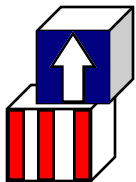


Head Start/Early Head Start



Greene Lamp Head Start is a comprehensive child development program serving low-income three and four year old children and their families in Lenoir and Greene Counties. Head Start provides services to 311 children and their families. Chil-

dren must be 3 or 4 years of age on or before August 31st. The program's major goal is to provide a child development program that will encompass educational, medical, dental, nutritional, mental health, social services, and parent needs, as they relate to the individual child and his/her family and community. Children with special needs are mainstreamed with other children.

Greene Lamp Early Head Start provide services to 145 children ages 12 months to 3 years old in 6 local childcare centers and in Greene Lamp locations. Its purpose is to provide support to working families by providing a full-day, full-year high quality early learning program so that low income children have healthy and enriching early experiences they need to realize their full potential. The program also provides comprehensive services to benefit children, families, and childcare teachers to include:

- Health, developmental and behavioral screenings
- Increased professional development opportunities for teachers at childcare centers
- Increased parent engagement opportunities
- Higher health, safety, and nutrition standards for childcare centers

Greene County

South Greene Head Start 5-Star Center

Lenoir County

Highland Head Start/Early Head Start 5-Star Center

LaGrange Head Start 5-Star Center

Marvin B. Spence Head Start 5-Star Center

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Grainger Hill Early Head Start 5-Star Center

All classrooms are licensed by the Division of Child Development, North Carolina Department of Health & Human Services.

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Emergency Solutions Grant ESG-CV

The Emergency Solutions Rapid Rehousing "Back at Home" Program assist the homeless population in obtaining housing. The program supports individuals with securing housing, as well as eliminating the possibility of homelessness. Greene Lamp operates the ESG-CV Program across the following counties:

- Lenoir
- Greene
- Duplin
- Wayne Sampson

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WIOA Adult & Dislocated Worker

Workforce Innovation Opportunity Act Adult and Dislocated Worker Programs are designed to provide quality employment and training services to assist eligible individuals in finding and qualifying for meaningful employment and to help employers find the skilled workers they need to compete and succeed in business.

Goals of the programs:

To increase employment, as measured by entry into unsubsidized employment

To increase retention in unsubsidized employment six months after entry into employment

To increase earnings received in unsubsidized employment for dislocated workers.

To enhance customers satisfaction for participants and for employers.

Targeted Population:

- Adults- 18 years and older -Unemployed Adults
- Employed Adults seeking employment opportunities

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Mission Statement

“dedicated to providing services to the citizens of Eastern, NC with an emphasis on achieving self-sufficiency”.

Vision Statement

“to be the leading Community Action Agency equipped to create positive change in the community”.



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Greene Lamp

The goals of the Agency are to provide programs and services that will assist families in moving out of poverty; to reduce the suffering caused by poverty; and to advocate for an improved delivery of services that are sensitive to the needs of all persons, regardless of background or environment.

Greene Lamp obtains grant funds in order to provide local services and activities that will have a major impact on the causes of poverty in the community. Greene Lamp has developed and administers a variety of self-help programs and endeavors in coordination with other agencies and target groups to better the social, economic, and cultural conditions in the service area.

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Community Services Block Grant

Through the Economic Opportunity Act (EOA) of 1964, federal funds are provided to states and other designations to provide a wide range of services and activities. These funds pass through the Department of Health and Human Services to the states and are earmarked for Community Action Agencies and administered by the NC Office of Economic Opportunity. Locally, the money is used to fund the Self Sufficiency Program and to leverage other funds in order to provide a network of human services particular to the needs of the local community.

The Self-Sufficiency Project

The core of the project is based on the concept that stabilizing families for the long term, not just meeting immediate needs, is essential for reducing poverty. The most effective and efficient way to provide services to low-income people is through coordinated and consolidated efforts of all the resources available: human services agencies, religious institutions, schools, businesses, and government agencies. Job training, education, and counseling are among the available intermediate and long-term strategies. Participants in the program must be 18 years of age or older. Serving Lenoir, Greene, Pitt and Beaufort counties.



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Foster Grandparents Program

The **Foster Grandparents Program** is part of AmeriCorps Seniors, a nationwide program sponsored by AmeriCorps, formerly the Corporation for National and Community Service (CNCS). As Foster Grandparents, seniors ages 55 and older serve as role models in area Public Schools, Head Start/Early Head Start Centers; Youth Development Centers; Boys and Girls Clubs, Charter Schools, and After School Programs across Lenoir and Greene Counties. They assist children with learning to read, provide tutoring and give encouragement to children who need extra attention. While giving of their time, they aid children in growing academically and socially, and help them make better decisions while building self-confidence. In addition to mentoring, nurturing, and supporting the youth, the Foster Grandparents also participate in community events to increase awareness of the program.

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9/11 Day of Service & Remembrance

The **9/11 Day of Service and Remembrance Program** purpose is to mobilize more Americans to engage in service and remembrance activities that meet community needs and honor the sacrifice of those who lost their lives or family members on September 11, 2001 or they themselves rose in service because of that tragedy. Greene Lamp engages the community and recruit volunteers to participate not only in the 9/11 National Day of Service, but several service projects throughout the year., while addressing the needs of the citizens of Beaufort, Greene, Lenoir and Pitt counties, respectively. The projects focus on the following areas of service: developing educational materials, identify and train volunteers for future projects, engage youth in service and prepare our communities for disasters.

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