

Residential Group Home Referrals

Note: This list is provided for informational purposes only and is not intended as an endorsement or recommendation for any specific program.

1. NATSAP (301)986-8770
www.natsap.com
 - National Association of Therapeutic Schools and Programs
2. Calvary Children's Home (770) 794-1500
Smyrna, GA
www.calvarykids.org
 - Ages 5-20
3. The Children's Village (770) 964-3309
Union City, GA
www.christiancity.org
 - Residential Care for Ages 6-17
 - Foster Care for Ages 5 and under
4. Devereux Georgia (800) 342-3357
Kennesaw, GA
www.devereuxga.org
 - Residential-mild to severe emotional and psychological
 - therapeutic foster care
 - Ages 6-21
5. Georgia Baptist Children's Home (770) 463-3800
Palmetto, GA
www.gbchfm.org
 - Ages 5-17 (18 – 21 determined on case-by-case basis)
6. Hephzibah Children's Home (478) 477-3383
Macon, GA
www.hephzibah.com
 - Children 6-21 in State Custody (DFCS)
7. Youth Villages (770) 942-2391
Douglasville, GA
www.youthvillages.org
 - males & females ages 14-18, group homes
 - males w/ sexual behavior disorders (12-17)
 - DJJ males (13-17)
8. Murphy Harpst (770) 748-1500
Cedertown, GA
www.murphyharpst.org
 - Boys and Girls 7-17
 - Moderate to severe emotional and behavioral problems
 - IQ cutoff is 70 or higher
9. The Methodist Children's Home (706) 322-5406
Fortson, GA
www.themethodisthome.org

- Boys 6-17, girls 6 - 17 in State Custody (DFCS)
10. United Methodist Children's Home (404) 327-5820
Decatur, GA
www.umchildrenshome.org
 - Family Preservation Services
 - IOP program 18 – 21 on campus
 - Foster care under 12 off campus
 11. Georgia Sheriffs Youth Home (770) 914-1179
Dalton, GA
www.georgiasheriffsyouth.org
 - Ages 6-16, long-term care
 - Must be recommended by county sheriff
 12. Three Springs (Sequel Youth and Family Services) (712) 310-9395
Locations in AL, FL, ID
www.threesprings.com
 - Outdoor Therapeutic Programs as well as
 - Residential Programs (ages 12-18)
 13. Twin Cedars Youth Services (706) 298-2148 ex206
LaGrange, GA
www.twincedars.org
 - Boys ages 9-17, Girls ages 7-18
 - Array of services from prevention to residential treatment.
 - Also offers programs for sexually aggressive youth and youth who have been abused sexually
 14. Paul Anderson Youth Home (912) 537-7237
Vidalia, GA
www.payh.org
 - Males ages 16-21
 15. Teen Challenge GA (678) 526-8640
www.tcgai.com TN (423) 756-5558
 - Residential teen addiction treatment (13-17)
 - Adult program 18+
 16. Kids Peace (800) 257-3223
Bowden, GA
www.kidspeace.org
 - Residential ages 12-17
 - Serious to severe emotional/behavioral problems
 - Also offers sexual offender treatment
 17. Eckerd Alternative Treatment Programs (727) 461-2990
Locations in NH, NC, VT, NH, TX, FL, LA
www.eckerd.org
 - Ages 10-17
 18. Wears Valley Ranch (865) -429-0372
Wears Valley, TN
www.wvr.org

- Ages 6-14, no alcohol or drug dependence
19. Youth Challenge Academy (912) 767-9327
Fort Stewart, GA
www.georgiayouthchallenge.org
- Ages 16-18, aimed at high school dropouts who are not involved with drugs.
 - Modeled after US Army basic training
20. 3D Life (770) 869-3551
Gainesville, GA
www.threedimensionallife.com
- Ten month residential addiction treatment
 - Boys ages 14-21
21. The Village (800) 255-8336
Louisville, TN
www.acdiavillage.com
- boys and girls ages 13-17
 - family therapy is essential (can be conference calls)
 - Children struggling with mental and/or addiction issues
22. Families First (404) 853-2800
Atlanta, GA
www.familiesfirst.org
- residential home- boys and girls 12-16
 - single/teenage mothers program
 - transitional living 18-21
23. Morningstar (912) 267-7583
Brunswick, GA
www.morningstarcfs.org
- IQ between 40 and 70
 - boys and girls 7-17
24. Brighton Behavioral Health Center (877) 227-7000
Portsmouth, VA
www.harborpointbhc.com
- Offers wide spectrum of behavioral health programs including residential treatment
 - Youth with sexually reactive behaviors. Males 8 – 12 with IQ over 69
 - Adolescents with history of sexually abusive behaviors. Males 12 – 21 with IQ over 69
 - Offers wide spectrum of behavioral health programs including residential treatment
25. The Joy House (706)253-7569
Jasper, GA
www.thejoyhouse.org
- Boys and Girls, ages 12-17
 - IQ of 80 or above and ability to function in school
 - Mild to moderate emotional/behavioral issues
 - Parent/Guardian willingness to participate in program

26. Shepherd's Hill Academy (706) 779-5766
 Martin, GA
<http://www.shepherdshillacademy.org/>
- Boys and Girls, ages 12-17
 - Wilderness program
27. Lakeside Academy (844) 768-8336
 Buffalo, MN
www.boysteenchallenge.com
- Teen Boys, ages 14-18
28. Project Patch (360) 690-8495
 Vancouver, WA
www.projectpatch.org
- Teens, ages 12-17
 - Mild to Moderate behavioral issues
29. Whetstone Boys Ranch (417) 934-1112
 Mountain View, MO
www.whetstoneboysranch.com
- Boys, ages 13-17
 - Rebellious, Drug or Alcohol use, apathy, lethargy, truancy, school failure, self-harm, depression, anger, and/or low self-esteem.
30. Compass Rose Academy (260) 569-4757
 Wabash, IN
www.compassroseacademy.org
- Teen girls, ages 14-18
 - IQ of 80 or above
 - Serves Depression, Anxiety, ADHD, or Bipolar Disorder with a variety of acting out behaviors including running away, drug use, risky sexual behavior, self-harm and defiance.

Psychiatric Hospital Referrals for Adolescents

1. Inner Harbor/Youth Village (770) 852-6333
 Douglasville, GA Clinical Manager (770)852-6283
www.youthvillages.org
- Three levels of care, most intensive is 24/7 nursing unit with weekly counseling
 - R.B.W.O program 60-90day residential stay (step down from highest level)
 - 50% population is parental custody
 - Innercept program is in home family counseling with teen
 - Intake Counselor (2/2012): Pamela Campbell
2. Hillside (404) 846-5118
 Atlanta, GA Admissions Manager: Amanda Zimmerman azimmerman@hside.org
<https://hside.org/>
- Residential, Day Program, Foster Care, and Community Intervention
 - Serves ages 7-21

3. Ridgeview (770) 434-4567
Smyrna, GA
www.ridgeviewinstitute.com
 - 11-17 yr olds with psychiatric, addictions, and/or dual diagnosis
 - Inpatient, partial hospitalization, or family therapy programs

4. Laurelwood Hospital (770) 219-2885
Gainesville, GA
www.nghs.com/mental-health-services
 - 12-18 yr old inpatient and partial hospitalization programs

5. Charter Peachford (770) 455-3200
www.peachfordhospital.com
 - Full spectrum behavioral hospital beginning with age 4
 - Treating psychiatric disorders

6. Laurel Heights (404) 888-5475
Atlanta, GA
www.laurelheightshospital.com
 - Residential treatment ages 4-21
 - Mood disorders, self injury, trauma, sexually reactive, psychotic symptoms

7. Riverwoods (770) 991-8500
Riverdale, GA
www.riverwoodsbehavioral.com
 - Ages 9-17 Emotional behavioral, substance issues, and family counseling
 - Inpatient 3-5 days and outpatient programs

8. Anchor Hospital Admin Counselor (678) 251-3284
College Park, GA Main number (678) 251-3200
www.anchorhospital.com
 - Ages 12+ psychiatric and chemical dependency facility

Emergency Shelter Referrals

1. Flowering Branch Children's Shelter (770) 382-6180
Cartersville, GA
www.advochild.org
 - Sexually abused and neglected children birth-18yrs

2. Rainbow House (770) 478-6905
Jonesboro, GA
www.rainbowhouseinc.org
 - Shelter for children 0-17
 - Family advocacy Center available, providing individual and family counseling
 - Safe haven for homeless children

3. The Gwinnett Children's Shelter (678) 546-8770
Lawrenceville, GA
www.gwinnettchildrenshelter.org
 - Ages 12-21
 - Long term shelter
 - 24 hours

4. The Alcove (770) 267-9156
Monroe, GA
www.thealcovewalton.weebly.com
 - Ages 10-17
 - Emergency shelter for runaway, homeless, and those in custody of the state.
 - Individual, group and family therapy are offered.

5. Open Door Home (706) 232-6662
Rome, Ga
www.gbchfm.org
 - Provides emergency and extended care
 - Ages birth-18 yrs old
 - Residents receive counseling from MA level counselors
 - Not affiliated with GA Baptist Children's home or faith based

6. Rainbow Children's Home (706) 864-5110
Dahlonega, GA
 - Girls only 14-17yrs oldwww.rainbowchildrenshome.org

Specialized Schools

1. The Lionheart School (770) 772-4555
Alpharetta, GA
www.thelionheartschool.com

2. The Cottage School (770) 641-8688
Roswell, GA
<http://www.cottageschool.org/>

3. Jacob's Ladder (770) 998-1017
407 Hardscrabble Road
Roswell, GA 30075
<http://jacobsaddercenter.com>