

# Victim Services **RESOURCE DIRECTORY**



#### Office of the Mississippi Attorney General

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The following list of organizations and groups has been complied solely as a reference source for Bureau of Victim Assistance (BOVA). This listing is not intended to be a comprehensive reference source. BOVA updates this list periodically. If you require updated listings of these organizations or know of additional victim service providers you feel should be included, please contact BOVA.

As Attorney General, I am dedicated to serving the needs of crime victims and their families. We have restructured our Bureau of Victim Assistance to provide a more personalized approach to victim advocacy. Each of our advocates is assigned to a geographic region of the State, where they work with law enforcement, courts, shelters, and other service providers to assist victims with resources and support. We also administer the Crime Victims' Compensation Program, which provides financial assistance to victims of crime. Compensation may be available for a wide variety of services including counseling, crime scene cleanup, domestic violence relocation and temporary housing, medical and dental expenses, lost wages and more. My team is dedicated to assisting applicants navigate the application process, and process applications as expeditiously as possible.

If you move away from your home due to domestic violence, sexual abuse or stalking, we also offer the Address Confidentiality Program, which allows qualified participants to obtain a substitute address for receiving mail, obtaining a Mississippi driver's license, or enrolling children in school.

For questions or more information about any of the Bureau of Victim Assistance programs, please visit AttorneyGeneralLynnFitch.com.

There you will also find this Statewide Victim Services Resource Directory, created by the victim advocates in my office. Here you will find crime victim services by county, as well as statewide services and national hotline numbers. I sincerely hope this directory will help you locate the resources you need to recover from victimization with peace and dignity.



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Children's Services Providers:	Services Offered:
Mississippi Department of Child Protection Services 750 N. State Street Jackson, MS 39202 Child Abuse Hotline: 1-800-222-8000 Website: <u>https://reportabuse.mdcps.ms.gov/</u> Website Main: <u>https://www.mdcps.ms.gov/</u>	<ul> <li>Report Suspected Child Abuse, Neglect, Exploitation, Human Trafficking and Abandonment</li> </ul>
Faith Haven, Inc. P.O. Box 835 Tupelo, MS 38802 Phone: 662-844-7091 Email: faith_haven@comcast.net Website: http://faithhaventupelo.com/	<ul> <li>Food, Shelter, &amp; Clothing</li> <li>School Enrollment</li> <li>IEP Meetings</li> <li>Teacher-parent Conferences &amp; Tutoring</li> <li>Medical Exams</li> <li>Dental Exams</li> <li>Dental Exams</li> <li>Psychological, &amp; Vision Exams</li> <li>Counseling &amp; Visitation</li> <li>Pre-placement Visits</li> <li>Weekly Allowances</li> <li>Recreational Activities &amp; Outings</li> <li>24-Hour Around-The-Clock Care</li> </ul>
Mississippi Families for Kids 407 Briarwood Drive, Suite 209 Jackson, MS 39206 Phone: 601-957-7670 Toll Free: 1-800-241-KIDS (5437) Email: <u>info@mffk.org</u> Website: <u>www.mffk.org</u>	<ul> <li>Statewide Parent Support Groups</li> <li>Grandparent Support Services</li> <li>Professional Adoptive and Foster Parent Training</li> <li>Resource and Assessment</li> <li>Child and Family Counseling</li> <li>Behavior Management</li> <li>Intervention Services for Early Childhood Education</li> <li>Anger Management</li> </ul>
Christians In Action 2025 North Siwell Road Jackson, MS 39212 Phone: 601-346-7119 Email: jwilder@christiansinactionms.com	• Emergency shelter for children who have been physically, emotionally or sexually abused (birth through 17 years of age)



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Website: https://christiansinactionms.com/	<ul> <li>Food, shelter, clothing, medical care, and recreational program</li> <li>Transportation to area schools and other needed services</li> <li>Therapy</li> <li>Referrals come from Youth Court, the Department of Human Services and the Jackson Police Department</li> </ul>
Canopy Children's Solutions 1465 Lakeland Drive Jackson, MS 39216 Phone: 601-352-7784 Toll Free: 1-800-388-6247 Website: www.mycanopy.org Children's Advocacy Centers of Mississippi 1675 Lakeland Drive, Suite 505 Jackson, MS 39216 Phone: 601-940-6183 Website: https://childadvocacyms.org/	<ul> <li>Emergency/Crisis Response</li> <li>Day Treatment</li> <li>Out-Patient Therapy</li> <li>Intensive Outpatient Psychiatric Services</li> <li>Offer in-home services to help parents and children</li> <li>Education, Training and Support for Local Child Advocacy Centers</li> <li>Link to Local Advocacy Centers Throughout the State of MS for Abused Children to Receive Forensic Interviews, Counseling and Advocacy Services – Referral</li> </ul>
Children's Safe Center University of MS Medical Center 350 W Woodrow Wilson Avenue Jackson, MS 39213 Phone: 601-815-0115 Website: <u>https://www.umc.edu/Childrens/Childrens- Forensic-Medicine/Forensic-</u> <u>Medicine.html</u>	<ul> <li>Required</li> <li>Forensic Medical Exams</li> <li>Provides Care for Children and Young Adults Who are Suspected of Being Neglected or Abused</li> </ul>
Sally Kate Winters Family Services 801 North Division Street	<ul> <li>Runaway &amp; Homeless Youth Program, ages 12-17</li> </ul>

Emergency Shelter

Crisis Counseling

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P.O. Box 1233

West Point, MS 39773



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Phone: 662-494-4867 Website: <u>https://www.sallykatewinters.org</u>	<ul> <li>Individual and Group Therapy</li> <li>Medical, Dental, Psychological Services as needed</li> <li>Education Support</li> <li>Children's Advocacy Center for Forensic Interview, On-Site Therapy, Court Preparation, Information and Referral</li> <li>Family Services Transitional Living Program for Young Adults, ages 16- 22</li> </ul>
Youth Villages 805 South Wheatley Street, Suite 240 Ridgeland, MS 39157 Phone: 601-572-3700 Website: <u>https://www.youthvillages.org</u>	<ul> <li>Day Treatment</li> <li>Emergency/Crisis Response</li> <li>Intensive Outpatient Psychiatric Services</li> <li>Children and Youth Making a Plan (MAP)</li> <li>Outpatient Services</li> <li>Peer Support</li> <li>Psychiatric/Physician Services</li> </ul>
U. S. Department of Justice Child Exploitation & Obscenity Section Phone: 202-514-5780 Website: https://www.justice.gov/criminal-ceos	• Protect the Welfare of America's Children and Communities by Enforcing Federal and Criminal Statutes Relating to the Exploitation of Children
National Center for Missing & Exploited Children 24-Hour Hotline: 1-800-843-5678 Cyber Tipline: 1-800-THE-LOST Website: <u>https://www.missingkids.org/home</u>	<ul> <li>NCMEC Works with Families, Victims, Private Industry, Law Enforcement, and the Public to Assist with Preventing Child Abductions, Recovering Missing Children, and Providing Services to Deter and Combat Child Sexual Exploitation</li> </ul>
Southern Christian Services 860 East River Place, Suite 104 Jackson, MS 39202 Phone: 601-354-0983	<ul> <li>For Children &amp; Youth</li> <li>Community based transitional youth program in MS certified by the Department of Mental Health</li> </ul>



Website: <u>https://www.scscy.org/</u>	<ul> <li>Child Abuse &amp; Neglect Prevention</li> <li>Therapeutic Foster Care</li> <li>Adoption Permanency</li> <li>Trauma Counseling</li> <li>Family Counseling</li> <li>Parenting Classes</li> <li>Resources</li> <li>PALS (Preparing Adolescents to Live Successfully) Community-Based Transitional Youth Program for ages 18-23</li> </ul>
Methodist Children's Homes 805 North Flag Chapel Road Jackson, MS 39209 Phone: 601-853-5000 Website: <u>https://www.mchms.org/</u>	<ul> <li>Therapeutic Residential Care</li> <li>Therapeutic Foster Care</li> <li>Magnolia Youth Services Provides Mental Health Services to Youth in the Community Through Individual Therapy, MYPAC Services, and Day Treatment</li> <li>In-Home and Outpatient Mental Health Services</li> </ul>
Mission First, Inc. 275 Roseneath Avenue Jackson, MS 39203 Phone: 601-608-0050 Website: <u>https://www.missionfirst.org/</u>	<ul> <li>Legal Services</li> <li>Medical Care</li> <li>Dental Care</li> <li>Preschool</li> <li>After-School Programs</li> </ul>

#### **Domestic Violence Services Providers:**

Domestic Violence Services Providers:	Services Offered:
Mississippi Coalition Against Domestic	Connects Victims of Domestic
Violence	Violence with Local Shelters with
P.O. Box 4703	Direct Victim Services
Jackson, MS 39296	Teen Advisory Council Promoting
Phone: 601-981-9196	Healthy Relationships
Hotline: 1-800-898-3234	Education
MCADV Support Email:	Public Awareness
support@mcadv.org	Training
Legal Service Email:	Technical Assistance
legalservices@mcadv.org	
	Resource Distribution



Website: <u>https://mcadv.org/</u>	Legal Services
National Domestic Violence Hotline Hotline: 1-800-799-SAFE (7233) Website: https://www.thehotline.org/	<ul> <li>Hotline Can Help Victims and Survivors of Domestic Violence</li> <li>Plan for Safety</li> <li>Local Resources</li> <li>Legal Help</li> <li>Deaf Services</li> <li>Native American Services</li> <li>Online Chat</li> </ul>

#### Sexual Assault/Rape Crisis/Human Trafficking Services Providers:

Trafficking Services Providers:	Services Offered:
Mississippi Coalition Against Sexual Assault	• 24 Hour Rape Crisis Hotline
Phone: 601-948-0555	<ul> <li>Intervention, advocacy,</li> </ul>
Toll Free: 888-987-9011	Accompaniment, Support
Website: <u>http://www.mscasa.org/</u>	Services, and Related Assistance
	for Adult, Youth, and Child
	Victims of Sexual Assault,
	Family and Household Members
	of Victims, and Those
	Collaterally Affected by the
	Sexual Assault
	Training and Technical
	Assistance
	Provide Resources and Referrals

Center for Violence Prevention P.O. Box 6279 Pearl, MS 39288 Crisis Line: 601-932-4198 In-State Toll Free: 1-800-266-4198 The Bridge: 601-326-5035 The Tower: 601-360-8701 Email: <u>rwashington@mscvp.org</u> Website: <u>https://www.msc4vp.org/</u>	<ul> <li>Long-Term Adult Human Trafficking Shelter (The Tower)</li> <li>Emergency Room Crisis Response for Sexual Assault</li> <li>Forensic Medical Exams for Sexual Assault and Strangulation Victims (The Bridge)</li> </ul>
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	<ul> <li>Rapid Response Teams for Human Trafficking</li> <li>Law Enforcement and Court Advocacy</li> <li>Emergency Short-Term Shelter for Victims</li> <li>In-Shelter Transportation</li> <li>Transitional Housing Assistance</li> <li>Trauma Therapy</li> <li>Parenting Classes</li> <li>Support Groups</li> <li>Community Resource Referral</li> <li>Life Skills Training</li> <li>Job Training and Employment Assistance</li> <li>Assistance with Immigration Issues</li> <li>Hispanic Interpreter Services</li> <li>Survivors of Homicide Advocacy and Grief Support</li> </ul>
Gulf Coast Center for Nonviolence P.O. Box 333 Biloxi, MS 39533 Phone: 228-436-3809 Crisis Line: 228-435-1968 Hotline: 1-800-800-1396 Website: <u>http://www.gccfn.org</u>	<ul> <li>Trafficked Victims 18+ Females Usually but Will Take Men and Children Victims, Case by Case, at No Cost to Victims</li> <li>Short Term Emergency Shelter</li> <li>Will Take out of State Victim if They Present in Biloxi/Gulfport Area</li> </ul>
MS Bureau of Investigation of the MS Department of Public Safety - Human Trafficking Unit Phone: 601-987-1671 Email: <u>reportht@dps.ms.gov</u> Website: <u>https://www.dps.ms.gov/investigation/human-trafficking-unit</u>	<ul> <li>Statewide Human Trafficking Coordinator</li> <li>Investigation of Human Trafficking Tips</li> </ul>



Mississippi National Guard Sexual Assault Response Program Coordinator: 601-850-6872 Safe Helpline Phone: 1-877-955-5247 Safe Helpline Text: 55247 Website: <u>https://www.safehelpline.org/</u>	<ul> <li>Services for Sexual Assault for Air National Guard and Army National Guard members and Their Dependents</li> <li>Prevention and Education</li> <li>Victim Centered Support</li> <li>Intimidation Free Reporting</li> </ul>
National Human Trafficking Hotline Polaris Project Washington, DC Phone: 1-888-373-7888 Text: BEFREE or HELP to 23373 Email: <u>help@humantraffickinghotline.org</u> Website: <u>https://humantraffickinghotline.org/</u>	<ul> <li>24/7 Hotline</li> <li>Text Line</li> <li>Live Chat Available Online</li> <li>Referral Directory for Organizations that Offer Emergency, Transitional or Long-Term Services to Survivors of Human Trafficking</li> <li>Resource Library to Connect to Local Services</li> </ul>
Rape, Abuse & Incest National Network (RAINN) Hotline: 1-800-656-HOPE (4673) Website: <u>https://www.rainn.org/</u>	<ul> <li>Connect with a Trained Staff Member from a Sexual Assault Service Provider in Your Area that Offers Access to a Range of Free Services Mediate Support in English and Spanish</li> <li>Online Chat</li> <li>Public Education</li> <li>Public Policy Consulting and Training Services</li> </ul>

#### Survivors of Homicide Victims

Service Providers:	Services Offered:
The McClean Fletcher Center	Peer Counseling/Peer Support
12 Northtown Drive	Mississippi's Only Grief Center for
Jackson, MS 39211	Children and Adolescents
Office: 601.206.5525	• Offer Grief Support for Children 4-18
Fax: 601.206.5571	Who Have Suffered Through a Death
Website: <u>https://mccleanfletcher.org/</u>	of Friend/Relative



One on One Help for Family
Members Who Have a Terminally Ill
Person in Their Household

Center for Violence Prevention P.O. Box 6279 Pearl, MS 39288 Crisis Line: 601-932-4198 In-State Toll Free: 1-800-266-4198 The Bridge: 601-326-5035 The Tower: 601-360-8701 Email: <u>rwashington@mscvp.org</u> Website: <u>https://www.msc4vp.org/</u>	<ul> <li>Survivors of Homicide Advocacy</li> <li>Criminal Justice Support</li> <li>Grief Support</li> </ul>
Gulf Coast Center for Nonviolence Biloxi, MS Admin: 228-436-3809 Crisis Line: 1-800-800-1396 Website: www.gcwcfn.org	<ul> <li>Individual Counseling</li> <li>Forever Changed Support Group</li> <li>Court Support/Advocacy</li> <li>Victim Compensation Application Assistance</li> <li>Remembrance Events</li> <li>Information and Referral</li> </ul>
Mental Health Providers:	Services Offered:

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Mississippi Department of Mental Health	Mobile Crisis Response Teams
1101 Robert E. Lee Building	Crisis Stabilization Units
239 N. Lamar Street	Link to State-Operated Programs
Jackson, MS 39201	and Community Service Programs,
Phone: 601-359-1288	Regional Community Mental Health
Help Line: 1-877-210-8513	Centers and Other Nonprofit/Profit
Website: <u>http://www.dmh.ms.gov/</u>	Service Agencies/Organizations
Mississippi Behavioral Health Services	Outpatient Therapy
365 West Reed Rd, Suite A1	Community Support Services
Greenville, MS 38701	Psychiatric/Physician Services
Website: <u>https://msbehavioralhealth.org/</u>	Crisis Services
	Psychosocial Rehabilitation
	Peer Support Services
	Case Management
	Referral Services
	Day Treatment



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	Evaluation Screening
Brentwood Behavioral Healthcare 3531 Lakeland Drive Flowood, MS 39232 Phone: 601-965-9672 Toll Free: 1-800-863-4004 Website: https://www.brentwoodjackson.com/	<ul> <li>Offers Comprehensive Inpatient Treatment for Children, Adolescents and Adults Living with Mental Health Difficulties</li> <li>Psychological Evaluation</li> <li>Group Therapy</li> <li>Intensive Partial Hospitalization (PHP) and Outpatient Day Program for Adult Patients</li> <li>Crossroads Residential Treatment Facility Serves Adolescent Males, ages 12 to 17, with Serious Emotional and Behavioral Problems</li> <li>MYPAC Outpatient Services for Adolescents, In Patient's Home</li> <li>Part of the Patriot Support Programs, a Network of Facilities Utilizing Best Practices to Effectively Treat Military Service Members and Veterans</li> <li>Telehealth</li> </ul>
Mississippi State Hospital P.O. Box 157-A Whitfield, MS 39193 Phone: 601-351-8000 Website: <u>http://www.msh.state.ms.us/</u>	<ul> <li>Adult Acute and Continued Treatment</li> <li>Child/Adolescent Psychiatric</li> <li>Adult and Adolescent Substance Use Services</li> <li>Nursing Home</li> </ul>
Pine Grove Behavioral Health & Addiction Services 2255 Broadway Drive Hattiesburg, MS 39402 Phone: 601-288-2273 Toll-Free: 1-888-574-4673 Website: https://www.pinegrovetreatment.com/	<ul> <li>Men's and Women's Options, as Well as Age-Specific Programs for Children, Adolescents, and Adults Over the Age of 55</li> <li>Inpatient Services</li> <li>Residential Treatment</li> <li>Partial Hospitalization Program (PHP)</li> <li>Outpatient Services</li> </ul>



National Alliance on Mental Illness MS (NAMI) 2618 Southerland Street Jackson, MS 39216 Phone: 601-899-9058 Toll-Free: 1-800-357-0388 Crisis Text Line: NAMI to 741-741 Email: <u>stateoffice@namims.org</u> Website: <u>https://namims.org/</u>	<ul> <li>Intensive Outpatient Program (IOP)</li> <li>Detoxification</li> <li>Short Term Intensives</li> <li>Evaluation Center</li> <li>Peer-To-Peer Program</li> <li>Family Support Group</li> <li>Connection Recovery Support Group</li> <li>Resources</li> <li>Public Education</li> <li>Provider Education</li> </ul>
National Suicide Prevention Lifeline Phone: 1-800-273- 8255 Website: <u>https://suicidepreventionlifeline.org/</u>	• The Lifeline Provides 24/7, Free and Confidential Support for People in Distress, Prevention and Crisis Resources
Disability Services Providers:	Services Offered:
Mississippi Department of Rehabilitation	Vocational Rehabilitation

Disability Services Providers.	Services Offereu.
Mississippi Department of Rehabilitation Services 1281 Highway 51 Madison, MS 39110 Toll Free: 1-800-443-1000 Website: https://www.mdrs.ms.gov/Pages/default.aspx	<ul> <li>Vocational Rehabilitation</li> <li>Supported Employment</li> <li>Special Disability Programs</li> <li>Transition Services</li> <li>Deaf and Hard of Hearing Services</li> <li>Network of 17 Community Rehabilitation Centers (AbilityWorks) Located Throughout the State. These Centers Provide Vocational</li> </ul>
Addie McBryde Rehabilitation Center for the Blind 2550 Peachtree Street Jackson, MS 39216 Phone: 601-364-2700	<ul> <li>Assessment, Job Training and Work Experience for Individuals with Disabilities</li> <li>Classes focusing on adjustment to vision loss, confidence building, resume writing, interviewing and utilizing resources in the community</li> </ul>



Website: https://www.mdrs.ms.gov/Pages/default.aspx	<ul> <li>Orientation and Mobility</li> <li>Communication/Advanced Communication</li> <li>Personal Management</li> <li>Techniques of Daily Living</li> <li>Recreation and Leisure Education</li> <li>GED Preparation</li> <li>Vocational Evaluation</li> <li>Low Vision Assessment</li> <li>Diabetic and Medical Management</li> <li>Vocational Training in Emergency Dispatch</li> </ul>
Disability Rights of Mississippi 5 old River Place, Suite 101 Jackson, MS 39202 Phone: 601-968-0600 Toll Free: 1-800-772-4057 Email: <u>info@drms.ms</u> Web: <u>http://www.drms.ms/</u> Mississippi Coalition for Citizens with	<ul> <li>Provides Legal and Advocacy Rights to Mississippian with Disabilities Throughout State</li> <li>Client Assistance Program</li> <li>Technology Related Assistance</li> <li>Enhance the Quality of Life for</li> </ul>
Disabilities 2 Old River Place, Suite M Jackson, MS 39202 Phone: 601-969-0601 Toll Free: 1-800-721-7255 Relay: 711 Website: <u>http://www.msccd.org/</u>	• Enhance the Quality of Life for Children, Adolescents and Adults with Disabilities and Their Families and Empower These Individuals to Reach Their Full Potential in Every Aspect of Life and to Be a Voice for Families, Advocates, Consumers and Professionals Representing the Interests and Needs of People with Disabilities
Hudspeth Regional Center Highway 475 South P. O. Box 127-B Whitfield, MS 39193 Phone: 601-664-6310 Fax: 601-664-6314	<ul> <li>A Team Dedicated to Excellence in Providing Individualized Services for Persons with Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities</li> <li>Assistive Technology (ATU)</li> <li>Audiology</li> </ul>



Mississippi Relay 460 Briarwood Drive, Suite 400 Jackson, MS 39206 Relay Phone: 711 Voice Phone: 601-936-5012 Videophone: 601-206-0206 TTY: 601-709-4624 Toll-Free: 1-800-676-3777 Website: https://www.mississippirelay.com/	<ul> <li>Dental Services</li> <li>Dietary Services</li> <li>Direct Care Services</li> <li>Educational Services</li> <li>Medical/Nursing Services</li> <li>Occupational Therapy</li> <li>Pharmaceutical Services</li> <li>Physical Therapy</li> <li>Psychology Services</li> <li>Recreational Therapy</li> <li>Staff Development and Training</li> <li>Social Services</li> <li>A free 24-hour service that provides full telephone accessibility to people who are deaf, hard-of-hearing, deaf-blind, and speech-disabled. This service allows text-telephone (TTY) users to communicate with standard telephone users through specially trained relay operators</li> </ul>
Disability Rights Mississippi 5 old River Place, Suite 101 Jackson, MS 39202 Phone: 601-968-0600 Toll Free: 1-800-722-4057 Website: http://www.drms.ms/ Mississippi School for the Blind 1252 Eastover Drive Jackson, MS 39211 Phone: 601-984-8200 Toll Free: 1-888-672-1848 Website: www.msb.k12.ms.us	<ul> <li>Promote, protect and advocate for the legal and human rights of all people with disabilities, and to assist with full inclusion in home, community, education and employment</li> <li>Mississippi School for the Blind is a fully accredited elementary and secondary program (K-12) designed to focus on the unique learning needs of children and youth with visual impairments or blindness, including those with additional disabilities</li> </ul>



Mississippi Council on Developmental Disabilities 239 North Lamar Street 1101 Robert E. Lee Building Jackson, MS 39201 Phone: 601-359-6238 Website: https://www.mscdd.org/	<ul> <li>Advocacy and leadership skills for people with developmental disabilities to increase independence, self- determination, and inclusion in the community</li> <li>Projects to address the needs of people with developmental disabilities, such as new or improved services and supports or elimination of barriers to access services</li> <li>Collaboration and coordination among agencies</li> <li>Community outreach, training, resources, and support</li> <li>Policymaker and public information</li> </ul>

Social Security Administration A.H. McCoy Federal Building 100 West Capitol Street, Suite 3225 Jackson, MS 39269 Phone: 1-866-331-8135 Website: <u>https://www.ssa.gov/</u>	<ul> <li>Disability Programs</li> <li>Retirement Benefits Program</li> <li>Health Insurance Program/Medicare Enrollment</li> </ul>
Brain Injury Associates of Mississippi P.O. Box 55912 Jackson, MS 39296 Phone: 601-981-1021 Toll Free: 1-800-641-6442 Website: <u>www.msbraininjury.org</u>	<ul> <li>Educational Workshops</li> <li>Support Groups</li> <li>Enhance the quality of life for survivors of traumatic brain &amp; spinal cord injuries and their families</li> <li>Develop support programs that prevent brain injury</li> </ul>
Mississippi Paralysis Association 350 W. Woodrow Wilson Avenue, Suite 100 Jackson, MS 39213 Phone: 601-326-2654 Fax: 601-665-4025	<ul> <li>Vehicle modification</li> <li>Home modification</li> <li>Medical equipment</li> <li>Wheelchairs</li> <li>Financial assistance</li> </ul>



Website: <u>http://msparalysis.org/</u>	<ul> <li>Peer counseling/peer supports</li> <li>Education and awareness to the causes of paralysis</li> </ul>
LIFE of Mississippi 1304 Vine Street Jackson, MS 39202 Phone: 601-969-4009 Toll Free: 1-800-748-9398 Fax: 601-969-1622 Website: <u>www.lifeofms.com</u>	<ul> <li>Empowering people with significant disabilities</li> <li>Give information and referral to available services</li> <li>Provide peer support for individuals living with disability</li> <li>Inform people living with disability of their rights and assist in obtaining help from available resources</li> <li>Instruction on how to live independently</li> <li>Assists people in moving from nursing homes back into their communities</li> </ul>

#### **Elderly Services Providers:**

Mississippi Department of Human	<ul> <li>Protect vulnerable persons whose</li> </ul>
Services	safety and protection may be
Division of Aging & Adult Services	adversely affected by abuse, neglect,
200 South Lamar Street	self-neglect or exploitation
Jackson, MS 39201	Meals Program
Phone: 601-359-4915	Legal Assistance and Advocacy
Vulnerable Person Abuse Hotline: 844-	<ul> <li>Home and Community Based</li> </ul>
437-6282	Services
Website:	
https://www.mdhs.ms.gov/adults-	Respite
seniors/	<ul> <li>Information and Referral</li> </ul>
	Family Caregiver Support Program
	Transportation Services
Mississippi Department of Public Safety	Promote a coordinated effort
Mississippi Leadership Council on Aging	between law enforcement and social
1025 Northpark Drive	service agencies to stem the tide of
Ridgeland, MS 39157	violence against senior citizens
Phone: 601-977-3769	



Website: <u>https://www.dps.ms.gov/public-</u>	<ul> <li>Support media and non-media</li> </ul>
safety-planning/council-on-aging	strategies aimed at increasing both
	public understanding of the problem
	and senior citizens skills in
	preventing crime against themselves
	and their property
	Address the problem of crime
	against senior citizens in a
	systematic and effective manner

Local Community Services:	Services Offered:
Mississippi Department of Human	Adult Protective Services
Services	Aging and Adult Services
200 South Lamar Street	Community Services
Jackson, MS 39201	Child Care Certificate Program
Phone: 601-359-4500	Child Support
Website: <u>https://www.mdhs.ms.gov/</u>	Early Childhood Care & Development
	Economic Assistance
	EDGE Program
	Family Caregiver Support Program
	Healthy Families Mississippi
	Mississippi Access to Care (MAC)
	Centers
	Senior Services
	SNAP Employment and Training
	(E&T)
	State Health Insurance Program
	(SHIP)
	Supplemental Nutrition Assistance
	Program (SNAP)
	Supplemental Nutrition Assistance
	Program Education (SNAP-ED)
	Temporary Assistance for Needy
	Families (TANF)
	• TANF Work Program (TWP)
	The Emergency Food Assistance
	Program (TEFAP)
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	<ul><li>Workforce Development</li><li>Youth Services</li></ul>
CONTACT the Crisis Line P.O. Box 5192 Jackson, MS 39296	• Emotional Support by Certified Volunteers, free of charge
Phone: 601-713-4099	Information and Referral
Website: http://www.contactthecrisisline.org/ 24-Hour Crisis Line: 601-713-HELP (4357) Chat: http://www.im-in-crisis.org/	• IM-IN-CRISIS Chat Services for help with thoughts of suicide, depression, anxiety, relationship problems, family stressors, abuse, financial issues, etc.
Reassurance: 601-713-4099 Website: <u>http://www.contactthecrisisline.org/</u>	• Reassurance Contact certified volunteers place a daily phone call to the elderly and physically challenged who are living alone to check on well being
GV (Sonny) Montgomery VA Medical Center 1500 E. Woodrow Wilson Avenue Jackson, MS 39216 Phone: 601-362-4471 Toll-Free: 1-844-MyVA311 (1-844-698- 2311) Website: https://www.jackson.va.gov/	<ul> <li>Services to Veterans, Homeless and At-Risk Veterans, LGBT Veterans, Returning Service Veterans and Women Veterans</li> <li>The Program of Comprehensive Assistance for Family Caregivers (PCAFC) provides resources, education, support, a financial stipend, health insurance, and beneficiary travel to caregivers of eligible Veterans</li> <li>Medical Facility</li> <li>Medical Referrals</li> </ul>
El Pueblo 856 Division Street Biloxi, MS 39530 Phone: 228-436-3986 Email: <u>info@elpueblo.org</u> Website: <u>https://elpueblo-ms.org/</u>	<ul> <li>Offices in Biloxi and Forest serve immigrant populations across the State</li> <li>Pro bono legal services and case management services to immigrant survivors of domestic violence, sexual assault and child abuse and neglect</li> </ul>



	<ul> <li>Citizenship, ESL and Family Literacy Classes</li> <li>Language Access Services</li> <li>Mujeres Unidas (Women United) is a peer-to-peer support group that provides a safe space for immigrant survivors</li> <li>Information and Referral</li> <li>Bi-lingual staff</li> </ul>
Catholic Charities 850 East River Place Jackson MS 39202 Phone: 601-355-8634 Website: https://catholiccharitiesjackson.org/	<ul> <li>Strengthening Families &amp; Nurturing Children and Youth</li> <li>Emergency Assistance</li> <li>Family Life Ministry</li> <li>Individual, Couple and Family Counseling</li> <li>Legal Aid for Immigrants</li> <li>Housing for Low-Income Families and Elderly</li> <li>Supportive Services for Veterans Families</li> <li>Adoption</li> <li>Alcohol and Substance Abuse Services</li> </ul>
American Red Cross Jackson Office (Main Office and Regional Headquarters) 9 River Bend Place Flowood, MS 39232 Phone: 601-353-5442 Website: https://www.redcross.org/local/mississippi	<ul> <li>Disaster Services</li> <li>Services to the Armed Forces</li> <li>Health and Safety Services</li> <li>Blood Services</li> <li>Responds immediately to disasters including house and apartment fires, hurricanes, floods, tornadoes, heat waves, hazardous materials spills and other natural and man-made disasters</li> <li>Preparedness programs</li> </ul>
Goodwill Stores Administration Office 104 E. State Street	<ul> <li>Affordable clothing</li> <li>House furnishings, etc.</li> </ul>



Ridgeland, MS 39157 Phone: 601-853-8110 Website: <u>https://www.goodwill.org</u> Salvation Army	<ul> <li>Help people to overcome challenges to build skills, find jobs and grow their careers</li> <li>Food, shelter &amp; clothing</li> </ul>
Administration Office 110 Presto Lane Jackson MS 39206 Phone: 601-982-4881 Website: <u>https://salvationarmyalm.org/</u>	<ul> <li>Medication payment Assistance</li> <li>Education and job training</li> <li>Senior Citizen Services</li> <li>Veterans Services</li> <li>Christmas Assistance</li> <li>Rent &amp; Utility Payment Assistance</li> <li>Emergency Disaster Response</li> </ul>
United Way Phone: 211 Website for locations in MS: https://www.unitedway.org/local/united- states/mississippi Website 2-1-1: https://www.unitedway.org/our- impact/featured-programs/2-1-1	<ul> <li>2-1-1 is a Free and Confidential Service that Connects Callers to Local Resources 24/7</li> <li>Supplemental Food and Nutrition Programs</li> <li>Shelter and Housing options and utilities assistance</li> <li>Emergency Information and Disaster Relief</li> <li>Employment and Education Opportunities</li> <li>Services for Veterans</li> <li>Health Care, Vaccination and Health Epidemic Information</li> <li>Addiction Prevention and Rehabilitation Programs</li> <li>Reentry Help for Ex-Offenders</li> <li>Support Groups for Individuals with Mental Illnesses or Special Needs</li> <li>A Safe, Confidential Path out of Physical and/or Emotional Domestic Abuse</li> </ul>



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Mississippi Access to Justice Commission 643 North State Street P.O. Box 2168 Jackson MS 39202 Phone: 601-960-9581 Website: http://www.msatjc.org/	The Mission of the Access to Justice Commission is to Develop a Unified Strategy to Improve Access to Justice in Civil Legal Proceedings for the Poor in Mississippi
Mississippi Department of Health 570 East Woodrow Wilson Drive Jackson, MS 39216 Post Office Box 1700 Jackson, MS 39215-1700 Phone: 601-576-7400 Website: <u>eWIC - Mississippi State</u> <u>Department of Health (ms.gov)</u>	<ul> <li>A Monthly Package of Nutritious Foods</li> <li>Valuable Tips on Healthy Eating</li> <li>Health Care Referrals</li> <li>Breastfeeding Support</li> </ul>
Mission First, Inc. 275 Roseneath Avenue Jackson, MS 39203 Phone: 601-608-0050 Website: <u>https://www.missionfirst.org/</u>	<ul> <li>Legal Services</li> <li>Medical Care</li> <li>Dental Care</li> <li>Preschool</li> <li>After-School Programs</li> </ul>
Job Training/Employment:	Services Offered:
Mississippi Department of Employment Securities Office of the Governor 1235 Echelon Parkway P.O. Box 1699 Jackson, MS 39215-1699 Phone: 601-321-6000 Website: <u>https://mdes.ms.gov/</u>	<ul> <li>The Goal of the Mississippi Department of Employment Security is to Help Mississippians Get jobs. Through our network of WIN Job Centers, MDES matches qualified, prospective employees with employers</li> <li>At the Job Centers, Mississippians</li> </ul>

• At the Job Centers, Mississippians can obtain job training to sharpen their work skills and make themselves more competitive in the job market

• MDES administers the unemployment benefits program that provides payments to



	Mississippians who have lost their jobs through no fault of their own
ReSkill Mississippi Mississippi Department of Employment Securities Website: <u>https://reskillms.com/</u>	<ul> <li>Help for displaced employees through local colleges</li> <li>Apply Online for Training for a new career or to get paid to train on the job</li> <li>Connects applicants to employers in MS</li> <li>Helps employers fill positions</li> </ul>