

Quick Reference Resource Guide
DeKalb County Schools
(DeKalb County and surrounding areas)
2020

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*****You can always call 2-1-1 (or visit, <http://www.211connectsalabama.org>) in efforts of locating other assistance for our students/families.*****

DeKalb County Department of Human Resources
2301 Briarwood Ave SW, Fort Payne, Alabama 35967
(256) 844-2700

**To report child abuse and/or neglect call the main number and request to speak to INTAKE.

**For information about TANF (Temporary Assistance for Needy Families), JOBS Program, Child Support, or Food Assistance call the main number. (TANF is designed to provide benefits and services to needy families with children so that children may be cared for in their own homes or in the homes of relatives. These services also promote job preparation, work and marriage and the prevention of out of wedlock pregnancy. Families can get temporary cash assistance for basic needs for low income families with children under the age of 18 or 19 if he/she is a full-time student in a secondary school or in the equivalent level of vocational or technical training. The JOBS Program provides work and training services to all parents receiving cash assistance to help find and retain employment.

**CMA (Child Care Management Agencies)—provide Alabama’s low income and moderate-income families with equal access to affordable and quality child care services as they participate in work, educational or training activities. Persons can get an application for Subsidized Child Care at www.dhr.alabama.gov. Mary Lynn Carlton is the Executive Director of CMA of North Central Alabama (Counties served: Cherokee, DeKalb, Etowah, Jackson, and Marshall). She can be reached at (256) 534-5110 or mary.carlton@dhr.alabama.gov. DeKalb County Child Development Center—(256) 845-8238/(256) 484-1118.

DeKalb County Health Department
2401 Calvin Dr SW, Fort Payne, Alabama 35967
(256) 845-1931

**Open Monday-Friday 8 a.m.-5 p.m.

ALL Kids Insurance:

ALL Kids is a low-cost, comprehensive healthcare coverage program for children under age 19. ALL Kids uses Blue Cross Blue Shield of Alabama to provide medical, and mental health and substance abuse services through their preferred provider network (PPO). ALL Kids is Alabama’s Children’s Health Insurance Program and is administered by the Alabama Department of Public Health. (Applications can be obtained online.) ALL Kids Alabama 888-373-5437.

Medicaid:

www.medicaid.alabama.gov This link can be used to apply for Medicaid online. For more help, call toll free 1-800-362-1504 or visit your local health department.

DeKalb County Law Enforcement Offices

*****IN AN EMERGENCY ALWAYS DIAL 9-1-1*****

DeKalb County Sheriff's Dept.
2801 Jordan Road SW Fort Payne, AL
(256) 845-3801

Collinsville Police Dept.
39 Post Office St. Collinsville, AL
(256) 524-2136

Crossville Police Dept.
14521 Hwy 68 Crossville, AL
(256) 528-7121

Fort Payne Police Dept.
200 Gault Ave Fort Payne, AL
(256) 845-1414

Fyffe Police Dept.
1514 Traylor St W Fyffe, AL
(256) 623-2222

Geraldine Police Dept.
41343 AL Hwy 75 Geraldine, AL
(256) 659-2122

Henagar Police Dept.
17898 AL Hwy 75 Henagar, AL
(256) 657-3231

Ider Police Dept.
10793 AL Hwy 75 Ider, AL
(256) 657-5717

Mentone Police Dept.
5972 AL Hwy 117 Mentone, AL
(256) 634-4444

Powell Police Dept.
110 Broad St N Powell, AL
(256) 638-4283

Rainsville Police Dept.
42 McCurdy Ave S Rainsville
(256) 638-2157

Sylvania Police Dept.
22957 AL Hwy 75 Sylvania, AL
(256) 638-2604

Valley Head Police Dept.
41 Anderson St Valley Head
(256) 635-6814

Counseling/Mental Health Services

-DeKalb County Children's Advocacy Center
104 Alabama Avenue NW, Fort Payne, AL 35967
(256) 997-9700

-Mountain Lakes Behavioral Health Care
Marshall County (256) 582-3203
Jackson County (256) 259-1774
*Crisis Line 1-866-223-2076

-Health Connect America
501 Greenhill Blvd. NW, Fort Payne
(256) 410-2750

-Pathways Professional Counseling
27149 John T. Reid Parkway, Scottsboro
(866) 991-6864

-North Alabama Counseling Center
Guntersville, Alabama
(256) 582-8880

-Focus MD-Dr. Roca
(ADHD Diagnosis and Treatment)
256-669-0843

-Gadsden Psychological
(Psychological Evaluations)
(256) 543-1544

-Mountain View Hospital (Gadsden, Alabama)
**Residential and other treatment programs for children through adults with emotional and psychological problems.
(256) 546-9265 or (800) 245-3645

-Hill Crest Hospital (Birmingham, Alabama)
**Inpatient treatment for children. Medication monitoring and evaluation.
(800) 292-8553

-CED Mental Health
DeKalb (256) 845-4571
Cherokee (256) 927-3601
Etowah (256) 492-7800

-Synergy Counseling Center
701B Gault Ave N, Fort Payne
(256) 979-1620

-Garrett Counseling
Boaz, Alabama
(256) 239-5662

-DaySpring (Christian-based)
Albertville, Alabama
(256) 878-3809

-Dr. Benjamin Carr
(Psychiatrist)
(256) 543-0131

-Dr. Samuel Fleming
(Psychological Evaluations)
(256) 952-2815

(Cont. Counseling/Mental Health Services)

-Decatur General West Behavioral Health (Decatur, Alabama)

**Inpatient treatment

(256) 973-4000

-Grandview Behavioral Health (Birmingham, Al)

**Inpatient Treatment, Medication Monitoring, counseling

(205) 971-6190

-Beacon Children Hospital (Luverne, Al)

**Inpatient Psychiatric Treatment

334-335-5040

-UAB (Birmingham, Al)

**Inpatient Psych. Treatment

(205) 934-4000

-Shepherd's Cove Hospice (Albertville, Al)

**Grief counseling, support, groups

(256) 891-7724

-East Alabama (Opelika, Al)

**Inpatient Psych. Treatment

(334) 749-3411

-SUICIDE HOTLINE 1-800-273-8255

-Family Initiative- (256) 638-8821 (Located at DYSC)

**The purpose of Family Initiative Program is to provide the opportunity for parents and/or caregivers of "At Risk Students" to receive family therapy services through the DeKalb County School System. The services will be provided at no cost to the family. The service will apply to students in the 5th grade through 12th grade in the DeKalb County School System.

-DeKalb Telepsychiatry Initiative (Located at DYSC)

**Telepsychiatry is a form of video conferencing that can provide psychiatric services to patients living in rural locations or otherwise underserved areas. Services include, but are not limited to, consultations, diagnosis, forensic evaluations, and medication management. To schedule an appointment for telepsychiatry please contact Mr. Otis Washington (256-899-3308) or Mrs. Emily Higdon (256-899-3307).

Financial Assistance

-Christian Care Center

****Will help with Utilities, Rent, and Meds. Must be a Fort Payne resident.
Tuesday and Thursday 8 a.m. until Noon.
(256) 845-2546**

-Christian Community Outreach

****Geraldine, Crossville, Asbury, Grove Oak, and Dawson residents. Thursday-8
a.m. until Noon.
(256) 659-6802**

-Community Action Agencies

Rainsville-Central Office (256) 638-4430
Crossville (256) 528-7002
Fort Payne (256) 845-6702
Rainsville (256) 638-3631
Valley Head (256) 635-6722

-Fort Payne First United Methodist Church

****Wednesdays 1 p.m. until 3 p.m.
(256) 845-1141**

-Howard's Chapel (Mentone, AL)

****Leave a message
(256) 638-4441**

-Salvation Army (Fort Payne, AL)

****By appointment Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday
256-997-0858**

-Upper Sand Mountain Parrish (Sylvania, AL)

****For northern Sand Mountain—Fyffe to Ider. 9 a.m. until 2:30 p.m.
(256) 638-2126**

-Rainsville First Baptist Church

****Call for type of Assistance
(256) 638-8637**

****Many other churches have benevolence committees and will assist local families financially.**

Food Assistance

-Bread of Life – FREE LUNCH (Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday)

100 Alabama Ave NW, Fort Payne, AL

**11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m.

-Fyffe Church of God

(256) 623-3822

-Upper Sand Mountain Parrish

(256) 638-2126

-Nazareth Baptist Church (Rainsville)

**Serves Rainsville/Fyffe families

(256) 638-8787

-First Baptist Church-Ft Payne

**FP residents only

(256) 845-2015

-Broadway Baptist Church

**Rainsville area only

(256) 638-4219

-Collinsville Baptist Church

**Call first

(256) 524-2367

-Our Lady of the Valley Catholic Church

**Food Pantry, Wednesday 10 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

(256) 845-4774

-Crossville First Baptist Church

(256) 528-7250

-Pine Ridge Baptist Church

(256) 845-0850

-Henagar Baptist Church

(256) 657-4044/657-4800

Many other churches in the county would assist local families with food if contacted.

Clothes Closets

-Christian Community Outreach

**Thursday 8 a.m.-10 a.m. (Geraldine)

(256) 659-6802

-Fort Payne Second Baptist

(256) 845-3112

-Salvation Army (Fort Payne)

(256) 997-0858

-Community Action Center

(256) 638-4430

Dental Assistance

-Interfaith Medical Clinic (Fort Payne)
(256) 845-7955

-Sarrell Dental Center
(256) 840-2021

-Quality of Life (Gadsden)
(256) 492-0131

-Great Physician Clinic—Albertville, Alabama
**The Great Physician Clinic is a ministry of First Baptist Church in Albertville.
For more information, please call (256) 878-2291/(256) 506-3515.

-First Baptist Dental Clinic—Gadsden, Alabama
**For more information, please call (256) 546-4357/(256) 547-6828.

-1917 Clinic University of Alabama at Birmingham (UAB). Serves all populations, including HIV positive. Hours 8 a.m.-5 p.m. Monday-Friday. For more information, please call (205) 975-9103.

Primary Health Clinics

Medical care provided on a sliding fee scale—beneficial for those without insurance.

-DeKalb Interfaith Medical Clinic
(256) 845-7955

-NE Alabama Health Services
(256) 844-4975

-DeKalb Quality Health Care
(256) 659-2422

-Scottsboro Primary Health
(256) 574-5508

-Section Primary Health
(256) 228-3471

-Douglas Medical Center
(256) 593-3804

-Arab Clinic
(256) 931-2035

-Guntersville Clinic
(256) 582-6377

-Brindlee Mountain Clinic
(256) 498-5770

-Marshall Family Rural Health
(256) 878-1053

Housing Assistance

-Fort Payne Housing Authority
(256) 845-0424

-Crossville Housing Authority
(256) 593-5824

-Rainsville Housing Authority
(256) 638-3030

-Collinsville Housing Authority
(256) 524-2499

-Vantage Group
(256) 623-3813

-Housing Authorities from Surrounding Areas:

- Scottsboro-(256) 259-5600
- Bridgeport-(256) 495-2553
- Stevenson-(256) 437-3009
- Albertville-(256) 878-2641
- Arab-(256) 586-5904
- Boaz-(256) 593-5824
- Guntersville-(256) 582-4331

Transportation Resources

-Medicaid NET (Non-Emergency Transportation) Program. This program will assist persons to medical appointments when those appointments are covered by Medicaid. If a person would like to utilize this service or has further questions regarding this service, call 1-800-362-1504.

Medication Resources

-Community Action—They will occasionally offer assistance for medications.
Rainsville-(256) 638-4430
Fort Payne-(256) 845-6702

-The Primary Health Clinics will assist with applications for prescription assistance programs.

-Wal-Mart, CVS, and Publix all have discount drug programs and many common drugs are available for \$4 per month or \$10 for 90 day supply at commonly

prescribed dosages. Some of the area locally owned pharmacies will honor these prices. Publix also has a list of 'maintenance' drugs that are FREE. There is a Publix in Guntersville.

-Upper Sand Mountain Parrish-(256) 638-2126

-Long-term Medication Assistance. FreeMedicine.com. 1-888-812-5152

Domestic Violence Resources

-Kelly's Rainbow

(256) 891-9864---(256) 891-0019---(888) 582-6883

****The School Social Workers also have a list of different Addiction/Substance Abuse Treatment Resources for adults and/or children 13+. These resources are for DeKalb County and surrounding areas. If those resources are needed, they will be provided upon request.**