Directory of Community Services In Stuart and Patrick County

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For more information regarding the Community Health Needs Assessment and Community Health Improvement Plan, please visit their website at https://sway.office.com/sR42CanMMzKTBRqQ or for a paper copy https://sway.office.com/sR42CanMMzKTBRqQ?accessible=true.



Listings

Appalachian Title Company,

Physical Address: 104 W Blue Ridge Street, Stuart, VA 24171

Mailing Address: P. O. Box 564, Stuart, VA 24171

Purpose: We provide real estate title examinations, title insurance and settlements for real estate

purchases or refinances.

Services Provided: Insurance and Real Estate Services.

Care Advantage

......276-632-22

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Physical Address: 106 West Street, Stuart, VA 24171

Mailing Address: 226 Starling Avenue, Martinsville, VA 24112.

Division Headquarters is in Richmond, VA, 10041 Midlothian Turnpike, North Chesterfield, VA 23235

Main Office No.: 804-323-9464 **Direct No: 866-642-4042**

Website: www.careadvantageinc.com

Social Media: Facebook, Instagram, YouTube, Linkedin

Service Hours: 24/7

Purpose: For more than 30 years, Care Advantage has been serving clients and their loved ones with the best of in-home care. The reason we have been able to deliver such steady care is because we never lose sight of our mission, vision, and values. These are foundational aspects of who we are – and they guide us in everything we do. **OUR MISSION** - Our mission encapsulates our reason for being, our purpose and our duty: We exist to lift up every community we serve, to enable aging adults to live life to the fullest, and to empower our Care Family in their purpose driven work.

OUR VALUES - C.A.R.E. Our care values not only define us, they are the source of inspiration for our company and all who depend on it. **COMPASSION**. We care and we are passionate about what we do. We give our hearts to our patients, their families, and our employees. **ATTITUDE.** We maintain a positive attitude. We display a "can-do" approach as we perform our responsibilities and engage those responsibilities with hard work, honesty, and integrity. **RESPECT**. We cherish each other's diversity and opinion. We have a deep admiration for everyone's unique story, skill, and knowledge. **EXCELLENCE**. We vow to go above and beyond. We are committed to delivering excellence to our patients, our employees, and our communities.

Eligibility: Private Pay, Long Term Care Insurance, Medicaid, and Veterans Program.

Services Provided: Healthcare for adults, medication assistance, Alzheimer, case management, disability, intellectual and development disabilities, home healthcare, job training, senior citizen services. Care Advantage provides companion care, bathing and dressing assistance, meal preparation and light housekeeping, respite for the caregiver, supervision, high technology/acuity nursing support, personal care aide classes for care heroes, hiring nurse aides, LPNs and RNs for home care support and services. Free classes with virtual opportunities.

Caring Hearts Free Clinic of Patrick

County......276-694-3410

Physical Address: 835 Woodland Drive, Suite 101, Stuart, VA 24171

Email: caringheartsfc.com/christie.fain@caringheartsclinic.org

Website: www.caringheartsclinic.org

Social Media: Facebook

Service Hours: By appointment: We are open to see patients 8:30 a.m. until 3:00 p.m., every Tuesday and alternating Mondays. Walk-ins welcome pending availability.

Purpose: Provide non-judgmental, quality healthcare for citizens living in Virginia who do not have any type of medical insurance.

Eligibility: Completely uninsured, which means you cannot have Medicaid, Medicare, or private insurance. Must be a resident of Virginia. Must meet Federal Poverty Level guidelines.

Services Provided: Caring Hearts Free Clinic which offers medical, dental, vision, laboratory, medication assistance, mental health services, and specialty referrals. We can help with sick visits, COVID testing, vaccines (such as COVID-19, Flu, Pneumonia, and TB), and chronic healthcare visits.

CPB Behavioral Therapy and Advocacy Services,

<u>LLC</u>.....**540-840-9285**

Physical: 135 N Main Street, Stuart, VA 24171

Mailing Address: 1641 Belcher Mountain Road, Meadows of Dan, VA 24120

Website: www.cpbbehavioraltherapy.com

Social Media: Facebook

Services Hours: Monday through Thursday, 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.; and Fridays, 8:00 a.m. to

3:00 p.m.

Purpose: Special Education/Heath Care Services

Eligibility: Please call and inquire as each client's needs are different.

Services Provided: Applied Behavior Analysis (ABA) behavioral therapy services, parent support services, and educational advocacy services.

Other Information: Serving Patrick and Henry Counties as well as the City of Martinsville.

Disability Rights and Resource Center......276-226-1696/540-420-1860

Physical/Mailing Address: Patrick & Henry Community College, Frith Building 150, 645 Patriot Drive, Martinsville, VA 24112

Website: www.drrcva.org

Service Hours: Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Purpose: The Disability Rights and Resource Center (DRRC) offers advocacy for persons with disabilities. The program offers assistance in gaining equal access to services that individuals with disabilities are entitled to receive.

Mission: The Disability Rights and Resources Center will seek to help any person with any disability achieve and maintain a life of independence!

Family Preservation

Physical/Mailing Address: 445 Commonwealth Blvd E Suite A, Martinsville, VA 24112

Website: www.FPS.com

Social Media: Facebook, Instagram, Twitter

Service Hours: Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Purpose: To provide a wide array of community-based and office-based mental health

treatment.

Eligibility: Accepting Medicaid, most private insurances, and self-pay.

Services Provided: Mental health assistance for adults, mental health assistance for kids (18 and younger), at risk youth, counseling (all types), court referred programs, drug abuse and substance abuse treatment as well as crisis intervention. After hours appointments possible.

Goodwill

<u>Industries</u>.....(434)7

92-2511

Physical/Mailing Address: 512 Westover Drive, Danville, VA 24541

Website: www.goodwilldanville.com

Service Hours: 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday

Retail Store Hours: Monday through Saturday, 9:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.; 1:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

on Sundays

Purpose: Provide training and employment services to those with disabilities and socially, culturally, or economically disadvantaged adults. To promote individuals the opportunity to reach their full potential and participate productively in their community.

Eligibility: 16 years or older, disabled or economically disadvantaged.

Service Fees: Charges for all services.

Services Provided: Work Adjustment Training (WAT). Sheltered Employment, Supported Employment (enclave), Skill Training, Retail Sales and Operations, Counseling, Case Management, Job Readiness Instruction, and Job Placement Assistance.

Targeted Population: Individuals with disabilities, people with economic disadvantages, those that have a criminal record, youth at risk of dropping out of school or who are working with the Juvenile Justice System, individuals who have lost their job, the general public who need to enhance their skills to get back to work or find a better job.

Longwood Small Business Development

Center......276-632-4462

(Virginia SBDC Longwood University)

Physical/Mailing Address: 115 Broad Street, Martinsville, VA 24112

Website: www.sbdc-longwood.com

Service Hours: Monday through Friday. Office hours may vary. Call for an appointment.

Purpose: The Longwood SBDC offers assistance to help Virginians start a business, expand a business, or solve business-related problems.

Eligibility: Small businesses located in Patrick County (Western Region).

Service Fees: Free

Services Provided: The Center assists small businesses throughout all phrases of growth and development by using one-on-one counseling and education. Business owners wishing to learn how to manage a business or any other skillset can select from free courses, seminars, and workshops in the following topics: Business startups, accounting, finance, and credit management, sales and marketing, basic business law, and economic development assistance for communities.

Martinsville Henry County Coalition for Health and Wellness......276-403-5004

Physical/Mailing Address: 22 E Church Street, Martinsville, VA 24112

Website: www.healthycommunitymhc.org

Social Media: Facebook

Service Hours: Monday and Tuesday, 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Mission: The Martinsville Henry County Coalition for Health and Wellness is committed to providing medical and primary health services at its Health Centers and through a variety of other programs, to promote health, reduce health risk factors and to increase access to medical services, primarily for the uninsured and underserved in the Martinsville Henry County area.

Purpose: The Coalition is committed to providing medical and primary health services at Bassett Family Practice (324 T B Stanley Hwy, Bassett, VA 24055) (276-629-1076) and

Ridgeway Family Health (4944 Greensboro Road, Ridgeway, VA 24148) (276-956-2233), our Federally Qualified Health Centers, and to promoting health, reducing health risk factors and increasing access to medical services, primarily for the uninsured and underserved in the Martinsville and Henry County area. Health Connect Center is also operated by the Coalition and is commonly referred to as a "one-stop shop" for individuals in MHC who need help breaking through barriers to health and wellness.

Services Provided: This clinic operates under a SLIDING SCALE model. This means that it MAY NOT be free depending on your income. You will be required to prove financial need in order to receive free services or services at a reduced cost. This is a health care center funded by the federal government. This means even if you have no insurance you can be covered. The center is also income-based for those making an income.

This health center can cover services such as checkups, treatment, pregnancy care (where applicable), immunizations and child care (where applicable), prescription medicine and mental and substance abuse where applicable. Contact them at the number provided for full details. Martinsville Henry County Coalition for Health and Wellness is a Community Health Center.

Mountain Valley Hospice & Palliative

<u>Care</u>......**276-403-4764**

Physical/Mailing Address: 730 E Church Street, Ste. 13, Martinsville, VA 24112

Website: www.mtnvalleyhospice.org

Social Media: Facebook, Instagram, Twitter

Service Hours: Open 24 Hours

Purpose: Creating the best experience for those facing serious illness -- EVERY Patient, EVERY

Family, EVERY Time.

Eligibility: Hospice -Serious Illness or Terminal Illness

Services Provided: Hospice, Home Healthcare, Palliative Care Program, Transitions Program. We Honor Veterans Program, Faith Program, KidsPath Program. We provide anything related to end-of-life care.

My Friend's

<u>Closet</u>.....<u>No</u>

<u>Telephone</u>

Physical Address: 310 Patrick Avenue, Stuart, VA 24171

Website: www.stuartpresbyterian.org

Service Hours: Mondays, 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m., Thursdays, Noon to 5:30 p.m.

Purpose: A ministry for those who like to purchase nice clothing at discount prices with proceeds helping others. This is a thrift and consignment store.

Note: Whether you are donating clothing or shopping with us, you are also helping others in our community.

PARC

<u>Workshop</u>......**2**

76-694-4211

Physical Address: 674 Wood Brothers Drive, Stuart, VA 24171

Website: PARC.com

Email Address: parcworkshop@embarqmail.com

Purpose: PARC Workshop is a non-profit tax-exempt organization providing work opportunities for mentally and physically handicapped adults in Patrick County. **Services Provided:** Rehabilitative. It is a sheltered workshop/day support organization for ID/DD population. Social skills and life experiences are fostered through outings, recreational activities, educational offerings, and various activities that help to integrate our clients with the community at large.

Patrick County Alzheimer's Group,

LLC.....276-693-6018

Mailing Address: P. O. Box 1301, Stuart, VA 24171

Physical Address: 109 Buena Vista Drive, Stuart, VA 24171

Social Media: Facebook

Purpose: To provide education, supplies, and needs for those families dealing with dementia.

Eligibility: For those who have diagnosis of memory loss from their doctor.

Service Fee: All services are free.

Services Provided: Serving families with dementia within Patrick County and a 60-mile radius. Support is given to clients and caregivers through education (training programs), resources for caregivers and families, assistance with the senior health fair, and provides supplies and equipment for patients.

Patrick County Branch

Physical Address: 116 W Blue Ridge Street, Stuart, VA 24171

Mailing Address: P. O. Box 787, Stuart, VA 24171

Website: www.brrl.lib.va.us
Email: patrick@brrl.lib.va.use

Email for the Bookmobile: bookmobile@brrl.lib.va.us

Service Hours: Monday, 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Tuesday, 10:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. Wednesday, 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Thursday, 10:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. Friday, 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Saturday, 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Purpose: To acquire books and lend those books out to the community to improve literacy, share knowledge and provide education and entertainment.

Eligibility: All area residents.

Services Provided: The Patrick County Library houses a large collection of books for all ages plus books on tape, videos, DVD's, books on CD and music CDs for check-out. The library offers a weekly Storytime Program for preschool age children during the school year and a Summer Reading Program for all ages in the summer. The library also offers services such as access to a copier, faxing, patron computers with Microsoft Office and print capability and 24-hour internet access with their inside/outside Wi-Fi.

The library contains some genealogical material including microfilm of The Enterprise newspaper along with the censuses for Patrick County from 1790-1920. The Patrick County Historical Museum, located in the same building as the library, contains a large amount of genealogical material. The 1930 census is housed at the Bassett Historical Center (www.bassetthistoricalcenter.com), which is also a major repository for Patrick County genealogical materials.

The Patrick County Library is a part of the Blue Ridge Regional Library.

Patrick County Chamber of

<u>Commerce</u>......**276-694-6012**

Physical / Mailing Address: P. O. Box 577, 410 Patrick Avenue, Suite A, Stuart, VA 24171

Website: www.patrickchamber.com

Social Media: Facebook

Service Hours: Monday through Thursday, 9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.; Friday by appointment only.

Purpose: To promote the interest of businesses and industries and to improve the business environment and quality of life in the region.

Eligibility: Any reputable business, organization or individual having an interest in the objectives of the Chamber shall be eligible for election to membership upon submission of an application and payment of dues.

Service Fee: Membership dues based on business classification and size.

Services Provided: Business workshops and seminars, leadership development, networking events and sponsorships, business referrals, relocation information, etc.

Patrick County Department of Social

Services......**276-694-3328**

Physical/Mailing Address: 106 Rucker Street, Suite 128, Stuart, VA 24171

Website: No local website

Social Media: No social media outlets

Service Hours: Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Purpose: To design and deliver high-quality human services that help Virginians achieve safety, independence, and overall well-being.

Eligibility: Benefit programs are income eligible.

Services Provided: Healthcare for adults, healthcare for kids (18 and younger), financial assistance, heating and cooling assistance, food assistance programs, childcare assistance, supplemental nutrition assistance programs or WIC, abuse (domestic, child), and prevention, adoption, adult protective services, case management, child protective services, clothing (assistance for clothing), and foster care services. We also have the VIEW program that assists with job readiness and helps income eligible people with children to either get enrolled in a training program or to get a job.

Patrick County Community Food

Physical Address: 108 Commerce Street, Stuart, VA 24171

Email Address: PatrickCountyFoodBank@gmail.com

Purpose: This institution is an equal opportunity provider. We strive to help the hungry in our community.

Services: Serving eligible Patrick County residents. Stuart Location, also serving Meadows of Dan and Ararat locations.

Note: Food banks and food pantries like Patrick County Community Food Bank organize the collection of food donations and distribution to those in need. Most non-profit hunger relief organizations like Patrick County Community Food Bank rely on volunteers and donations from people with big hearts that don't want anyone in need to go hungry. Visit the Patrick County Community Food Bank to donate or volunteer and make your community hunger-free.

Patrick County Public

<u>Schools</u>......**276-694-3163**

Mailing Address: P. O. Box 346, Stuart, VA 24171

Physical Address: 132 North Main Street, Stuart, VA 24171

Website: www.patrick.k12.va.us

Service Hours: Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., (Individual school hours vary) **Purpose:** To educate all Patrick County children to the maximum of their individual potential,

preparing them for college or a career. **Eligibility:** Patrick County residents.

Services Provided: Public education Pre-K through 12th grade. A quality education and support services, including Special Ed, resources for parents and staff, student tech support link, school health services and more.

Patrick County Recreation

<u>Department</u>......**276-694-3917**

Mailing Address: P. O. Box 506, Stuart, VA 24171

Physical Address: 212 Wood Brothers Drive, Stuart, VA 24171

Website: www.co.patrick.va.us/recreation

Service Hours: Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Email: recdept@co.patrick.va.us

Services Provided: The Recreation Department is responsible for administering and/or supporting a variety of recreational programs, including elementary football and basketball, summer baseball leagues, soccer, adult volleyball, men's and women's softball and more. The Recreation Department is also responsible for maintaining the county-leased recreational facilities at Rotary Field and the Fred Clifton Park at Lover's Leap and provides maintenance support for other county-owned parks and recreational facilities.

Patrick County Victim/Witness

Program......276-694-4285

Physical Address: 124 Slusher Street, Stuart, VA 24171

Mailing Address: P. O. Box 268, Stuart, VA 24171

Website: No website.

Service Hours: Monday through Thursday, 8:00 a.m. to 3:15 p.m. (Hours May Vary)

Purpose: We provide direct services to victims and witnesses of crime.

Services Provided: Services include explanation of crime victim's rights, the court process, and

referrals to other community resources.

Eligibility: Victims and witnesses of crime.

Patrick & Henry Community College (Patrick County

<u>Site</u>).....**276-656-0338**

Physical Address: 212 Wood Brothers Drive, Stuart, VA 24171

Mailing Address: P. O. Box 1421, Stuart, VA 24171

Website: www.patrickhenry.edu

Service Hours: Offices are open Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. and evening

hours vary by semester.

Purpose: Education/Community College.

Services: Patrick & Henry Community College's Patrick County site provides a college presence at three locations in the county, offering day and evening classes consisting of both credit courses and short-term workforce training programs along with customized training. Services provided include assistance with the admissions process, financial aid, student advising, registration, and other student-centered services.

Piedmont Community

<u>Services</u>......**276-694-4361**

Physical/Mailing Address: 22280 Jeb Stuart Highway, Stuart, VA 24171

Website: www.piedmontcsb.org

Social Media: Facebook

Service Hours: Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

24/7 Crisis Line: (888) 819-1331

Purpose: To help individuals, families and the community enhance their quality of life by providing a highly effective continuum of behavioral health services, including prevention, treatment, education, and support within available resources.

Eligibility: Same day assessment services are billed to your insurance. You can call your insurance provider to determine your plan's coverage. If you do not have insurance, we assist individuals in signing up for Medicaid. A financial assessment can also be completed to determine the fee.

Services Provided: Crisis/Emergency Services, Mental Health Therapy, Mental Health Case Management, Substance Use Case Management, Substance Use Support Groups/Individual Therapy, Community Recovery Program, Peer Support Services, Psychosocial Rehabilitation, Assertive Community Treatment, Intellectually Disabled (ID)/Developmentally Disabled (DD) Case Management, Psychiatric Services, Drug Treatment Court, Early Childhood Programming: Early Intervention and Healthy Families, Residential Services/Group Homes (ID/DD), and Prevention Services.

Reynolds

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694-7181

Physical/Mailing Address: 463 Homestead Lane, Critz, VA 24082

Website: www.reynoldshomestead.vt.edu **Social Media:** Facebook, Instagram, Twitter

Service Hours: Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Purpose: In keeping with the vision of Nancy Susan Reynolds, it is the mission of the Reynolds Homestead to enrich lives through engagement and outreach.

Services Provided: Alzheimer's, Arts (lectures, classes, organizations), Business/Community Development, Community Service and Organizations, and Senior Citizen Services. The Reynolds Homestead's College for Older Adults (COA) provides fitness, health, art, and other activities for adults aged 50 plus. Membership fees can be waived for those needing financial assistance.

Southern Area Agency on

<u>Aging</u>......**276-632-6442**

Physical Address: 204 Cleveland Avenue, Martinsville, VA 24112

Website: www.southernaaa.org

Social Media: Facebook

Service Hours: Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Purpose: SAAAs mission is to provide services and resources to promote the health, quality of life, and independence of seniors, individuals with disabilities, and their caregivers. We enable people to live with dignity and choice.

Services Provided: Southern Area Agency on Aging funds congregate meals through STEP, Inc. (Meals on Wheels, Monday through Friday, ages 60 plus and homebound individuals), funding for home repairs for senior citizens, as well as rent assistance and utility assistance. Provides job training resources for individuals 55 and older. Provides respite care for the caregiver of seniors requiring in-home care, transportation assistance for seniors, and funding assistance for Alzheimer's patients.

Southside Survivor Response Center

......276-403-4080

Shelter No.

......276-

632-8701

Physical Address: 22 E. Church Street, Martinsville, VA 24112

Mailing Address: P. O. Box 352, Martinsville, VA 24112

Website: www.sscenter.org

Service Hours: Open 24 hours - Monday through Sunday

Purpose: Educating the community, empowering women, and children, and encouraging violence-free

lifestyles.

Eligibility: All services are free and confidential.

Services Provided: Southside Survivor Response Center empowers the citizens affected by domestic violence, sexual assault, and homelessness by providing advocacy, education, counseling, and safety services. Advocacy (legal, health, community services, housing, emergency transportation), Counseling (crisis, supportive), Education and Outreach (presentations and training, displays and events, media), Protection (emergency shelter, safety planning, emergency cell phones, pet safety).

Note: This project was supported from funds made available to Virginia by the Department of Criminal Justice Services.

Southern VA Child Advocacy

Physical Address: 300 S. Main St. Rocky Mount, VA 24151

Website: www.southernvacac.org

Social Media: Facebook

Service Hours: Monday through Friday, 8:30 am to 5:00 pm

Purpose: To promote the well-being of children through treatment, advocacy, prevention, and

education.

Eligibility: Children, aged birth to 18 years of age, who are at-risk of or have allegations of sexual assault, serious physical abuse, and/or serious neglect. We also work with non-offending caregivers of alleged victims.

Services Provided: Mental health assistance for adults, mental health assistance for kids (18 and younger), abuse (domestic, child) and prevention, advocacy, case management, counseling (all types), crisis intervention. Southern VA Child Advocacy Center also provides community outreach, provides training, Virginia Victims Fund filing assistance, forensic interviews, coordinate forensic medical assistance in Rocky Mount, VA (serving Patrick County).

STEP,

<u>Inc</u>.....

....276-694-2239

Physical/Mailing Address: 4559 Wayside Road, Stuart, VA 24171

Website: www.stepincva.com
Social Media: Facebook

Service Hours: Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Purpose: Solutions That Empower People (STEP), Inc. is a dynamic community action agency that provides services at significant milestones throughout life. Programs are designed to partner with individuals and families to help them overcome adversity and enhance their quality of life through community, economic, personal, and family development. To provide solutions that empower people to overcome barriers to economic, educational, and developmental success within the communities we serve.

Eligibility: Low Income.

Services Provided: Childcare (including pre-school), Heating and Cooling Assistance, Transportation Assistance, Congregate Meals, Head Start/Early Head Start and Senior Citizen Services: including home-delivered meals and congregate meals, senior transportation.

Virginia Legal Aid Society / Helping Those In

Need.....**1-866-534-5243**

Additional Contact Numbers: 434-799-3550 (Danville Office)

Physical Address: 519 Main Street, Danville, VA 24541 (Martinsville Location: By appointment only 434-799-3550)

Website: www.vlas.org

Social Media: Facebook, Instagram

Service Hours: Office: Monday through Friday, 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.; Toll-Free Helpline Hours: Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday, 9:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. (closed Wednesday)

Purpose: Virginia Legal Aid Society is a non-profit law firm providing free legal information, advice and representation in civil cases.

Special Programs: Housing improvement and preservation, help for domestic violence victims, enroll VA, strengthening families with children, and crisis and income protection. for special kids.

Eligibility: Low income and middle-class families. Those at highest risk include our most vulnerable populations - domestic violence victims and their children, tenants facing eviction, seniors, people with disabilities, and veterans. Service Fees: None.

<u>Virginia Department of Veterans Services</u>

......1-804-786-0286

Virginia Cooperative Extension (Patrick County Site)

.....276-694-3341

Physical Address: 106 Rucker Street, Suite 316, Stuart, VA 24171

Mailing Address: P. O. Box 408, Stuart, VA 24171

Website: www.patrick.ext.vt.edu

Social Media: Facebook – Virginia Cooperative Extension–Patrick County

Service Hours: Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Purpose: The Patrick County office of Virginia Cooperative Extension is your local connection to Virginia's land-grant universities, Virginia Tech and Virginia State University. Through educational programs based on research and developed with input from local stakeholders, we help the people of Patrick County improve their lives.

Services Provided: We provide education through programs in agriculture and natural resources, family and consumer sciences, 4-H youth development and community viability.

<u>Virginia Department of Health – West Piedmont District – Patrick County Health Department</u>.

.....276-693-2070

Physical Address: Patrick County Administration Building, 106 Rucker Street #123, Stuart, VA

Website: www.vdh.virginia.gov/west-piedmont

Service Hours: Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Services Provided: Family planning, health education, birth/death certificates, nursing home pre-screenings, WIC, epidemiology of flu, COVID and other communicable diseases, community health assessment and improvement planning, emergency preparedness, food inspections, septic permits, STI testing and treatment, etc.

Virginia Workforce Center Patrick

County......**276-694-6542**

Physical Address: 103 W Blue Ridge Street, Stuart, VA 24171

Mailing Address: P. O. Box 1412, Stuart, VA 24171

Website: www.vcwwestpiedmont.com/board - Virginia Career Works Board

Service Hours: Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Job Seekers: The Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act requires each region to establish One Stop Centers. In Virginia, One Stop Centers are called Virginia Workforce Centers. In the West Piedmont region, serving Danville and Martinsville and the counties of Henry, Patrick and Pittsylvania, there are five centers where you as a job seeker can have access to computer resource labs and so much more.

Services Available -

Resource Lab - Each Virginia Workforce Center is equipped with a resource lab consisting of computer workstations with internet access, fax services, copy machines and printers. Software is available to upgrade basic reading and math skills and other basic workplace skills. If you need assistance, a case manager within the network will be on hand to answer your questions.

Resume Development — Get tips from our professional team of case managers to develop a resume that gets your foot in the door. We have specialized resume development software to help you create an eye-catching resume.

Tutorials — An assortment of tutorials is available to help you prepare for the GED and improve basic reading math and workplace skills.

Skills Assessment — What are your career interests? Learn how to use your strengths to maximize your opportunities. Discover careers that match up with your talents and interests.

Workshops — Throughout the year, workshops are available free or at a low cost to help you enhance your computer skills, do well on a job interview, fill out applications correctly, write a resume and learn job readiness skills. In a group or in an one-on-one setting, you also will learn how best to search and find a job of your choice. Check out our Workforce Center calendar for the net workshop in your area.

Hands-on Assistance — Hands-on assistance is available to you if you are an eligible, unemployed individual who has completed at least one core service listed above, but have not been able to obtain employment, or employed and need additional services to obtain or keep employment that will lead to self-sufficiency.

Training Services — Training services are available to you if you have met the requirements for intensive services and have not been able to obtain or keep employment. Individual Training Accounts are established to cover the cost of training based upon your choice of selected training programs that may help you obtain a career which is in demand in our region.

Eligibility -

Employer Services – Existing Worker Professional Development – minimum of 50% reimbursement to employers, on the job training – 50% reimbursement to employers during training period, adults and youth internships – receives valuable staffing and provide training at no cost to you.

Job Seeker Service — Workshops to prepare you for success, resume development and interview preparation, training at no cost to you, and transportation solutions.

PCCC Mission Statement

The mission of the CHAMBER is to provide services and support to its members; voice the position of business and industry in the County of Patrick and the Town of Stuart (herein defined as the "Trade Area") in both public and private forums; engage in activities that promote economic development, workforce training, and tourism within the Trade Area; implement training activities that enhance business and civic leadership; and engage in any business not prohibited under local, state and Federal laws and those laws governing tax-exempt organizations.

Membership Information

Businesses, organizations, museums, and individuals interested in the objectives of the Patrick County Chamber of Commerce are invited to become members. Annual Dues are:

Civic/Religious Group/Non-Profit	\$60.00
Individual	\$80.00
Individual Artist	\$80.00
Museums	\$110.00
Business 1-9 Employees	\$130.00
Business 10-24 Employees	\$220.00
Business 25-49 Employees	\$440.00
Business 50-99 Employees	\$500.00
Business 100 + Employees	\$575.00

Please send your inquiry about membership to:
Patrick County Chamber of Commerce
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