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Georgia

The Georgia Collaborative ASO

For immediate access to routine or crisis services, call the **Georgia Crisis and Access Line (GCAL)** at **1-800-715-4225**. GCAL is available 24/7, 365 days a year to help you or someone you care for in a crisis.

GCAL professionals will:

- Provide telephonic crisis intervention services
- Dispatch mobile crisis teams
- Assist individuals in finding an open crisis or detox bed across the State
- Link individuals with urgent appointment services

In addition, GCAL will help you to access a State Funded provider in your area in a non-emergency as well. A nationally accredited Health Care Call Center, crisis center, and partner in the National Suicide Prevention Lifeline, the Behavioral Health Link Crisis Call Center is proud to operate the Georgia Crisis and Access Line.

Text & Chat

Georgians can access GCAL's services via text and chat through the **My GCAL app**, available for download. Developed by Behavioral Health Link, the app will allow those in need to **call, text, or chat with GCAL 24/7/365**. Help is in your pocket—just a click away. The caring professionals of GCAL are ready to help, and users can choose how they want to reach out.

Find a provider through [ReferralConnect](#)

University of Georgia

The University of Georgia is committed to helping the rural communities in Georgia and the producers, farmers and citizens who are the backbone of their communities. The following are a collection of articles, resources and programs UGA has gathered to assist with issues from maintaining good mental and physical health to juggling economic, educational or lifestyle concerns. We will update these resources with the most current and useful information generated by our faculty and by experts throughout Georgia and the U.S.

Access UGA Extension's "[Stress Less, Live More](#)" guide and other resources at extension.uga.edu/rural.

Link: [Georgia Mental Health Services Guide](#)

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Mental Health America of Georgia

Enhance the mental health wellness of Georgia through education, outreach, and advocacy.

Take a mental health screening: <https://screening.mhanational.org/screening-tools/#Screen%20Start>

Find other Georgia resources to seek help: <https://www.mhageorgia.org/get-help/find-help/>

Georgia Mental Health Consumer Network

Georgia's Peer Support and Respite Centers are peer-run alternatives to traditional mental health day programs and psychiatric hospitalization. GMHCN operates six respite centers across Georgia, where a person may stay for up to 7 days instead of going into a psychiatric hospital; plus, a 24/7 warmline, daily wellness activities and more.

Augusta Peer Recovery and Respite Center

1720 Central Avenue, Augusta, Georgia 30904

Phone 706-426-4030

Email augusta@gmhcn.org

Bartow County Peer Support & Respite Center

201 North Erwin Street, Cartersville Georgia 30120

Phone 770-276-2019

email bartowcounty@gmhcn.org

Colquitt County Peer Support & Respite Center

417 2nd Street SE, Moultrie Georgia 31768

Phone 229-873-9737

email Colquittcounty@gmhcn.org

Decatur Peer Support and Wellness Center

444 Sycamore Drive, Decatur Georgia 30030

Phone 404-371-1414

email Decatur@gmhcn.org

White County Peer Support and Respite Center

46 Knaus Drive Cleveland, Georgia 30030

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Phone 706-865-3601

email WHITECOUNTY@gmhcn.org

Online Recovery and Wellness Resources: <https://www.gmhcn.org/online-wellness-resources>

988: Suicide prevention and crisis support.

988 is the new, 3-digit suicide prevention and crisis support available nationwide, including Georgia. You can either **call or text** to connect with behavioral or mental health crisis services.

The Lifeline provides 24/7, free and confidential support for people in distress, prevention and crisis resources for you or your loved ones, and best practices for professionals in the United States.

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