i>	706-235-2107
<i>African American Historical Society</i>	706-291-0881
Cave Spring Community Center	706-777-2341
Christian Counseling Center	706-295-1409
Crossroads Counseling Center	706-291-9992

Additional Local Community Resources	
AIDS RESOURCE COUNCIL Increases personal and community awareness to HIV/AIDS and provides prevention and quality care referral services to persons living with HIV/AIDS.	706-290-9098
AMERICAN RED CROSS	706-291-6648
BIG BROTHERS/BIG SISTERS OF COOSA VALLEY Provides supportive and personal relationships for children, using adult role models.	706-234-8782
BIG BROTHERS/BIG SISTERS OF NWGA MTS	706-278-0702
BOYS & GIRLS CLUB OF NWGA Provides a fun, positive, and safe environment for boys and girls 6-18 years of age to participate in an after-school and summer program. Educational, recreational, life skills, computer skills, arts and crafts, and tutoring are some of the programs that are offered.	706-234-8591
BOY SCOUTS NWGA COUNCIL	706-235-5545
CHILD VICTIM ADVOCACY PROGRAM (Victim Witness Assistance Program) Beth Dabbs; Provides early contact with child victims, crisis intervention and criminal justice support.	706-291-5231
C.I.S.M (Critical Incident Stress Management Team)	706-236-4541
C.O.A.D (Community Organizations Assisting in Disasters aka Rome Kares, Inc.)	706-291-5144

Additional Local Community Resources	
COMMUNITIES IN SCHOOLS	706-802-5740
Helps at risk youth by providing school mentor programs and other special classes in the schools for K- 12 students. Child Abuse Prevention Agencies can send referrals for mentors. They also provide in-school parent education (PAST).	
COMPASSIONATE PAWS	70-295-2498
D.I.G.S (Developing Independence and Security)	706-266-2384
DRUG ELIMINATION PROGRAM by Rome Housing Authority	706-291-0780
Provides GED and Workforce Development with free transportation.	
EXCHANGE CLUB/FAMILY RESOURCE CENTER	706-290-0764
In-home volunteer Parent Aide Program for families under stress and offers parenting classes and community education.	
FAITH BRIDGE FOSTER PROGRAM	770-977-9109
FIRST STEPS/HEALTHY FAMILIES	706-238-9266
Support and parenting information for new parents in hospital and clinic setting. Home Visitors provide support for first time mother.	
FLOYD BEHAVIORAL HEALTH	706-509-3500
Provides 24-hour crises call and assessment services.	
FLOYD COUNTY ANIMAL CONTROL	706-236-4537
To view animals up for adoption visit www.adoptapet.com	
FLOYD COUNTY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION	706-291-0904
FLOYD CO. COURT APPOINTED SPECIAL ADVOCATE (CASA) PROGRAM	706-235-2272
Provides trained volunteers to Juvenile Court to be advocates for children in foster care for deprivation hearings.	
FLOYD CO. DIVISION OF FAMILY & CHILDREN SERVICES	706-295-6500
Offers broad range of supportive services for families, children and adults including financial assistance programs, Work 1 st , Child Protective Services, Foster Care, and Adoption.	
FLOYD COUNTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S VICTIM WITNESS ASSISTANCE	706-233-0023
FLOYD CO. DENTAL OFFICE	706-802-5050
FLOYD CO. EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY	706-236-5002
FLOYD CO. HEALTH DEPARTMENT	706-802-5372
Provides Health Services for Children and Families.	
FLOYD CO. JUVENILE COURT	706-291-5180
Provides treatment, rehabilitation and supervision to the youth of Floyd Co.	
FLOYD CO. PUBLIC HEALTH	706-295-6123
FLOYD COUNTY SCHOOLS	706-234-1031
FLOYD MEDICAL CENTER (county hospital)	706-509-5000
Emergency and Pediatric Services.	
FLOYD MEDICAL CENTER THRIFT STORE	706-509-5109
FLOYD TRAINING AND SERVICE CENTER, INC	706-235-5109
FRAGILE KIDS	770-951-6111
GA BAPTIST MOBILE CLINIC	706-291-8181
Contact near time of April 2014	
GEORGIA COUNCIL FOR THE BLIND, ROME CHAPTER	770-547-4700
GEORGIA COUNCIL ON DEVELOPMENT DISABILITIES	1-888-275-4233
GEORGIA COUNCIL ON HEARING IMPAIRED	1-800-541-0710
*Video phone: 706-378-9058	
GEORGIA HIGHLANDS DENTAL HYGIENE SCHOOL	706-295-6760
GEORGIA SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF	706-777-2200
*Video phone: 1-866-761-5762	
GRASSROOTS EMPOWERMENT ALLIANCE OF ROME(G.E.A.R)	706-622-2448
www.greaterrefuge.prg	
GREATER REFUGE MINISTRY	706-346-0378
HEROES, GREAT & SMALL	706-235-5437
For sexually abused children and their care givers	

Additional Local Community Resources continued...

HOSPITALITY HOUSE	706-235-4673
Temporary refuge for women in crisis and their children.	
HOSPITALITY HOUSE THRIFT STORE	706-232-4666
LOVEJOY BAPTIST CHURCH	706-232-1917
LUTHERAN SERVICES OF GEORGIA	706-232-1696
MERCY SENIOR CARE	706-291-8496
GRANDS WHO CARE, is a support group and resources for Kincare. It's a bi-monthly support group that provides a forum for the participants to up-date their parenting skills, learn about resources available in the community, and share their experience in raising children from another generation. Provide experts in the field of health and mental health, wellness, school resources, procedures and rules, substance abuse and other issues pertinent to the relative-caregiver family, which addresses the group on a regular basis. Also provide individual case management, health management, counseling,	
METROPOLITAN UMC	706-291-8660
MORNINGSTAR FAMILY RESOURCE CENTER	678-573-3023
Time-limited, home based, therapeutic and parent education services in an effort to develop an integrated system of community-based supports and services to families at risk. The goal of services is to stabilize and restructure family systems for healthier functioning and to prevent future child abuse and neglect by building on individual and family strengths.	
NATIONAL FEDERATION FOR THE BLIND	404-371-1000
NETWORK DAY SERVICE CENTER, INC.	706-291-2580
NWGA CENTER FOR INDEPENDENT LIVING	706-314-0008
NWGA PUBLIC HEALTH	706-295-6704
NWGA PUBLIC HEALTH	706-802-5072
Babies Can't Wait (birth to 3 years intervention)	
OP FOUNDATION	706-346-6346
www.theopfoundation.org	
PARENT TO PARENT OF GEORGIA	706-802-5535
PREMIERE TRANSITIONAL SERVICES, INC.	678-638-6610
www.premieretsi.com	
Provides in-home counseling services in Bartow, Cherokee, Cobb, Douglas, Polk, and Paulding Counties (as well as others). Accepts most forms of insurance and Medicaid.	
REDMOND REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTER	706-291-0291
Emergency services	
RESOURCE PARENT PROGRAM	706-802-5717
ROME CITY SCHOOLS	706-236-5050
ROME/FLOYD CO. COMMISSION ON CHILDREN & YOUTH	706-232-0703
Acts as an information and umbrella agency for children and youth needs in the Floyd County area. Provides home visitation, parenting education, fatherhood support groups and resource and referrals for families.	
ROME/FLOYD CO. HUMANE SOCIETY	706-234-7979
SALVATION ARMY THRIFT STORE	706-295-1715
317 East Second Ave.	
SEXUAL ASSAULT CENTER OF NW GEORGIA	706-802-0580
24-hour crisis intervention for victims of rape and provides advocacy. Administrative line is 292-9024. Also, SAC provides prevention and risk-reduction programs to area schools and youth serving organizations.	
SIGN LANGUAGE INTERPRETING OF NORTH GEORGIA	706-767-4895
SOUTHSIDE MEDICAL CENTER (Atlanta)	404-564-6801
Call for info.	
TALLATOONA-FLOYD HEADSTART	706-295-0445
Preschool Education Program.	
T.A.S.K(The Alliance Supporting Kids)	706-232-0703
System of care for ages 0-5	

Additional Local Community Resources (continued)

TEEN PLUS	706-802-5372
Clinic and Resource Center that provides the following services: annual physical exams, STD & HIV testing and treatment, pregnancy testing, counseling, after school educational activities and peer mentors. Offer a community resource library and abstinence education.	
THANKFUL BAPTIST CHURCH	706-291-8132
UNITED METHODIST CHILDREN'S HOME	706-295-3911
UNLOCKING AUTISM	1-866-366-3361
VISION REHABILITATION SERVICES OF GA INC.	770-432-7280
WIN GEORGIA (Wraparound Initiative NWGA)	706-844-2989
YMCA	706-232-2468
YOUTH FOR CHRIST	706-291-6011
Support group for junior and high school students.	

Websites

- www.darkness2light.org
- www.trauma-pages.com
- www.stopitnow.org
- www.RomeFloydCAPP.org
- www.faithbridgefostercare.org
- www.communitiesinschools.org
- www.greaterrefuge.org
- www.justusteens.org
- www.stayteen.org
- www.allgkids.org
- www.fragilekids.org
- www.floydcountyga.org
- www.ready.ga.gov