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BUZZ

*This is a free community newsletter to help share beneficial information and awareness of programs, services, and events.*

**Inside this issue:**

- Mask Mandates have been lifted
- Mayor's Youth Employment Program
- Genesis Project 1, Groundwater Solutions and Moden Medical Group joined forces. Call today for services.
- City of Charlotte Tips and Resources for Residents
- Jam Fest -Saturday May 27th at 12noon
- Mental Health Support Group & Life Skills
- GP Tailored Care Management Program
- The Drop Services
- JCIP Program
- Genesis Project Services



5106 REAGAN DR, STE 5 - CHARLOTTE, NC 28206  
Call us TODAY 704-596-0505





The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) issued an Order on January 29, 2021 requiring the wearing of masks by people on public transportation conveyances or on the premises of transportation hubs to prevent spread of the virus that causes COVID-19. This Order was effective February 1, 2021 and was published in the [Federal Register](#) on February 3, 2021.

The terms of the Order, which were no longer enforceable as a result of a court order (effective, April 18, 2022), have now expired due to the conclusion of the Public Health Emergency on May 11, 2023.



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# Genesis Project and Groundwater Solutions

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joined forces with

Modern Medical Group

and now provide



Full Primary & Acute Care,

Mental Health,

Substance Abuse Services,

and

Community Based Social Supports



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## Modern Medical Group

**Address:** 262 W. Main Avenue, Gastonia, NC 28052

**Phone:** (704) 824-4560

**Hours:**

Sunday	Closed
Monday	8:30AM–5:30PM
Tuesday	8:30AM–5:30PM
Wednesday	8:30AM–5:30PM
Thursday	8:30AM–5:30PM
Friday	8:30AM–4:30PM
Saturday	Closed

**Call to make  
an appointment  
TODAY!**

Love To The Community

# JAM FEST EVERYTHING FREE

## SAT. MAY 27th 12 NOON SHARP

**HEALTH FAIR & EMPOWERMENT EXPO**

**FREE BIKES**

**FREE HAIR CUTS & TRIMS**

**PIE EATING CONTEST - GAMES**

**FOOTBALLS - BASKETBALLS**

**FREE CLOTHES - GIVEAWAYS**

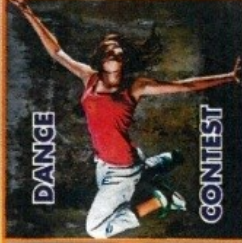
**PRIZES - HYGEINE PRODUCTS**

**FREE FOOD - FREE BIBLES**

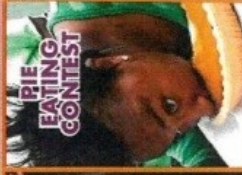
**TOYS & SO MUCH MORE**



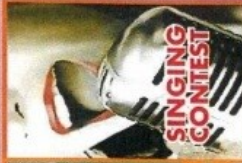
FACE PAINTING



DANCE



PIE EATING CONTEST



SINGING CONTEST



GPS THIS ADDRESS NEAR TRYON & SUGAR CREEK IN HIDDEN VALLEY

## 457 Wellington Street

**Faith Christian Methodist Episcopal Church Field**

Outside - Just Listen For The Loud Music & Look For The Smoking Bar-B-Q Grills





**GENESIS PROJECT**  
IS NOW OFFERING

*Tailored*

# Care Management Program

If you have North Carolina Medicaid, Genesis Project is now providing

## **Comprehensive Care Management Services**

You now have someone to call for all your individual and family needs. Your amazing personal care manager will not only assist you with your complete healthcare needs, but also connect you to resources around housing, nutrition, education, transportation, and many other areas.

Medicaid members who select Genesis Project as their care home will also receive a free Tablet including monthly service fees.

**Call Genesis Project TODAY,  
(704)596-0505, to learn more.**



# Mayor's Youth Employment Program

## Build your future with paid work experience!

City of Charlotte's, Mayor's Youth Employment Program (MYEP) is preparing and shaping the future workforce through its six-week summer internship program.

The MYEP supports high school youth who are ready to work and gain life-changing experience alongside you. Youth work a minimum of 25 hours per week at a rate of \$10/hour for a total of \$1,500. Participant(s) are matched with a business based on interest, skills, location and more!

### MYEP Program Checklist

- Attend Job & Career Readiness Training in the Fall semester before participating
- Attend a CMS high school and/or live within the City of Charlotte
- Apply online and interview before the fall deadline
- Be at least 16 on or before April 15 before the summer you work
- Provide your Social Security Number
- Pass a drug and background screening within a set time frame

"Through this program you'll gain a lot of valuable work experience that you cannot attain in a classroom setting."  
-Kaleb Montez, MYEP Participant



### SCHEDULE

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|---------------|---|
| <b>FALL</b>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Apply online and interview before deadline</li> <li>• Attend Job &amp; Career Readiness Training (your school's Career Development Coordinator can help!)</li> </ul> |
| <b>SPRING</b> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Be assigned your Host Employer in April</li> <li>• Prepare for your summer work experience!</li> </ul>   |
| <b>SUMMER</b> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Work for 6 weeks over the summer</li> <li>• Fully commit to your schedule</li> <li>• Get invaluable experience!</li> </ul>   |



Learn more by visiting [Charlottenc.gov/MYEP](http://Charlottenc.gov/MYEP)



(704) 336-5577



[myep@charlottenc.gov](mailto:myep@charlottenc.gov)





# 10 TIPS & RESOURCES for RESIDENTS



## 01 RESIDENT SERVICES

Place a service call by dialing 311 or chat live from 7 a.m. - 7 p.m., Monday through Friday, or online 24/7 at [charlottenc.gov/311](http://charlottenc.gov/311).



## 06 PLACES & EVENTS

Stay current on the latest happenings within the city [charlottenc.gov/events](http://charlottenc.gov/events).



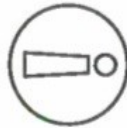
## 02 HEALTH SERVICES

Get health and human services referrals and information for North Carolina residents, available 24 hours every day, by dialing 2-1-1.



## 07 YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD

Find community leaders, apply for grants, learn more about your neighborhood and get involved at [charlottenc.gov/NMG](http://charlottenc.gov/NMG).



## 03 EMERGENCY ALERTS

Subscribe to text and email local public safety announcements by visiting [CharmekAlerts.org](http://CharmekAlerts.org).



## 08 CITY CAREERS

Help build strong, diverse and inclusive communities with a career at the City of Charlotte. Apply online at [CharlotteNC.gov/jobs](http://CharlotteNC.gov/jobs).



## 04 PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION

Get real-time information on all Charlotte Area Transit System bus and rail services, and get customer service, by downloading the CATS app to your mobile device.



## 09 SERVICE REQUESTS

Schedule bulky waste, report downed trees, get potholes repaired, and more by visiting [servicerequest.charlottenc.gov](http://servicerequest.charlottenc.gov).



## 05 OUR COMMUNITIES

Learn valuable data about our city and diverse neighborhoods with the open data portal at [opencharlotte.net](http://opencharlotte.net).



## 10 GET INVOLVED

Help plan how your community will look in the future by playing the "Growing Better Places" board game at [charlottefuture.com/2040](http://charlottefuture.com/2040).



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# MENTAL HEALTH SUPPORT & GROUP



MONDAY 17TH APRIL *& EVERY MONDAY FOLLOWING*  
3PM

Life  
FRI 21ST APRIL  
9AM

# Skills 2023

*& EVERY FRIDAY FOLLOWING*



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TO REGISTER CALL 704-596-0505 TODAY!

# THE DROP SERVICES



Full Panel HIV/STI Testing



Counseling



Weekly Support Groups



Laundry Services



Showering Services



Food Pantry



Clothing Closet



Job Fairs & Resume Building



Computer and Media Use



Schedule Test



Practice & Conference Space



5114 MONROE ROAD  
CHARLOTTE, NC



**MECKLENBURG  
COUNCIL OF ELDERS**

# JCIP PROGRAM

## JCIP SUMMER SESSION 2023

A Community-Based Intervention Program of Mecklenburg Council of Elders



**JUNE 9 - AUGUST 28, 2023**

- Adverse Childhood Experiences (Ace) Assessments
- Anger Management Ages 8-11/12-16
- Life Skills & Moral Reconation Therapy (MRT)
- Behavior Modification/Management
- Field Trips - Permission Required
- Current Events
- Physical Fitness
- Skills Training Electives
  - House Painting/Furniture Restoration
  - Nail Tech Training
  - Culinary/Nutrition

**REGISTRATION DATES**  
February 18, March 18, April 15, and  
May 20, 2023

**12 - 2pm**

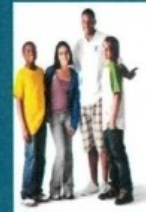
Ages 8 - 16

To Reserve Seat \$25

Registration Fee Due upon

turning in application

11 Weeks \$25 Per Week



000 Anderson St.  
Charlotte, NC 28205  
<https://mecklenburgcoe.org/>

**Contact Us**

888-846-8888



# Genesis Project

*Changing the world... one family at a time!*

## Services Available

**Individual Counseling**  
**Family Counseling**  
**Marriage & Couples Counseling**  
**Peer Support Services**  
**Intensive In-Home Services**  
**Community Health and Support Services**  
**Group Counseling**  
**Substance Abuse Intensive Outpatient Therapy**  
**Sexual Trauma Therapy**  
**School Advocacy**  
**Crisis Intervention**  
**COVID-19 testing, tracing, and vaccinations**

*All of our services are culturally sensitive and can be provided in the office or home settings.*

### The following methods of payment are accepted:

*United Health Care*  
*Blue Cross and Blue Shield*  
*United Behavioral Health*  
*Optum Health Behavioral Solutions*  
*Tricare (Prime & Standard)*  
*Aetna Healthcare*  
*Cigna Healthcare*  
*Medcost*  
*NC Medicaid*  
*NC HealthChoice*

*Sliding Scale Fee for Self-Pay Consumers*

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**G**enesis Project is moving forward into integrative services. To do so, we now have medical services at our center with a holistic approach, which means providing support that looks at the whole person, not just their mental health needs. The support should also consider their physical, emotional, social, and spiritual wellbeing. Come one come all or refer someone to get a medical evaluation.

Call 704-596-0505, TODAY!!!

Let's support the mission and the great opportunity of having a doctor supporting Genesis Project's program.

Mariluz Alicea  
Counselor II intern



*Genesis Project is committed to the development of programs that address the factors that perpetuate poverty, homelessness, hatred, and abuse*

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