

Gaston County DSS Resource Guide

Housing

Emergency Housing

What it is: Housing that is a safe, decent alternative to the streets.

Cleveland County Abuse Prevention Council (Shelby)

704-481-0043

P.O. Box 2589 Shelby, NC 28151

24 hours, 7 days a week

Lighthouse Shelter for victims of domestic violence, sexual assault, and homeless women and children.

Beacon Shelter is for Homeless men. Serves Cleveland County residents only unless life threatening.

The Salvation Army (Gastonia)

704-867-6145

107 S. Broad Street Gastonia, NC 28052

24 hours, 7 days a week

Emergency shelter for men, women, and families.

The Salvation Army (Charlotte)

704-348-2560

534 Spratt Street Charlotte, NC

24 hours a day, 7 days a week

Immediate shelter for single women. Women with children need to call for availability.

Room in the Inn (Charlotte)

704-347-0278

945 N. College Street Charlotte, NC

Seasonal winter shelter for men, women, and families. Open from November to March.

Transitional Housing

What it is: Temporary longer-term housing with services to help individuals and families reach permanent housing.

Adam's House (Gastonia)

704-865-4563

2098 Keith Drive Gastonia, NC 28053

24 hours, 7 days a week

Residential program for men 18-21 years. Also offers offsite care management for women and men 18-21.

Catherine's House, Inc. (Belmont)

704-825-9599

P.O. Box 1633 Belmont, NC 28012

24 hours, 7 days a week

Three month residential program for single women and women with children. Call for screening.

Gastonia's Potters House (Gastonia)

704-825-3698

P.O. Box 322 Lowell, NC 28098

24 hours, 7 days

Residential program for single women with substance abuse issues. Call for appointment.

Interfaith Hospitality Network (Gastonia)

704-854-9880

P.O. Box 67 Gastonia, NC 28053

Serves families—married couples or single parents with children under 16.

Special Housing Needs

What it is: Temporary housing for persons with specific identified need

American Red Cross (Gastonia)

704-864-2623

190 S. Oakland Street Gastonia, NC 28052

Temporary housing for victims of house fires only. Call for appointment.

Amy's House (Lincolnton)

704-736-1224

24 hours, 7 days a week

Domestic violence shelter and shelter for families. Serves Lincoln County residents only, unless situation is life threatening.

Phoenix Counseling Services (Gastonia)

704-736-1224

2505 Court Drive Gastonia, NC 28054

8 am to 5pm, Monday through Friday

Residential program for single women with children, are Work First eligible, and have been diagnosed with a substance abuse disorder.

Cornerstone Christian Center (Gastonia)

704-867-8749

400 E. Fifth Street Gastonia, NC 28054

Residential program for men with substance abuse issues.

Flynn Fellowship Home (Gastonia)

704-865-9395

311 S. Marietta Street Gastonia, NC 28052

24 hours, 7 days a week

Residential after care facility for persons leaving treatment centers. Call for availability.

House of Mercy, Inc. (Belmont)

704-825-4711

P.O. Box 808 Belmont, NC 28012

24 hours, 7 days a week

Family care home for victims of advanced stages of AIDS. Call for appointment.

New Life Pregnancy/Sonshine House (Gastonia)

704-854-8877 or 704-736-9699
P.O. Box 6253 Gastonia, NC 28056
10 am to 4 pm, Monday through Friday
Maternity home. Call for appointment.

Phoenix Counseling Services (Gastonia)

704-854-4204
2505 Court Drive Gastonia, NC
8 am to 5 pm, Monday through Friday
7-day detox center is to assist in easing chemical withdrawal with counseling and support. Offers and optional 14-day rehab program when leaving detox. Call for cost of the program.

Reinvestment In Communities of Gaston County

704-866-6766
156 S. South Street Suite 201 Gastonia, NC 28052
Permanent, supportive housing for homeless persons. Referrals come from Gaston Residential Services.

The Shelter of Gaston County

704-852-6000
330 N. Marietta Street Gastonia, NC 28052
24 hours, 7 days
Shelter for victims of domestic violence.

With Friends, Inc.

704-866-7774
2098 Keith Drive Gastonia, NC 28053
24 hours, 7 days a week
Shelter for homeless youth.

Permanent Rentals for Low-Income People

What it is: Subsidized rental housing for low-income individuals and families

Gastonia Housing Authority

704-864-6771
340 W. Long Avenue Gastonia, NC 28052
8:30 am to 4:30 pm, Monday through Friday
Has 400 low-income rental-housing units

Belmont Housing Authority

704-825-9376
51 Flowers Court Belmont, NC 28012
9 am to 5 pm, Monday through Friday
Low-income two, three, and four bedroom rental housing units.

Mt. Holly Housing Authority

704-827-9025
635 Noles Drive Mt. Holly, NC 28120
8 am to 4:30 pm, Monday through Friday
Provides lot-income rental housing units.

USDA Rural Development

704-471-0235
844 Wallace Grove Road Shelby, NC 28120
8 am to 5pm, Monday through Friday
Provide subsidized loans for home ownership to eligible, qualified low-income individuals.

Habitat for Humanity of Gaston County

704-864-6536
P.O. Box 1584 Gastonia, NC 28052
Building houses in partnership with people in need. Must meet 3 criteria: need for adequate housing, ability to pay a no-interest mortgage, willingness to partner through sweat-equity in the construction of their home.

Linked Economic Development & Affordable Housing

704-825-8868
123 N. Main Street Belmont, NC 28012

Carolina Garden Apartments

704-739-9321
6001 Mahogany Lane Kings Mountain, NC 28085

Cherrywood Apartments

704-435-5772
106 Sullivan Drive Cherryville, NC 28021

Church Hill

704-435-2114
411 N. Pine Street Cherryville, NC 28021

Hoffman Homes

704-865-1945
2263 Cordoba Street Gastonia, NC 28054

Kendrick Square

704-827-7171
800 W. Charlotte Avenue Mt. Holly, NC 28120

Lincoln Terrace Apartments

704-732-0969
366 Armstrong Circle High Shoals, NC 28077

Oak Forest Apartments

704-922-4811

117A Oak Forest Lane Dallas, NC 28034

Park Terrace Apartments

704-629-5121

309 Park Terrace Drive Bessemer City, NC 28016

Rollins Apartments

704-827-9025

311 S. Hawthorne Street Mt. Holly, NC 28120

Stanley Square

704-263-1000

814 N. Buckoak Street Stanley, NC 28164

Stonecroft Village Apartments

704-861-0793

1001 Farewell Drive Gastonia, NC 28054

Permanent Rentals for the Elderly

What it is: Subsidized rental housing for the elderly

A.R.P. Manor

704-861-0954

2900 Union Road Gastonia, NC 28054

Catherine Booth Garden Apartments

704-868-9122

1435 Union Road Gastonia, NC 28054

Colonial Oaks Apartments

704-435-9347

400 W. Academy Street Cherryville, NC 28021

Dallas High School Apartments

704-922-4674

300 W. Church Street Dallas, NC 28034

McLurd Manor

704-263-1699

111 McLurd Manor Drive Stanley, NC 28164

Myrtle Terrace Apartments

704-825-2446

35 W. Myrtle Street Belmont, NC 28012

Village Square Apartments

704-865-9507

1400 Paige Court Gastonia, NC 28054

Woodridge Homes

704-822-6107

165 Houston Street Mt. Holly, NC 28120

Fair Housing Hotline

704-866-6750

City of Gastonia Fair Housing Program for Housing Discrimination

Permanent Rentals for Disabled Persons

What it is: Subsidized housing for disabled persons

ARC/HDS of Gaston County

401 E. Third Avenue Gastonia, NC 28054 – 704-865-6601

1101 E. Franklin Avenue Gastonia, NC 28054 – 704-866-7084

417 W. 10th Avenue Gastonia, NC 28052 – 704-866-4486

1030 Forestbrook Drive Gastonia, NC 28056 – 704-867-7901

605 Rosemarey Lane Gastonia, NC 28054 – 704-866-0437

934 Springdale Lane Gastonia, NC 28052 – 704-867-3473

1102 Requa Road Cherryville, NC 28021 – 704-435-4608

CHC of Gaston County (Gastonia)

704-854-4825

1047 Laurel Lane Gastonia, NC 28054

Gaston Residential Services, Inc. (Gastonia)

704-861-9280

905-A N. New Hope Road Gastonia, NC 28054

8 am to 5 pm, Monday through Friday

Group homes, apartments for individuals, shelter plus care housing for women with children, housing for persons with developmental disabilities and substance abuse issues. Call for appointment.

Mountain Ridge Group Home (Gastonia)

704-529-0446

810 King Arthur Drive Gastonia, NC 28056

WNC Community Homes (Gastonia)

2250 Baltic Street Gastonia, NC 28054

Community Resources

Programs that provide temporary financial or material assistance to families in need.

Emergency

What it is: Crisis intervention to help people retain self-sufficiency

Department of Social Services – Emergency Assistance

704-862-7500

330 N. Marietta Street Gastonia, NC 28052

8 am to 5 pm, Monday through Friday

Short-term financial assistance to families with children in work-related emergency situation.

Crisis Assistance Ministries (CAM)

704-867-8901

805-B W. Airline Avenue Gastonia, NC 28052

10 am to 2pm, Monday through Friday

Assistance with food, rent, utilities, some transportation, and wood for heating. It is advised to arrive well before 10 am since it is usually very busy.

Gaston Baptist Association

704-867-0905

607 Rankin Lake Road Gastonia, NC 28052

9 am to 11:30 am, Monday through Friday

Food, clothing, medicine, utilities, some transportation, wood for heating.

The Salvation Army

704-867-6145

107 S. Broad Street Gastonia, NC 28052

Food, clothing, rent, utilities, medicine.

St. Michaels Catholic Church

704-867-6212

708 St. Michael Lane Gastonia, NC 28052

St. Vincent de Paul Ministry – 704-864-3867

1111 S. York Street Gastonia, NC 28052

10 am to 1pm, Wednesday/Thursday/Friday

Utilities, food, clothing, household items, etc.

St. Michael's Thrift Store – 704-864-8646

10 am to 4:45 pm, Tuesday through Saturday

Resale store for clothing, all types of household items, and more. Collaborates with other county agencies.

Belmont Community Organization

704-825-4526

91 E. Catawba Street Belmont, NC 28012

9am to 1pm, Monday through Friday

Food, clothing, medicine, heat, household items. Serves the greater Belmont area.

Bessemer City Crisis Center

704-629-2147

111 N. 12th Street Bessemer City, NC 28016

9 am to 1:30 pm, Monday through Friday

Food, rental assistance, utilities, medicine, fuel, and clothing. Open to Bessemer City residents only.

Cherryville Area Ministries

704-435-3816

212 N. Mountain Street Cherryville, NC 28021

10 am to 4 pm, Monday through Friday

Clothing, food boxes, utilities, medicine, and rent. Open to Cherryville residents only.

The Promised Land

704-400-1411

1601 Collinston Drive Gastonia, NC 28052

Counseling, support programs, clothing, and hot meals. By appointment only.

Crisis Pregnancy Center

704-868-4656 or 704-867-3706