

Resources to Support Your Employment and Life Plans**NORTH CAROLINA CARE-LINE 1-800-662-7030**

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Employment Assistance and Job Training

Cherokee County Information and Referral Phone: 704-837-2467	This service can help you find community resources in Cherokee County.	<u>Comments/Appointments</u>
Cherokee County JobLink Center/ Employment Security Commission 642 Murphy Road Murphy, NC 28906 Phone: 828-837-7407		
Vocational Rehabilitation Office Sylva Unit Office 485 D East Main Street Sylva, NC 28779 Phone: 828-586-4032		
Tri-County Community College 4600 East US Hwy 64 Murphy, NC 28905 Phone: 828-837-6810		

Housing and/or Emergency Shelter

Community Services PO Box 478 Murphy, NC 28906 Phone: 828-837-6810	Offers emergency shelter and food assistance.	
Emergency Management Peachtree Street Murphy, NC 28906 Phone: 828-837-2724	Offers emergency shelter and food assistance.	

Transportation, Food and Clothing

Note: For Driver License Information, See Important Documents Section.

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Childcare and Other Community Resources

Division of Social Services: Make an appointment to find out what you might be eligible for. Example: food stamps, work first, energy assistance, other assistance

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Cherokee County DSS

40 Peachtree Street

Murphy, NC 28906

Phone: 828-837-7455

Four Square Community Action, Inc.

P. O. Box 209

Andrews, NC 28901

Phone: 704-321-4475

Offers various housing, educational, other assistance to eligible clients; contact in advance for information on applying.

Office of Economic Opportunity

27 Hatchett Street

Murphy, NC 28905

Phone: 828-835-3535

Offers matching individual development accounts and other self-sufficiency services to qualifying low-income families for training, business capital, or home ownership.

Post Release and Aftercare Services

Community Corrections Office

PO Box 557

21 Peachtree Street

Murphy, NC 28906

Phone: 828-837-6316

CJPP/Cherokee County

Intermediate Offender Resource

Center

75 Peachtree Street

Murphy, NC 28906

Phone: 828-837-4423

Reach, Inc.

Offers family violence services

84 Valley River Ave.

Murphy, NC 28906

Phone: 828-835-3434

Addiction and Crisis Intervention

If you have a substance abuse problem and need help, contact the number below for more information:

Mental Health/Substance Abuse Program

Cherokee County

Phone: 704-837-7466

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Health, Legal and Financial Services

Each county in the State has a health department that offers low cost or free medical care to county residents who meet certain requirements. To find out about services offered, call the number below:

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Cherokee County Health Department
Phone: 704-837-7486

Health, Legal and Financial Services continued

Legal Services is a statewide organization that offers legal assistance to people in North Carolina. Please call number below for more information:

Western North Carolina Legal Services
Sylva, NC
Phone: 704-586-8931

Important Documents

To get a Driver License, contact Division of Motor Vehicles, Driver License Office listed below:

116 Peachtree Street
County Office Bldg.
Murphy, NC 28906
Phone: 828-837-8656

Call Monday-Friday for hours of
operation and required
documentation.

To apply for a Social Security Card contact:

Social Security Administration
80 Westgate Plaza
Franklin, NC 28744
Phone: 828-369-2684

To get a copy of your GED diploma or transcript:

GED Scores
NC Community College System
5016 MSC
Raleigh, NC 27699-5016
Phone: 919-807-7138
Or 919-807-7137
Fax: 919-807-7164

Official copies are free. Written
request is required. Include: full
printed name, social security
number, date of birth, your full
name signed, an address to send
GED information to; and if possible
the year and/or location where
GED test was taken.

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<u>To get a CERTIFIED copy of your birth certificate (if you were born in North Carolina), contact:</u>		
Vital Records Office 1903 MSC Raleigh, NC 27699-1903 Phone: 919-733-3526	May be obtained by mail or in person. Official application and fee required. Allow 3-4 weeks for delivery	
OR		
Register of Deeds Murphy, NC 28906 Phone: 704-837-2613	Uncertified copies may be obtained at the county vital statistics office for \$3.00 each; but may not meet certain requirements.	
<u>VOTER REGISTRATION</u> <u>Not eligible to register or vote if under supervision of the Department of Correction (ex: probation/parole) for a felony.</u>		
Cherokee County Board of Elections PO Box 816 Murphy, NC 28906 Phone: 828-837-6670	Forms available at libraries. Register at Division of Motor Vehicles or Employment Security Commission.	