



Our Mission

Gulf Coast Teaching Family Services (GCTFS) is now doing business as Gulf Coast Social Services (GCSS). We are a private, non-profit corporation founded in 1983 in Louisiana to provide comprehensive human service programs for Louisiana citizens, children and adults, with various physical and mental challenges.

Our mission is to empower people with mental, physical, behavioral, and other challenges to improve the quality of their lives and to live as independently as possible in the community.

We operate seven regional offices located in Alexandria, Baton Rouge, Hammond, Houma, Lafayette, Lake Charles, and New Orleans.

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Personal Care Services for Disabled Military Veterans

Program Description

Gulf Coast Social Services is authorized by the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) to provide personal care attendant services for disabled military veterans that are referred by the Department's Medical Staff. The individuals must be currently receiving treatment and have a documented need for personal care services in order to be referred by VA.

Who is Eligible?

Individuals must be referred by the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs. For more information, contact:

Southeast Louisiana Veterans Care System
1250 Poydras Street, Suite 200
New Orleans, LA 70113
1.800. 827-1000

Services Provided

Personal care services include:

- Bathing
- Light Housekeeping
- Assistance with laundry
- Assistance with bed making and/or changing linens

Services cannot exceed 240 hours for a one year period and are usually dispensed a couple hours per day, two or three times a week.

Areas Served

Baton Rouge Regional Office
phone: (225) 201-0696

Hammond Regional Office
phone: (985) 542-1191

Houma Regional Office
phone: (985) 851-4488