### Education

- Stepping Out-423-318-0999
- Hamblen Board of Education-423-586-7700
- Hamblen Adult Education- 423-317-1060
- HC EXCEL & HC P-16 & Ready by 6-423-581-5334
- Douglas-Cherokee Education Center-423-581-5420
- Head Start (DCEA)-423-587-4501
- Early Head Start-423-586-7525
- STEP-800-280-7837
- TCAT-423-586-5771
- Walters State Community College-423-585-2600

### Other Services

- Domestic Violence Outreach (McNabb)-865-469-9243
- Lakeway CASA-423-307-5762
- Dewitt Assisted Living-423-585-0544
- Regency Retirement Village-423-581-7075
- Medicaid-800-433-5454
- Medicare-800-447-8477
- Amedisys Home Health-423-586-0106
- Covenant Home Health-423-492-8100
- Interim Home Health-423-587-8771
- Smoky Mtn Home Health-423-581-8140
- UT Home Health-423-586-9291
- Morristown-Hamblen Hospital Main-423-492-9000
- Health Department- 423-586-6431
- TN Voices for Children-800-670-9882
- Summit View Health Services-865-966-3343
- All Care LLC- 423-438-0202
- Home Instead-423-587-5800
- CHOICES-866-836-6678
- Senior Citizens Home Assistance-423-586-2359
- Heritage Center- 423-581-5100
- Life Care Center 423-581-5435
- American Red Cross-423-586-2442
- Habitat for Humanity- 800-422-4828
- Boys and Girls Club Morristown- 423-586-2331
- Girls Incorporated-423-581-4430
- Department of Health-1-877-287-0010
- Department of Intellectual & Developmental Disabilities (DIDD)- 1-888-633-1313
- Department of Mental Health & Substance Abuse Services- 1-866-777-1250

### **Senior Services**

- Senior Citizen Center: 423-581-5166
- ALPS (Adult Day Services)-423-587-9149
- TCAC Community Cares-423-586-7636
- Douglas-Cherokee RSVP-423-318-6912
- **APS-**888-277-8366
- Elder Advocacy-District Long

Term Care Ombudsman-1-800-552-0127

- Samaritan Place (Emergency Senior Shelter): 865-684-1880
- Alzheimer's Tennessee:866-544-6288

## Disability Programs

- Goodwill Industries-423-587-9075
- Hope & Thrive Academy-423-254-3744
- Lakeway Achievement Center: 423-586-2196
- Volunteer Blind Industries-423-586-3922
- TN Department of Vocational Rehabilitation- 423-587-7008
- Social Security Office-800-772-1213

### Clothing, Furniture& Household Assistance

- Central Services-423-586-9431
- Goodwill Industries-423-587-9763
- TCAC Depot-423-586-7636
- Appalachian Ministries (Jeff)- 865-475-5611
- God's Warehouse-423-312-6883
- The Avenue Dream Center-423-231-4719

## Veterans

- Morristown VA Clinic-423-586-9100
- Hamblen VA-Tim Williams-423-586-6830
- TCAC Making Veterans Priority-423-586-7636
- TN Valley Coalition for Homeless-888-556-0791
- Volunteers of America- 865-524-3926
- Veterans Readjustment Counseling-865-633-0000

# MorristownHamblen County CIT Quick Resource Guide



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For any emergency call 911

## Counseling/Treatment Programs

- Alcoholics Anonymous-865-522-9667
- Al-Anon/Alateen-865-525-9040
- Celebrate Recovery: 423-341-3012
- New Hope Recovery IOP (McNabb)-423-581-2411
- Pregnancy Crisis Center: 423-587-2273
- Youth Emergency Shelter: 423-586-7740
- Youth Villages: 423-522-2200
- Cherokee Health Systems: 423-586-5032
- Douglas Cherokee Education Center: 423-581-5420
- Suicide Prevention Line: 800-273-8255 or 988
- Attitude Exchange Company: 423-231-5956
- Camelot Care Center: 423-318-7373
- Joyful Life Counseling: 423-616-0297
- Rescue 180-865-350-2914
- Recovery Navigator 24/7

(McNabb Center)-423-616-4783

- Redirections Youth (IOP McNabb)-423-581-2411 ext 1995
- TN Redline:800-889-9786
- McNabb Center Mental Health- 423-525-8921
- Crisis Stabilization Unit (McNabb):423-273-5599
- Mobile Crisis Triage (McNabb):855-274-7471
- Youth Mobile Crisis(Youth Villages)-866-791-9224
- Sexual Assault Center of East TN- 865-522-7273
- WestCare Foundation- 865-221-8150

# Reporting Abuse

- Hamblen County DCS-423-318-6800
- Adult Protective Services-888-277-8366
- Child Abuse Hotline:877-237-0004
- National Domestic Violence Hotline: 800-799-7233

\*\*\*Remember everyone is a mandated reporter in Tennessee of child abuse and neglect\*\*\*

# **Housing Assistance**

- Central Services: 423-586-9431
- Morristown Housing Authority: 423-586-5115
- DCEA Neighborhood Service Center: 423-587-3076
- ETHRA: 423-587-6511
- Lakeway Area Habitat for Humanity: 423-581-1661
- Energy Assistance (DCEA)-423-318-6938
- Clinch-Powell RC&D Council- 800-814-6355

# Shelters/Housing

- SafeSpace-800-244-5968(DomesticViolence)
- CHIPS-423-388-8281 (Domestic Violence)
- YES (youth)-423-586-7740
- MATS: 423-587-9215
- Samaritan House(Jeff)-865-475-5032
- American Red Cross- 423-586-2442
- Kingswood Home for Children-865-767-2121
- Wears Valley Ranch: 865-429-5437
- Morristown Humane Society (Pets)-423-581-1494

# Transportation

- ETHRA: 423-587-6511
- Lakeway Transit:833-923-0032
- Community Connect Program (Seniors)- 423-318-6912
- Senior Citizen Center-423-581-5166

# Legal Aid

- Legal Aid of East TN- 423-587-4850 (Morristown)
  - (865)637-0484 (Knoxville), (423)928-8311 (Johnson City)
- Disability Law & Advocacy Center- 865-670-2944
- ETHRA Legal Assitance 865-691-2551 ext 4212

### Health

- Central Services-423-586-9431
- Cherokee Health Systems-423-586-5032
- Health Department-423-586-6431
- DHS-423-585-1444
- Helping Hands-423-581-4100
- First Love on Main-423-289-1179 (Dental & Medical)
- Remote Area Medical(RAM)-865-579-1530
- Friends of Hospice-423-586-5284

### Food

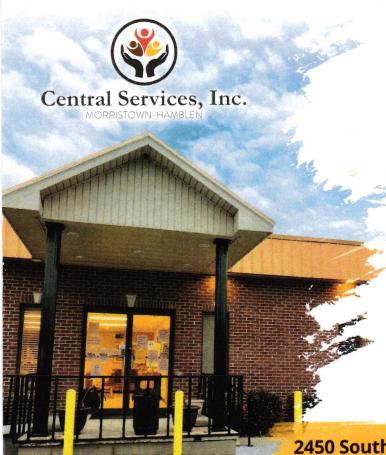
- Central Services- 423-586-9431
- Daily Bread Community Kitchen-423-581-7733
- Food Stamps(DHS)-423-585-1444
- WIC (Health Dept)-423-586-6431
- Meals on Wheels-423-318-6936
- Hilcrest Baptist Church John 3:16-423-586-0693
- HOLA Lakeway-423-621-9065
- Food on Foot- 865-566-5778
- Senior Nutrition Kitchen-423-736-9827
- Neighborhood Service Center-423-587-3076
- The Avenue Dream Center: 423-231-4719

### Jobs

- TCAC Americorps-423-586-7636
- American Job Center-423-317-1060

## Hospice

- Amedisys Hospice-423-587-9484
- Avalon-423-200-5189
- Caris Healthcare-865-453-0321
- Friends of Hospice/Serenity House-423-586-5284
- Smoky Mtn Home Health & Hospice-423-581-8140



# HOW YOU CAN HELP

### **Donate Money**

- Provide direct financial support to the agency.
- Provide indirect financial support through The United Way of Hamblen County.
- · Give memorial donations to any of the programs.

### Donate New & Used Items

- Non-perishable food items.
- Clothing, shoes, household items
- Hygiene items.
- · Furniture and appliances.
- Medical equipment.
- Vehicles and boats.
- · Toys and children's items.

#### **Donate Time**

- Volunteer to work in the food pantry or thrift store.
- Volunteer at Christmas for Holiday Hope Fund.

### **Tell Others**

- Share our vision and needs with your friends and neighbors.
- Support the staff and agency through prayer.

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# YOUR COMMUNITY SAFETY NET

Central Services, Inc. is a non-profit agency that encompasses many different programs that provide financial assistance and crisis intervention counseling. The agency serves as a clearing house and distribution center for other local non-profit agencies. Central Services, Inc. believes that no one chooses a life of poverty and need. By treating people with honesty, respect and genuine concern, our goal is to teach and model positive living and coping skills,

# **OUR PROGRAMS**

- Emergency Food Pantry: Provides an assortment of food to eligible clients.
- Emergency Utility/Fuel Assistance: Works with local utility companies to provide assistance with past due bills for eligible clients.
- Emergency Rent/Mortgage Assistance: Provides assistance with past due bills for eligible clients.
- Emergency Medical Program: Assists with medicine and medical equipment for eligible clients.
- Holiday Hope Fund: Provides Christmas food boxes to families and toys to needy children.
- Hamblen County Travelers Aid: Provides assis-tance with bus fare for a traveler stuck in Hamblen County.
- Hispanic Outreach: Partners with various agencies to provide a Spanish-speaking caseworker for service provision.
- Appalachian Food Recovery: Recovers food from area grocery stores and restaurants to give through the pantry.
- Kiwanis Shoe Program: Provides shoes to school age children in need as identified by teachers.
- Working For Change: Imparts general work skills through a job training program by working in the thrift store

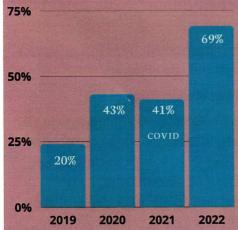
Check out our
Changing Times Thrift Store
www.morristownthriftstore.com

**423.586.9431** Follow us on Facebook!

# Self-Sufficiency Program 2023



# Success Rate



# What is Success?

Success is when a client leaves our program into housing with income that will sustain them each month, and hasn't needed repeat services for at least one year.

# What is our Purpose?

To house individual men, women, and children experiencing homelessness to help clients gain sustainable income and permanent housing. To affect permanent change in a client's situation, you have to go beyond providing the basic need of food, shelter, and clothing.

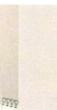
We Identify the client's obstacles and the root cause of their homelessness to develop an individualized success plan.



# We Invest in people - Because they are worth it

Clients learn proper hygiene habits, cleaning skills, how to cook nutritional meals, how to launder their clothing, and generalized character building to help them grow more independent and better at dealing with their problems. The job readiness course introduces the interviewing process, dressing for interviews, preparing for the interview, and conducting mock interviews to give clients greater confidence in gaining employment. We provide budget coaching and evaluate the client's financial health with them, which allows us to empower them with a better understanding of money management and saving techniques to increase their confidence in managing their funds to prevent homelessness again in the future. Working as a team, problem-solving, work ethics, and interpersonal skills are also things we feel are essential for our clients to learn.

This impacts the communities we serve most positively by helping to re-introduce people back into their communities, self-sustaining, and able to give back to their community.



# THE GREATEST GOOD IS WHAT WE DO FOR ONE ANOTHER.

### - MOTHER TERESA

### **MYTH**

MATS won't take someone with a felon

### TRUTH

We take people with felonies as long as it is not sex crime related

### **MYTH**

MATS won't take someone without an ID

### TRUTH

We help them get all of their documents

#### MYTH

All homeless want/need someone's help TRUTH

Many have refused our help because they've been homeless for so long they are not comfortable indoors anymore

### **MYTH**

MATS only serves adults

### TRUTH

MATS serves many families with children

# MATS is a proud agency of the United

# **Eligibility Criteria for MATS**

### Potential clients can be accepted if:

- · They are homeless
- They must pass an initial drug screen. They can initially fail for marijuana/THC, BZO, BAR, and TCA but must pass a random for those items within 30 days.
  - o Our children's safety is paramount, and
  - we are not trained nor staffed to deal with someone in active addiction - we refer them to rehab and desire to be the place they come to upon successfully completing that process.
- They must pass a breathalyzer for alcohol. If they fail the breathalyzer, they can come back in 24 hours. They must be sober to complete the intake process.
- They must be fully able to physically care for themselves (we do not have CNAs on staff)
- They cannot be a registered sex offender, have convictions for, or have a history of sex crimes. (They cannot be around our children)
- They must desire to be in the program and want help.
- MATS will approve admission for un-medicated: anxiety, depression, ADD, ADHD, PTSD -non-violent, Tourette's Disorder, Asperger's Syndrome, and Borderline personality disorder. As long as they do not pose harm or threat to themselves, staff, or other residents.
  - In July 2022 we began a 3-month trial run on allowing those with unmedicated bipolar disorder admittance into the program. We hope to house clients and help them become stabilized without diminishing the safety of our children, other residents, staff, and volunteers.
     Aggressive tendencies will not be permitted until stabilized.
  - All other mental illness disorders must be under a doctor's care and stabilized on prescribed medication for not less than 30 days before admission into the program.

There will be some clients that we cannot serve in our shelter, but we do provide referrals that is best suited to their need.

If you are interesting in supporting MATS, please consider donating or volunteering.





# COMMUNITY RESOURCES FOR HAMBLEN COUNTY

AD	USE
REPORT ANY SUSPECTED ABUSE. IF YOU, O	OR SOMEONE YOU KNOW, IS BEING ABUSED
PHYSICALLY, VERBALLY, MENTALLY, SEXUALLY	Y AND/OR BEING FINANCIALLY EXPLOITED CALL
NC NC	)W,
Adult Protective Services	
Elder Advocacy-District Long Term Care	1-800-552-0127
Ombudsman	005 004 4000
Samaritan Place (Emergency Senior Shelter)	865-684-1880
Domestic Violence Outreach (McNabb Center) 24/7	865-469-9243
Domestic Violence Outreach (McNabb Center) Office	423-273-5599 ext:2104
_akeway CASA	423-307-5762
Child Abuse Hotline	1-877-237-0004
Hamblen County DCS	423-318-6800
Adult D	Day Care
ALPS (Alzheimer's Lakeway Program and Services)	423-587-9149
Alcohol and D	rug Assistance
Recovery Navigators 24/7 (McNabb Center)	423-616-4783
Recovery Navigator Office (McNabb Center)	423-273-5599 ext:3104
New Hope Recovery A&D assessments (McNabb)	423-273-5599 ext:1005
New Hope Recovery Adult IOP (McNabb Center)	423-273-5599 ext:1623
Redirections Youth IOP (McNabb Center)	423-273-5599 ext:1995
TN Redline	1-800-889-9789
Assiste	ed Living
Dewitt Assisted Living	423-585-0544
Regency Retirement Village	423-581-7075
Counseling/Ment	tal Health Services
McNabb Center Mental Health Outpatient	423-525-8921
Crisis Stabilization Unit (McNabb Center)	423-273-5599
Mobile Crisis Triage (McNabb Center)	1-855-274-7471
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Central Services	423-581-7733
Daily Bread Community Kitchen	423-318-6935
Douglas Cherokee – Meals on Wheels	423-587-3076
Neighborhood Service Center – Commodities	423-585-1444
TN Dept of Human Services (Food Stamps/SNAP)	423-736-9827
Senior Nutrition Kitchen Mon-Fri Meals	(865) 566-5778
Food on Foot	(423) 621-9065
HOLA Lakeway	raud
	1-800-433-5454
Medicaid	1-800-447-8477
Medicare	1-000-447-0477

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Home Health		
Amedisys Home Health		
Covenant Home Health	423-586-0106	
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Smoky Mountain Home Health and Hospice	423-587-8771	
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	423-581-8140	
Morristown Hamblen Emergency Department	spital	
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	423-492-9000	
Senior Citizene Center/Office Additional Resources		
Senior Citizens Center/Office on Aging Alzheimer's Tennessee	423-581-5166	
Central Services	865-544-6288	
	423-586-9431	
Dept. of Veterans Affairs	1-800-827-1000	
DHS Family Assistance	423-585-1444	
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Douglas-Cherokee Economic Authority	(866) 631-4120	
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American Red Cross	423-586-9431	
	423-586-2442	
All Care, LLC 123 439 0202		
	423-438-0202	
CHOICES-ETHRA Financial Assistance for Care Home Instead	866-836-6678	
	423-587-5800	
Senior Citizens Home Assistance Services	(423) 586-2359	
Legal Help		
ETHRA Legal Assistance for the Elderly	(865) 691-2551 ext 4212	
Legal Aid of East TN	(423) 587-4850	
Nursing Nursing	Homes	
Heritage Center	(423) 581-5100	
Life Care Center of Morristown	(423) 581-5435	
Senior Housing/Low Income		
Carlyle Senior Apartments	423-581-6329	
College Park Apartments	(423) 587-6491	
Douglas Cherokee Economic Housing	423-587-4500	
East Point Apartments	423-587-4980	
Henry Manor Apartments	423-587-4340	
Knob Hill Apartments	(423) 581-4926	
Laurelwood Apartments	423-581-1263	
Lincoln Manor Apartments	423-581-4800	
Lincoln Park Apartments	423-587-1633	
Maples Apartments	423-587-0945	
Mayfair Apartments	423-581-3536	

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423-586-5115		
423-207-4709		
423-587-6768		
423-587-0001		
Walter's Ridge 423-587-0001 Shelters		
800-244-5968		
(423) 388-8281		
(423) 587-9215		
MATS: Morristown (423) 587-9215  Transportation		
1-800-232-1565		
423-318-6912		
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423-586-6830		
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