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# Community Resource Assistance Guide

Alexander County, NC

N.C. Division of Workforce Solutions

## **Childcare**

Agency Name: **Alexander County Department of Social Services**  
Address: 604 7<sup>th</sup> Street SW, Taylorsville, NC 28681  
Phone: 828-632-1080  
Website: [www.alexandercountync.gov](http://www.alexandercountync.gov)  
Service(s) Offered: Child daycare subsidy program

## **Clothing**

Agency Name: **Christian Crisis Center**  
Address: 223 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue SW, Taylorsville, NC 28681  
Phone: 828-632-0022  
Service(s) Offered: Clothing, food and cash emergency assistance

Agency Name: **Salvation Army Thrift Store**  
Address: 226 Westgate Drive, Taylorsville, NC 28681  
Phone: 828-632-3832  
Website: [www.salvationarmy.org](http://www.salvationarmy.org)  
Service(s) Offered: Tuesdays for free clothing or food; social worker available

## **Education/Training**

Agency Name: **Appalachian State University Center at Hickory**  
Address: 2760 Hwy 70 SE Hickory, NC 28602  
Phone: 828-327-7000  
Website: [www.hickoory.ghp.appstate.edu](http://www.hickoory.ghp.appstate.edu)  
Service(s) Offered: Wide range of degree programs and continuing education for adults

Agency Name: **Catawba Valley Community College, Alexander Center for Education**  
Address: 345 Industrial Boulevard, Taylorsville, NC 28681  
Phone: 828-632-8221  
Contact Person: Linda Graham  
Email: [lgraham@cvcc.edu](mailto:lgraham@cvcc.edu)  
Website: [www.cvcc.edu/resources/alexander.center](http://www.cvcc.edu/resources/alexander.center)  
Service(s) Offered: GED; ESL; prerequisite degree programs; continuing education classes

Agency Name: **I Care Inc. Head Start:**  
Phone: 704-873-4865  
Service(s) Offered: Pre-school education program. Full-time care for children in program whose parents work or are in job training. Speech, physical and occupational therapies. Parent teaching, dental and vision treatment for children. Breakfast, lunch, snack provided. Eligibility based on low income. Disabled children ages 3-4.

Agency Name: **Lenoir-Rhyne University**  
Address: 625 Seventh Ave NE Hickory, NC 28601  
Phone: 828-328-1741 or 800-277-5721

Agency Name: **Newton-Conover City Schools**  
Address: 605 N. Ash Ave., Newton, NC 28658  
Phone: 828-464-3191  
Website: [www.nccs.k12.nc.us](http://www.nccs.k12.nc.us)  
Service(s) Offered: Student-centered, achievement-driven. Hours 8-5

### **Employment**

Agency Name: **Employment Service Office**  
Address: 604 7<sup>th</sup> Street SW, Taylorsville, NC 28681  
Phone: 828-632-4631  
Contact Person: Trenda Allen  
Email: [trenda.allen@ncommerce.com](mailto:trenda.allen@ncommerce.com)  
Website: [www.ncesc.com](http://www.ncesc.com) [www.ncworks.gov](http://www.ncworks.gov)  
Service(s) Offered: Unemployment insurance; job placement; labor market information

### **Financial**

Agency Name: **Family Guidance Center**  
Address: 17 Highway 70 SE, Hickory, NC 28602  
Phone: 828-322-1400  
Website: [www.fgcservices.com](http://www.fgcservices.com)  
Service(s) Offered: Free credit counseling

### **Food**

Agency Name: **Alexander County Department of Social Services**  
Address: 604 7<sup>th</sup> Street SW, Taylorsville, NC 28681  
Phone: 828-632-1080  
Website: [www.alexandercountync.gov/social-services.php](http://www.alexandercountync.gov/social-services.php)  
Service(s) Offered: Food and nutrition services

Agency Name: **Christian Crisis Center**  
Address: 223 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue SW, Taylorsville, NC 28681  
Phone: 828-632-0022  
Service(s) Offered: Food and nutrition services

## **Home Health**

Agency Name: **Alexander County Home Health Agency**  
Address: 338 1<sup>st</sup> Avenue SW, Taylorsville, NC 28681  
Phone: 828-632-9704 ext 424  
Website: [www.alexandercountync.gov/health/homehealth.php](http://www.alexandercountync.gov/health/homehealth.php)  
Service(s) Offered: Assist patients who are largely confined to their home by illness or convalescence

## **Legal Aid**

Agency Name: **Legal Aid of North Carolina – Morganton Office**  
Address: 211 East Union Street, Morganton, NC 28655  
Phone: 828-437-8280 or 1-800-849-5195  
Website: [www.legalaidnc.org](http://www.legalaidnc.org)  
Service(s) Offered: Free legal services in civil matters for low-income individuals

Agency Name: **Lawyer Referral Service of the North Carolina Bar Association**  
Address: 8000 Weston Parkway, Cary, NC 27513  
Phone: 1-800-662-7660  
Website: [www.ncbar.org/public-pro-bono/lawyer-referral-service/for-the-public.aspx](http://www.ncbar.org/public-pro-bono/lawyer-referral-service/for-the-public.aspx)  
Service(s) Offered: Service to refer people to attorneys located in Alexander County or nearby counties

## **Local/County Government**

Agency Name: **Town of Taylorsville**  
Address: 67 Main Avenue Drive, Taylorsville, NC 28681  
Phone: 828-632-2218  
Website: [www.taylorsvillenc.com](http://www.taylorsvillenc.com)  
Service(s) Offered: Information about the Town of Taylorsville, North Carolina

Agency Name: **Alexander County North Carolina**  
Address:  
Phone: [www.alexandercountync.gov/phone.php](http://www.alexandercountync.gov/phone.php)  
Website: [www.alexandercountync.gov](http://www.alexandercountync.gov)  
Service(s) Offered: Information about Alexander County

## **Medical Care**

Agency Name: **Alexander County Health Department**  
Address: 338 1<sup>st</sup> Avenue SW, Taylorsville, NC 28681  
Phone: 828-632-9704  
Website: [www.alexandercountync.gov/health](http://www.alexandercountync.gov/health)  
Service(s) Offered: Adult health; child health; immunizations; maternal health services

Agency Name: **Alexander County Dental Clinic**  
Address: 338 1<sup>st</sup> Avenue SW, Taylorsville, NC 28681  
Phone: 828-632-9704 ext 481 for an appointment  
Service(s) Offered: Dental services for children birth through 18 years of age; Medicaid; NC Health Choice or Self Pay (no dental insurance), self-pay will have a sliding fee scale based on income and number

### **Mental Health**

Agency Name: **Family Guidance Center**  
Address: 17 NC Hwy 70 SE, Hickory, NC 28602  
Phone: 828-322-1499  
Service(s) Offered: Mental health; developmental disabilities; substance abuse

Agency Name: **Family Guidance Center**  
Address: 17 Highway 70 SE, Hickory, NC 28602  
Phone: 828-322-1400  
Website: [www.fgcservices.com](http://www.fgcservices.com)  
Service(s) Offered: Individual and family counseling

### **Miscellaneous (Other Services)**

Agency Name: **Alexander County Chamber of Commerce**  
Address: 16 West Main Avenue, Taylorsville, NC 28681  
Phone: 828-632-8141  
Website: [www.alexandercountychamber.com](http://www.alexandercountychamber.com)  
Service(s) Offered: Information regarding Alexander County

Agency Name: **2-1-1**  
Phone: 2-1-1 from cell phone or 1-888-892-1162  
Website: [www.NC211.org](http://www.NC211.org)  
Service(s) Offered: Community health and human service resources

### **Rent/Utility/Housing**

Agency Name: **Alexander County Department of Social Services**  
Address: 604 7<sup>th</sup> Street SW, Taylorsville, NC 28681  
Phone: 828-632-1080  
Website: [www.alexandercountync.gov/social-services.php](http://www.alexandercountync.gov/social-services.php)  
Service(s) Offered: Family support services; children's services; adult and disabled services, including low-income energy assistance / crisis intervention

Agency Name: **Alexander County Habitat for Humanity**  
Address: P.O. Box 565, Taylorsville, NC 28681  
Phone: 828-635-7889  
Email: [alexhabitat@aol.com](mailto:alexhabitat@aol.com)  
Website: [www.alexandercountyhabitatforhumanity.com](http://www.alexandercountyhabitatforhumanity.com)  
Service(s) Offered: Assistance for people in need by building and renovating houses

### **Support Groups**

Agency Name: **Listing of Alexander County Resources**  
Website: [www.acresources.org](http://www.acresources.org)  
Service(s) Offered: Online parent and family resource guide serving Alexander County including various support groups

Agency Name: **Town of Taylorsville Community Support**  
Website: [www.taylorsvillenc.com/organizations.htm](http://www.taylorsvillenc.com/organizations.htm) or /support.htm  
Service(s) Offered: Town of Taylorsville website listing of community support

### **Transportation**

Agency Name: **Greenway Public Transportation (Western Piedmont Regional Transit Authority)**  
Address: 1515 4<sup>th</sup> Street SW, Conover, NC 28613  
Phone: 828-464-9444 or 828-465-7634  
Website: [www.mygreenway.org](http://www.mygreenway.org)  
Service(s) Offered: Public transportation for Alexander County residents

Agency Name: **Alexander County Transportation**  
Address: 621 Liledoun Road, Box 3, Taylorsville, NC 28681  
Phone: 828-632-1112  
Website: [www.alexandercountync.gov/index/pdf/transportation.pdf](http://www.alexandercountync.gov/index/pdf/transportation.pdf)  
Service(s) Offered: Transportation for Alexander County residents