



State Resources for Seniors in Georgia

At PayingforSeniorCare, we understand that learning about and accessing the assistance you need isn't easy. We created this guide to help seniors and their families learn about the available financial assistance options for senior living and senior care in your state so you can focus on what matters: finding the right senior care for your loved one. In the following resource guide, learn about the financial assistance options for senior care and senior living in your state, what benefits the different programs offer, who is eligible, and how to apply.

Food Assistance Programs for Seniors

Seniors often struggle to eat a healthy, nutritious diet. This is especially true when they're taking prescription medications or living with a medical condition that affects the absorption of certain nutrients. In Georgia, there are several assistance programs, including Meals on Wheels, that ensure seniors have access to healthy food when they need it most.

Meals on Wheels

Meals on Wheels is a nonprofit, volunteer-run organization that provides food for seniors throughout Georgia. Each branch determines its own meal schedule and food availability, but in most cases, food is delivered daily.

	Area Served	Address	Phone Number
Meals on Wheels Atlanta	Atlanta	1705 Commerce Drive NW, Atlanta, GA 30318	(404) 351-3889
Meals on Wheels Coweta	Coweta County	P.O. Box 73437 Newnan, GA 30271	(678) 423-1700
Meals on Wheels Athens	Athens and surrounding area	135 Hoyt Street, Athens, GA 30601	(706) 549-4850
Meals on Wheels Houston County	Houston County	1200 North Knollwood Circle, Anaheim, CA 92801	(714) 220-0224
Meals on Wheels Baldwin County	Baldwin County	131 Tonya Road, Milledgeville, GA 31061	(478) 387-6731
Meals on Wheels of Middle Georgia	Bibb, Crawford, Jones and Monroe Counties	1212 Gray Highway, Macon, GA 31208	(478) 745-9140
Meals on Wheels of Murray County	Murray County	217 Market Street, Chatsworth, GA 30705	(706) 695-7050
SOWEGA Council on Aging Meals on Wheels	Baker, Calhoun, Colquitt, Decatur, Dougherty, Early, Grady, Lee, Miller, Mitchell, Seminole, Terrell, Thomas and Worth Counties	335 West Society Avenue, Albany, GA 31701	(831) 375-4454

Food Pantries

Food pantries help low-income seniors and families stock their homes with necessary food items, such as pasta, canned goods, rice and other non-perishables. Most often, food pantries are hosted by nonprofit organizations that set their own eligibility guidelines and operating standards.

	Area Served	Address	Phone Number
Georgia Food Bank Association	Entire State		(404) 419-1738
Project Life Food Pantry	Augusta	1758 Gordon Highway, Augusta, GA	(706) 364-4043
Feeding GA Families	Atlanta, Ivey	2514 W. Point Avenue, Atlanta, GA 30337	(678) 223-3663
Little Free Pantry	Athens	125 E. Washington Street, Athens, GA 30601	(706) 621-2836
Thomas Park Food Pantry	Savannah	1802 Abercorn Street, Savannah, GA 31401	(912) 232-0274

Government Assistance Programs

Government-administered assistance programs are available to provide support for those facing food insecurity and struggling with obtaining regular nutritious meals.

	Area Served	Address	Phone Number
The Emergency Food Assistance Program	Statewide	2 Peachtree Street NW, 19th Floor, Atlanta, GA 30303	(866) 632-9992
Georgia Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (Food Stamps)	Statewide	Administered at the county level.	(877) 423-4746