

Reentry Resource Guide for Martin County



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PLEASE READ THIS FIRST!

Nothing is more frustrating these days than trying to get an actual human being to answer the phone when you call organizations for assistance. This can especially be true for government agencies. If this happens to you when contacting any of the service providers listed in this Reentry Resource Guide, remember the following:

- Try to find all the information you need on the service provider's website, which OurJourney gives for every service provider that has one. That way you won't even need to call. If the website gives an email address, you might try emailing the service provider with your non-emergency questions.
- Sometimes by pressing the zero button on your phone you can skip past the recorded message and be sent straight to a human operator.
- Know ahead of time exactly what you want to ask; have any materials you need on hand before you call (such as ID, application, etc.).
- Be patient. If you simply can't wait on hold any longer, choose the option that lets you leave a voicemail (if available).
- If you leave a voicemail, remember to state your name and phone number clearly, along with the reason for your call.
- Make sure you're available for call-back during normal business hours. If you can't be, when you leave your voicemail provide a time range for call-back.

Also remember, many people in your community need help too. So you may be placed on a waiting list for some services. Our Journey always recommends that you begin your search for assistance by contacting the One-Stop Resource Centers listed at the front of this guide. Why? Because these service providers usually have the resources and connections in the community to provide more immediate and specific help.

Agencies, organizations, ministries or businesses with a beside their listing are close partners of OurJourney. We have verified not just their basic information but that they are dedicated to helping you rebuild your life. Make sure you mention that OurJourney sent you!

Finally, remember that your success ultimately depends on **YOU**! OurJourney encourages you not to give up if you can't find help when and how you need it. We know firsthand how frustrating it can be when things don't go the way you hope, but we also know that **the worst day in freedom is better than the best day in prison**, and that patience and perseverance are just as important to your success as the assistance you need.

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Resource Guide - Martin County

The service providers listed below are for Martin County and surrounding areas. Agencies, organizations or businesses may be listed multiple times if they offer services in multiple categories. Agencies, organizations or businesses listed under the category "One-Stop Resource Centers" offer assistance in all or nearly all other categories. Our Journey does not endorse any of the agencies, organizations or businesses listed below, unless otherwise noted by a check mark beside the listing.

Our Journey has verified the accuracy of the information in this Resource Guide as of the date printed on the bottom of each page. There may be other service providers in Martin County not listed. Please call 252-220-9516 or email contact@ourjourney2gether.com to report any discrepancies or to suggest other service providers in Martin County.

NOTE: Martin County is limited in reentry support resources, which is why some of the resource providers listed in this guide are from neighboring counties. Your parole officer will most likely allow you to travel outside of Martin County for reentry assistance. However, you should always contact your parole officer before leaving Martin County for any reason, even to visit the reentry resource providers listed in this guide. Failure to obtain permission from your parole officer to travel outside of Martin County may result in a violation of the conditions of your post-release.

One-Stop Resource Centers

North Carolina ePASS

https://epass.nc.gov/

North Carolina ePASS is a new online way to apply for Benefits and services as a resident of the state. It is made available by the NC Department of Health and Human Services. You can apply for Food & Nutrition Services, apply for Energy Assistance, register to vote (if eligible) and apply for other state services. You will need to set up an account first and you must have an active email account. You will also need a photo ID and your birth certificate to set up an account.

Setting up an account is free. To qualify for benefits, you must meet certain guidelines.

One-Stop Resource Centers

The Salvation Army of Washington

112 E. 7th St. Washington, NC 27889

252-946-2523

https:// southernusa.salvationarmy.org/ washington/

Tuesday through Saturday: 10:00 AM

to 4:00 PM

Provides a wide variety of services, including Disaster Relief, Shelter, Food, Rent and Utility Assistance, and Clothing.

Always contact your parole officer before leaving Martin

Assistance is free; some services provided by partner organizations may charge fees

United Way of Pitt County

1440 East Arlington Blvd., Suite B Greenville. NC 27858

252-758-1604

https://www.uwpcnc.org/

Monday through Friday: 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM

Provides support to dozens of member agency programs in Pitt County. In addition to calling the number provided for the Pitt County office, you can get 24-hour assistance by calling the United Way hotline by dialing 211. The address provided is for the main Greenville office in Pitt County, which also services Martin County.

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Food Resources

JOY Community Center & Soup Kitchen

700 Albemarle Ave. Greenville, NC 27834

252-561-7519

https://joycommunitycenter.org/

Lunch: Monday through Friday from

10:30 AM to 12:30 PM

Dinner: Monday through Thursday

from 5:00 to 6:00 PM

Serves a free, nutritious lunch meal each weekday and a free, nutritious dinner Monday through Thursday each week.
They may also be able to connect you with healthcare resources and job placement assistance.

Always contact your parole

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Free to everyone

Food Resources

Faith Community Outreach

301 South Front St. Hamilton, NC 27840 (Inside the Morris Lynch Community Center)

Wednesday: 7:00 AM to 8:00 AM

302 N. Grimes St. Robersonville, NC 27871

Tuesday and Thursday: 5:00 PM to

6:00 PM

Saturday: Noon to 1:00 PM

252-377-3122 252-717-9600

https://fco2019.org/

Provides food assistance to Martin County residents through their hunger relief program. They all provide community resources and educational programs to those in need. Bring ID (prison ID accepted). Call ahead to be sure they are open.

Free

Catholic Charities - Tar River Region

1746 Union St. Greenville NC 27834

252-355-5111

https:// www.catholiccharitiesraleigh.org/tarriver/

Monday through Thursday: 8:00 AM to 5:30 PM (Closed from Noon to 1:00 PM every Tuesday)

Provides healthy food and nutritional awareness to Pitt County residents in need. Individuals and families can access the food pantry once every 30 days and will be provided referrals to other community food banks. Families seeking assistance with food will also be screened for other needs which Catholic Charities can either address, or make a referral to a community partner.

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Food Resources

Friends of God Food Pantry

503 N. Haughton St. Williamston, NC 27892

252-799-9456

Find them on Facebook at Friends of Good Food Pantry

Second Tuesday of every month from 3:30 PM to 5:30 PM

Provides a pre-prepared box of food for anyone who comes to their drive-thru pantry. Bring an ID (prison ID accepted) and proof of residency in Martin County.

Free

Medical / Dental Resources

Martin-Tyrell-Washington **District Health**

210 West Liberty St. Williamston, NC 27892

252-793-1619

https://mtwdistricthealth.org/

Monday through Friday: 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM

Offers assistance with a variety of basic health needs, including disease prevention and others. Also offers free HIV and other STD testing and free COVID testing and vaccinations. Will also help with referrals to other health care providers in Martin County.

Offers Clinical Services on a sliding fee scale based on income for anyone regardless of ability to pay. They also accept Medicaid. Medicare and private insurances.

Agape Health Services

1130 Godwin Dr. Williamston, NC 27892

Medical: 252-789-0401 **Dental:** 252-802-3013 Pharmacy: 252-802-3066

https://www.agapechc.org/

Medical: Mondays through Friday:

8:00 AM to 5:00 PM

Dental: Wednesday: 8:00 AM to 5:00

Pharmacy: Mondays through Friday:

8:30 AM to 5:30 PM

(The location is closed for lunch from Noon to 1:00 PM daily.)

Agape Health Services offers the following services:

- · Primary health care
- Dental
- On-site pharmacy
- Medication Assistance Treatment (MAT)
- Drug treatment
- · Alcohol and smoking cessation Bring ID, Social Security Card, proof of income and proof of insurance or Medicaid (if available).

Your Parole Office may be able to help you with these documents. Must fill out an application and be approved for services.

They offer reduced fees for the uninsured based on income, family size and federally determined percentage of "Poverty Levels." Accepts Medicare. Medicaid and most insurance.

Medical / Dental Resources



NC MedAssist

866-331-1348

medassist.org

NC MedAssist is a statewide program for those who do not have the means to buy life-saving medications to treat chronic diseases such as heart disease. diabetes, and asthma. To qualify you must live in NC, not have any insurance (not even Medicaid) and have income that is at or below 300% of the national poverty average. (To give you an example, if you live with one other person, the combined yearly income for both of you can't be more than \$54,930, or \$4,577 per month.) Visit their website to enroll or call for more information. They also have a Mobile Free Pharmacy that travels the state handing out free Over The Counter medications to anyone, no ID required.

Free for those who qualify and aren't insured

OurJourney can help you enroll in NC MedAssist's free pharmacy program! Call us 252-220-1956 to learn more.



Parks Insurance

153 S. Oakland Ave. Rock Hill SC 29730

866-932-7200

https://parksinsured.com/

Monday through Friday: 8:00 AM to 7:00 PM

Parks Insurance is licensed in all 50 states to offer healthcare insurance to individuals returning from prison. Through a special program called G.I.F.T. (Giving Insurance Freely for Transition), you are eligible to receive healthcare insurance with ZERO monthly payments and little, if any, deductibles. This plan covers doctor visits, medication, behavioral health, surgery, hospital stays and more. Everyone qualifies, even those with preexisting conditions.

Free

OurJourney can help you enroll in Parks Insurance's G.I.F.T. program! Call us 252-220-1956 to learn more or call Parks Insurance and speak to a representative.

Medical / Dental Resources

Community Crossroads Clinic

207 Manhattan Ave. Greenville, NC 27834

252-758-9244

https://

www.communitycrossroadscenter.or g/our-programs/communitycrossroads-clinic

Mondays from 6:30 PM to 9:30 PM and the first and third Thursdays of each month from 6:30 PM to 9:30 PM

The Greenville Community Shelter
Clinic is a free medical clinic run
by medical students at the Brody
School of Medicine at East
Carolina University. The clinic
offers basic medical services and
referrals to anyone in need of
them. The clinic offers primary
care appointments (for chronic
and acute care needs), referral
options, prescription medication
drop-off services, and mental
health services.

Appointments are on a first-come, first-serve basis.

They also offer emergency shelter for up to three months and will provide referrals for agencies and organizations in the community that provide other services.

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Mental Health & Substance Abuse Resources

Port Health - Greenville Methadone Program

501 Paladin Dr. Greenville, NC 27834

252-353-5346 866-488-7678 (Crisis Line)

https://www.porthealth.org/ treatment/adult-services/alcoholsubstance-usetreatment/medicationassisted-therapy

Everyday: 6:00 AM to 5:00 PM

The Greenville Methadone Clinic believes that Medication Assisted Therapy (MAT) is most effective when it is administered in conjunction with comprehensive therapeutic services. The combination of these two treatments creates better outcomes for the patient, such as increased independence and greater integration back into their family and the community.

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Fees are on a sliding scale, or based on what you can afford to pay. Nobody is turned away because of an inability to pay.

Mental Health & Substance Abuse Resources

Agape Health Services

1130 Godwin Dr. Williamston, NC 27892

252-789-0401

https://www.agapechc.org/

Mondays through Friday: 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM (Closed for lunch from Noon to 1:00 PM daily.)

Agape Health Services offers the following services:

- · Medication Assistance Treatment (MAT)
- Opioid Use Disorder treatment
- · Alcohol and smoking cessation
- Individual counseling Bring ID, Social Security Card, proof of income and proof of insurance or Medicaid (if available).

Your Parole Office may be able to help you with these documents. Must fill out an application and be approved for services.

They offer reduced fees for the uninsured based on income, family size and federally determined percentage of "Poverty Levels." Accepts Medicare. Medicaid and most insurance.

The HOPE Exchange

Fixed Site: 817 East Blvd. Suite 1B Williamston, NC 27892

Mobile Delivery Site: 200 Greene St. Williamston, NC 27892

252-310-0017 or 252-793-1607

Find them on Facebook at The **HOPE** Exchange

They properly dispose of used needles, provide sterile syringes, naloxone, fentanyl test strips, HIV and HepC testing, personal hygiene supplies, information about treatment options, all in a safe, judgement-free place. Call for details about their hours and mobile delivery schedule. Ask for Yerlin Villegas. The HOPE Exchange is part of the Martin-Tyrell-Washington District Health Center.

Free

Job Training / Job Placement Resources



NCWorks Career Center

161 Kehukee Park Rd., Building 1, Room 12 Williamston, NC 27892

252-789-0262

https://www.ncworks.gov/

Monday and Wednesday: 8:30 AM to 4:30 PM (closed for lunch from Noon

to 1:00 PM)

Offers support for everything from Free creating a resume and finding the right job opportunities to preparing clients for job interviews. Website has links for Finding a Job.

Job Training / Job Placement Resources

Vocational Rehabilitation Center

405 East Blvd. Williamston, NC 27892

252-802-5400

https://www.ncdhhs.gov/divisions/vocational-rehabilitation-services

Monday through Friday: 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM

Provides a variety of services, depending on your specific needs. They are customized to help you find a job and offer career counseling, education and training, job placement assistance and on-going support, medical treatments and assistive technology. Works specifically with those who have physical, mental or emotional disabilities.

Free

Roebuck Staffing Company

300 E Arlington Blvd., Suite 3A Greenville, NC 27858

252-364-8700

https://www.roebuckstaffing.com/

Monday through Friday: 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM

Offers temporary to permanent job placement from clerical to construction jobs. Must consent to a background check. Drug screening may be required. Call for an appointment or apply online. No walk ins.

Always contact your parole officer before leaving Martin County.

Free

Financial Resources



Operation HOPE

704-680-3163

https://operationhope.org

Monday through Friday: 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM

Helps individuals of all ages and backgrounds, including the formerly incarcerated, by offering financial education, one-on-one coaching, courses on credit score improvement, as well as pathways toward homeownership and starting a business. They have eight locations across the state of North Carolina, but since they can also provide their services over the phone, they can help you even if you don't live near one of their locations. This is a great (and totally free) program for those who want to understand how to rebuild their credit and financial life after incarceration. Call Alisha Kenny at the number provided to set up an initial

appointment.

Free



Stretch Financial

877-275-4115

https://www.stretch.money/

Monday through Friday: 10:00 AM to 6:00 PM

Offers a free financial account for people returning from prison with features and functionality similar to traditional banks. A Stretch account comes with a MasterCard Debit Card, free direct deposit and customer service to answer any questions you might have. Best of all, you can use your prison ID to open the account. All you'll need is your Social Security number, a physical address so they can mail your debit card and an active email address. They will also ask for your legal name, date of birth and phone number (if you have one). To apply, visit their website, scroll down and click on the "Learn More" button under Justice-Involved.

There are no fees to open or maintain an account

Transportation Resources

Martin County Transit (MCT)

Office:

314 Ray St. Williamston, NC 27892

252-789-4390

https:// www.martincountyncgov.com/ departments/transit.php

Office Hours:

Monday through Saturday: 8:00 AM

to 5:00 PM

Service Hours:

Monday through Saturday: 4:00 AM

to 5:00 PM

(Saturday service available only for

dialysis patients.)

Provides van transportation services to Martin County residents living outside the city of Greenville They will pick you up, take you to your destination in Martin County and return you. You must schedule your trip no later than 3 days before you want to be picked up.

One-way fare: \$2.00 Two-way fare: \$4.00 Rides are available outside of Martin County for additional fees.

Greenville Area Transit (GREAT)

Office:

600 South Pitt St. Greenville, NC 27834

252-329-4532

https://www.greenvillenc.gov/ government/public-works/great-bussystem

Service Hours:

Monday through Friday: 7:25 AM to

5:15 PM

Provides city bus transportation throughout Greenville. Visit their website or call for information about specific routes.

Always contact your parole officer before leaving Martin County.

One-way fare: \$1.00; Unlimited Day Pass: \$2.00 22-Ride Punch Card: \$20.00 44-Ride Punch Card: \$40.00 Those over the age of 65 are eligible for reduced fares

Clothing Resources

Goodwill Industries - Pitt County

720 Red Banks Rd. Greenville, NC 27858 252-321-1886

600 Whitley Dr. Winterville, NC 28590 252-756-1423

https://www.gienc.org/

Monday through Friday: 9:00 AM to

8:30 PM

Saturday: 9:00 AM to 6:00 PM Sunday: Noon to 6:00 PM Offers previously-owned clothing and other items at extremely low prices. You can often find namebrand clothes in good to great condition.

Always contact your parole officer before leaving Martin County.

Men's pants are as low as \$4.50 each, shirts as low as \$2.99 each. Other items are priced low also.

Goodwill Industries - Washington

630 West 15th St. Washington, NC 27889

252-975-3162

https://www.gienc.org/store/washington

Monday through Friday: 9:00 AM to

8:00 PM

Saturday: 9:00 AM to 6:00 PM Sunday: Noon to 6:00 PM Offers previously-owned clothing and other items at extremely low prices. You can often find namebrand clothes in good to great condition.

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Men's pants are as low as \$4.50 each, shirts as low as \$2.99 each. Other items are priced low also.

Clothing Resources

Salvation Army Family Store - Greenville

2700 S Memorial Dr. Greenville, NC 27834 252-364-8736

Tuesday through Saturday: 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM

3752 S. Main St. Farmville, NC 27828 252-753-2784

Tuesday through Friday: 9:00 AM to 4:30 PM

Saturday: 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM

https:// southernusa.salvationarmy.org/pittcounty/ Offers previously-owned clothing and other items at extremely low prices. You can often find namebrand clothes in good to great condition. They may provide you with a voucher for free clothing if you let them know that you've recently been released from prison.

Always contact your parole officer before leaving Martin County.

Prices vary depending on item

Habitat for Humanity - ReStore

146 SW Greenville Blvd. Greenville, NC 27834

252-329-8364

https://habitatpittco.org/restore/

Monday through Saturday: 9:30 AM to 5:30 PM

Restore sells new and used household items, appliances, furnishings, building material, and home improvement items to the public. All materials are donated by individuals, businesses, or contractors and are available for sale to the public for at least 50% below retail prices.

Proceeds from ReStore directly support Habitat for Humanity of Pitt County's mission to build safe, affordable homes in the community.

Always contact your parole officer before leaving Martin County.

Prices vary depending on item

Directory for Martin County Agencies:

Martin County	305 E Main St., Suite 101	252-792-3469
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Probation Department Williamston, NC 27892

Martin County DMV 305 E Main St., Suite 116 252-789-4395

Williamston, NC 27892

Martin County Dpt. 305 E Main St. 252-789-4400

of Social Services Williamston, NC 27892

Directory for State and Federal Government Programs that Offer Temporary Assistance:

SNAP (Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program): www.fns.usda.gov/snap/supplemental-nutrition-assistance-program

LIEAP (Low Income Energy Assistance): www.ncdhhs.gov/divisions/social-services/energy-assistance-lieap

TANF (Temporary Assistance for Needy Families): www.ncdhhs.gov/divisions/social-services/work-first-family-assistance

Other Organizations that Offer Assistance:

The National Reentry Network for Returning Citizens is a national network comprised of individuals returning from incarceration who support each other's successful reintegration. To learn more, visit their website at https://thenationalreentrynetwork.org/.

National Suicide Prevention Hotline: Dial 988 or online at www.988lifeline.org.

Felony Record Hub (an online resource with jobs, housing and reentry advice for people with criminal records): www.felonyrecordhub.com

Honest Jobs is the nation's leading job marketplace for people affected by the criminal justice system. Honest Jobs has over 300,000 job openings from 1,000+ fair-chance employers: www.honestjobs.com

Veterans Resources in Martin County (for all military veterans): 252-789-4399 or online at https://www.martincountyncgov.com/departments/veterans services/index.php

NC211.org (an online information and referral service provided by United Way of North Carolina. It offers a searchable database with information about resources for all 100 counties in North Carolina)

Other Assistance Available through OurJourney: Anyone returning to any county in North Carolina from any state prison is automatically eligible to participate in the OurJourney Essential Services program. The Essential Service programs provides one-on-one, professional assistance, including help with writing a resume, preparing for a job interview, handling stress and rejection, smartphone training, and six other essential services for those rebuilding their lives after incarceration. This program is free of charge. To learn more or to enroll, call 704-220-9516 or visit www.ourjourney2gether.com/essential-services.



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