

**FREE HEALTH CARE (area code 352)**

HELPING HANDS CLINIC, 509 NE 1st Street 519-5542  
 Monday 5pm-7pm; Thurs-Women's night 4pm-7pm  
 WESTSIDE SAMARITANS CLINIC, 10000 W. Newberry Road  
 Thursdays 5pm-8pm  
 EQUAL ACCESS CLINIC, 273-8614  
 Monday 5:30pm @ Library 3020 SW 75th Street  
 Tues 5pm @ GCM 238 SW 4th Avenue  
 Wed. 6pm @ Bartley Temple 1936 SE 8th Ave.  
 Thursday 6pm -9pm @ 1707 N. Main Street  
 RAHMA MERCY CLINIC, 5220 SW 13th Street  
 Saturdays 9am-1pm  
 SHANDS MOBILE CLINIC 11 4, Mon-Thurs 262-0162  
 FL DEPT OF HEALTH DENTAL HOME PROGRAM  
 Call for appointment & info 225-4320

**SUBSTANCE ABUSE/DETOX HELP (area code 352)**

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS 372-8091  
 NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS 376-8008  
 BRIDGE HOUSE DETOX 374-5614  
 VA TREATMENT PROGRAM 376-1611, X 6764  
 METAMORPHOSIS 955-2450

**VETERAN'S SERVICES & SHELTERS**

HEALTHCARE FOR HOMELESS VETS/HONOR CNTR 548-1800  
 VETSPACE 225-3995  
 VOLUNTEERS OF AMERICA 377-9440  
 ALACHUA COUNTY VETERANS SERVICES 264-6740  
 VA HOSPITAL 376-1611

**GAINESVILLE STREET CARD**



Resources for people without housing in Gainesville, FL and an overview of civil rights on the street

Produced and distributed by the North Central Florida Coalition for the Homeless and Hungry, Inc.  
 3055 NE 28th Drive. Gainesville, FL 32609  
 (352) 792-0800  
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**MEALS**

GRACE MARKETPLACE, 3055 NE 28th Drive  
Breakfast: M-F 7am-8am; Sat 8am-9am; Sun 9:15am-9:45am  
Dinner: M-F 5:30pm-6:30pm; Sat/Sun 4:30pm-5:30pm  
 ST FRANCIS HOUSE, 413 S. Main St. , Lunch Daily 10am - 1pm  
 HOME VAN PET PROJECT Behind Lynch Park, 2pm  
 Wednesdays, sharing pet food

**SHELTERS (area code 352)**

Some shelters require guests to be screened for outstanding warrants prior to entry. A police clearance can be obtained from GPD, 545 NW 8th Ave. Photo ID is required.  
 ST. FRANCIS HOUSE, 413 S. Main St. 378-9079  
 (Women, men, families w/children, cold nights)  
 CDS INTERFACE YOUTH SHELTER (10-17) 244-0618  
 PEACEFUL PATHS (800)393-7233  
 (victims of men's violence against women)  
 ARBOR HOUSE 505-3311  
 (pregnant/mothers/ women, 18 & up)  
 FAMILY PROMISE 378-2030  
 (families w/children)  
 GRACE MARKETPLACE, 2845 NE 39th Ave. 792-0800  
 (Adults, age 18+)

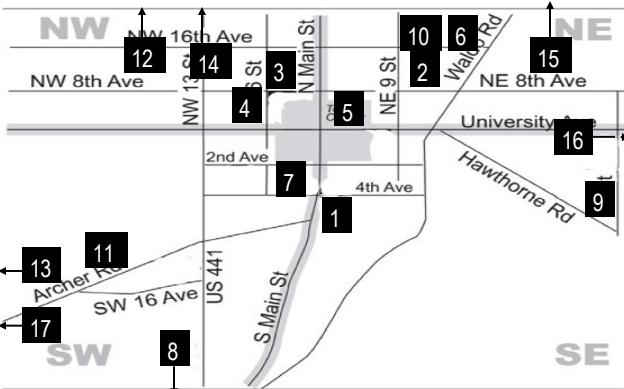
**GRACE Marketplace**

One-stop social services center.  
 3055 NE 28th Drive  
 Gainesville, FL 32609  
 (352) 792-0800

Services include:

Emergency Shelter for adults  
 Day Shelter  
 Daily Breakfast and Dinner  
 Case Management  
 Showers; restrooms  
 Storage of personal belongings  
 Lending Library  
 Laundry  
 Clothing Closet  
 Computer Lab  
 Access to a wide variety of community service providers all on the same campus.

Shelter sign-ups begin 9:00 a.m. daily at GRACE Marketplace. Call (352) 792-0800 to check availability.



- 1 St. Francis House 413 S. Main St.
- 2 VetSpace 1220 NE 8th Ave
- 3 Gainesville Police 545 NW 8th Ave
- 4 CareerSource 10 NW 6th St
- 5 Alachua Co Housing Authority 703 NE 1st St
- 6 Library Partnership Resource Ctr 1130 NE 16th Ave
- 7 Gainesville Community Ministries 238 SW 4th Ave
- 8 Meridian Behavioral Healthcare 4300 SW 13 St
- 9 Alachua County Health Department/ Social Services 224 SE 24th St
- 10 DCF 1000 NE16th Ave
- 11 Shands 600 SW Archer Rd
- 12 Social Security 4562 NW 13th St
- 13 Center for Independent Living 222 SW 36TH Terr.
- 14 Pride Community Center 3131 NW 13th St
- 15 GRACE Marketplace 3055 NE 28th Drive
- 16 Cone Park Library 2801 E University
- 17 FL Dept of Health Dental Home Prog 816 SW 64th Terr

**KNOW YOUR RIGHTS: STREET LAWS**

**CAMPING IN PARKS:** It is illegal to camp in public parks. You can sleep in a park during the day but you CANNOT BE THERE AFTER THE PARK IS CLOSED. City Ord. 18-20(2)  
**PARK CURFEW:** It is illegal to be in a park when it is closed. Parks are generally open from 6:00 a.m. to 11:30 p.m. unless otherwise posted. Check posted signs at each park. Hours are enforced even if there is not a posted sign. City Ord. 18-19(a)  
**TRESPASSING:** It is illegal to be on private property if (1) you were not invited and there is a posted "No Trespassing" sign, or (2) the property owner has filed a written request with police to keep people off of his/her property. Just because you don't see a "No Trespassing" sign, does NOT mean that you are not trespassing. Fla Stat. 810.09  
**CONSUMING ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES IN PUBLIC:** It is illegal to drink alcohol or to possess any type of open container with alcohol in it in any public place (if the seal on a bottle or can is broken, you are breaking the law) It is legal to drink on private property (unless you are trespassing) City Ord. 4-4; 76.3(e)  
**DISORDERLY INTOXICATION:** It is illegal to be intoxicated in public to the point that you are a danger to yourself, other people, or property. FL Stat. 856.011

**URINATING OR DEFECATING IN PUBLIC:** It is illegal to go to the bathroom in, or in view of, public areas. City Ord. 17-8  
**OCCUPYING A PARKED CAR:** It is NOT illegal to sit in or sleep in a parked car if you are following driving and parking rules. You CANNOT leave your car on a public street for more than 72 consecutive hours. You must also comply with parking rules on private property. City Ord. 26-47(b)  
**DISORDERLY CONDUCT:** It is illegal to block the movement of people or cars on public streets or sidewalks. City Ord. 17-4  
**PANHANDLING:** It is generally legal to panhandle on public sidewalks, but it is illegal to aggressively panhandle. You CAN'T ask someone for money after they have said "no." You CAN'T block the sidewalk or touch or threaten people.  
 It is also illegal to panhandle from persons traveling in cars on public streets, even if they are stopped at an intersection. You CANNOT panhandle within 12 feet of an outdoor café, a building entrance, or an ATM machine. There are other restrictions on panhandling found in City Ord. 19-79, 80.  
**POSSESSION OF ALCOHOL BY A PERSON UNDER 21:** No one under the age of 21 is allowed to possess alcohol. FL Stat. 562.111(1)

The information on this card is meant for educational purposes only and should not be taken as legal advice. These guidelines cover only the basics.

**USEFUL PHONE NUMBERS (area code 352)**

- United Way 2-1-1 2-1-1
- Alachua County Crisis Center Hotline 264-6789
- Alachua County Housing Authority 372-2549
- Alachua County Social Services 264-6750
- Catholic Charities (Emergency food) 372-0294
- CareerSource 955-2245
- Center for Independent Living 378-7474
- DCF (Food stamps/TANF/Medicaid eligibility) (866)762-2237
- Domestic Violence Hotline (800)393-7233
- Elder Options (800)963-5337
- Gainesville Community Ministries 372-8162
- Gainesville Housing Authority 872-5500
- Goodwill Job Junction 335-1311
- Holy Trinity Episcopal Ministry (Tues & Thurs 11-1) 372-4721
- Lazarus Restoration Ministries 317-3928
- Meridian Behavioral (Mental health services) 374-5600
- Pride Community Center 377-8915
- Salvation Army 376-1743
- Social Security Administration (local office) (877)219-8323
- St. Vincent de Paul 222-0588
- Three Rivers Legal Services 372-0519
- Voc Rehab 955-3200