



Helping People, Changing Lives, Building Families

Georgia Community Action Association*

www.georgiacaa.org

(go to the website and select "contact us" and then select the member agency location near where you live)

Childcare:

Provides affordable day care for children of low-income families and individuals who are working, in school, or enrolled in job training programs.

Emergency Assistance:

Targeted toward families facing crisis situations, case management activities work to meet immediate needs and focus on long term solutions to prevent further crisis. CAAs also stand ready to respond in times of disaster such as tornados, hurricanes, and floods.

Family Support:

Strong and healthy families are the key to strong and healthy communities. Community programs are developed in collaboration with local social service providers, potential consumers, private sector and civic organizations, and local government officials.

Head Start:

Georgia Community Action Agencies sponsored many of the first Head Start programs more than 40 years ago. Today, CAAs enroll more than two-thirds of the children in Georgia's Head Start Programs.

Transportation:

Coordinated agency transportation networks make it possible to transport participants to a variety of programs throughout the day.

Nutrition:

Temporary Emergency Food Assistance Program: The "commodities" program. CAAs provide eligibility determination, storage, and distribution of USDA surplus commodities.

Food Pantries: In many counties CAAs operate food pantries, in others, CAAs work in collaboration with local church pantries, DFCS, and other community resources to ensure that families receive the food that they need.

Senior Nutrition Services: Provides home-delivered and congregate meals to Georgia's seniors.

* Certain services listed may not be provided by all of Georgia's 21 Community Action Agencies (CAAs).

* In addition to the sampling of services listed, each CAA operates programs not listed here that are designed to meet needs specific to its area. These programs cover a wide range of needs from housing grants and loans to parenting classes. Contact your local CAA for details on their service offerings.

Member Agencies

1 - ACTION, Inc.

594 Oconee Street
P.O. Box 1072
Athens, GA 30603-1072
Phone: 706-546-8293
Fax: 706-546-9180
John Scoggins, Interim Executive Director - call for e-mail

Counties served:

Barrow, Clarke, Elbert, Greene, Jackson, Madison, Morgan, Oconee, Oglethorpe, Walton

2 - Central Savannah River Area Economic Opportunity Authority, Inc.

1261 Greene Street
P.O. Box 10104
Augusta, GA 30903-2704
Phone: 706-722-0493
Fax: 706-722-8565
Gloria B. Lewis, Executive Director
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<http://www.csraeoa.org/>

Counties served:

Burke, Columbia, Emanuel, Glascock, Jefferson, Jenkins, Lincoln, McDuffie, Richmond, Screven, Taliaferro, Warren, Wilkes

3 - Clayton County Community Services Authority, Inc.

1000 Main Street
P.O. Box 1808
Forest Park, GA 30298-1808
Phone: 404-363-0575
Fax: 404-361-8395
Charles W. Grant, Executive Director
revcwg@aol.com
<http://www.claytoncountycsa.org>

Counties served:

Clayton, Fayette, and Henry

4 - Coastal Georgia Area Community Action Authority, Inc.

1 Community Action Drive
P.O. Box 2016
Brunswick, GA 31521
Phone: 912-264-3281
Fax: 912-265-7444
Leonard Dawson, Executive Director
ldawson@cgacaa.org
<http://www.cgacaa.org>

Counties served:

Bryan, Camden, Glynn, Liberty, McIntosh

7 - Concerted Services, Inc.

2100 Riverside Drive
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Waycross GA, 31502-1965
Phone: 912-285-6083
Fax: 912-285-6288
Ophelia Gaines, Executive Director
okg912@yahoo.com
<http://www.concertedservices.org>

Counties served:

Appling, Atkinson, Bacon, Brantley, Charlton, Clinch, Coffee, Effingham, Evans, Long, Pierce, Toombs, Tattnall, Ware, Wayne

8 - Economic Opportunity Authority for Savannah-Chatham County Area

618 West Anderson Street
P.O. Box 1353
Savannah, GA 31402-1353
Phone: 912-238-2960
Fax: 912-238-2977
John Finney, Executive Director
johnf@eoasga.org
<http://www.eoasga.org>

Counties served: Chatham only

9 - Enrichment Services Program, Inc.

900 Linwood Boulevard
P.O. Box 788
Columbus, GA 31902-1788
Phone: 706-649-1600
Fax: 706-649-1603
Belva Dorsey, Executive Director
espexdir@knology.net
<http://www.enrichmentservices.org>

Counties served:

Chattahoochee, Clay, Harris, Muscogee, Quitman, Randolph, Stewart, Talbert

10 - Fulton Atlanta Community Action Authority, Inc.

1690 Chantilly Drive N.E.
Atlanta, GA 30324
Phone: 404-320-0166
Fax: 404-320-9866
Joyce Dorsey, Executive Director
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<http://www.facaa.org>

Counties served: Fulton only

14 - Ninth District Opportunity, Inc.

308 Spring Street
P.O. Box Drawer L
Gainesville, GA 30503
Phone: 770-532-3191
Fax: 770-534-0548
Janice Riley, Executive Director
janice.riley@ndo.org
<http://www.ndo.org>

Counties served:

Banks, Barrow, Dawson, Elbert, Forsyth, Franklin, Habersham, Hall, Hart, Jackson, Lumpkin, Madison, Oglethorpe, Rabun, Stephens, Towns, Union, White

15 - North Georgia Community Action, Inc.

1344 Talking Rock Road
P.O. Box 760
Jasper, GA 30142-0760
Phone: 706-692-5644
Fax: 706-692-2804
Jonathan D. Ray, Executive Director
call for e-mail
<http://www.careerdepot.org/ngca.htm>

Counties served:

Catoosa, Chattooga, Cherokee, Dade, Fannin, Gilmer, Murray, Pickens, Walker, Whitfield

16 - Overview, Inc.

120 South Jefferson Street
P.O. Box 693
Milledgeville, GA 31061
Phone: 478-453-4111
Fax: 478-453-2136
Vickie G. Gunn, Executive Director
vggunn@alltel.net
<http://www.overviewinc.com>

Counties served:

Baldwin, Hancock, Jasper, Johnson, Putnam, Wilkinson, Washington

17 - Partnership for Community Action, Inc.

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Decatur, GA 30032
Phone: 404-929-2500
Fax: 404-508-9330
Mohammad Saleem, President/CEO
call for e-mail
<http://www.pcaction.org/>
Counties served:
DeKalb, Gwinnett, Newton, Rockdale

5 - Coastal Plain Area Economic Opportunity Authority, Inc.

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Valdosta, GA 31602
Phone: 229-244-7860
Fax: 229-245-7885
Patricia A. Smith, Executive Director
psmith@coastalplain.org
<http://www.coastalplaineoa.org>

Counties served:

Ben Hill, Berrien, Brooks, Cook, Echols, Irwin, Lanier, Lowndes, Tift, Truner

6 - Community Action for Improvement, Inc.

1380 LaFayette Parkway
P.O. Box 1307
LaGrange, GA 30240
Phone: 706-884-2651
Fax: 706-884-2654
Jerome Anderson, Executive Director
janderson@cafi-ga.org
<http://www.cafi-ga.org>

Counties served:

Carroll, Coweta, Harris, Heard, Meriwether, Troup

11 - Heart of Georgia Community Action Council, Inc.

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Eastman, GA 31023
Phone: 478-374-4301
Fax: 478-374-7648
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<http://www.mgcaa.org>

Counties served:

Bleckley, Dodge, Laurens, Montgomery, Pulaski, Telfair, Treutlen, Wheeler, Wilcox

12 - Macon-Bibb County Economic Opportunity Council, Inc.

653 Second Street, Second Floor
Macon, GA 31201
Phone: 478-738-3240
Fax: 478-738-3258
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Counties served: Bibb only

13 - Middle Georgia Community Action Agency, Inc.

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Warner Robins, GA 31099-2286
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Counties served:

Butts, Crawford, Houston, Jones, Lamar, Monroe, Peach, Pike, Spalding, Twiggs, Upson

18 - Southwest Georgia Community Action Council, Inc.

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Moultrie, GA 31776-3728
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Counties served:

Baker, Calhoun, Colquitt, Decatur, Dougherty, Early, Grady, Lee, Marion, Miller, Mitchell, Schley, Seminole, Sumter, Terrell, Thomas, Webster, Worth

19 - Tallatoona Community Action Partnership, Inc.

P.O. Box 1480
Cartersville, GA 30120
Phone: 770-382-5388
Fax: 770-387-4302
Deborah L. Schmell, Executive Director
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<http://www.tallatoonacap.org>

Counties served:

Bartow, Cobb, Douglas, Floyd, Gordon, Haralson, Paulding, Polk

20 - West Central Georgia Community Action Authority, Inc.

Highway 90 East
P.O. Box 185
Montezuma, GA 31063
Phone: 478-472-3607
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Cynthia F. Brown, Executive Director
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Counties served:

Crisp, Dooly, Macon, Marion, Schley, Sumter, Taylor, Webster

21 - Concerted Services, Inc.

111 Medical Arts Drive
Reidsville, GA 30453
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Fax: 912-557-3004
www.concertedservice.org

Counties served:

Appling, Bulloch, Candler, Effingham, Evans, Jeff Davis, Long, Tattnall, Toombs