

Therapist Referral List

(The persons on this list are not necessarily endorsed by our Center)

Jackson County

Western Carolina Counseling Services

Jean Kirkland, MA, LPC **(MEDCOST)**
John Ritchie, PhD **(MEDCOST/ Medicaid)**
103 Sylva Heights, P.O. Box 2208
Sylva, NC 28779
828-586-8700

Mary Ellen Griffin, PhD.

568 West Main Street, Suite E
Sylva, NC 28779
828-586-5511

Mountain Mediation Services

Grindstaff Cove Road, Room 254
Sylva, NC 28779
(Servicing Sylva area)
828-586-7580

Mountain Youth Resources (Medicaid)

Christine Mercier, LCSW, Sylva
Michael Neidig, LCSW, Franklin
151 DeSoto Trail
Sylva, NC 28779
586-8958
828-524-3833 (Franklin)
1-866-586-6739, (toll free)

Nancy Marts, LCSW

(MEDCOST/ Medicaid)
Colonial Square
Sylva, NC 28779
828-712-0109

Nicholas Emmanuel, MA

Psychotherapist
828-508-4539

Meridian Behavioral Health/ Recovery

Education Center
John Esslinger
828-631-3973
Take insurance **(alcohol resource)**

REACH of Jackson County (Medicaid)

82 Jim Sellers Road
Sylva, NC 28779
828-631-4488
Crisis after Hours: 586-8969

Smoky Mountain Center

44 Bonnie Lane
Sylva, NC 28779
828-586-5501
800-849-6127, ACCESS

Meridian Behavioral Health (MEDCOST / Medicaid)

154 Medical Park Loop
Sylva, NC 28779
828-631-3973
In Crisis call 800-849-6127

Sylva Clinical Associates (MEDCOST/ Medicaid)

Laura Coffey, Ph.D. (adult psychology)
Jerry A. Coffey, Ph.D. (child psychology)
Ray Krych, Ph.D (general psych)
Elizabeth Tulou, MA (general psych)
Rudy Rodriguez, MSW, LCSW
(adolescent/adult psychology)
Susan McKinnish, LCSW
Steve French, MA/LCSW
186 Medical Park Loop, Suite 502
Sylva, NC 28779
828-586-5555/888-823-8765
Fax 828-582-5527

Haywood County

Beth Wooten, LPC
(MEDCOST)
563 North Main Street
Waynesville, NC 28786
828-593-9236
(speaks Spanish)

Haywood Counseling Associates
(MEDCOST)
387 North Main Street
Waynesville, NC 28786
828-452-0546

Haywood Intensive Out-Patient Therapy
(substance abuse)
Call Smoky Mountain Center at
800-849-6127 for appt.
(12 weeks of 3 days a week for \$131 per day or
\$4716 total. Must be resident of Jackson Co. to be
eligible. They will try to locate resources to pick-
up what is not covered by private insurance.)

Marilyn Friedkin, LCSW
(MEDCOST / Medicaid)
563 North Main Street
Waynesville, NC 28786
828-456-3246

Martha Teater
Blue Ridge Family Practice
Waynesville, NC
828-627-3411

Mountain Mediation Center
Bob McElroy (Coordinator)
828-452-0240/800-789-4675

Rebecca Gibson, MSW, LCSW
(MEDCOST)
413 Walnut Street
Waynesville, NC 28786
828-452-5595

Smoky Mountain Counseling Center
(Sliding scale)
828-456-9452

Daniel Yearick, LPC
(Medicaid)
563 N. Main Street
Waynesville, NC 28786
(Substance Abuse)

Haywood County Continued

The Life Counseling Center
(MEDCOST)
124 Life Way
Clyde, NC 28721
828-627-5433
828-627-1703
(Substance abuse)

Macon County

Mental Health Professionals (MEDCOST)
574 Palmer Street
Franklin, NC 28734
828-524-3833

Mountain Youth Resources
Michael Neidig, LCSW, Director
(MEDCOST)
828-456-8604
Alcohol Resource

Nantahala Counseling Center
(MEDCOST) Individual
2472 Highlands Road
Franklin, NC 28734
828-524-3040

REACH of Macon County
(Domestic violence counseling)
828-369-5544

Smoky Mountain Counseling Center
(MEDCOST)
100 Thomas Heights
Franklin, NC 28734
828-524-4435

Swain County

Alternatives Counseling & Wellness Center
837 Main Street
Bryson City, NC 28713
828-488-8311

Mountain Mediation Services
12 Everet Street
Bryson City, NC 28713
828-488-8812/800-789-4675

Smoky Mountain Counseling Center
P.O. Box 181
Bryson City, NC 28713
828-488-3818

Buncombe County

Asheville Center Group & Family Therapy
Pam White, M.A.
John White, C.S.W. (AUST)
Family, Individuals, Couples Therapy and
on-going groups
828-274-5757

Asheville Family Institute
Joan Grimmes
828-254-6680

Asheville Grove Clinic (7 clinicians)
1 Vanderbilt Park Drive
Asheville, NC 28801
828-253-6797/828-274-2221

Asheville Mediation Center
189 College Street
Asheville, NC
828-251-6089

Bett Sanders, Ph.D.
828-274-5388

*Biltmore Associates in
Psychiatry/Psychology*
7 Yorkshire Drive, Suite 201
Asheville, NC 28803
828-274-8035

*Blue Ridge Neuropsychological
Association*
Mark Hill, Ph.D.
Asheville, NC
828-684-9123

*Family Relationships Center
(Sexual dysfunction)*
828-258-8365

Buncombe County Continued

Family Therapy Inc.
Lisa Holt, ACSW
34 Wall Street, Suite 804
Asheville, NC 28801
(Family, couples and individual)
828-252-0048

*Helpmate, Inc. 24 Hour Crisis
Domestic Violence Services*
828-254-0516 CRISIS LINE
828-254-2968 Ext. 12 (Christy)

Linda Brannon Shamblin
206 East Chestnut Street
Asheville, NC 28801
828-258-9399

Our Voice (Rape Crisis Center)
(Free, but must have intake to determine
eligibility)
In United Way Building
Crisis line: 828-255-7576
Office: 828-252-0562

Pisgah Institute (16 clinicians)
75 Zillicoa Street
Asheville, NC 28801
828-254-9494

Psychotherapy Offices
53 Arlington Street
Asheville, NC 28801
828-251-5096