



**COVID-19 Resource Guide  
for Georgia's Second  
Congressional District**

## A Message from Congressman Sanford D. Bishop, Jr.

Dear Friend,

The news of the coronavirus outbreak in Georgia is concerning to all of us and finding the right information can be difficult. In this Resource Guide, I have compiled a number of resources available to Georgians impacted by the recent COVID-19 outbreak. I have included information for business owners and workers who may experience difficulties in the days and weeks ahead. Please note that this is a general resource guide and the information within is not exhaustive. This guide is a compilation of existing federal, state, and county resources and is not intended to be the sole resource for those impacted by the COVID-19 outbreak.

Because the situation is evolving, please check the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention ([www.cdc.gov](http://www.cdc.gov)) for additional assistance. I am continuing to monitor the situation of the COVID-19 outbreak in our district and all of Georgia. As we get more information, my staff will keep this resource guide updated.

The best way to protect yourself and your family is to practice SOCIAL DISTANCING. Work from home if your job allows it and only go out for essential trips such as to the grocery store or pharmacy. Limit yourself to only seeing the people in your household. Additionally, make sure you are practicing good hygiene habits. Wash your hands often and thoroughly, don't touch your face, cough into your elbow, and give yourself distance from people who are sick. If you think you are sick, stay home and call your doctor's office or the Georgia COVID-19 Hotline (844) 442-2681 first. If someone in your household is sick, keep your distance from them and clean high touch surfaces often. I share your concern about the availability and ease of testing. As frustrating as it may be to not know if your illness is from coronavirus or not, testing would not change how most of us handle the symptoms. It may, however, change when you are able to return to work. And, of course, if you are a person at high risk or live with a person at high risk, the knowledge can help you be extra vigilant for worsening symptoms. Again, call your doctor or the Georgia COVID-19 Hotline (844) 442-2681 if you are concerned—do not just walk into a medical facility without talking to a healthcare professional for the safety of others.

You can call my office if you have problems with a federal agency and need additional assistance. My staff and I are here to help.

Sincerely,

Sanford D. Bishop, Jr.

Member of Congress

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## Quick Guide

- **For an immediate, life-threatening emergency, call 911**
- **What to do if you are sick:**
  - <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/if-you-are-sick/steps-when-sick.html>
- **Georgia Department of Public Health (COVID-19):**
  - <https://georgia.gov/covid-19-state-services-georgia>
- **State of Georgia COVID-19 Hotline: (844) 442-2681**
  - Phoebe Putney COVID-19 Hotline (Albany): (229) 312-1919;  
<https://www.phoebehealth.com/>
  - Piedmont Healthcare (Columbus Regional) COVID-19 Hotline: (866) 460-1119;  
<https://www.piedmont.org/patients-visitors/coronavirus>
  - Navicent Health COVID-19 (Macon):  
<http://navicenthealth.org>
  - Children’s Hospital of Atlanta COVID-19 Hotline: (404) 785-7955;  
<http://choa.org/covid19>
- **Peachcare (COVID-19 Health Care Coverage):**
  - <https://www.pshpgeorgia.com/members/medicaid/resources/member-coronavirus-information.html>
- **Georgia Department of Education (Schools):**
  - <https://www.gadoe.org/External-Affairs-and-Policy/communications/Pages/coronavirus.aspx>
- **Georgia Department of Labor (Unemployment Insurance):**
  - <https://dol.georgia.gov/unemployment-benefits>
- **Office of Governor Brian Kemp:**
  - <https://gov.georgia.gov/>

## Resources for Individuals

The CARES ACT created two new programs to help get money into people's pockets now. The first program is Recovery Rebates, a direct payment of \$1,200 to each adult and \$500 per child. The second is a new Pandemic Unemployment Compensation program that increases unemployment benefits by a taxable \$600 per week and expands eligibility for unemployment to include people who are self-employed, independent contractors, and "gig economy" workers, such as Uber and Lyft drivers. This is a \$260 billion investment in Unemployment Insurance benefits to match the average paycheck of laid-off or furloughed workers. These increased payments will run until July 31, 2020. This bill also provides an additional \$15.5 billion in funding for the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP).

### Stimulus Checks

Direct to individuals administered by the U.S. Department of the Treasury (for more information, please visit [www.irs.gov/coronavirus](http://www.irs.gov/coronavirus))

#### Payment Amount

- This will provide a direct payment to people, including Social Security beneficiaries (retirement, disability, survivor) and Supplemental Security Income (SSI) recipients.
- The amount of the rebate depends on family size. The payment is \$1,200 for each adult individual (\$2,400 for joint filers), and \$500 per qualifying child under age 17.
- This payment will be reduced by 5% for all income above \$75,000 for individuals, \$112,500 for heads of households, and \$150,000 for joint filers.
- It phases out completely at \$99,000 for individuals and \$198,000 for joint filers with no children.

#### Payment Delivery

- The payment will be based on your federal income tax return filed in 2019 or 2018. If you did not file your taxes in either of those years, you may need to file a simplified tax return. More details can be found at: <https://www.irs.gov/coronavirus>
- Rebates will be delivered automatically—by the IRS—to most Americans who file individual federal income tax returns.
- For people who filed a federal income tax return in 2018 or 2019, payments will be sent using either electronic deposit or address information already on file with the IRS. The IRS will provide instructions for people without that information on file here: <https://www.irs.gov/coronavirus>

## Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)

### Eligibility Requirements:

- Proof of identity
- You are a citizen of the United States or have a certain legal alien status
- You provide all required documents as proof of the household's situation
- You and/or other household members comply with work requirements and provide proof of income.
- The household's monthly income does not exceed the income limits based on the number of people living in the household
- The rent or mortgage payment, utility bills, and in some cases medical, childcare and child support expenses are considered in the eligibility determination process if proof of these expenses are provided.
- Social Security numbers for persons applying for benefits
- Medical bills for persons age 60 and older and/or disabled

### Benefits:

The amount of benefits your household receives depends upon the number of individuals in your household, the amount of household income and the amount of deductions used in the budgeting process.

### How to Apply:

To apply for benefits, the head of household, a household member, or authorized person representing the household may complete an application for assistance by completing the following:

#### Step One:

- Fill out an application online by visiting [gateway.ga.gov](https://gateway.ga.gov). For those without access to online resources, call 877-423-4746 to request that an application be mailed to you.

#### Step Two:

- Gather the documents you will need to verify the information in your application. (i.e. driver's license, work or school I.D., social security number, alien status, wages, self-employment) full list provided on website.

#### Step Three:

- After your application is filed, you or a member of your household must participate in a phone interview conducted by a case manager at DFCS. The person who is interviewed must know about your household situation and be prepared to answer related questions. Please provide a valid telephone number for contact purposes.

For more information on SNAP and other services available through the Georgia Department of Children and Family Services (DCFS), visit their website at <https://dfcs.georgia.gov/food-stamps>, contact them by phone at (877) 423-4746 or by email at [customer\\_services\\_dfcs@dhs.ga.gov](mailto:customer_services_dfcs@dhs.ga.gov).

SNAP participants may also meet the income eligibility guidelines for nutrition services through the Women, Infants & Children Program (WIC) offered by the Georgia Department of Family and Children Services.

## **Resources for Workers and Businesses**

[COVID-19: State Services in Georgia](#)



## **Your government is open and working for you, but it's not business as usual.**

Many state organizations are involved in stopping the spread of COVID-19 and are working on related efforts or have made temporary changes during this serious health emergency. Here's what you should know about the state's most-accessed services.

<https://pilot.georgia.gov/covid-19-state-services-georgia>

## **Unemployment Insurance**

On March 12, 2020 the U.S. Department of Labor announced new guidance outlining flexibilities that states have in administering their unemployment insurance (UI) programs to assist Americans affected by COVID-19 outbreak.

Under the guidance, federal law permits significant flexibility for states to amend their laws to provide UI benefits in multiple scenarios related to COVID-19. For example, federal law allows states to pay benefits where:

1. An employer temporarily ceases operations due to COVID-19, preventing employees from coming to work;
2. An individual is quarantined with the expectation of returning to work after the quarantine is over; and
3. An individual leaves employment due to a risk of exposure or infection or to care for a family member. In addition, federal law does not require an employee to quit in order to receive benefits due to the impact of COVID-19.

The full press release can be found on the **U.S. Department of Labor** website at:

[www.dol.gov/newsroom/releases/eta/eta20200312-0](http://www.dol.gov/newsroom/releases/eta/eta20200312-0)

## **Employer and Worker Assistance**

The recent COVID-19 response legislation creates two new programs to help Georgians pay their bills during the pandemic. The first program is Recovery Rebates, a direct payment of \$1,200 to each adult and \$500 per child. The second is a new Pandemic Unemployment Compensation program that increases unemployment benefits by a taxable \$600 per week and expands eligibility for unemployment to include people who are self-employed, independent contractors, and "gig economy" workers, such as Uber and Lyft drivers. This is a \$260 billion investment in Unemployment Insurance benefits to match the average paycheck of laid-off or furloughed workers.

- **Recovery Rebates:** Direct to individuals administered by the U.S. Department of the Treasury (for more information, please visit [www.irs.gov/coronavirus](http://www.irs.gov/coronavirus))
  - **Payment Amount**
    - This will provide a direct payment to people, including Social Security beneficiaries (retirement, disability, survivor) and Supplemental Security Income (SSI) recipients.

- The amount of the rebate depends on family size. The payment is \$1,200 for each adult individual (\$2,400 for joint filers), and \$500 per qualifying child under age 17.
- This payment will be reduced by 5% for all income above \$75,000 for individuals, \$112,500 for heads of households, and \$150,000 for joint filers.
- It phases out completely at \$99,000 for individuals and \$198,000 for joint filers with no children.
- **Payment Delivery**
  - The payment will be based on your federal income tax return filed in 2019 or 2018. If you did not file your taxes in either of those years, your information will be taken from the Social Security Administration. Taxpayers must have Social Security Numbers for themselves and their qualifying children in order to receive rebates.
  - Rebates will be delivered automatically—by the IRS—to most Americans who file individual federal income tax returns.
  - For people who filed a federal income tax return in 2018 or 2019, payments will be sent using either electronic deposit or address information already on file with the IRS. The IRS will set up a way to get the payments to people without that information on file.
- **Expanded Unemployment Assistance:** In response to the recent development of COVID-19, the Georgia Department of Labor (GDOL) is temporarily suspending in-person requirements for services provided by the agency. In accordance with Governor Kemp’s recommendation, the GDOL is providing [online access](#) to *unemployment services, partial claim access for employers, and other reemployment services*. The number for GDOL is **404-232-3180**.
  - **Employers are required to file partial claims on behalf of their employees whenever it is necessary to temporarily reduce work hours or there is no work available for a short period. Any employer found to be in violation of this rule will be required to reimburse GDOL for the full amount of unemployment insurance benefits paid to the employee.**
  - Due to an extremely high volume of unemployment claims filed as a result of the COVID-19 outbreak, individuals may experience a delay in requesting weekly benefit payments. If you are having difficulty claiming your weekly benefits, your local [career center](#) should be able to provide assistance. Please note that you can file a claim online 24 hours per day.
  - **Increased Benefit**
    - The Federal Pandemic Unemployment Compensation is a taxable \$600 a week in addition to regular state unemployment benefits.
    - States would be allowed to provide an additional 13 weeks of benefits beyond current law.
  - **Expanded Eligibility**

- People not normally eligible for unemployment insurance are now eligible under this expanded eligibility if their unemployment is due to COVID-19.
- This specifically includes:
  - Self-Employed workers
  - Independent contractors
  - “Gig economy” workers
  - People who were going to begin a new job or new contract which was canceled due to COVID-19
- **Key Links:**
  - [How to File an Unemployment Claim](#)
  - [How Employers File Partial Claims](#)
  - [Employer Filed Claims Desk Aid](#) - including information on Multi-claims upload and single entry
  - [Contact Points for Reemployment Service](#)
  - [Certification of Administrative Rules Filed with the Secretary of State 03-16-20](#)
- **Employer Hotline: 855-436-7365**
- **Georgia Office of the Commissioner of Insurance:** 404-656-2070; online at [www.oci.ga.gov/](http://www.oci.ga.gov/)
- **Employment Programs/Services: 404-232-3515**
- More information available at [dol.georgia.gov/](http://dol.georgia.gov/)

## Assistance for Businesses

The recently passed COVID-19 response legislation, creates several new programs designed to get assistance to small businesses and nonprofits during this crisis. These include the Paycheck Protection Program to help cover the cost of retaining employees, Emergency Economic Injury Grants to get smaller amounts of capital quickly, and the Small Business Debt Relief Program to help with payments on current or potential SBA loans.

- **Paycheck Protection Program:** This program will provide 100 percent federally guaranteed loans to employers who maintain their payroll during this emergency. If employers maintain their payroll, the loans would be forgiven for amounts expended for payroll over certain periods and certain other business expenses.
  - Small businesses and non-profits will be able to apply if they were in business as of February 15, 2020 and the program will remain open for applications until June 30, 2020.
  - Loans under the Paycheck Protection Program may be made up to \$10,000,000 amortized over 10 years depending on a particular business’s circumstances.
  - These loans can be taken out from all current SBA 7(a) lenders. Most local banks are currently SBA 7(a) lenders and many of the ones that are not are quickly joining the program.
  - *Contact your banker to inquire into their process.*

- **The Small Business Administration (SBA)** may be able to provide assistance through the *Economic Injury Disaster Loans Program* to businesses that have suffered substantial economic injury in an eligible disaster area. The SBA can provide a loan of up to \$2 million to help meet financial obligations and operating expenses.
  - More information available at: [disasterloan.sba.gov/ela/Information/EIDLLoans](https://disasterloan.sba.gov/ela/Information/EIDLLoans)
- **The Small Business Administration's (SBA) Export Working Capital Program** can help small businesses obtain working capital advances from lenders on export orders, export receivables or letters of credit. SBA's Senior International Credit Officers can work directly with an impacted company to explain the program and application process.
  - More information available at: [www.sba.gov/content/financing-your-small-business-exports-foreign-investments-or-projects-0](https://www.sba.gov/content/financing-your-small-business-exports-foreign-investments-or-projects-0)
- **Disaster Preparedness Planning for your Business:** You may contact online at [www.ready.gov/business](https://www.ready.gov/business)
- **The Georgia Department of Economic Development** has developed a COVID-19 focused page to identify resources and collect information for impacted businesses.
  - More information available at [www.georgia.org/covid19](https://www.georgia.org/covid19) or by calling 404-962-4000
- **The Georgia Department of Revenue (DOR)** can work with impacted companies that request an [extension on tax filing](#).
  - More information available at: [dor.georgia.gov/](https://dor.georgia.gov/) or 1-877-423-6711

## Resources for Farmers

### H-2A Visa Program

The Department of Labor and Department of Agriculture are aware of the impact COVID-19 is having on the H-2A Visa program. Both agencies are working together to deliver services to

farmers and ranchers while ensuring safety measures are taken to prevent spreading the disease. At this time, H-2A and H-2B certified workers with expiring contracts could be available to switch to a different employer. Additionally, the Mexico Embassy is continuing to process returning H-2A applications of workers who qualify for an interview waiver. For additional resources related to the H-2A Visa program including, Embassy statuses, steps to participate in the program, and recent H-2A COVID-19 updates, please visit <https://www.farmers.gov/manage/h2a>.

### **Georgia Department of Agriculture**

- For questions relating to the Farm Recovery Block grant, visit <http://agr.georgia.gov/farm-recovery.aspx>
- For updates on COVID-19 impacts on Georgia's Agriculture infrastructure, visit <http://agr.georgia.gov/COVID-19.aspx>.
- For questions or concerns about COVID-19, call this hotline 1-844-442-2681.

### **USDA Farm Service Agency**

To contact your State Farm Service Agency (FSA) Office, call (706) 546-2266.

To find your local FSA county office: [www.farmers.gov/service-center-locator](http://www.farmers.gov/service-center-locator)

### **USDA Natural Resource Conservation Service**

To contact your State Natural Resource Conservation Service (NRCS) Office, call (706) 546-2272.

## **Resources for Homeowners and Renters**

The CARES Act provides important protections for millions of people with federally backed mortgages or that receive federal subsidies. The bill provides a 4-month moratorium on evictions to protect renters who are unable to pay their rent. The moratorium applies to properties that receive federal subsidies or assistance, such as public housing, Section 8, USDA rental assistance, and Low Income Housing Tax Credits, as well as to properties that have a mortgage issued or guaranteed by a federal agency, including FHA and USDA, or Fannie Mae or Freddie Mac.

Additionally, for homeowners with federally backed loans, there will be a foreclosure moratorium for four months and mortgage forbearance for up to a year. This includes a prohibition on fees and additional interest during the term of the forbearance. Multifamily rental property owners with federally backed mortgages will also have access to forbearance for up to 90 days and would be required to comply with requirements to halt evictions and late fees for the duration of the forbearance.

## **Information for Students**

The CARES Act includes more than \$30 billion in emergency education funding and eliminates income tax on student loan repayment assistance by an employer. A portion of that funding is specifically designated for HBCUs, including those so important to our district. On student loans, this bill pauses payments and suspends debt collection on most federal student loans until September 30, 2020.

## **Assistance for Places of Worship and Nonprofit Organizations**

501(c)(3) non-profits, including churches, are eligible for the Paycheck Protection Program for the payroll costs of their business operations. Congressman Bishop worked closely with other Members of Congress to ensure that churches and other 501(C)(3) organizations were eligible for aid.

## **Information by County**

### **Albany-Dougherty County**

- Southwest Georgia Public Health District: (229) 352-4275
  - Online: <http://www.southwestgeorgiapublichealth.org>
- Emergency Management: (229) 483-6226
  - Online: [www.facebook.com/DoCoEMA/](http://www.facebook.com/DoCoEMA/)
  - Emergency Operations Center (EOC): (229) 302-1900, 7 days a week, 8am-5pm.
- Hospital: Phoebe Putney Memorial Hospital: (229) 312-1000

- Online <https://www.phoebehealth.com/>
- For COVID-19 Symptoms call: (229) 312-1919
- Dougherty County Schools: (229) 431-1281
  - Online website: <https://www.docoschools.org/Page/379>
- Albany Police: (229) 431-2100
  - Online: [www.albanyga.gov](http://www.albanyga.gov)
- Dougherty County Sheriff: (229) 431-3259
  - Online: [www.dougherty.ga.us](http://www.dougherty.ga.us)
- Department of Family and Children Services: (229) 430-3200
  - Online: <https://dfcs.georgia.gov/locations/Dougherty-county>

## **Baker County**

- Health Department: (229) 734-5226
  - Online: <http://www.southwestgeorgiapublichealth.org/baker/>
- Emergency Management: (229) 734-3019
- Hospital: Mitchell County Hospital (229) 336-4600
  - Online: <https://archbold.org/mitchell>
- School District:
  - Online: [www.baker.k12.ga.us](http://www.baker.k12.ga.us)
- Baker County Sheriff: (229) 734-3003
  - Online: <http://www.bakercountysheriffoffice.org/>
- Department of Family and Children Services: (229) 734-5247
  - Online: <https://dfcs.georgia.gov/locations/baker-county>

## **Calhoun County**

- Health Department: (229) 849-2515
  - Online: <http://www.southwestgeorgiapublichealth.org/calhoun/>
- Emergency Management: (229) 849-4835
- Hospital: LifeBrite Community Hospital of Early: (229) 723-4341
  - Online: <https://lifebriteearly.com/>
- School District: Calhoun County Schools: (229) 213-0189
  - Online: <https://www.early.k12.ga.us/board-of-education>
- Calhoun County Sheriff: (229) 849-2555
- Department of Family and Children Services: Morgan Office: (855) 422-4453
  - Online: <https://dfcs.georgia.gov/locations/calhoun-county>

## **Chattahoochee County**

- Sheriff: (706) 989-3644

- Online: <https://chattcosheriff.org>
- Emergency Management: (706) 989-0417
  - Online: <https://gema.georgia.gov/contacts/chattahoochee>
- School District: (706) 989-3774
  - Online: <http://www.chattahoochee.k12.ga.us>
- Chattahoochee DFCS: (706) 989-3681
  - Online: <https://dfcs.georgia.gov/locations/chattahoochee-county>
- Health Department: (706) 989-3663
  - Online: <https://westcentralhealthdistrict.com/counties/chattahoochee/>
- Closest Hospital: Piedmont Columbus Regional Midtown West Campus - (706) 494-4262
  - Online: <https://www.piedmont.org/locations/piedmont-columbus/home>

## Clay County

- Sheriff: (229) 768-3238
  - Online: <https://www.claycountyga.net/sheriff-department>
- Emergency Management: (229) 768 3796
  - Online: <https://www.claycountyga.net/clay-county-ems>
- Health Department: (229) 768-2355
  - Online: <https://westcentralhealthdistrict.com/counties/clay/>
- Clay County DFCS: (229) 768-2511
  - Online: <https://dfcs.georgia.gov/locations/clay-county>
- School District: (229) 768-2232
  - Online: <https://www.clay.k12.ga.us>
- Nearest Hospital: Southern Regional Medical Center: (770) 991-8000
  - Online: <https://www.southernregional.org>

## Crawford County

- Crawford County Health Department: (478) 836-3167
  - Online: <https://northcentralhealthdistrict.org/crawford-county-health-department/>
- Crawford County Emergency Management: (478) 836-2616
  - Email: [ema@crawfordcountyga.org](mailto:ema@crawfordcountyga.org)
- School District: Crawford County Schools: (478) 836-3131
  - Online: <https://www.crawfordschools.org>
- Crawford County Sheriff: (478) 836-3116
  - Online: <http://www.crawfordsheriff.net/home.html>



- No Hospital- nearest hospitals: The Medical Center of Peach County, Coliseum Northside Hospital, Monroe County, Flint River Community Hospital, and Upson Regional Medical Center

## **Crisp County**

- Health Department: (229) 276-2680
  - Online: <https://www.dph.georgia.gov/>
- Emergency Management: (229) 276-2600
  - Online: <https://www.crispcounty.com>
- Hospital: Crisp Regional Health Services (229) 276-3100
  - Online: <https://crispregional.org>
- School District: Crisp County School System (229) 276-3400
  - Online: <http://crispschools.org>
- Crisp County Sheriff: (229) 276-2600
  - Online: <https://www.crispcounty.com>
- Department of Family and Children Services: (229) 276-2349
  - Online: <https://dfcs.georgia.gov/locations/crisp-county>

## **Decatur County**

- Health Department: (229) 248-3055
  - Online: <http://www.southwestgeorgiapublichealth.org/decatur/>
- Emergency Management: (229) 248-3012/3860
  - Online: <http://www.decaturcountyga.gov/departments-agencies/emergency-management-agency/>
- Hospital: Memorial Hospital and Manor: (229) 248-3500
  - Online: <https://www.mh-m.org>
- School District: Decatur County Schools: (229) 248-2200
  - Online: [www.dcboe.com](http://www.dcboe.com)
- Decatur County Sheriff: (229) 248-3044
  - Online: <https://decaturso.com>
- Department of Family and Children Services: 1-877-423-4746
  - Online: <https://dfcs.georgia.gov/locations/decatur-county>

## **Dooly County**

- Health Department: (229) 268-4725
  - Online: <https://westcentralhealthdistrict.com/counties/dooly/>
- Emergency Management: (229) 268-6697
  - Online: <http://doolycountyga.com/emergency-management-agency/>

- School System: (229) 268-4761
  - Online: <https://www.dooly.k12.ga.us>
- Sheriff's Office: (229) 645-0930
  - Online: <https://www.doolycountysheriff.com>
- DFACS: (229) 268-4111
  - Online: <https://dfcs.georgia.gov/locations/dooly-county>
- Closest Hospital: Flint River Hospital: (478) 472-3100
  - Online: <https://www.flintriverhospital.com>

## Early County

- Health Department: (229) 207-0049
  - Online: <http://www.southwestgeorgiapublichealth.org/early/>
- Emergency Management: (229) 723-3029/4304
- Hospital: LifeBrite Community Hospital of Early: (229) 723-4341
  - Online: <https://lifebriteearly.com/>
- School District: Early County Schools: (229) 723-4337
  - Online: <https://www.early.k12.ga.us/board-of-education>
- Early County Sheriff: (229) 723-3214
  - Online: [earlycountysheriff.com](http://earlycountysheriff.com)
- Department of Family and Children Services: (229) 724-3000 or (855) 422-4453
  - Online: <https://dfcs.georgia.gov/locations/early-county>

## Grady County

- Health Department: (229) 377-2992
  - Online: <http://www.southwestgeorgiapublichealth.org/grady/>
- Emergency Management: (229) 377-0628
  - Online: [www.gradycountyga.gov/index.php/public-safety/emergency-management-agency](http://www.gradycountyga.gov/index.php/public-safety/emergency-management-agency)
- Hospital: Grady Hospital: (229) 377-1150
  - Online: <https://archbold.org/grady>
- School District:
  - Online: <https://www.grady.k12.ga.us>
- Grady County Sheriff: (229) 377-5200
  - Online: <http://gradycountyga.gov/index.php/public-safety/sheriffs-office>
- Department of Family and Children Services: (229) 377-3154
  - Online: <https://dfcs.georgia.gov/locations/grady-county>

## Lee County

- Health Department: (229) 759-3014
  - Online: <http://www.southwestgeorgiapublichealth.org/lee/>
- Emergency Management: (229) 759-6036
  - Online: <http://www.lee.ga.us/government/departments/index.html>
- School System: (229) 903-2100
  - Online: <https://www.lee.k12.ga.us>
- Lee County Sheriff: (229) 759-6012
  - Online: <http://www.lee.ga.us/government/departments/lcso.html>
- Lee County DFACS: (229) 430-6289
  - Online: <http://www.lee.ga.us/government/agencies/dfcs.html>
- Lee County Medical Center: (229) 759-6000
  - Online: <http://www.lee.ga.us/government/agencies/hospital.html>

## Macon-Bibb County

- Macon-Bibb, GA Government:
  - Online: <https://www.maconbibb.us/>
- Macon-Bibb County Health Department: (478) 745-0411
  - For Public Health Emergency Dial 1-866-PUB-HLTH (24 Hours)
  - Online: <https://northcentralhealthdistrict.org/macon-bibb-county-health-department/>
- Emergency Management: (478) 832-6234
  - Online: <https://www.maconbibb.us/EMA/>
- Macon Bibb Courts:
  - Online: <https://www.maconbibb.us/courts/>
- Hospitals:
  - Navicent Health: (478) 633-1000
    - Online: <https://www.navicenthealth.org/>
  - Coliseum Medical Center: (478) 765-7000
    - Online: <https://coliseumhealthsystem.com/location/coliseum-medical-centers>
  - Coliseum Northside Medical Center: (478) 757-8200
    - Online: <https://coliseumhealthsystem.com/location/coliseum-northside-hospital>
- Bibb County School District:
  - Online: <https://www.bcsdk12.net/>

## **Macon County**

- Health Department: (478) 472-8121
  - Online: <https://www.dph.georgia.gov/>
- Emergency Management: (478) 244-3589
  - Online: <https://www.maconcountyga.gov>.
- Hospital: (No Hospital) Flint River Treatment Center (478) 472-3200
  - Nearest Hospital: Phoebe Sumter Medical Center (229) 924-6011
  - Online: <https://phoebehealth.com>
- School District: Macon County School System (478) 472-8188
  - Online: <https://www.macon.k12.ga.us>
- Macon County Sheriff: (478) 472-6447
  - Online: <https://www.maconcountyga.gov>
- Department of Family and Children Services: (229) 931-2414
  - Online: <https://dfcs.georgia.gov/locations/macon-county>

## **Marion County**

- Health Department: (229) 649-5664
  - Online: <https://www.dph.georgia.gov/>
- Emergency Management: (229) 649-2603
  - Online: <https://www.marioncountyga.org>
- Hospital: Phoebe Sumter Hospital: (229) 924-6011
  - Online: <https://phoebehealth.com>
- School District: Marion County School System (229) 649-7520
  - Online: <https://www.marion.k12.ga.us>
- Marion County Sheriff: (229) 649-3841
  - Online: <https://www.marioncountyga.org>
- Department of Family and Children Services: (229) 649-3285
  - Online: <https://dfcs.georgia.gov/locations/marion-county>

## **Miller County**

- Health Department: (229) 754-3344
  - Online: <http://www.southwestgeorgiapublichealth.orgmiller/>
- Emergency Management: (229) 758-4122
  - Online: [millerga.org/ema.htm](http://millerga.org/ema.htm)
- Hospital: Miller County Hospital (229) 758-3385
  - Online: <https://www.millercountyhospital.com>
- School District: [www.miller.k12.ga.us](http://www.miller.k12.ga.us)
- Miller County Commission: (229) 758-4104

- Online: [millerga.org](http://millerga.org)
- Sheriff: (229) 758-3124
- Department of Family and Children Services: (229) 758-3387
  - Online: <https://dfcs.georgia.gov/locations/miller-county>

## **Mitchell County**

- Health Department: (229) 355-3081
  - Online: <http://www.southwestgeorgiapublichealth.org/mitchell/>
- Emergency Management: (229) 336-2072
  - Online: <https://www.mitchellcountyga.net/emergencymanagementagency.html>
- Hospital: Mitchell County Hospital (229) 336-4600
  - Online: <https://archbold.org/mitchell>
- School District: Mitchell County Schools: (229) 336-2100
  - Online: [www.mitchell.k12.ga.us](http://www.mitchell.k12.ga.us)
- Mitchell County Sheriff: (229) 336-2030
  - Online: [www.mitchellso.com](http://www.mitchellso.com)
- Department of Family and Children Services: (229) 522-3500
  - Online: <https://dfcs.georgia.gov/locations/mitchell-county>

## **Muscogee County**

- Sheriff's Office: (706) 653-4225
  - Online: <https://www.columbusga.gov/Sheriff/>
- Emergency Management:
  - Online: <https://www.columbusga.gov/fire/Emergency-Management>
- Hospitals:
  - "Piedmont Columbus Regional"- (706) 571-1000
    - Online: <https://www.piedmont.org>
  - "St. Francis"- (706) 596-4000
    - Online: <https://www.mystfrancis.com>
- School District (706) 748-2000
  - Online: <https://muscogee.k12.ga.us>
- Muscogee County DFCS Office (706) 321-2673
  - Online: <https://dfcs.georgia.gov/locations/muscogee-county>
- Health Department (706) 321-6300
  - Online: <https://westcentralhealthdistrict.com/counties/columbus/>

## **Peach County**

- Peach County Health Department: (478) 825-6939

- Online: <https://northcentralhealthdistrict.org/peach-county-health-department/>
- Emergency Management: (478) 825-2535
  - Online: <https://www.peachcounty.net/ema--homeland-security.cfm>
- Peach County Emergency Medical Service (EMS): (478) 825-8667
- Peach County Sheriff: (478) 825-2535
  - Online: <https://www.peachcounty.net/office-of-the-sheriff.cfm>
- Peach County Schools: (478) 825-5933
  - Online: <https://www.peachschoools.org/>
- Hospital: Peach County Health Department- Medical Center of Peach County Emergency Center: (478) 654-2000
  - Online: <https://www.navicenthealth.org/service-center/medical-center-of-peach-county>

## Quitman County

- Health Department: 229-334-3697
  - Online: <https://westcentralhealthdistrict.com/counties/quitman/>
- Emergency Management: 334-695-5211
  - Online: <http://www.gqc-ga.org/Default.asp?ID=92&pg=Emergency+Management+Agency>
- School System: (229) 334-4189
  - Online: <https://www.quitman.k12.ga.us>
- Sheriff: (229) 334-3726
  - Online: <http://www.quitmansheriff.com>
- DFCS: (229) 334-2427
  - Online: <https://dfcs.georgia.gov/locations/quitman-county>
- Southwest Georgia Regional Medical Center: (229) 732-2181
  - Address: 361 Randolph St, Cuthbert, GA 39840
  - Online: <http://www.southwestgeorgiaregionalmedicalcenter.com/>

## Randolph County

- Health Department: (229) 732-2412
  - Online: <https://www.randolphcountyga.com/health-department>
- Emergency Management: (229) 732-2525
  - Online: <https://www.randolphcountyga.com/emergency-management-agency>
- School System: (229) 732-2250
  - Online: <http://www.sowegak12.org>
- Randolph County Sheriff: (229) 732-2525
  - Online: <https://www.randolphcountyga.com/sheriff>
- Randolph County DFACS: (229) 931-2414

- Online: <https://dfcs.georgia.gov/locations/randolph-county>
- Southwest Georgia Regional Medical Center: (229) 732-2181
  - Online: <http://www.southwestgeorgiaregionalmedicalcenter.com>

## Schley County

- Sheriff: (229) 937-2101
  - Online: <http://www.schleycountysheriff.com>
- Emergency Management: (229) 937-9093
  - Online: [http://www.schleycountyga.us/ems\\_fire.htm](http://www.schleycountyga.us/ems_fire.htm)
- Schley Health Department: (229) 937-2208
  - Online: <https://westcentralhealthdistrict.com/counties/schley/>
- DFCS: (229) 937-25911
  - Online: <https://dfcs.georgia.gov/locations/schley-county>
- School District: (229) 937-2405
  - Online: <https://sce.schleyk12.org/o/schley-county-schools>
- Closest Hospital: Phoebe Sumter Medical Center (229) 924-6011
  - Online: <https://www.phoebehealth.com/locations/phoebe-sumter-medical-center/phoebe-sumter-medical-center-home-phoebe-sumter>

## Seminole County

- Health Department: (229) 524-6630
  - Online: <http://www.southwestgeorgiapublichealth.org/seminole/>
- Emergency Management: (229) 524-8956
  - Online: [Seminole-ema.org](http://Seminole-ema.org)
- Hospital: Donsonville Hospital: (229) 524-5217
  - Online: <https://www.donsonvillehospital.org>
- School District: Seminole County Schools
  - Online: <https://www.seminole.k12.ga.us/boardofed>
- Sheriff: (229) 524-5115
  - Online: [seminoleso.com](http://seminoleso.com)
- Police: (229) 524-2175
  - Online: <https://www.donsonvillega.org/PoliceDepartment.aspx>
- Department of Family and Children Services: (229) 524-2365
  - Online: <https://dfcs.georgia.gov/locations/seminole-county>

## Stewart County

- Sheriff: (229) 838-4393

- Online: <https://stewartcountysheriff.org>
- DFCS: (229) 838-4335
  - Online: <https://dfcs.georgia.gov/locations/stewart-county>
- Emergency Management: (229) 838-6769
  - Online: [http://www.stewartcountyga.gov/emergency\\_management.htm](http://www.stewartcountyga.gov/emergency_management.htm)
- Health Department: (229) 838-4859
  - Online: <https://westcentralhealthdistrict.com/counties/stewart/>
- School District: (229) 838-4329
  - Online: <http://www.stewart.k12.ga.us>
- Closest Hospital: Southwest Georgia Regional Medical Center (229) 732-2181
  - Online: <http://www.southwestgeorgiaregionalmedicalcenter.com>

## Sumter County

- Health Department: (229) 924-3637
  - Online: <https://www.dph.georgia.gov/>
- Emergency Management: (229) 815-9531
  - Online: <https://www.sumtercountyga.us>
- Hospital: Phoebe Sumter Medical Center (229) 924-6011
  - Online: <https://phoebehealth.com>
- School District: Sumter County School System (229) 931-8500
  - Online: <https://sumterschools.org>
- Sumter County Board of Commissioners: (229) 928-4500
  - Online: <https://www.sumtercountyga.us>
- Sumter County Sheriff: (229) 928-4635
  - Online: <https://www.sumtercountyga.us>
- Department of Family and Children Services: (229) 931-2462
  - Online: <https://dfcs.georgia.gov/locations/sumter-county>

## Talbot County

- Sheriff: (706) 665-8314
  - Online: <https://talbotcountyga.org/content/sheriff.php>
- Emergency Management: (706) 741-1076
  - Online: <https://talbotcountyga.org/content/ema.php>
- Talbot County Health Department: (706) 665-8561
  - Online: <https://westcentralhealthdistrict.com/counties/talbot/>
- Talbot County Family & Child Services: (706) 321-2673
  - Online: <https://dfcs.georgia.gov/locations/talbot-county>
- School District: (706) 665-8528
  - Online: <http://www.talbot.k12.ga.us>



- Hospital: Roosevelt Warm Springs Hospital: (706)655-5255
  - Online: <https://www.augustahealth.org/roosevelt/contact-us-at-roosevelt>

## **Taylor County**

- Taylor County Health Department: (478) 862-5628
  - Online: <https://westcentralhealthdistrict.com/counties/taylor/>
- Taylor County Emergency Management: (478) 862-5176
  - Email: tcema@pstel.net
- School District: Taylor County Schools: (478) 862-5224
  - Online: <https://www.taylorcountyschools.org/>
- Taylor County Sheriff: (478) 862-3336
  - Online: <https://taylorcountyga.com/departments-sheriffs-office.php>
- Taylor County Department of Child and Family Services: (478) 862-5221
  - Online: <https://dfcs.georgia.gov/locations/taylor-county>
- No Hospital- nearest hospitals: The Medical Center of Peach County, Flint River Community Hospital, and Upson Regional Medical Center

## **Terrell County**

- Health Department: (229) 352-4277
  - Online: <http://www.southwestgeorgiapublichealth.org/terrell/>
- Emergency Management: (229) 995-5381
  - Online: <https://gema.georgia.gov/locations/terrell>
- School System: (229) 995-4425
  - Online: <https://www.terrell.k12.ga.us>
- Sheriff's Office: (229) 995-4488
  - Online: <https://www.terrellsheriff.org>
- DFACS: (229) 430-6289
  - Online: <https://dfcs.georgia.gov/locations/terrell-county>
- Closest Hospital: Phoebe Putney Memorial Hospital - (229)312-1000
  - Online: <https://www.phoebehealth.com/locations/phoebe-putney-memorial-hospital/phoebe-putney-memorial-hospital-home-phoebe-putney-memorial-hospital>

## **Webster County**

- Sheriff : (229) 828-7503
  - Online: <https://webstercosheriff.org/>
- Emergency Management (229) 828-2325
  - Online: <https://gema.georgia.gov/contacts/webster>

- Health Department (229) 828-3225
  - Online: <https://westcentralhealthdistrict.com/counties/webster/>
- Webster County Family & Child Services (229) 828-3115
  - Online: <https://dfcs.georgia.gov/locations/webster-county>
- School District (229) 828-3365
  - Online: <http://www.websterbobcats.org>
- Closest Hospital: Southwest Georgia Medical Center (229) 732-2181
  - Online: <http://www.southwestgeorgiaregionalmedicalcenter.com>