



**Big Brothers
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RESOURCE GUIDE FOR FAMILIES

CLAYTON COUNTY & FAYETTE COUNTY

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Health & Wellness

Clayton County Health District

Clayton County Child Health Services helps children prepare for school and develop to their full potential. Services include dental care, immunization, and Well-Child checkups.

Ages 3mos-18 y/o | Medicaid and Peach Care Accepted | add cost info

(678) 610 – 7637 | www.claytoncountypublichealth.org

Fayette County Health District

Fayette County Child Health Services helps children prepare for school and develop to their full potential. Services include dental care, immunization, and Well-Child checkups.

Ages 3mos-18 y/o | Medicaid and Peach Care Accepted | add cost info

(770) 305 – 5416 | www.fayettecountyga.gov

Clayton Center Community Service Board

Clayton County Community Service Board provides services for mental illness, addictive diseases, developmental disabilities, and for children with emotional or developmental delays. Add services.. Fees outside of insurance

All Ages | Accepts Insurance | Proof of household income, parent ID, foster parents' documents if applicable, social security and insurance for child

(770) 478-2280 | www.claytoncenter.org

Child and Adolescent Mood Program

CAMP provides outpatient clinical services including medication evaluations and management, individual therapy, family therapy, parent skills training, group therapy, and diagnostic, intelligence, and achievement testing. CAMP specializes in working with children and adolescents with mood disorders (such as depression and bipolar disorder) and anxiety disorders.

Ages 6-18 | Assessment needed for intake

(404) 778 – 5526 | www.camp-emory.com

Riley Medical Clinic

Riley Medical Clinic provides free medical care to anyone who does not have insurance. The clinic is open Monday, Wednesday, and Thursday. Patients are seen by appointment only.

All ages | No cost for most uninsured clients

(770) 478-6710 | www.fbcjonesboro.com

Our House - Community Advanced Practice Nurses, Inc.

CAPN offers low-barrier, equitable health care for all. Our services are free-of-charge and available through walk-in visits. Services offered includes immunizations and Vaccinations, Specialized Pediatric Care, Physical Exams, STI Testing and Treatment, Birth Control, Breast Exams, Mental Health Counseling, Substance Abuse Counseling, Referrals (Dental, Vision, Pregnancy, and Emergency), and Case Management.

All Ages | No information needed for intake

(404) 658 – 1500 | www.capn.org

CHRIS 180 at Oakhill Family Center

CHRIS 180 provides trauma-informed care through our CHRIS Counseling Center offices. Counseling services include Individual Therapy, Family Therapy, Substance Use TREE House Program (teens and young adults), LGBTQ+ specialists, Grief groups, and Psychological Testing.

All Ages | Insurance Accepted | Sliding Scale

(770) 722 – 0080 | www.chris180.org

Partnership Against Domestic Violence (PADV)

PADV's services include a 24-hour crisis line; two 24-hour emergency shelters in metro Atlanta with 96 beds, legal advocacy; supportive housing a teen dating violence prevention program; outreach and prevention programs for battered women and children; workshops on the effects of domestic violence on the workplace; and community education and training.

All Ages | No Cost

(404) 870 9600 | www.padv.org



Social Services

Salvation Army – Jonesboro Citadel Corps

Salvation Army provides family and social services to assist with rent, hunger relief and youth empowerment. In addition to providing free groceries or meals, The Salvation Army helps vulnerable families sign up for public assistance programs that address hunger.

(404) 486 – 2870 | www.southernusa.salvationarmy.org

Calvary Refuge Center

Calvary is a non-profit organization that provides emergency and transitional housing and food for homeless individuals and families in need. Through our Transitional and Emergency Housing programs, Calvary Refuge Center has helped thousands of homeless adults and children in need.

(404) 361 – 5309 | www.calvaryrefuge.org

Fayette Samaritans

Fayette Samaritans is a Christian ministry serving families in Fayette County in need of food, clothing, and emergency financial assistance. Clients will be asked to fill out a one-page information sheet. Please refer to the Client Information tab on our website for a list of necessary documents. We are open Monday-Friday from 9:00 until 12:00 noon. Clients are seen on a first come basis. No appointment is needed. For emergency financial assistance please arrive by 11:15am.

(770) 719 – 2707 | www.fayettesamaritans.org

Feeding GA Families

Feeding GA Families offers temporary housing, permanent housing, utility assistance, transportation or bereavement assistance to individuals and families in need. Services include weekly food pantries, emergency assistance, mortgage assistance and hotel vouchers.

(678) 223 – 3663 | www.feedinggaafamilies.org

Our House

Our House provides shelter for up to six months of emergency housing in a safe and caring environment for families who have at least one infant child, 12 months old or younger homeless families with. In addition to the supportive services received through our Family Advocacy program, shelter residents participate in weekly education sessions, life-skills activities, and an income-savings program.

All Ages | No Cost

(404) 522 – 6056 | www.ourhousega.org

Stand Up for Kids-Atlanta

Stand Up for Kids works to end the cycle of youth homelessness by identifying and engaging homeless and at-risk youth. We then connect youth with an array of our programs and outside community supports to address their whole person needs.

Ages 14-24 | No Cost

(888) 365 – 4543 | www.standupforkids.org



Youth Development Services

Community Teen Coalition

Community Teen Coalition, Inc. programs and services set the foundation for children to be highly valued in our communities. Under-served youth ages 8-18 tackle important issues such as childhood illiteracy, peer pressure, low self-esteem, homelessness, gangs, and drug prevention so that they may develop healthy self-images and life skills. Programming includes youth mentorship, tutoring, group counseling, job training, and more.

Ages 8-18

(404) 500 – 1978 | www.communityteencoalition.org

Association of Village PRIDE

AVPRIDE is a youth leadership development organization that serves Fayette County students and their families in a variety of ways, while addressing issues of academic achievement, career preparedness and healthy behavior choices. We are intentional about providing community service opportunities and insight into post-secondary options, internships, scholarships, summer jobs and camp.

Ages K-12

(770) 716 – 2797 | www.avpride.com

Walk In Authority Teen Council

Walking In Authority Teen Council empowers teens and their parents in Metro Atlanta to advocate for themselves, gain exposure to civic duty, and develop leadership skills in preparation to address community issues and to become agents of change. WIA Teen Council works to create a secure atmosphere in a teen/parent-friendly and safe environment using a holistic approach to education, job training, health and wellness, leadership, parental outreach, mediation and conflict resolution, public administration, public safety, judicial system, discipline, character, and personal development while having fun.

Ages 13- 16

(530) 634 -7582 | www.wiateencouncil.com

Professionals Assisting Youth (P.A.Y.)

P.A.Y. professionals provide mentoring services and community workshops that address the physical and psychological stress of peer-on-peer bullying, teen pregnancy, suicide, violence, and substance abuse. They also provide workshops for life skills including academics, jobs, leadership, interpersonal skills, and other areas that youth in the community want or need to address.

(770) 674 – 8007 | www.professionals4youth.com

Mothers Raising Sons, Inc.

Mothers Raising Sons aims to establish, educate, enthuse, and empower proper guidance for positive family structure through traditional and online mentoring, support groups, support services, and conferences.

Ages 4-24 (Males) | Costs vary by program

(404) 247 – 1086 | www.mothersraisingsons.org

YouthSpark – Expressions! LGBTQ

YouthSpark is a great opportunity for youth and families to talk, learn, and ask questions about sexuality and gender in a non-judgmental, safe, educational environment.

(404) 612 – 4628 | www.youth-spark.org

PFLAG – Atlanta

Provides support to LGBTQ+ individuals and their parents, families, and friends in the North Atlanta metro area. Includes support, game nights & virtual discussions for LGBTQ+ teens and their teenage allies.

Ages 13-17 | No Cost

www.pflag.org

The Trevor Project

Provides 24/7 crisis support services to LGBTQ young people. Text, chat, or call anytime to reach a trained counselor. Through a toll-free telephone number, it operates The Trevor Lifeline, a confidential service that offers trained counselors.

Ages 13-24 | No Cost

(866) 488 – 7366 | www.thetrevorproject.org



Educational Services

Communities In Schools – Clayton

Communities In Schools® (CIS™) of Georgia in Clayton County is part of the state's leading organization providing drop-out prevention, connecting the most vulnerable students to the support they need in the classroom and beyond.

Open to students at selected Clayton County Schools

(404) 897 – 2390 | www.cisatlanta.org

Brainfuse HelpNow

HelpNow provides free homework help and online tutoring for grades 3 – 12 for Math, English, Science and Social Studies. Chat with a tutor from 2:00 PM to 11:00 PM seven days a week. Test preparation, writing assistance and career resources are also provided for K-12, adult, and ESL learners.

All ages | Free

www.brainfuse.com

Safe Kids Fayette

Safe Kids Fayette, led by Fayette County Health Department, provides dedicated resources to assist in achieving our common goal: keeping your kids safe. Based on the needs of the community, this coalition implements evidence-based programs, such as car-seat checkups, safety workshops and sports clinics, that help parents and caregivers prevent childhood injuries.

(770) 305 – 5148 | www.safekids.org

Safe Kids Clayton

Safe Kids Clayton, led by Clayton Board of Health, provides dedicated resources to assist in achieving our common goal: keeping your kids safe. Based on the needs of the community, this coalition implements evidence-based programs, such as car-seat checkups, safety workshops and sports clinics, that help parents and caregivers prevent childhood injuries.

(678) 610 – 7248 | www.safekids.org

TypingClub

TypingClub's free typing courses. It includes 650 typing games, typing tests and videos.

All ages | Free

www.typingclub.com



Urgent Hotlines

Alcohol and Drug Abuse Hotline	(1-800) 662-4357
Children's Healthcare Clayton	(404) 785 - 5437
Clayton County Child Protective Services	(770) 603 – 4602 or After Hours: (1-855) 422-4453

Fayette County Child Protective Services	(770) 460 - 2555 or After Hours: (1-855) 422-4453
Georgia Domestic Violence Hotline	(1-800) 334-2836
Grady Rape Crisis Center	(404) 616-4861
National Domestic Violence Hotline	(1-800) 799-7233
National Suicide Prevention Lifeline	(1-800) 273-8255