



Addiction Recovery Support Centers

DBHDD in partnership with the Georgia Council on Substance Abuse has been actively impacting Recovery within communities for the past 7 years. GCSA has been supported by DBHDD and federal grants to develop recovery communities across Georgia to address the needs of those in or seeking recovery from substance use disorders.

DBHDD began funding Addiction Recovery Support Centers five years ago and has recently added many new ARSCs for a total of 24 ARSCs across the state.

What is an Addiction Recovery Support Center?

- ✓ A **peer led program** that offers non-clinical activities to support individuals and families on their journey in recovery from substance use disorders
- ✓ The recovery activities are **community-based services** for those in or seeking recovery and their allies
- ✓ Consist of **activities that promote recovery**, self-determination, self-advocacy, well-being, and independence.
- ✓ Activities are individualized, recovery-focused, and based on a relationship that **supports a person's ability to promote their own recovery**
- ✓ Activities include social support, linkage to and coordinating among other service providers, **eliminating barriers to independence and continued recovery**

These ARSCs regularly hold community listening sessions to determine what their communities think will best support recovery and adjust their activities accordingly.

ARSCs also welcome Allies of Recovery, such as family members, friends, and loved ones of people in recovery.

What kinds of services can an Addiction Recovery Support Center offer?

- ✓ Employment assistance
- ✓ Transportation
- ✓ Individual and peer recovery support services
- ✓ Recreational support (Crossfit/Yoga)
- ✓ Prosocial supports
- ✓ Spiritual support
- ✓ Family support
- ✓ Space for independent groups (such as 12 step) to meet
- ✓ Mutual support groups (such as All Recovery) that support multiple pathways to recovery
- ✓ Peers in Emergency Departments

An ARSC is NOT a treatment program. There are no diagnoses, assessments, or payments required for people to participate in the ARSC's activities. People in or seeking recovery may utilize this service before entering recovery and to have support in maintaining their recovery.

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Region	Organization	Address	Point of Contact	Phone #
1	The Mosaic Place	321 West Ave Cedartown, GA 30125	Nikki Kemp	678-246-4174
	LivingProof Recovery	408 Shorter Avenue NW, Rome, GA 30165	Claudia Hamilton	706-204-8710
	The Zone - Davis Direction Foundation	32 Fairground St NE, Marietta, GA 30060	Melissa Owen	678-725-1298
	Lookout Mountain Recovery Support Center	Fort Oglethorpe, GA	Kelley McCahill	706-806-1270
	RCFF - The Connection	608 Veterans Memorial Boulevard Cumming, Georgia 30040	Cat Rosborough	470-253-8564
2	Divas Who Win Freedom Center	160 Tracey St, Athens, GA 30601	Chanda Santana	cell: 404-360-1173 office: 706-850-1575
	Jeffrey Dallas Gay Jr. Recovery Community Center	1050 Elephant Trail, Gainesville, GA 30501	Mary Paglia	678-316-0403
	PLR (Peers Living in Recovery)	745 Prince Avenue Athens, GA 30605	Sharon Denise Taylor	706-850-8858
	River Edge CSB	1080 Second Street, Macon 31201	Shannon Gordon	478-803-7600
3	Navigate Recovery - Safe Harbor	52 Gwinnett Drive, Suite A Lawrenceville, GA 30046	Blake Clark	678-743-1808 ext 112
	Paula Crane Life Enrichment Center	1792 Mt Zion Road, Morrow, GA 30260	Ava Allison	770-473-2647
	The DOOR	4086 Covington Highway Suite H, Decatur, GA 30032	Charles Sperling	678-888-1411
	Peers Empowering Peers	7770 Roswell Rd, Atlanta, GA 30350	Paul Thompson	404-825-6017
	R2ISE	133 Sycamore St, Decatur GA 30030	Alexia Jones	770-885-5306
4	Georgia Pines Recovery Support Center	Thomasville, GA	Robert Hunn	229-225-5208
	OASIS, Inc.	Tifton, GA	Michelle Calhoun	229.402.2649
	Change Center	500 Pine Ave, Albany, GA 31701	Kathryn Newcombe	229-854-9418
5	RISE UP	621 Academy Ave, Dublin Ga 31021	Pamela Ranke	478-353-1188
	Face to Face	189 N Brunswick St, Jesup, GA 31546	Patty Collins	912-321-7337
	The Susan Ford RCO	P.O. Box 745, Statesboro, GA. 30459,	Kacey Gammon	912-764-6906
6	Coweta FORCE	8 Elm Street Newnan Georgia 30263	Hank Arnold	678-763-8129
	Middle Flint Recovery Support Center	415 North Jackson St, P.O. Drawer 1348, Americus, GA 31709	Ramona Price	229-942-1267
	iHOPE	603C Russell Parkway, Warner Robins, GA 31088	Tarusa Stewart	478-225-2895
	Better Living RCO	1727 Boxwood Pl, Columbus, GA 31906	Freda Green	706-569-0727