



**American Foundation for the Blind**

The American Foundation for the Blind (AFB) is a leader in expanding possibilities for Americans living with vision loss by championing access and equality and standing at the forefront of new technologies.

Website: [www.afb.org](http://www.afb.org)

**Autism Society of North Carolina**

Creates a community where people within the autism spectrum and their families receive respect, services and support based on individual needs, differences and preferences.

Website: <http://www.autismsociety-nc.org/>

Phone: 800-442-2762 (NC only) 919-743-0204

Address: 505 Oberlin Road, Suite 230, Raleigh, NC 27605

Onslow County's Resource Specialist: Teresa Mebane [tmebane@autismsociety-nc.org](mailto:tmebane@autismsociety-nc.org)

Phone: (919) 865-5066

**Autism Society of North Carolina – Onslow County Chapter**

For the past several years, the Autism Society of North Carolina- Onslow County Chapter has taken an active role in the advocacy of people on the Autism Spectrum and those who care for them.

Facebook group page "Autism Society of North Carolina Onslow County Chapter"

**Blank Canvas Awareness Art**

The mission is to create colorful solutions for Dyslexia and ADD/ADHD through educating, advocating, mentoring, and building self-esteem. We specialize in helping children reach their full potential regardless of their challenges. We use art as a platform to assist with helping children find their strengths and to teach others about Dyslexia and ADD/ADHD. If you are looking for training for your staff, we are able to train staff about dyslexia.

Phone: (910) 379-7143

[www.blankcanvasawarenessart.com](http://www.blankcanvasawarenessart.com)

**Boy Scouts of America**

The Boy Scouts of America is one of the nation's largest and most prominent values-based youth development organizations. The BSA provides a program for young people that builds character, trains them in the responsibilities of participating citizenship, and develops personal fitness. The basic premise of Scouting for youth with special needs is that every boy wants to participate fully and be respected like every other member of the troop. While there are, by necessity, troops exclusively composed of Scouts with disabilities, experience has shown that Scouting usually succeeds best when every boy is part of a patrol in a regular troop.

Website: <http://www.scouting.org/>

Finding a local troop: <https://beascout.scouting.org/>

### **Brain Injury Association of North Carolina**

The only organization in North Carolina whose mission is specifically to help address the needs of the survivors of brain injury, and prevent brain injuries across the state, offering help, hope, and a voice, for people with brain injuries and their families.

Website: <http://www.bianc.net>

Phone: (800) 377-1464 or  
(919) 833-9634

### **Canine Companions for Independence**

A non-profit organization that enhances the lives of people with disabilities by providing highly trained assistance dogs and ongoing support to ensure quality partnerships.

Website: <http://www.cci.org/>

### **Carolina Institute for Developmental Disabilities (CIDD)**

UNC's Carolina Institute for Developmental Disabilities' (CIDD) specialized clinics focus exclusively on disorders that affect cognitive, social, communication, motor, and adaptive skill development. The CIDD also specializes in serving individuals with intellectual and/or developmental disabilities who may have co-existing behavioral, mental health, or medical health needs. Individuals who have or are suspected of having intellectual disability, autism spectrum disorder, traumatic brain injury, cerebral palsy, and/or genetic or medical conditions, which impact development, health, and independence.

Website: <http://www.cidd.unc.edu/>

Phone: (919) 966-5171

### **Cerebral Palsy Association**

Educates, advocates and provides support services to ensure a life without limits for people with a spectrum of disabilities. UCP works to advance the independence, productivity and full citizenship of people with disabilities.

Website: <http://www.cerebralpalsyguidance.com/cerebral-palsy/causes/>

Phone: (866) 579-8495

### **Coastal Carolina Community College- Disability Services**

The Disability Support Services office is responsible for ensuring that students with disabilities have equal, effective, and meaningful access to all programs, goods and services through the use of nondiscriminatory policies and procedures, and the provision of reasonable accommodations, auxiliary aids, and services as indicated necessary by the functional limitations of a qualified disability.

Website: <https://www.coastalcarolina.edu/student-resources/disability-services/>

Phone: (910) 938-6331

### **Community Care of the Lower Cape Fear**

A regional network of nearly 160 primary and OB care practices, hospitals, health departments, departments of social services, and other agencies and organizations, working together to provide cooperative, coordinated care through the Medical Home model. CCLCF care managers provide services to high-risk patients to improve self-management of chronic health conditions. Our goal is to improve health outcomes and quality of life for our patients while reducing care costs in the communities we serve.

Website: [www.carelcf.org](http://www.carelcf.org)

Phone: (910) 763-0200 (800) 953-0203

### **Carobell, Inc**

A community service provider dedicated to providing self-directed supports for individuals with intellectual developmental disabilities, empowering them to reach their fullest potential.

Website: [www.carobell.org](http://www.carobell.org)

Address: 198 Cinnamon Drive, Hubert

Phone: (910) 326-7600

### **Coastal Horizons Center**

A critical access behavioral health providing a continuum of professional services for prevention, crisis intervention, sexual assault victims, criminal justice alternatives, and treatment of substance use and mental health disorders. Intensive In-Home Services: team approach designed to address the identified needs of children and adolescents, who due to serious and chronic symptoms of emotional behavioral, and/or substance abuse disorders, are unstable in the home and community without intensive interventions. Intensive Family Preservation Services: a short term, intensive (4-6 weeks) therapeutic family approach intended to empower and equip families with the resources and skills necessary to maintain in-home placement for youth ages birth – 17 years.

Website: [www.coastalhorizons.org/](http://www.coastalhorizons.org/)

Phone: (910) 202-3155

Address: 515 New Bridge Street, Jacksonville

### **Cystic Fibrosis Foundation**

The world's leader in the search for a cure for cystic fibrosis, linking patients and families to specialized CF care; and offering support, information, and resources.

Website: <http://www.cff.org>

Phone: (800) 344-4823

### **Disability Rights of North Carolina**

The state's federally mandated protection and advocacy system, Disability Rights North Carolina is charged with protecting the rights of children and adults with disabilities living in North Carolina.

Website: <http://www.disabilityrightsncc.org/>

Phone: (919)-856-2195 Toll-Free: (877)-235-4210

Email: [info@disabilityrightsncc.org](mailto:info@disabilityrightsncc.org)

### **Down Syndrome Network of Onslow & Carteret Counties**

We partner with families and others to create an environment in which individuals with Down syndrome are welcomed with fairness, enthusiasm, and encouragement in their community. Make a difference and help us fulfill our mission to empower individuals, educate families, enhance communities and together, celebrate the extraordinary lives of people with Down syndrome.

Website: [www.dsnocc.org](http://www.dsnocc.org)

### **East Carolina Human Services Agency, Inc.**

A member of the North Carolina Community Action Association, is a private non-profit Community Action Agency that provides services to low-income, Veterans, and military families, in multiple counties along the North Carolina coast. The programs administered by the agency include Section 8 Housing, Community Services Block Grant- Family Self Sufficiency Program (CSBG-FSS), and NCServes. Provide comprehensive services with many tools designed to address the needs of the entire family unit. ECHSA, Inc. administers programs that provide participants with the highest possibility of becoming economically and socially self-sufficient. This enables members of the family to earn a better living through education and training, plan for their financial future, receive short-term assistance with housing and nutrition, and provide a safe and loving environment for their children when they are not in school. By doing so, parents can concentrate on restoring their lives for a better situation.

Address: 237 New River Dr., Ste. 1 Jacksonville

Phone: (910) 347-2151/2152

Website: [www.echsainc.wixsite.com/echsa/](http://www.echsainc.wixsite.com/echsa/)

### **East Carolina University – Disability Support Services**

Provides individuals with disabilities support services that will enable them to access programs, services, facilities, and activities of the university; to enhance disability awareness among students, staff, and faculty; and to provide academic courses.

Website: [www.ecu.edu/cs-admin/accessibility/](http://www.ecu.edu/cs-admin/accessibility/)

Phone: (252) 737-1016

### **East Carolina University - STEPP (Supporting Transition and Education through Planning and Partnerships)**

Offers comprehensive academic, social, and life-skills support to a select number of students with identified Specific Learning Disabilities who have shown the potential to succeed at ECU.

Website: [www.ecu.edu/cs-acad/stepp/](http://www.ecu.edu/cs-acad/stepp/)

Phone: (252) 328-1101

### **Easter Seals of North Carolina & Virginia/UCP**

Lifelong partners to individuals and families managing disabilities and mental health challenges whose services are centered around each person's individual needs to live, learn, and participate fully in his or her community.

Website: <http://nc.eastersealsucp.com/>

### **Easter Seals UCP- Child First**

The goal of Child First is to reach the most vulnerable young children and families at the earliest possible time and to intervene in the home to prevent and heal emotional and behavioral disturbances, developmental and learning problems and abuse and neglect. This is an evidenced-based approach that utilizes Child Parent Psychotherapy (CPP) as the model. Child First uses a two-pronged approach with a family resource partner who will decrease toxic stress by connecting children and families to needed community-based services and support. A Licensed Clinician will facilitate the development of a responsive, nurturing parent-child relationship that can protect the developing brain. Treatment lasts 6 months to a year average with the two-person team in the home at least once week for an hour. The goals include: to support and strengthen the relationship, using the relationship as a vehicle for restoring the child's sense of safety, attachment, and appropriate affect to improve the child's cognitive, behavioral, and social functioning. Over the course of treatment, the caregiver and child are guided to create a joint narrative of the psychological traumatic event and identify and address traumatic triggers that generate dysregulated behaviors and affect. Some of the Child First interventions include: play, unstructured developmental guidance, modeling, emotional support, case management supports, crisis intervention, and linking past to present. Pregnant women or Children 0-5 years and 11 months in which the child is showing difficult behaviors or delays in their development or learning. Married, partner, or single-parent families with many stressors (such as homelessness, drug use, domestic violence, poverty, school behaviors or involvement in the child welfare system).

Address: 2801 Neuse Boulevard, New Bern, NC 28562

Phone: (252)636-6007 ext. 1362

### **ECAC**

Parent Educators and PTI staff are here to help you navigate the special education maze and provide you with the information and tools you need to be an informed and active participant in your child's education. ECAC offers a free lending library.

Website: [ecac-parentcenter.org](http://ecac-parentcenter.org)

Phone: 800-962-6817 Parent Info Line

### **Family Support Network of NC**

Promotes and provides support for families with children who have special needs through the parent-to-parent matching program, the information and referral program, education, and outreach.

Website: <https://fsnenc1987.wordpress.com/>

FSN of Eastern NC, Inc.

Address: PO Box 30040, Greenville, NC 27833

Email: [director@fsnenc.org](mailto:director@fsnenc.org)

Phone: (252) 917-4110

### **Goodwill Community Foundations**

Online Training: GCFLearnFree - The freedom to learn what you want, when you want, absolutely free!

Website: [www.gcflearnfree.org](http://www.gcflearnfree.org)

### **Health Choice for Children** (NC Dept. of Health and Human Services)

The North Carolina Health Choice (NCHC) Health Insurance Program for Children is a comprehensive health coverage program for low-income children. The goal of the NCHC Program is to reduce the number of uninsured children in the State. If your family makes too much money to qualify for Medicaid, but too little to afford private or employer-sponsored health insurance, your child(ren) may qualify for NCHC.

Website: <https://ncdhhs.gov/assistance/childrens-services/health-choice-for-children>

### **Integrated Family Services**

The mission of Integrated Family Services, PLLC is to assess, coordinate, monitor and provide a wide variety of comprehensive mental health services in a manner that promotes dignity, respect, and empowerment to all consumers. A variety of services are available including: Mobile Crisis Management Services, Crisis Chat, Outpatient therapy, Psychiatric Services, and Foster Care Services (Therapeutic and Intensive Alternative Family Treatment).

Address: 3383 Henderson Drive, Jacksonville

Phone: (910) 939-6475

Website: [www.integratedfamilyservices.net](http://www.integratedfamilyservices.net)

Crisis Services 1-866-437-1821

### **Jacksonville Recreation and Parks**

Website: [www.jacksonvillenc.gov](http://www.jacksonvillenc.gov)

Phone: (910) 938-5312

### **Learning Disabilities Association of North Carolina**

LDANC supports equitable opportunities for people with learning disabilities to participate in life's experiences, through education, support, advocacy, collaboration, and the encouragement of ongoing research.

Website: <https://ldaamerica.org/lda-chapters/north-carolina/>

Email: [lda.of.north.carolina@gmail.com](mailto:lda.of.north.carolina@gmail.com)

### **Make a Wish Foundation, Eastern North Carolina**

Make-A-Wish® grants the wish of a child diagnosed with a life-threatening medical condition, believing that a wish experience can be a game-changer. Wishes strengthen wish kids and their families, rally communities together, and change the lives of everyone involved.

Website: [wish.org/eastnc](http://wish.org/eastnc)

Phone: (919) 821-7111 Toll Free: (800) 432-9474

### **MCCS: Exceptional Family Member Program (EFMP)**

EFMP assists Marine families in managing the dual demands of a Marine Corps career and the special needs of a family member. The purpose of EFMP is to assist headquarters with assignment coordination to ensure that families enrolled in the program are stationed at a duty location that is able to provide special services for the exceptional family member.

Website: [www.mccslejeune-newriver.com/EFMP](http://www.mccslejeune-newriver.com/EFMP)

Phone: (910) 451-1056

### **Military One Source**

Military OneSource is your connection to information, answers, and support when MilLife happens. We can help you overcome challenges, reach your goals, and thrive. As a member of our military family, you are eligible to use this Department of Defense-funded program anytime, anywhere. If we can't get you the answers you need, we'll connect you to someone who can. A few of the ways: relationship counseling, childcare options, financial counseling, non-medical counseling for stress relief, document translation, PCS moves, and more.

Website: [www.militaryonesource.mil](http://www.militaryonesource.mil)

Phone: (800) 342-9647

### **Mobile Crisis Management – RHA Health Services**

Mobile Crisis Management (MCM) responds to mental health, substance abuse, crises in the community. The goal is to safely stabilize the person at home, work, school, or wherever in the community the crisis occurs. The MCM Team involves all support services and treatment necessary to provide integrated crisis response, stabilization, and prevention activities. Anyone can call to request face to face response to mental health emergencies.

Phone: (844) 709-4097

### **NC Assistive Technology Project**

NCATP provides services, including device demonstration, device demonstration, training /technical assistance at AT Centers and satellite sites to people of all ages and abilities.

Website: [ncdhhs.gov/divisions/vocational-rehabilitation-services/northcarolina-assistive-technology-program](http://ncdhhs.gov/divisions/vocational-rehabilitation-services/northcarolina-assistive-technology-program)

Phone: (919) 855-3500

### **NC Department of Health and Human Services**

Website: [www.ncdhhs.gov/](http://www.ncdhhs.gov/)

### **NC Infant Toddler Program** (NC Health and Human Services) (CDSA)

A child and family may receive supports and services if the child is up to three years old and has certain levels of developmental delay or an established condition.

Website: [www.bearly.nc.gov](http://www.bearly.nc.gov)

Phone: (252) 514-4770

### **NC Innovations Waiver**

The NC Innovations Waiver is a Federally approved 1915 C Medicaid Home and Community-Based Services Waiver (HCBS Waiver) designed to meet the needs of Individuals with Intellectual or Development Disabilities (I/DD) who prefer to get long-term care services and supports in their home or community, rather than in an institutional setting. The Medicaid Innovations Waiver supports Individuals with I/DD to live the life they choose. Waiver services are administered by a local management entity/managed care organization (LME/MCO) which facilitate services and oversee a network of community-based service providers. Individuals who receive waiver funding work with their team to develop a Person-Centered Plan of Care and request the services and supports they need.

Website: <https://medicaid.ncdhhs.gov/nc-innovations-waiver>

### **NC Services for the Blind**

The North Carolina Division of Services for the Blind (DSB) has a long and rich history of services to the blind and visually impaired people as well as people with vision and hearing loss. The services provided to you, or your family member will be determined through talking with a Counselor or Social Worker for the Blind.

Website: [www.ncdhhs.gov/dsb/](http://www.ncdhhs.gov/dsb/)

Phone: (919) 527-6700 (866) 222-1546

### **Onslow Community Outreach Christmas Cheer**

Onslow Christmas Cheer helps needy children and their families. The Onslow community wants children to know the magic of Christmas in the demonstration of our gift to them. Christmas Cheer starts in October and runs through the last week of December. Gifts are offered for children up to age 12 and if resources are available to teenagers up to age 17. Food boxes are also provided to the entire household. Single individuals may also qualify for food boxes, (i.e., senior citizens, handicapped adults, etc.).

Address: 600 Court St., Jacksonville

Website: [www.onslowco.org](http://www.onslowco.org)

Phone: (910) 455-5733

### **Onslow Community Outreach Soup Kitchen & Homeless Shelter**

To be eligible for our programs you must be a resident of Onslow County. The soup kitchen serves lunch Monday through Friday from 11:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. at the 600 Court Street and delivers meals on two routes. In addition, the Soup Kitchen directly distributes bulk food and supplies for six community food pantries. The second Monday of every month we open a food bank at **12:00 p.m.** Address: 1210 Hargett Street, Jacksonville

#### ***Homeless Shelter***

The Homeless Shelter is a temporary, emergency housing program. It operates seven days a week from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 a.m. Sunday – Thursday and 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 a.m. Friday and Saturday.

Address: 600 Court Street, Jacksonville

Phone: (910)-347-3227

#### ***Caring Community Clinic***

The Caring Community Clinic provides non-urgent primary care, pharmacy vouchers, and access to prescription assistance. They are open 5 days a week to help uninsured and low-income residents of Onslow County.

Address: 600 Court St., Jacksonville

Phone: (910) 455-5733



### **Onslow Commission for Persons with Disabilities**

A group of volunteers consisting of concerned citizens, persons with disabilities and/or their family or friends; professionals; representatives of other organizations open to anyone in the community. The mission of the Commission is to provide information to improve and enhance the quality of life for persons with disabilities and their families in the Onslow area. The mission is accomplished by promoting public awareness and acceptance of persons with disabilities, providing education and resources to the community, serving as a countywide source for gathering and distributing information that is relevant to persons with disabilities and their families, and collaborating with civilian, military, and veteran organizations. Meetings are held the first Wednesday of each month at the Jacksonville City Hall building in meeting rooms A & B 12:00-1:00pm.

Address: 815 New Bridge Street, Jacksonville

Email: [Ocpd.onslow@gmail.com](mailto:Ocpd.onslow@gmail.com)

Website: <http://onslowcommission.org/>

### **Onslow County Department of Social Services**

The Department of Social Services assists Onslow County's citizens in meeting their basic daily living needs through financial, nutritional, and medical assistance. The department promotes the well-being of citizens through social work services to strengthen families, protective services to prevent or remedy abuse, neglect or exploitation of vulnerable children and disable or elderly adults. The Economic Services Division consists of Medicaid Programs, Food and Nutrition Services, Work First Employment Services, Work First Family Assistance, Program Integrity, and Emergency Assistance. To find more information regarding the programs, visit the website. To make a report of child abuse, neglect, or dependency please call the number listed above. Once a report is made an investigator will assess the allegation. If you are trying to make a report after hours on weekdays, weekends, or holidays, call 910.455.3113 and ask to speak with the on-call Emergency Duty Social Worker.

Website: [www.onslowcountync.gov/DSS](http://www.onslowcountync.gov/DSS)

Phone: (910) 989-0230

Address: 612 College St., Jacksonville

### **One Place: Creating Hope for Families (formerly Onslow County Partnership for Children)**

The Onslow County Partnership for Children (OCPC) is a large child- and family-serving organization in Onslow County. OCPC believes that investing wisely in children and families prepares the next generation for a lifetime of responsible citizenship. Programs include Child Care Subsidy Program, Early Head Start, Incredible Years, Triple P, Circle of Parents, Child Care Resource and Referral, NC Pre-K, and Smart Start Onslow Three School.

Address: 900 Dennis Road

Phone: (910) 938-0336

Website: [www.oneplaceonslow.org](http://www.oneplaceonslow.org)

### **Onslow County Schools Exceptional Children Services**

The mission of Onslow County Schools Exceptional Children Services is to provide the highest quality educational experience to students with disabilities by implementing individualized, research-based assessments and specialized instruction as we prepare them to become productive, responsible members of their community.

Website: <https://www.onslow.k12.nc.us/domain/160>

Phone: (910) 455-2211

### **Onslow County Social Services- Elderly & Disabled Transportation Assistance (EDTAP)**

Elderly and Disabled Transportation Assistance Program was designed to provide transportation for those elderly or disabled clients who may be on Medicaid but need transportation to other than medical appointments. Those that are not on Medicaid can be transported to medical appointments as well as other destinations on a limited basis.

Website: <https://www.onslowcountync.gov/371/Elderly-Disabled-Transportation-Assistan>

Phone: (910) 989-0230

### **Onslow United Transit Systems (OUTS)**

OUTS provides transit services to the citizens of Onslow County. Depending upon funding, OUTS provides transit services for the general public throughout Onslow County. OUTS also contracts with Human Services Agencies throughout Onslow County to provide services to their clients.

Address: 605 New Bridge Street, Jacksonville

Phone: (910) 346-2998

Website: [www.onslowunitedtransit.org/welcome.html](http://www.onslowunitedtransit.org/welcome.html)

### **PEERS Family Development Center**

Services are free to all Onslow County residents. Age limits for childcare are 6 weeks to 5 years old. Parent Education is offered to parents of all ages. The Adolescent Parenting Program is for pregnant or parenting families where the parent is 19 years old or younger. There are different curriculums taught by PEERS staff based on the needs of the family. Classes are held at night on Monday through Thursday. Dinner and childcare are provided on site. Other times and locations can be added based on the need of the family Adolescent Parenting Program: This program is for adolescents who are 19 or younger who are currently pregnant or parenting. The program is open to males and females. The goals are to assist parents in finishing high school or its equivalent, effective use of birth control, increasing parenting and life skills in order to become self-sufficient.

Address: 151 Chaney Avenue, Jacksonville

Phone: (910) 333-9725

Website: [www.peersfamilydevelopmentcenter.com](http://www.peersfamilydevelopmentcenter.com)

### **Project Child Find**

An effort coordinated by local school systems and the Exceptional Children Division, State Department of Public Instruction, to locate and identify children and youth ages birth through 21 with disabilities who are in need of special education and related services and to inform parents and/or guardians of the services available from their local school system and other state and community agencies.

Website: <http://ec.ncpublicschools.gov/policies/project-child-find/project-child-find>

Onslow County Schools EC Office: (910) 455-2211

### **Social Security Administration**

The Social Security and Supplemental Security Income disability programs are the largest of several Federal programs that provide assistance to people with disabilities.

Website: [www.ssa.gov/disability](http://www.ssa.gov/disability)

New Bern Office: 1420 McCarthy Blvd., New Bern

Phone: (888) 491-1885

### **Special Olympics**

The world's largest sports organization for children and adults with intellectual disabilities, providing year-round training and competitions to more than 4.2 million athletes in 170 countries

Website: [www.specialolympics.org](http://www.specialolympics.org)

### **Special Education Alliance 4 Eastern North Carolina**

The Special Education Alliance 4 Eastern North Carolina (SEAL4ENC) organization was created to unite parents, students, teachers, and professionals in educational settings to create system change. We assist families through Workshops, Fairs, Parent to Parent Connection, Sibshops, One on One Educational support, Lending Library, and Life Skills Supports for our disabled community! While we see a strong need in our community for a facility which supports people with disabilities lifelong, it is our vision to create this dream! Special Education 4 Eastern North Carolina (SEAL4ENC) is a non-profit organization which empowers parents and professionals to excel to their highest abilities through education and training while seeking the strongest outcome possible for all students, especially students with disabilities. We support system change that will enrich the lives and the quality of life for children and young adults with disabilities.

Phone: (910)546-3965

Email: [seal4enc@gmail.com](mailto:seal4enc@gmail.com)

### **Spina Bifida Association of the Carolinas**

Website: [www.spinabifidaassociation.org/chapter/sbancsc/about/](http://www.spinabifidaassociation.org/chapter/sbancsc/about/)

Email: Kristi Wass [kwass@sbaa.org](mailto:kwass@sbaa.org)

Phone: (202) 618-4752

### **TEACCH - Wilmington Center**

The Wilmington TEACCH® Center serves individuals with autism spectrum disorders in the southeastern region of North Carolina. Services include diagnostic evaluations, treatment planning and implementation, education, consultation, training opportunities and research.

Website: <http://teacch.com/regional-centers/wilmington-teacch-center>

Phone: (919) 455-0680

Address: 1099 Medical Center Drive, Suite 102, Wilmington

### **Trillium Health Resources**

Trillium Health Resources is a local governmental agency that manages mental health, substance use and intellectual/developmental disability services in a 24-county area in eastern North Carolina. Our responsibility is to connect individuals and families to the help they need when they need it. We are responsible for managing state and federally funded services for people who receive Medicaid, are uninsured or cannot afford services. Trillium does not provide direct care. Instead, we partner with agencies and licensed therapists in our Provider Network to offer services and supports to people in need in or near their own communities. We ensure the delivery of the right services, in the right amount, at the right time. We also work collaboratively with local nonprofits, other governmental agencies, medical providers, and hospitals to create a holistic system of total patient care that recognizes all needs of an individual.

Website: <http://www.trilliumhealthresources.org/>

Address: 165 Center St. Jacksonville, NC 28546

Phone: Administrative and Business: **1-866-998-2597**

**24 Hour Crisis Services & Service Enrollment: 1-877-685-2415**

### **UNC Wilmington – Disability Resource Center**

The Disability Resource Center is the designated office that provides services to students with disabilities who are enrolled at UNCW. UNCW is open and accessible to students with disabilities. We are committed to providing assistance to enable qualified students to accomplish their educational goals as well as ensuring equal opportunity to derive all of the benefits of campus life.

Website: <http://uncw.edu/disability/>

Email: DRC@uncw.edu

Phone: (910) 962-7555 TYY: (800) 735-2962

### **Vocational Rehabilitation of Jacksonville**

The Division of Vocational Rehabilitation Services (known to many simply as “VR”) provides counseling, training, education, transportation, job placement, assistive technology, and other support services. These services are provided to people with physical, psychiatric, or intellectual disabilities and to individuals who are deaf or hard of hearing or have other communicative disorders to assist them with living independently and with finding a job and staying on the job.

Address: 39B Office Park Drive, Jacksonville

Website: [www.ncdhhs.gov/dvrs](http://www.ncdhhs.gov/dvrs)

Phone: (910) 455-1445