

**Madison Area Resource Team (M.A.R.T.)  
Resource Guide**

Beginning in 1991, a group of concerned citizens representing residents, agencies, and businesses began to collaborate in an effort to improve services for Madison County residents. In 1994, those involved named the group the Madison Area Resource Team (M.A.R.T.). Over time the collaborative grew and evolved into a formal entity. In early 2000, M.A.R.T. formed a partnership with Family Connection, having applied for a Family Connection grant in 1999.

The M.A.R.T. Collaborative meets monthly. Membership is open to social service agencies, school personnel, policy makers, businesses, churches, and other community members interested in collaborating to address human service and quality of life issues facing families, children, and youth in Madison County. Please contact us at 706-795-3565 if you are interested in attending a monthly meeting.

**Area Resources**

<b>Service</b>	<b>Agency</b>	<b>Phone</b>	<b>Website</b>
<b>Childcare/ Preschools</b>	Easterseals of North GA	706-795-2092	<a href="http://www.easterseals.com/northgeorgia/">www.easterseals.com/northgeorgia/</a>
	Happy Kids Learning Center	706-546-8611	<a href="http://www.happykidslci.com">www.happykidslci.com</a>
	Little Lambs Learning Center	706-395-6470	<a href="http://www.facebook.com/littlelambslearningcenter/">www.facebook.com/littlelambslearningcenter/</a>
	Madison County Early Learning Center	706-795-5611	<a href="http://www.madison.k12.ga.us/Domain/12">www.madison.k12.ga.us/Domain/12</a>
	The Busy Box	706-795-2951	<a href="http://www.thebusybox.com">www.thebusybox.com</a>
	The Learning Train Academy	706-714-3427	<a href="http://www.facebook.com/Learning-Train-Academy-720765571337441">www.facebook.com/Learning-Train-Academy-720765571337441</a>
<b>Children/Youth Activities</b>	Madison County 4-H	706-795-2281	<a href="http://www.extension.uga.edu/county-offices/madison/4-h-youth-development">www.extension.uga.edu/county-offices/madison/4-h-youth-development</a>
	Madison County Library	706-795-5597	<a href="http://www.athenslibrary.org/madison">www.athenslibrary.org/madison</a>
	Madison County Rec Dept	706-795-6270	<a href="http://www.madcorec.com">www.madcorec.com</a>
<b>Clothing</b>	Colbert Baptist Church	706-788-2214	<a href="http://www.colbertbaptistchurch.org">www.colbertbaptistchurch.org</a>
	Danielsville Baptist Church	706-795-3548	<a href="http://www.facebook.com/DanielsvilleBaptistChurch">www.facebook.com/DanielsvilleBaptistChurch</a>
	Gordon's Chapel Methodist Church	706-548-6616	<a href="http://www.gordonschapel.com">www.gordonschapel.com</a>
<b>Dental Services</b>	MedLink	706-521-3113	<a href="http://www.medlinkga.org/services/dental/">www.medlinkga.org/services/dental/</a>
<b>Disability</b>	Advantage BHS-Fine Finish <i>(Intellectual/Developmental)</i>	706-795-2141	<a href="http://www.advantagebhs.org">www.advantagebhs.org</a>
	GVRA <i>(Employment)</i>	844-367-4872	<a href="http://www.gvs.georgia.gov">www.gvs.georgia.gov</a>
	Multiple Choices <i>(Intellectual/Developmental)</i>	706-850-4025	<a href="http://www.multiplechoices.us">www.multiplechoices.us</a>
	NE GA Regional Commission- Area Agency on Aging/Disability Services	706-583-2546	<a href="http://www.negr.org/aging">www.negr.org/aging</a>
<b>Education/ Training</b>	ACTION, Inc	706-546-8293 ext. 42	<a href="http://www.actionathens.org">www.actionathens.org</a>
	Athens Tech	706-355-5000	<a href="http://www.athenstech.edu">www.athenstech.edu</a>
	NE GA WorkSource GA	706-369-5703	<a href="http://www.negr.org/workforce-development">www.negr.org/workforce-development</a>
<b>Employment</b>	ACTION, Inc	706-546-8293 ext. 42	<a href="http://www.actionathens.org">www.actionathens.org</a>
	East Athens Goodwill Career Center	706-395-1560	<a href="https://goodwillng.org">https://goodwillng.org</a>
<b>Food Assistance</b>	Madison County DFCS <i>(Food Stamps)</i>	706-795-2128	<a href="http://www.dfcs.georgia.gov/locations/madison-county">www.dfcs.georgia.gov/locations/madison-county</a>
	Madison County Food Bank <i>(List of other county sites available)</i>	706-795-6290	<a href="http://www.madisoncountyga.us/home/food-bank">www.madisoncountyga.us/home/food-bank</a>

<b>Health Insurance</b>	Madison County DFCS <i>(Medicaid)</i>	706-795-2128	<a href="http://www.dfcs.georgia.gov/locations/madison-county">www.dfcs.georgia.gov/locations/madison-county</a>
	Marketplace Coverage	1-800-318-2596	<a href="http://www.healthcare.gov">www.healthcare.gov</a>
<b>Health Services</b>	Madison County Health Dept	706-795-2131	<a href="http://www.publichealthathens.com/wp/clinics/health-departments/madison-county">www.publichealthathens.com/wp/clinics/health-departments/madison-county</a>
	Madison County WIC Center	706-795-3231	<a href="http://www.publichealthathens.com/wp/clinics/health-departments/madison-county">www.publichealthathens.com/wp/clinics/health-departments/madison-county</a>
	MedLink	706-521-3113	<a href="http://www.medlinkga.org/location/">www.medlinkga.org/location/</a>
	Mercy Health Services	706-425-9445	<a href="http://www.mercyhealthcenter.net">www.mercyhealthcenter.net</a>
<b>Housing Assistance</b>	ACTION, Inc	706-546-8293 ext. 42	<a href="http://www.actionathens.org">www.actionathens.org</a>
	Ninth District Opportunity	N/A	<a href="http://www.ndo.org/web/madison.html">www.ndo.org/web/madison.html</a>
	The ARK United Ministry Outreach Center	706-548-8155	<a href="http://www.athensark.org">www.athensark.org</a>
<b>Mental Health Services</b>	Advantage BHS <i>(Adult)</i> <i>(Children/Youth)</i>	1-855-333-9544 ext. 1502	<a href="http://www.advantagebhs.org">www.advantagebhs.org</a>
	MedLink	706-521-3113	<a href="http://www.medlinkga.org">www.medlinkga.org</a>
	Pathways Transition Program	404-378-2300	<a href="http://www.pathwaystransitionprograms.com">www.pathwaystransitionprograms.com</a>
	Project Family	706-705-2881	<a href="http://www.projectfamilygeorgia.com">www.projectfamilygeorgia.com</a>
	Stephanie Higdon, LCSW, CAADC	706-247-0366	<a href="http://www.mindingyou.net">www.mindingyou.net</a>
	<b>Senior Services</b>	Madison County Senior Center	706-795-6250
NE GA Regional Commission- Area Agency on Aging		706-583-2546	<a href="http://www.negr.org/aging">www.negr.org/aging</a>
<b>Substance Abuse</b>	Advantage BHS <i>(Addictive Services)</i>	1-855-333-9544	<a href="http://www.advantagebhs.org">www.advantagebhs.org</a>
	Celebrate Recovery <i>(Danielsville Baptist Church)</i>	706-795-3548	<a href="http://www.facebook.com/DanielsvilleBaptistChurch">www.facebook.com/DanielsvilleBaptistChurch</a>
	Colbert AA Group <i>(Colbert Baptist Church)</i>	N/A	<a href="https://www.aa-meetings.com/directory/georgia/colbert/colbert-group-bv2">https://www.aa-meetings.com/directory/georgia/colbert/colbert-group-bv2</a>
	MedLink <i>(Medication Assisted Recovery)</i>	706-788-2127 ext. 1317	<a href="https://medlinkga.org/services/medication-assisted-recovery/">https://medlinkga.org/services/medication-assisted-recovery/</a>
	Reboot Madison	706-420-0007	<a href="http://www.rebootjackson.com/reboot-madison">www.rebootjackson.com/reboot-madison</a>
<b>Support Services</b>	Brightpaths <i>(Parent Supports)</i>	706-546-9713	<a href="https://brightpathsathens.org">https://brightpathsathens.org</a>
	Caregiver Support/ Athens Area Comm Council on Aging	706-549-4850	<a href="http://www.accaging.org/services/caregiver-support">www.accaging.org/services/caregiver-support</a>
	Georgia Legal Service Program	706-227-5362	<a href="http://www.glsp.org">www.glsp.org</a>
	Grandparents Raising Grandchildren/Athens Area Comm Council on Aging	706-549-4850	<a href="http://www.accaging.org/services/caregiver-support/grandparents-raising-grandchildren">www.accaging.org/services/caregiver-support/grandparents-raising-grandchildren</a>
	GriefShare <i>(Trinity Baptist Church)</i>	706-795-3718	<a href="https://www.griefshare.org/ministries/185435">https://www.griefshare.org/ministries/185435</a>
<b>Technology Assistance</b>	Madison County Library <i>(Call to schedule appt)</i>	706-795-5597	<a href="http://www.athenslibrary.org/madison">www.athenslibrary.org/madison</a>
<b>Victim Services</b>	Harmony House <i>(Adult &amp; Child Sexual Assault)</i>	706-245-8700	<a href="http://www.harmonyhousecacsac.org">www.harmonyhousecacsac.org</a>
	Project Safe <i>(Domestic Violence)</i>	706-543-3331	<a href="http://www.project-safe.org">www.project-safe.org</a>
<b>Volunteer</b>	Fuller Center for Housing in Madison County	706-308-6488	<a href="http://www.fullercentermadco.org">www.fullercentermadco.org</a>
	Madison County Mentor Program	706-795-2191 ext. 1469	<a href="http://www.madison.k12.ga.us/studentsupport">www.madison.k12.ga.us/studentsupport</a>
	Madison County Senior Center	706-795-6250	<a href="http://www.madisoncountyga.us/home/senior-center">www.madisoncountyga.us/home/senior-center</a>

\*Call "211" or visit [www.unitedwaynega.org](http://www.unitedwaynega.org) (United Way of NE GA) for additional resources not included on guide.

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