Resource Guide for Students in Smith County

See below for a list of services offered in your area to help with various challenges students may face.

### Homelessness

**Vol State Homeless Student Liaison**  
Tiffany Zwart  
Coordinator of Student Support  
Tiffany.Zwart@volstate.edu  
(615) 230-3653

**Homeless Advocacy for Rural Tennessee**  
P.O. Box 3311  
Crossville, TN 38557  
931-484-7020  
http://hartn.org/Need-Help

**UCHRA Smith County**  
Emily Thackxton, Coordinator  
120 Paulene Gore Way, Suite A  
South Carthage, Tennessee 37030  
Phone: (615) 735-0476

### Transportation

**UCHRA Public Transit System**  
Schedule Trip 48 Hours Ahead  
580 South Jefferson Avenue, Suite B  
Cookeville, TN 38501-4010  
615-735-0476

### Food Insecurity

**Care Center at Steven St. Baptist Church**  
327 W. Stevens Street  
Cookeville, TN 38501  
(931) 520-4881  
info@stevensstreet.org

**UCHRA Smith County**  
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### Mental/Emotional/Physical Health

**Smith County Health Department**  
Michael Railling  
251 Joy Alford Way  
Carthage, TN 37030  
(615) 735-0242

**Cumberland Mental Health Services**  
Shirley Jennings, Director  
1404 Winter Dr.  
Lebanon, TN 37087  
Phone: (615) 444-4300

**Riverview Regional Medical Center**  
Valarie Upchurch  
158 Hospital Drive  
Carthage, TN 37030  
(615) 735-1560

### Childcare/Expecting Mothers

**DHS Family Assistance Office**  
105 Eatherly Landing, Suite B  
Carthage, TN 37030-9985  
Office Hours: 8:00 am - 4:30 pm  
Phone: (615) 735-9740

**Smith County Pregnancy Help Center**  
Alicia Hoffman  
108 College Avenue West  
Carthage, TN 37030  
(615) 281-8054
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## Hispanic/Latino Services

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## Dependent Siblings

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<td>Smith County 4-H Club</td>
<td>125 Gordonsville Hwy, STE 300, Gordonsville, TN 38563</td>
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## Legal Aid

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<td>106 Public Square, Suite 109, Gallatin, TN 37066</td>
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