

## OTHER SERVICES

**Fit WIC Project:** The goal is to reduce and prevent unhealthy weight among WIC participants through educational services, role modeling and community involvement.

**Community Health Data:** Vital statistics, disease surveillance, reporting and investigating.

**Emergency Preparedness:** Prepares Public Health and community to respond to disasters, including receipt and distribution of medicine and medical supplies during a large-scale disaster.

**Health Education:** Outreach, health information and promotion.

**Information and Referral:** Links clients to other services and/or providers.

**Public Information/Relations:** Provides information to the public and the media.

**Telemedicine/telehealth:** Links specialty physicians to wellness clinics and health departments and provides access to training.

**Vital Records:** Birth and Death certificates.

## WELLNESS CENTERS

Wellness Centers provide primary care and support services to patients and families affected by HIV/AIDS.

### Bulloch Wellness Center

3 West Altman St.  
Statesboro, GA 30458  
Ph: 764-2402  
Fax: 764-5561

### Coffee Wellness Center

1003 Shirley Ave.  
Douglas, GA 31533  
Ph: 389-4586  
Fax: 389-4590

### Ware Wellness Center

103 Lister St.  
Waycross, GA 31501  
Ph: 287-6728  
Fax: 287-6764

### Toombs Wellness Center

714 NW Broad St.  
Lyons, GA 30436  
Ph: 526-9581  
Fax: 526-9583

## COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENTS

County	Phone	Fax
Appling County Baxley, GA	367-4601	367-1096
Atkinson County Pearson, GA	422-3332	422-7345
Bacon County Alma, GA	632-4712	632-7834
Brantley County Nahunta, GA	462-6165	462-7655
Bulloch County Statesboro, GA	764-3800	871-1901
Candler County Metter, GA	685-5765	685-7448
Charlton County Folkston, GA	496-2561	496-2623
Clinch County Homerville, GA	487-2199	587-3407
Coffee County Douglas, GA	389-4450	389-4326
Evans County Claxton, GA	739-2088	739-3975
Jeff Davis County Hazlehurst, GA	375-2425	375-3845
Pierce County Blackshear, GA	449-2032	449-0409
Tattnall County Reidsville	557-7850	557-7854
Glennville	654-5290	654-5293
Toombs County JusTEENS Clinic Lyons, GA	526-8108	526-6504
Ware County Waycross, GA	283-1875	283-0894
Wayne County Jesup, GA	427-2042	427-5880

### Southeast Health District

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## Southeast Health District



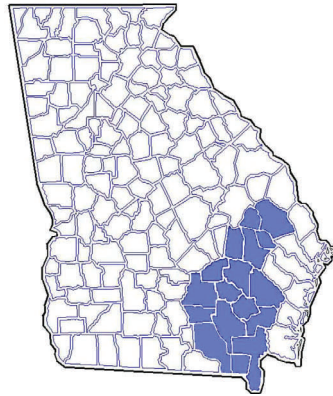
*“Keeping Communities Safe and Healthy”*

## County Health Department Services

# Your County Health Department

County Health Departments have served our local communities in Georgia for more than 100 years.

The mission of the Southeast Health District and your local Health Department is to protect and promote the health of people in Southeast Georgia, wherever they live, work and play, uniting with individuals, families and diverse communities to improve and enhance their quality of life. Your health is important to us. Our staff is well trained to provide services to this community. You can depend on us to protect Georgia's health.



Each Health Department provides various programs and clinic services. Check with your local Health Department for more information.

## CHILD and ADOLESCENT HEALTH

**Babies Can't Wait (BCW):** An early intervention program for infants and toddlers with developmental delays.

**Breastfeeding:** Assists families with successful breastfeeding experiences, including education, promotion, referral and breast pump loans.

**Children 1st:** Health assessments for children aimed at improving the health and developmental outcomes of children 0 to 4 years old.

**Children's Medical Services (CMS):** Offers long-term specialty treatment and therapy for children with orthopedic, seizure, hearing, cardiac, chronic lung, genetic, vision and sickle cell disorders.

**Health Checks:** Early, Periodic, Screening, Diagnosis and Treatment for children 0 to 21 years old.

**Immunizations (shots):** Hib; Hepatitis A; Hepatitis B; polio; influenza (flu); diphtheria; tetanus and whooping cough (DTP); measles, mumps and rubella (MMR); varicella and pneumococcal vaccines are available at all Health Department sites.

Immunizations for international travelers are also available at the Ware County Health Department in Waycross.

**Intestinal Parasites, Scabies, Lice:** Exam and treatment.

**Lead screening:** Identifies children with lead poisoning.

**School screenings:** Vision, hearing, dental and scoliosis.

**Sickle Cell:** Testing and counseling for Sickle Cell Disease.

**Teen services:** Youth services are provided in all of the county health departments.

**Women, Infants and Children (WIC):** Supplemental food, physical assessment and nutritional counseling.

## WOMEN'S HEALTH

**Cancer Screenings:** Breast, cervical (BreasTEST and More Program) and colon (hemocults).

**Family Planning:** Education, examination, pregnancy testing, counseling, treatment and birth control methods.

**Perinatal Health Partners and Best Babies (PHP and BB):** Nursing case management of high-risk pregnant women and their newborns.

## ADULT HEALTH

**Health Promotion:** Promotes policy and environmental changes to support healthy lifestyles within communities, schools and worksites.

**Stroke and Heart Attack Prevention Program (SHAPP):** Screening, treatment and joint management of high blood pressure with local physicians.

**Immunizations (shots):** Influenza (flu), Tetanus/diphtheria, Hepatitis A, Hepatitis B, meningococcal, pneumococcal and international immunizations.

**Nutrition:** Education and counseling.

## INFECTIOUS DISEASES

**Epidemiological Investigation:** Meningitis, foodborne and other illnesses.

**HIV/AIDS:** Testing, counseling and education, outpatient services and social services.

**Sexually Transmitted Infections (STIs):** Testing, followup and treatment.

**Tuberculosis (TB):** Diagnosis, treatment and prevention, including case finding and contact followup.

## ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH

**Complaint Investigations:** Investigates and responds to complaints of potential health hazards.

**Disease Control:** Foodborne, vectorborne and waterborne illnesses; and rabies.

**Injury Prevention:** Educational modules, literature and consultations.

**Pollution Control:** Inspecting water (includes well water program), land and septic tank systems.

**Sanitation Control:** Inspecting motels, restaurants, institutions, tattoo and body piercing studios and public swimming pools.