



North Carolina Expansion - Frequently Asked Questions

General Questions

Q: What does this announcement mean for Words of Comfort Ministries, Inc.?

A: Words of Comfort Ministries, Inc. has received its Certificate of Authority from the North Carolina Secretary of State, which legally authorizes us to operate as a nonprofit organization in North Carolina. This is an exciting milestone that allows us to expand our mission beyond Georgia and serve underserved communities in North Carolina with the same dedication and compassion we've provided since 2005.

Q: Is Words of Comfort Ministries, Inc. moving from Georgia to North Carolina?

A: Absolutely not. We remain headquartered in Snellville, Georgia, and will continue all current programs and services for Georgia communities. This is an expansion, not a relocation. We are now a multi-state organization serving both Georgia and North Carolina.

Q: Why is this expansion significant?

A: This milestone allows us to legally and confidently continue our mission of service and compassion while expanding beyond Georgia's borders. With the ministry now established in two states, we have an even greater opportunity to reach more people, touch more lives, and share God's love with those in need.

Q: Why North Carolina?

A: God has opened this door for us. We've identified significant needs in North Carolina communities that align perfectly with our mission to restore human dignity and deliver help and hope through service. We believe we can make a meaningful impact by bringing our education, personal development, and community engagement services to underserved North Carolina populations.

Q: When did this expansion become official?

A: We recently received our Certificate of Authority from the North Carolina Secretary of State, making this expansion official. This represents nearly two decades of faithful service coming to fruition in new territories.

Q: What does "Together We Serve Promoting Greatness from Within" mean?

A: This is our organizational theme that reflects our core belief in empowering individuals rather than creating dependency. We believe every person has inherent greatness within them, and through collaborative service, education, and support, we help them unlock their potential and achieve self-sufficiency.

About Words of Comfort Ministries

Q: What is Words of Comfort Ministries?

A: Words of Comfort Ministries (WOC) is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization established in 2005 and located in Snellville, Georgia. We are dedicated to empowering individuals and families with economic and spiritual support. With more than 25 volunteers, we provide services that offer hope and support to those struggling with daily life challenges.

Q: What is your mission?

A: Our mission is to restore human dignity to the needy through multifaceted direct services, empowerment, and support to decrease social services' dependency. We don't just provide temporary relief—we equip people with tools for lasting change.

Q: What is your vision?

A: Our vision is simple yet profound: Delivering help and hope to people through service. Every program, every interaction, and every resource we provide is designed to fulfill this vision.

Q: What services does Words of Comfort Ministries provide?

A: Our services focus on three core components that encompass programmatic initiatives focusing on social change and access to services primarily for underserved communities:

- **Education:** Literacy programs, job readiness training, educational resources, and skills development
- **Personal Development:** Life skills coaching, mentorship, spiritual support, and personal empowerment
- **Community Engagement:** Connection to essential services, volunteer opportunities, community building, and social support networks

Q: How do you identify who needs your services?

A: We identify underserved populations and communities that lack adequate access to essential services. Our approach is proactive—we go where the need is greatest and provide services that reflect our three core components: Education, Personal Development, and Community Engagement.

Q: How long has Words of Comfort Ministries been serving communities?

A: We were established in 2005, which means we've been serving individuals and families for nearly two decades. This extensive experience has given us deep insight into how to effectively empower people and create lasting positive change.

Q: How many volunteers support your work?

A: More than 25 dedicated volunteers support our mission, providing the hands-on service, mentorship, and community engagement that makes our work possible. Our volunteers are the heart of our ministry.

Q: What makes Words of Comfort Ministries different from other nonprofits?

A: Our multifaceted approach combines direct services with empowerment and support specifically designed to decrease dependency on social services. We don't just meet immediate needs—we build capacity, restore dignity, and promote greatness from within each individual we serve.

Q: Who do you primarily serve?

A: We primarily serve underserved communities and populations—individuals and families who face economic challenges, limited access to education and resources, and barriers to personal development. We serve anyone struggling with daily life challenges who needs hope and support.

North Carolina Operations

Q: When will services begin in North Carolina?

A: Now that we have our Certificate of Authority, we are in the planning and partnership development phase. We are working diligently to establish our North Carolina presence and expect to begin offering services in the coming months. Stay connected through our website and social media for specific launch dates and locations.

Q: Where in North Carolina will you operate?

A: We are currently assessing community needs throughout North Carolina and establishing partnerships with local churches, organizations, and community leaders. Our specific service

location is 2501 Bragg Blvd., Suite A, Fayetteville, NC 28303. If you represent a community with significant need, please contact us at 678-400-5171.

Q: Will the same services available in Georgia be offered in North Carolina?

A: Yes. We plan to offer our full range of services focused on Education, Personal Development, and Community Engagement in North Carolina. However, we will tailor our programs to meet the specific needs of North Carolina communities, just as we do in Georgia.

Q: How can North Carolina residents access your services?

A: North Carolina residents can visit our website or contact us directly to learn more about available services, program enrollment, and how to connect with our team. As we establish our presence, we'll be announcing specific contact information for North Carolina operations.

Q: Will you have a physical location in North Carolina?

A: Yes, we are currently evaluating the best approach to serve North Carolina communities effectively. This may include physical locations, partnerships with existing facilities, or mobile service delivery. Our priority is to allocate funding toward initiatives that make a direct and meaningful impact on families. Our current location is 2501 Bragg Blvd., Suite A, Fayetteville, NC 28303.

Q: How will you ensure quality services in North Carolina while maintaining Georgia operations?

A: Our experienced leadership team, proven service model, and dedicated volunteers provide a strong foundation for multi-state operations. We are committed to maintaining the same high-quality, dignity-restoring services in North Carolina that we've delivered in Georgia for nearly 20 years.

Getting Involved

Q: How can I volunteer with Words of Comfort Ministries in North Carolina?

A: We welcome volunteers! As we establish our North Carolina operations, we'll be actively recruiting volunteers to join our team. Whether you can offer a few hours a month or more regular commitment, we have opportunities that match your skills and availability. Please contact us at 678-400-5171 to express your interest.

Q: What volunteer opportunities are available?

A: Volunteers support all aspects of our three core service areas—Education, Personal Development, and Community Engagement. Opportunities include mentoring, teaching, administrative support, community outreach, event coordination, and direct client services.

Q: How can I donate to support the North Carolina expansion?

A: Donations can be made through our website or by contacting us directly. You can designate your gift specifically to support our North Carolina expansion efforts if you wish. All donations are tax-deductible as we are a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization.

Q: I'm a pastor or community leader in North Carolina. How can my church or organization partner with Words of Comfort Ministries?

A: We're actively seeking partnerships with churches, nonprofits, businesses, and community organizations in North Carolina. Partnerships can take many forms—from hosting programs to collaborative service projects to resource sharing. Please contact us at 678-400-5171 to discuss how we can work together to serve North Carolina communities.

Q: Does Words of Comfort Ministries accept in-kind donations?

A: Yes, we accept in-kind donations that support our programs and the individuals we serve. These might include educational materials, professional services, facility use, or other resources. Please contact us at 678-400-5171 to discuss current needs and donation guidelines.

Q: Can businesses or corporations support Words of Comfort Ministries?

A: Absolutely. We welcome corporate partnerships, sponsorships, employee volunteer programs, and financial support from businesses that share our commitment to serving underserved communities. Corporate support helps us expand our reach and deepen our impact.

Q: How can I stay informed about the North Carolina expansion progress?

A: Follow us on social media, subscribe to our newsletter through our website, and check our website regularly for updates. We'll be sharing milestones, partnership announcements, service launch dates, and opportunities to get involved as our North Carolina operations develop.

Financial and Operational Questions

Q: Is Words of Comfort Ministries a registered nonprofit?

A: Yes. Words of Comfort Ministries, Inc. is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization established in 2005. We are now legally authorized to operate in both Georgia and North Carolina, having received our Certificate of Authority from the North Carolina Secretary of State.

Q: How is Words of Comfort Ministries funded?

A: We rely on the generous support of individual donors, grants, corporate sponsors, church partnerships, and fundraising events. We are committed to transparency and responsible stewardship of all resources entrusted to us.

Q: Are donations tax-deductible?

A: Yes. As a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization, all donations to Words of Comfort Ministries are tax-deductible to the fullest extent allowed by law. We provide donation receipts for your tax records.

Q: Will Georgia programs be impacted by the North Carolina expansion?

A: No. We remain fully committed to our Georgia communities and will continue all existing programs and services. The North Carolina expansion represents organizational growth and increased capacity, not a reduction in our Georgia presence. We serve both states with equal dedication.

Q: Who leads Words of Comfort Ministries?

A: Words of Comfort Ministries is governed by a dedicated Board of Directors who provide strategic oversight and ensure mission alignment. Our operations are supported by more than 25 committed volunteers who work directly with the individuals and families we serve.

Q: How do you ensure accountability and transparency?

A: As a 501(c)(3) organization, we maintain rigorous financial accountability, undergo regular audits, and operate with transparency. Our Board of Directors provides governance oversight, and we are committed to responsible stewardship of every dollar and resource.

Q: What percentage of donations goes directly to programs?

A: We are committed to maximizing programmatic impact while maintaining operational excellence. Specific financial information and our annual reports are available upon request. We believe in transparency and are happy to share how donations are utilized to restore dignity and deliver hope.

Faith-Based Questions

Q: Is Words of Comfort Ministries a Christian organization?

A: Yes, Words of Comfort Ministries is a faith-based ministry rooted in Christian values. Our mission to restore human dignity and deliver hope is inspired by our faith and our commitment to sharing God's love with those in need. Our expansion announcement reflects this: "God continues to open doors—and we are walking boldly through them!"

Q: Do I need to be Christian to receive services?

A: No. We serve all individuals and families in need, regardless of religious background, beliefs, or practices. Our mission is to restore human dignity and deliver help and hope to everyone we serve—period. You are welcome here.

Q: How does faith integrate into your programs?

A: While we are a Christian ministry, our programs are designed to meet practical needs—education, personal development, and community engagement—while offering spiritual support and encouragement to those who desire it. We respect the beliefs and backgrounds of all individuals we serve.

Q: Do you proselytize or require religious participation?

A: No. We do not require religious participation or agreement with our beliefs to receive services. We offer spiritual support as one component of holistic care for those who welcome it, but our primary focus is restoring dignity and providing practical empowerment and resources.

Q: Can people of other faiths volunteer with Words of Comfort Ministries?

A: We welcome volunteers who share our commitment to serving others with compassion and dignity. While we are a Christian ministry, we value diverse perspectives and believe that service brings people together across many differences. If you're passionate about empowering underserved communities, we'd love to talk with you.

Q: What does "sharing God's love" mean in practice?

A: For us, sharing God's love means treating every person with dignity, respect, and compassion. It means seeing the inherent worth in every individual, offering hope where there is despair, providing practical support alongside spiritual encouragement, and walking with people through their challenges. Love is shown through action and service.

Contact Information

Q: How can I learn more about Words of Comfort Ministries?

A: Visit our website at www.wocministries.com, where you'll find detailed information about our programs, services, impact, and ways to get involved.

Q: How do I contact Words of Comfort Ministries?

A: You can reach us through:

- **Website:** www.wocministries.com (contact form available)
- **Email:** gayledaniels@wocministries.com
- **Phone:** 678-400-5171
- **Mail:** 2501 Bragg Blvd, Suite A, PMB#310, Fayetteville, GA 28303

Q: Are you on social media?

A: Yes! Follow us on social media to stay updated on our North Carolina expansion, see stories of impact, learn about volunteer opportunities, and connect with our community:

- **Facebook:** <https://www.facebook.com/WOCMinistries>
- **Instagram:** https://instagram.com/wocministries?utm_medium=copy_link

Q: Who should I contact about volunteering in North Carolina?

A: Please contact us through our website at [wocministries.com](http://www.wocministries.com) or call 678-400-5171 /email us directly at gayledaniels@wocministries.com expressing your interest in North Carolina volunteer opportunities. We'll connect you with the appropriate team member as we build our North Carolina volunteer network.

Q: Who should I contact about partnership opportunities?

A: For church partnerships, corporate sponsorships, or organizational collaborations, please reach out through our website or contact our office directly. We'll schedule a conversation to explore how we can work together to serve communities in need.

Q: I need services. How do I get help?

A: If you or someone you know needs support, please contact us immediately. We're here to help. Reach out through our website, call our office, or connect with us through social media. Let us know how we can serve you.

For additional questions not covered here, please don't hesitate to contact us directly. We're here to serve, and we're honored to walk alongside you—whether you need help, want to give help, or simply want to learn more about our mission.

God is opening doors, and together we're walking through them!

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