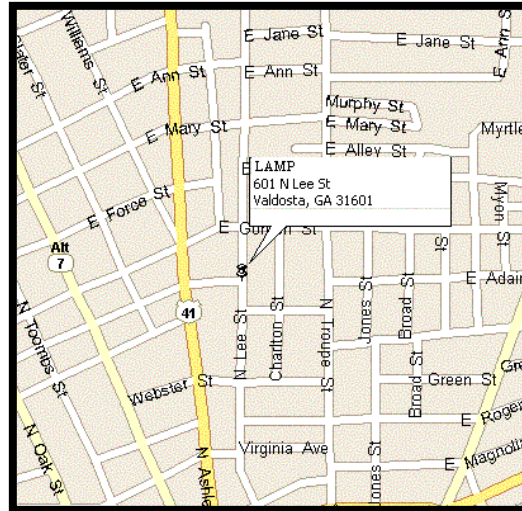


Approval for assistance will be determined by:

the Federal Poverty Guidelines,

Lack of Insurance/Medicaid Coverage,

Lack of Medicare Part D and the Availability of Funds.



HEALTHCARE PROGRAM

**DENTAL
EYE CARE
PRESCRIPTIONS**

PLEASE BRING THE FOLLOWING TO YOUR INTERVIEW:

- 1) Completed Application
- 2) State Photo I.D. & Social Security Card
- 3) Proof of Lowndes Co. Residency (*utility bill, lease agreement, mortgage bill, etc.*)
- 4) Proof of Income for Entire Household (*check stubs, social security statements, separation notices, etc.*)
- 5) Items Based on Services Requested:
 - Prescription Assistance- Rx
 - Glasses- Letter from School/Employer

INTERVIEW HOURS:

Client interviews are held Mon. – Thurs.
(no appointment is necessary):

8:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.
1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.



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HEALTHCARE ASSISTANCE

DENTAL

The dental program is designed to provide limited dental treatment to those who are uninsured and financially incapable. Limited treatment consists of **simple extractions only**. The Dental program does not assist with emergency extractions, dentures, oral surgery, or restorative work (crowns, fillings, etc.).

Currently, there is approx. a 3 month wait for the dental clinic. Please call or come by the office and add your name and contact information to the waiting list (name, address and telephone numbers).

Georgia has many dental clinics offering care with fees based on a patient's income or at a discounted rate. These clinics may have waiting lists; be open only on certain days; accept only patients from certain counties; and may not be available for emergency care. Please contact our office for a list of Indigent Care Dental Clinics throughout Georgia and Florida.

McKinney Community Health Ctr.
Waycross, GA 31501
1-866-219-5525

University of Florida College of Dentistry
Gainesville, FL 32610
1-800-633-3953

EYE CARE

The eye care program is designed to provide assistance with eyeglasses for clients that are:

currently attending school

OR

employed in a position where proper vision is job dependant (i.e. bus driver).

Additional Items Needed for Assistance with Glasses: Please bring a letter from your School or Employer (on company letterhead).

- School- letter stating student's name, courses enrolled in and verification that student is actively attending school.
- Employer- letter stating title, employment status, and verification that proper vision is mandatory for position

In addition to the LAMP Healthcare Program, there are various agencies that assist with Eye Care. Please use the contact information provided for specific eligibility requirements and application information.

GA Lions Lighthouse Fdn.....800-718-7483

VisionUSA.....800-766-4466

PRESCRIPTIONS

For those who are determined eligible, LAMP will provide prescription assistance with **life sustaining medications** (blood pressure, diabetes, heart conditions, antibiotics, etc.). There is a \$400 limit per person per year. Assistance is not available for the following types of medications: pain, behavioral, hormones, vitamins, supplements or over-the-counter medications.

Additional Items Needed for Assistance with Prescription(s): **Please bring in one of the following for prescription assistance** (medication bottles with refills cannot be accepted):

- Prescription
- or a copy of Medication Label
- or a Detailed Prescription Profile from your pharmacy (medication strength, qty., refills remaining & current price)

Many pharmaceutical companies offer medication assistance programs to low-income individuals. These programs are designed to help those who cannot afford their medicine(s) obtain them at no cost or low cost. Typically, each program requires a doctor's consent and proof of financial status. They may also require that you have either no health insurance or no prescription drug benefit through your health insurance. Please contact our office for further information regarding these programs.

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