2-1-1 (Resource Hotline)

24hr Support Specialized Crisis Services, (855) CRISIS-1 or (855-274-7471)

National Suicide Prevention, (800) 273-TALK or (800) 273- 8255

SNAP (Supplemental Nutrition Assistance

Program) Apply online: https://faonlineapp.dhs.tn.gov/ McMinn County Office, 1008 Knight Rd., Suite B, Athens, TN 423-744-2800 Monday-Friday, 8:00am – 4:30pm

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MUST set up an appointment Contact McMinn County Health Dept. 393 County Road 554 Athens TN 37303 423-745-7431 Monday-Friday, 8:00am-4:30pm

Budgeting/ Debt Reduction

Athens Church of the Nazarene 1908 W. Madison Ave., Athens, TN. 423-453-2041 Free budgeting and debt reduction class. On demand, call anytime

Educational/Employment

Adult Education 199 Clark St., Athens 423-745-5111 Day Classes: Tues, Wed. Thurs., 9am-noon Night Classes: Mon- Thurs., 5pm -8pm

American Job Center 410 Congress Pkwy. N., Athens, TN 423-745-2028 Monday – Friday, 8:00-4:30pm

Manpower 313 Decatur Pike, Athens, TN 423-381-8810 Monday – Friday, 8:00-6:00pm

Randstand 614 Decatur Pike, Athens, TN 423-745-0082 Monday – Friday, 8:00-5:00pm

UT Extension- McMinn SNAP E&T (Employment & Training) 107 W. College St., Athens, TN 423-745-2852 Series of classes, helps fund school needs, work equipment and uniform needs, etc. Monday – Friday, 8:00-5:00pm

Free Meals

Englewood Church of God 18 West Athens Street, Englewood, TN 423-887-5901 5:00 p.m.

Grace and Mercy Ministries 714 Walter Street Athens, TN Monday 12:00 p.m. Friday 12:00 p.m. Every 2nd, 3rd, and 4th Thursday at 6:00 p.m.

McMinn Co. Veteran Services Veterans, spouses and widows 5 E. Madison Avenue, Athens TN 423-744-1605 Every 2nd and 4th Wednesday 11:30-1:00pm

Seventh Day Adventist Church 230 New Englewood Road Athens, TN 2nd and 4th Saturday of the month 12:00 meal after service

St. Paul's Episcopal Church 123 North Jackson Street Athens, TN 423-745-2224 Every Wednesday at 12:00 p.m.

FOOD INSECURITY RESOURCES

Free Cooking School/ Food Budgeting

UT Extension- TNCEP 107 W. College St., Athens, TN 423-745-2852 Series of classes: sampling low-cost healthy recipes, food resource budgeting and more. Monday – Friday, 8:00-5:00pm

Food Pantry

Allen Memorial Methodist Church 800 Decatur Pike Athens, TN 423-745-1560 Monday – Thursday 9:30-3:00 Better Living Center 407 New Englewood Road, Athens, TN 423-744-7325 Food Bags: Apply in person (Every Tuesday 10:00am-12:00pm/ 1:00pm-4:00pm) Thrift Store: (Every Thursday 9:00am – 1:00pm)

Calhoun United Methodist Church 820 Highway 163 Calhoun TN, 37309 423-336-2484 Food pantry open Thursdays call for more info.

Coordinated Charities 109 Rocky Mount Road, Athens, TN Assistance Center- 423-745-9625, (M-R, 9:30am – 1:30pm) Thrift Store- 423-745-0860, (M-F, 9:00am – 5:00pm/ Sat. 10:00am – 3:00pm)

SETHRA (Commodities) Apply in person at the SETHRA Office, 814 S. White St., Athens, TN 423-745-8095 Pick-ups at the Armory the 20th of every 3rd Month.

Tennessee Wesleyan University Love Thy Neighbor Project Campus and Mobile Food Bank Must Register! New Registration Begins the 1st Monday of every month Contact Gabriel 423-746-5273 campus food bank Or Taylor 423-746-5273 extension 5232 Mobile Food bank Wesley Memorial Church 923 Ohio Avenue, Etowah, TN 423-263-2087 Must be in Etowah Utility District Tuesday –Thursday 9:00-12:00 p.m.

YMCA after School Feeding Program

(18 years and younger) Monday – Friday Contact, 423-745-4904

Athens Mews Apartments (by the 200 building) (Spring/Summer will start back up March 1st

Lee Manor Apartments (by the mailboxes) 4:00pm-4:45pm

Ridgetop Apartments (by the playground) 5:00pm-5:45pm (Spring / Summer only) March 1st will start back up

YMCA 4:00pm-6:00pm (all-year) 205 Knoxville Ave. Athens TN

School-Aged Children

Contact your school/ school system for children needs

Athens City Schools- Kids Care Closet, which is a combined effort with Kids Connection and Family Resource Center, who also provides for the county elementary aged children.

Contact Kids Connection or Family Resource Center 423-745-1796

Nourish One Child Weekend Food Bags/ Backpacks, Athens City Schools, 423- 745-2863 Keith United Methodist Church 600 W. Madison Ave., Athens, 423-7452612

Other:

Good Faith Clinic (medical services only) For Residents of McMinn and Meigs County 18 S Congress Parkway Athens, TN First come first serve basis Doors open at 2:30 pm every 2nd, 4th, and 5th Tuesday *Bring Proof of Residency with you a State Issued Id will work or a Utility Bill with Your Name on it.

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