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Southern Georgia's 18-County Area

Regional Allied Health Resource Guide



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Post Secondary Schools



ABAC

2802 Moore Hwy
Tifton, GA 31793
(800) 733-3653

www.abac.edu

- Health Educator
- Nursing Assistant
- Registered Nurse

South Georgia State College

Douglas Campus
100 West College Park Drive
Douglas, GA 31533
(912) 260-04200

www.sgsc.edu

- Registered Nurse
- Associate Science, Nursing

Waycross Campus
2001 South Georgia Parkway
Waycross, GA 31503
(912) 449-7600

www.sgsc.edu

- Registered Nurse - BSN

VSU Entry Program for SCSC

1500 Patterson Street
Valdosta, GA 31698
(912) 260-4660

www.valdosta.edu

- LPN to RN Bridge Program

Valdosta State University

1500 North Patterson St.
Valdosta, GA 31698
(229) 260-4200

www.valdosta.edu

- Counselor
- Dental Hygienist
- Exercise Physiologist
- Healthcare Administrator
- Health Educator
- Health Sciences Librarian
- Nurse Practitioner
- Registered Nurse
- Social Worker
- Speech-Language Pathologist



Post Secondary Schools cont...



Coastal Pines Technical College

1700 Carswell Avenue
Waycross, GA 31503
(912) 287-6584
www.coastalpines.edu

Alma Campus

101 West 17th St.
Alma, GA 31510
(912) 632-0951

- Biomedical Equipment Technician
- Clinical Laboratory Technician
- Dental Assistant
- Emergency Medical Technician
- Licensed Practical Nurse
- Massage Therapist
- Medical Assistant
- Medical Coder
- Medical Secretary
- Medical Transcriptionist
- Paramedic
- Pharmacy Technician
- Phlebotomist
- Radiologic Technologist
- Respiratory Therapist
- Surgical Technologist

Southern Regional Technical College

52 Tech Drive
Tifton, GA 31794
(229) 391-2600
www.southernregional.edu

- Biomedical Equipment Technician
- Cardiovascular Technologist
- Clinical Laboratory Technician
- Emergency Medical Technician
- Health Information Technician
- Licensed Practical Nurse
- Massage Therapist
- Medical Assistant
- Medical Coder
- Medical Secretary
- Medical Transcriptionist
- Nursing Assistant
- Paramedic
- Phlebotomist
- Radiologic Technologist
- Registered Nurse
- Respiratory Therapist
- Surgical Technologist
- Veterinary Technician



Post Secondary Schools cont...



Wiregrass Technical College

Main Campus
2089 Val Tech Road
Valdosta, GA 31602
(229) 333-2100
www.wiregrass.edu

Ben Hill-Irwin Campus
667 Perry House Road
Fitzgerald, GA 31750
(229) 468-2000

Coffee Campus
706 West Baker Hwy
Douglas, GA 31533
(912) 389-4303

Cook County Center
1676 North Elm Street
Sparks, GA 31647
(229) 549-7830


Other Locations: Lakeland, Moody AFB,
Nashville, Ocilla, Pearson, Quitman, Rochelle,
Statenville

Career Pathways Available

- Dental Assistant
- Dental Hygienist
- Emergency Medical Technician
- Health Information Technician
- Licensed Practical Nurse
- Massage Therapist
- Medical Assistant
- Medical Coder
- Medical Secretary
- Medical Transcriptionist
- Nursing Assistant
- Optician
- Paramedic
- Pharmacy Technician
- Phlebotomist
- Radiologic Technologist
- Registered Nurse
- Surgical Technologist



Area Health Educational Center (AHEC)

 A partnership coordinated by Augusta University, the Georgia Statewide AHEC Network is a complex, multi-disciplinary effort which responds to the problems of health professionals supply and distribution in rural and underserved areas of the state.

Since 1984, the Georgia Statewide AHEC Network has represented a growing partnership of health providers, health professions students, educators, state agencies, and communities joined together with a commitment to resolve these problems through educational support to health professionals in the field, both as students and as practitioners. <https://www.augusta.edu/ahec/>

Network Program Goals

- **RECRUIT:** educate community members about health career choices and recruit future health professionals
- **TRAIN:** facilitate community based clinical training experiences for students and residents.
- **RETAIN:** provide education and resources to assist and support health care professionals.

- AHEC has a Statewide Network in Georgia
- Devoted to growing healthcare careers in Georgia
- Details multifaceted trends within the healthcare system with dual degree programs, training models, social determinants and more
- In-depth information regarding financial aid opportunities for each degree
- Displays educational guides where each healthcare career can begin
- Complete list of hospitals and healthcare systems in Georgia
- Details about each of the 80+ health careers available including median salaries and hot careers through 2016 with downloadable book at info@sowega-ahec.org
- Provides a cross reference list of the Georgia Academic institutions and health career programs offered from certificate to doctorate degrees



AHEC cont...



Southwest Georgia (SOWEGA) AHEC

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(Atkinson, Bacon, Ben Hill, Berrien, Brooks, Coffee, Cook, Clinch, Echols, Irwin, Lanier, Lowndes, Tift & Turner Counties)

Magnolia Coastlands AHEC

P. O. Box 8146

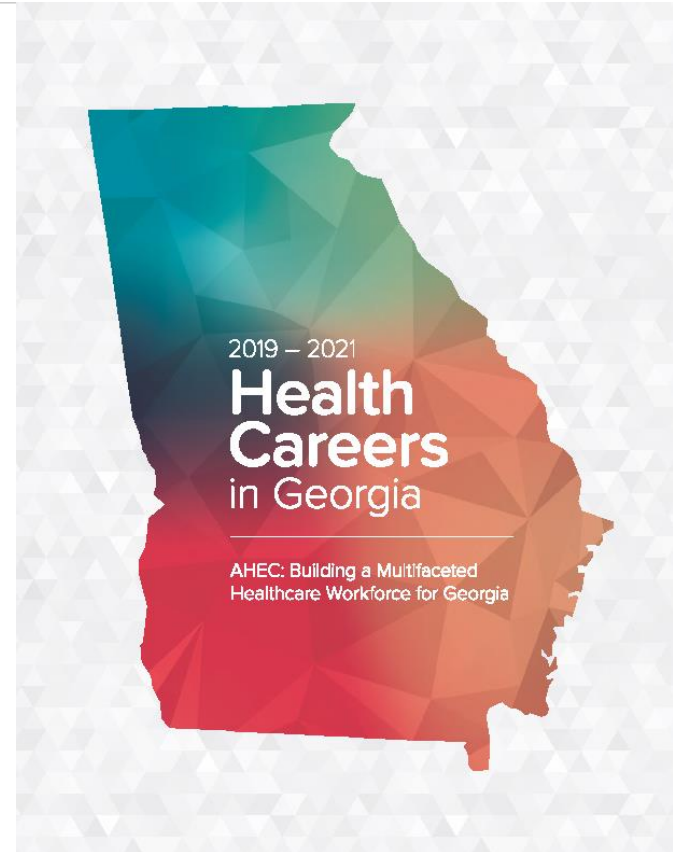
Statesboro, Georgia 30460

Jane Nester, Director

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(Brantley, Charlton, Pierce & Ware Counties)



Atkinson County



Atkinson County Development Authority

President, Trevor Carter – tannerins@gmail.com

Atkinson County Schools

Pearson Elementary - Principal, Jarred Morris (912) 422-3267

Willacoochee Elementary – Principal, Susan Garrity (912) 534-5302

Middle – Principal, Anthony Davis (912) 422-3267

High School – Principal, Shane Miller (912) 422-3267

CTAE Director – Mindy Smith, Director (Human Services) 422-3267

Mike Martinez, Healthcare

South Central Family Medicine – R.B. Tucker, CEO (229) 468-9166 rtucker@scpccga.org

Greg Hendley, HR Manager (229) 392-1795 ghendley@scpccga.org

Atkinson County Family Connection – Jennifer Brown (912) 389-6012 atkinsonfc@gmail.com



Bacon County



Chamber of Commerce

President – Christa Gibson (912) 632-5859 almabaconchamber@gmail.com

Bacon County Development Authority

Executive Director, Kevin Ellis (912) 632-1800 kevinellis@atc.cc

Bacon County Schools

Primary – Principal, Marcy Chancey (912) 632-4765 marcy.chancey@bcraiders.com

Elementary – Principal, Dr. Darrell Ellis (912) 632-4133 darrell.ellis@bcraiders.com

Middle – Principal, Charlie Powell (912) 632-4662 charlie.powell@bcraiders.com

Assistant Principal, Tonya Johnson

High School – Principal, Traci Martin (912) 632-4414 traci.martin@bcraiders.com

CTAE Director – Clinton Johnson, (912) 632-4414 ext. 1111 clinton.johnson@bcraiders.com

Bacon County Hospital - Kerry McLaughlin, H.R. Director (912) 632-8961

Miranda Barnes, Director of Nursing

Debbie Spivey, Public Relations

Kym Anderson, Community Care Center

Personal Care & Nursing Homes

Twin Oaks Convalescent Center – Terri Lee (912) 632-7293

Community Health Center – Pam Lee (912) 632-6649

Bacon County Family Connection

Kim Vickers, Executive Director (912) 632-4414 kvalma@aol.com



Ben Hill County



Chamber of Commerce

Melissa Dark, Executive Director (229) 423-9357 melissa.dark@fitzchamber.net

Development Authority jasondunn@developfitzgeraldbenhill.com

Ben Hill County Schools

Preschool – Principal, Jaquetta Brown (229) 409-5598

Primary – Principal, Ben Webb (229) 409-5592

Elementary – Principal, James Sirmans (229) 409-5586

Middle – Principal, Dr. Tracy Barnes (229) 409-5578 tracy.barnes@benhillschools.org

CTAE – Business & Careers, Nicole Menge - nicole.menge@benhillschools.org

College & Careers, Rose Smith

High School – Principal, Dawn Clements (229) 409-5530 dawn.clements@benhillschools.org

CTAE Director, Mark Sutton (229) 409-5500 mark.sutton@benhillschools.org

Health/Sciences – Payton Dix and Allison Nicolelli

Work-Based Learning Coordinator & Pathway Instructor, Sara Stuart (229) 409-5569
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Dorminy Medical Center - Holley Lee, PR/Marketing (229) 424-7107 hlee@dorminymedical.org

South Central Women's Health &

Kids Health Fitzgerald – R. B. tucker, CEO (229) 468-9166 rtucker@scpccga.org

Greg Hendley, HR Manager, (229) 392-1795 ghendley@scpccga.org

Personal Care & Nursing Homes

Harris House, Inc. - Allen & Joanna Johnson (229) 423-4810

Heritage Healthcare of Fitzgerald - Chris Kite (229) 423-4361

Life Care Center - Marcie Smith (229) 423-5621

Ben Hill Family Connection - Christine Graham, Executive Director (229) 457-4109 benhillfc@mchsi.com



Berrien County



Chamber of Commerce

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Berrien County Program & Economic Development

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Berrien County Schools

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Elementary – Principal, Tim Hughes (229) 686-2939

Life Skills Teacher, Rebecca Moore rebecca.moore@berrien.k12.ga.us

Primary – Principal, Nicole Richbourg (229) 686-7438 nicole.richbourg@berrien.k12.ga.us

Academic Coach, Michelle Epps

Middle – Principal, Margo Mathis (229) 686-2021 margo.mathis@berrien.k12.ga.us

Business Education Teacher, Ann Morris

High School – Principal, Angie Lovein (229) 686-7428 angie.lovein@berrien.k12.ga.us

CTAE – Brenna Taylor, Director (229) 686-7428 ext. 6706 brenna.taylor@berrien.k12.ga.us

Health Occupations, Deree Nix

SGMC Berrien Campus - Administrator, Richard Dwozan (229) 433-8600

Human Resources (229) 259-4412

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Greg Hendley, HR Manager, (229) 392-1795 ghendley@scpccga.org

Personal Care & Nursing Homes

Berrien Nursing & Rehabilitation Center - Amy Bostic (229) 543-7335

Fellowship Home - Scarlet Holt (229) 686-2543

Berrien County Family Connections - Sara Paulk, Executive Director (229) 686-6576 spaulk@fccisberrien.org



Brantley County



Chamber of Commerce

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Brantley County Development Authority

Interim Executive Director, Mel Baxter (912) 462-6275 bcdevau@btconline.net

Brantley County Schools

Nahunta Primary – Principal, Brandon Carter (912) 462-5179

Waynesville Primary – Principal, Dr. Adrian Thompson (912) 778-3068

Atkinson Elementary – Principal, Dr. Lori Anne Lee (912) 778-6098 lorianne.lee@brantley.k12.ga.us

Hoboken Elementary – Principal, Stephanie Boyd (912) 458-3250

Nahunta Elementary – Principal, Kathy Brooker (912) 462-5166

Middle School – Principal, Christopher Harris (912) 462-7092

Assistant Principal, Marcia Chesser

CTAE (Healthcare Science/HOSA) Tyler Page

High School – Principal, Ben Horner (912) 462-5121

CTAE –Celia Horne, Director (912) 462-5121

Health Science & HOSA – Stephanie Grant

Bay View Nursing Home (Nahunta) - Mary Lou Waldron (229) 462-6044

McKinney Community Health Center - Ola Smith, CEO (912) 462-6222

Brantley County Family Connection - Laura Kelly, Executive Director (229) 462-5979 bcfc@btconline.net



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Chamber of Commerce

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Brooks County Development Authority

Director, Tiffany Holmes (229) 263-9085 tholmes@brookscoda.com

Brooks County Schools

Brooks County Early Learning Center – Principal, Mrs. Sam Harden (229) 588-2350

North Brooks Elementary – Principal, Tara Demps Moss (229) 588-2344

Quitman Elementary – Principal, Cisco Diaz (229) 588-2343

Middle – Principal, Christine Freeman (229) 588-2342

Assistant Principal, Derrick Jenkins

High School – Principal, Chris Chastain (229) 588-2341 cchastain@brooks.k12.ga.us

Delta Innovative School – Principal, Lamar Thomas (229) 263-7531

Brooks County Hospital/Archbold

J. Perry Mustian, CEO (229) 263-6310

Chief Nursing Officer – Amy Griffin (229) 228-2956

VP of Planning & Marketing – Mark Lowe (229) 548-5520

Personal Care & Nursing Homes

Presbyterian Home - Amanda Phillips (229) 263-6100

Dry Lake Personal Care Home - Clara Cobb (229) 263-1532

Hilltop Personal Care Home - Susie Cooper Kier (229) 263-6513

Presbyterian Home & Retirement Community - Amanda Phillips (229) 263-6129

Brooks County Family Connection - Natalie Singletary, Executive Director (229) 263-6642

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Charlton County



Chamber of Commerce

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Development Authority

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Charlton County Schools

St. George Elementary – Principal, Dr. Drew Sauls (912) 843-2383

Folkston Elementary – Principal, Michael Walker (912) 496-7369

Bethune Middle School – Principal, Danny McCoy (912) 496-2360

High School – Principal, Joshua Howard (912) 496-2501

CNA Teacher – Breanna Knowles – breannaknowles@charlton.k12.ga.us

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Genesis Healthcare at Folkston Park – Glenn Wright (912) 496-7396

Charlton County Family Connection – Carla Rodeffer, Coordinator (912) 276-0394
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Clinch County



Chamber of Commerce

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Clinch County Development Authority

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Clinch County Schools

Elementary/Middle School – Principal, Jerri Lynn Spivey (912) 487-5385

High School – Principal, Denise Brown (912) 487-5366

CTAE Director – Carra Goodman (912) 487-5366

Clinch Memorial Hospital

CEO – Angela Ammons (912) 487-5211, ext. 4348

Director of Nursing – Kellie Register (912) 487-5211, ext. 4250

Clinch Healthcare – Victoria Wilkerson (229) 487-5328

Clinch County Family Connection Collaborative – Tina Smith, Coordinator (912) 483-0475 tsmith@okrls.org

Coffee County



Chamber of Commerce

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Douglas-Coffee Economic Development

John Henry, President (912) 384-1873 jhenry@douglasga.org

Coffee County Schools

Ambrose Elementary – Principal, Dr. Mary Vickers, (912) 383-4100

Broxton-Mary Hayes Elementary – Principal, Allyson Speight (912) 359-2391

Eastside Elementary – Principal, Christina Taylor (912) 384-3187

Indian Creek Elementary – Principal, Tamara Morgan (912) 384-2602

Nicholls Elementary – Principal, Lori Bratcher (912) 345-2429

Satilla Elementary – Principal, Lee Mobley (912) 384-2602

West Green Elementary – Principal, Anne Peterson (912) 384-2032

Westside Elementary – Principal, Wendy Jowers (912) 384-5506

Middle School – Principal, Sherri Berry (912) 720-1011

Assistant Principal, Chanc Logue

Family & Consumer Science, Tara Carver

Career Awareness, Courtney Shealy

George Washington Freshman Campus – Principal, Abe Morris (912) 384-1342

CTAE – Antoinette Chunn-Cummings

High School - Principal, Dr. Rowland Cummings rowland.cummings@coffee.k12.ga.us

CTAE Director – Brad Riner, (912) 389-6598 brad.riner@coffee.k12.ga.us

Healthcare Science – Angela Davis (912) 389-6628

Wiregrass Regional & College Academy – Principal, Pam Smith

YCarte' Health Career Center - Dr. Tracy McClelland (912) 384-8680

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Coffee Regional Medical Center - President/CEO – Vicki Lewis (912) 384-1900
Vice President Human Resources – Dawn Garrett
Vice President Nursing - Sue Lane Hughes
Vice President Organization & Improvement – Peggy Kirkland

**Douglas Family Health,
Douglas Kids Health,
Psychiatric & Counseling Services of Coffee County**

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Greg Hendley, HR Manager, (229) 392-1795 ghendley@scpccga.org

Vista Park Health and Rehabilitation - Laura Sears (912) 384-7811
Oxton Place of Douglas - Wayne Gober (912) 384-6522
Southern Senior Living - Beth Harper (912) 383-9883

Coffee County Family Connection - April Thomason, Coordinator (912) 384-2086
april.thomason@coffee.k12.ga.us



Cook County

Chamber of Commerce

Heather Green, President (229) 896-2281 heather.green@adelcookchamber.org



Cook County Economic Development Commission

Lisa Collins, Executive Director (229) 896-2575 lisacollins@cookcountyedc.com

Cook County Schools

Cook Primary – Principal, Mr. Leslie Folsom (229) 549-7715
Cook Elementary – Principal, Gabe Hammock (229) 549-6250
Middle School – Principal, Russell Meadows (229) 549-5999
High School – Principal, Eric McFee (229) 896-2213
CTAE Director, Richard Hamm

Cook Medical Center – THRS – Administrator, Michael Purvis (229) 896-8000
Indera Ramphel-Harrod, Chief HR Officer (229) 896-8000

Lenox Family Medicine – R.B. Tucker, CEO (229) 468-9166 rtucker@scpccga.org
Greg Hendley, HR Manager, (229) 392-1795 ghendley@scpccga.org

Personal Care & Nursing Homes

Cook Senior Living Center – Christina Hayes (229) 896-8157
New Haven – Cathy Shaw (229) 896-7669
Mary's Haven Personal Care Home – Corey Mackie (229) 896-4760
Southern Senior Retirement & Assisted Living – Todd & Angie Griffin (229) 896-2040

Cook County Family Connections – Zoe Myers, Executive Director (229) 549-7976
zmyers@cookcountyfamilyconnection.org

Echols County



Echols County Schools

Elementary/Middle School – Principal, Lee Zamora
(229) 559-5413

High School – Principal, David Rosser (229) 559-5437

CTAE Director, David Rosser
(Agriculture & Culinary Arts)

HS Science Teacher – Burt Copeland

Echols County Family Connection – Sylvia Tefft, Coordinator
(229) 559-6958 echolsfc@gmail.com

Irwin County



Ocilla-Irwin County Chamber of Commerce & Industrial Authority

Cathy Stott, President/CEO (229) 468-9114 cathy@ocillachamber.net

Irwin County Schools

Elementary – Principal, Holly Tucker (229) 468-9476

Middle School – Principal, Edd Cunningham (229) 468-5517

High School – Principal, Scott Haskins (229) 468-9421

Family/Consumer Science Teacher – Denise Hamby

Irwin County Hospital – Administrator, Mel Pyne (229) 468-3866

Director of Nursing – Stacie Mims

Irwin Family Medicine,

Kids Health Ocilla,

South Central Health and Wellness Center

R. B. Tucker, CEO, (229) 468-9166 rtucker@scpccga.org

Greg Hendley, HR Manager, (229) 392-1795 ghendley@scpccga.org

Personal Care & Nursing Homes

Paleman-Gaskins Memorial Nursing Home – Christy Sheffield (229) 468-3890

PruittHealth, Ocilla – Denise Bowen (229) 468-9431

Heritage Home Care – Alma Thomas (229) 468-7174

Irwin County Family Connection – Laverne McConico, Executive Director (229) 468-9719

mcconicol@irwin.k12.ga.us

Lanier County



Chamber of Commerce/Development Authority of Lanier County

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Lanier County Schools

Primary – Principal, Lynn Vickers (229) 482-3580

Elementary – Principal, Jennifer Whilden (229) 482-3870

Middle School – Principal, Rhonda Rodgers (229) 482-8247 rroddgers@lanier.k12.ga.us

High School – Principal, Reada Hamm (229) 482-3868 reada.hamm@lanier.k12.ga.us

CTAE – Sylvia Ragan, Coordinator sylvia.ragan@lanier.k12.ga.us

Leigh Hendley, Healthcare Instructor

SGMC, Lanier Campus – Letitia Wood, Director of Human Resources (229) 482-8539

Personal Care & Nursing Homes

SGMC, Lakeland Villa – Jordan Milne (229) 482-8598

Lake Erma Assisted Living – Sharon Roberson (229) 482-8164

Sirmons Personal Care Home – Arthur Sirmons (229) 482-9675

Lanier Commission for Children Youth and Families, Inc. – Amy Lollis, Executive Director (229) 563-3606
lanierfamcom@gmail.com



Lowndes County



Valdosta-Lowndes County Chamber of Commerce

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Lake Park Chamber of Commerce

Kathy Walker, President (229) 559-5302 lpacocv@bellsouth.net

Valdosta-Lowndes County Development Authority

Andrea Schrujjer, Executive Director (229) 259-9972 aschrujjer@buildlowndes.com

Valdosta City Schools

J. L. Lomax Elementary – Principal, Dr. L. McCrae (229) 333-8520

Pinevale Elementary – Principal, Royce Thomas (229) 333-8535

Sallas Mahone – Assistant Principal, April Ward (229) 333-8530

Academic Coach, Bille Page bpage@gocats.org

S. L. Mason Elementary – Principal, Kevin Daw (229) 333-8525

Academic Coach, April Doyle adoyle@gocats.org

W. G. Nunn – Principal, Wade Beale (229) 333-8575

Academic Coach, Ashlee Haynes ahaynes@gocats.org

Amy Law alaw@gocats.org

Valdosta Middle School – Principal, Beth DeLoach (229) 333-8555

STEM, Cody Moncrief cmoncrief@gocats.org

Healthcare Science, Derrith McQuaig dmcquaig@gocats.org

Valdosta Early College Academy – Principal, Mae McKinney (229) 671-8455

High School – Principal, Janice Richardson (229) 333-8534

Health Sciences Teacher – Sonja Guilbeau sguilbeau@gocats.org

Public Relations Director – Jennifer Steedley (229) 671-6065 jsteedley@gocats.org

Other – Joyce Dean (229) 333-8540 jdean@gocats.org

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Lowndes County Schools

Clyattville Elementary – Principal Tenry Berry (229) 316-8602
Dewar Elementary – Principal, Katie Chappuis (229) 219-1370
Hahira Elementary – Principal, Iris Mathis (229) 316-8600
Lake Park Elementary – Principal, Julie Klein (229) 316-8603
Moulton-Branch Elementary – Principal, Debra Brantley (229) 245-2294
Pine-Grove Elementary – Principal, Al Swilley (229) 245-2297
Westside Elementary – Principal, Beth Lind (229) 245-2289
Hahira Middle – Principal, Stacy Dickey (229) 316-8601
Lowndes County Middle – Principal, Bill Haskin (229) 245-2280
Pine Grove Middle – Principal, Ivy Smith (229) 219-3234
High School – Principal, LeAnne McCall (229) 245-2260
CTAE Healthcare Science – Brooks Johnson brooks.johnson@lowndes.k12.ga.us
Work Based Learning – Jason Van Nus
Other – John Newton – (229) 834-3719 johnnewton@lowndes.k12.ga.us

South Georgia Medical Center

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Northside Family Health Center – R. B. Tucker, CEO, (229) 468-9166 rtucker@scpccga.org
Greg Hendley, HR Manager, (229) 392-1795 ghendley@scpccga.org

Personal Care Homes

Baptist Village Lake Park – Ansonya Christian (229) 559-1182
Carolyn's II – Carolyn Ryan (229) 561-1704
Carter Country Home – Clara Carter (229) 559-8924
Fellowship Home – George Lahood (229) 244-9200
Golden Retreat – Elaine Vanbrackle (229) 549-7790
Golden Services Personal Care Home – Angie Roundtree (229) 671-9020
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Personal Care Homes continued...

Greenleaf Center – Lance Wilcher (229) 247-4357
Langdale Place – Jan Brice (229) 247-4300
Madear's Place – Theresa Patterson (229) 232-2084
TMH Home and Wellness – Alice McCloud (229) 300-2626

Nursing Home Facilities

Heritage Healthcare at Crestwood – Parshu Herring (229) 247-9336
Heritage Healthcare at Holly Hill – Cheryl Coleman (229) 244-6968
Heritage Healthcare at Lakehaven – Tina Hancock (229) 244-4630
Heritage Healthcare of Valdosta – Barry Audain (229) 247-6660

SGMC Outpatient Plaza (229) 433-8000

Lowndes/Valdosta Commission for Children & Youth (Family Connections) – Seth Brown (229) 671-8462
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Pierce County

Chamber of Commerce

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Pierce County Industrial Development Authority

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City of Blackshear Main Street & Economic Development

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Pierce County Schools

Blackshear Elementary – Principal, Dee Treadwell (912) 449-2088

Midway Elementary – Principal, Walker Todd (912) 807-0084

Patterson Elementary – Principal, Teresa Dixon (912) 647-5373

Middle School – Principal, Perry Tison (912) 449-2077

High School – Principal, Dara Bennett (912) 449-2055

CTAE – Melissa Thomas

Personal Care & Nursing Homes

Harborview Pierce County Nursing Home - Administrator, Sharon McPherson (912) 449-6631

Director of Nursing, Melinda Rozier mrozier@harborviewhs.com

Garden View Retirement Assisted Living, Inc. – Amy Rowland (912) 424-8893

Community Resources – Ray Cunningham (912) 647-5776

Pierce County Family Connection – Stephanie Bell, Coordinator (912) 230-7835 piercefc@gmail.com

Tift County



Chamber of Commerce & Development Authority

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Tifton Main Street & Economic Development

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Tift County Schools

Pre-K Center – Principal, Wanda Veazey (229) 387-2455

Annie Belle Clark Elementary – Principal, Stephanie Morrow (229) 387-2410

Charles Spencer Elementary – Principal, Paul Nelson (229) 387-2430

G. O. Bailey Elementary – Principal, Dr. Jamie Dawson (229) 387-2415

J. T. Reddick Elementary – Principal, Jim Torell (229) 387-2435

Len Lastinger Elementary – Principal, Richard Fisher (229) 387-2420

Matt Wilson Elementary – Principal, Jason Clark (229) 387-2440

Northside Elementary – Principal, Danielle White (229) 387-2425

Omega Elementary – Principal, Jim Byers (229) 387-2418

Eight Street Elementary – Principal, Chad Stone (229) 387-2445

Career Development – Greg Tucker

At Risk Coordinator – Brian Brown

Academic Coach – Julia Gibbs

Healthcare Science – Maegan Story

Northeast Middle School – Principal, Chris Martin (229) 387-2450

Healthcare Science Teacher – Shannon Jones

Careers – Josh Allen

High School – Principal, Kim Seigler (229) 387-2475

CTAE Healthcare – Rebecca Arnold, Lynn Blalock, Amanda Boone, Dena Nelms

CTAE Work-Based Learning – Cassandra Thomas

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