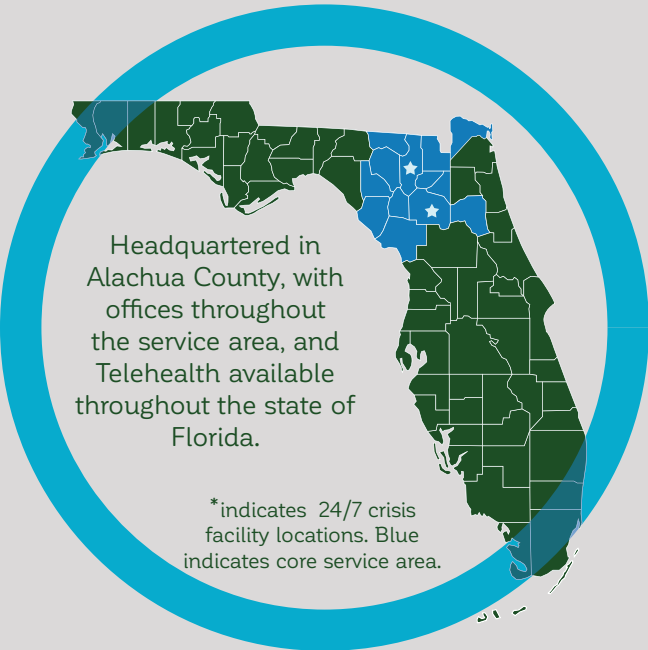


WHO WE ARE

Meridian is here to meet the needs of those affected by mental illnesses and substance use disorders throughout North Central Florida. Our broad continuum of services are designed to meet you where you're at and offer evidence-based, individualized, and appropriate care tailored to your unique needs. With services available remotely throughout the state of Florida via Telehealth, and in-person at one of our many locations, you have the ability to choose the location of care most convenient for you. Founded in 1971, Meridian is accredited and licensed. We are proud to be the region's longest-standing comprehensive provider for mental health and substance use disorders for all age groups. In 2021, Meridian became a Certified Community Behavioral Healthcare Center (CCBHC) offering an all-inclusive range of substance use and mental health disorder services, especially for individuals who have more complex needs.

SERVICE AREA

Meridian has multiple locations for in-person services and treatment throughout North and Central Florida.



Wellness is within everyone's reach.



Expert care available 24/7 through Telehealth, onsite, or at your location.



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A Level of Care for Every Need



LEVELS OF CARE

CRISIS SERVICES address the needs of individuals who are dealing with a traumatic event or life crisis, and those facing an acute episode of a psychiatric or substance use disorder. Crisis counseling and our suicide hotline are here to help. Clients may also be referred to outpatient treatment or admission to medically supervised, inpatient services. However, Meridian is not a hospital, so our inpatient units cannot accommodate those needing significant medical or surgical care.

RESIDENTIAL SERVICES provide longer-term treatment, focusing on counseling, support, and rehabilitation to promote recovery and your successful return to the community. These programs offer 24-hour care and primarily serve those with serious substance use disorders and/or persistent mental illness.

OUTPATIENT SERVICES provide treatment, education, and supportive services that address mild-to-moderate illness and/or support sustained recovery. Our therapists use a range of tools that are evidence-based and effective in treating these situations. Services can be provided in any of our clinics, in school or home, or via Telehealth.



ACCESS POINTS

At Meridian, we believe that each person deserves to be treated with respect and empowered to direct the care they receive. There are multiple ways to access Meridian’s various services:

- » Telehealth
- » Mobile Response Team (MRT)
- » Care Connection
- » Co-Responder Teams
- » Mothers Intensive Supportive Treatment (MIST)
- » Medication-Assisted Treatment (MAT)
- » Primary Care Clinic
- » Access Center

MISSION:

To promote the health, recovery, and well-being of those affected by mental illnesses and substance use disorders through prevention, coordinated treatment, and supportive services

VISION:

Hope, recovery, and wellness are within everyone’s reach.

VALUES:

- » Collaboration
- » Efficiency and Effectiveness
- » Initiative
- » Innovation and Growth
- » Integrity
- » Accountability



COMMUNITY

OUTREACH seeks to share Meridian’s story with all of North Central Florida. Identifying and engaging with community members who may need our support and services to help them reach their personal goals toward recovery and wellness.

PREVENTION aims to educate and inform the community of the risk factors for mental illness or substance use. The overall goal being to stop the worsening of these illnesses at the earliest possible sign. These efforts also include training the community about Mental Health First Aid (MHFA), an evidence-based educational program for various age groups.

SPONSORED SERVICES AND ENTITIES provide additional support, through partnerships with other healthcare and social service organizations, to those affected by mental illnesses or substance use disorders.

BUSINESS SERVICES are also offered through a variety of employee assistance programs (EAP) and consultation. We also lead MHFA trainings for groups and individual community members.



Meridian accepts payment for services from a variety of sources: client fees, insurance, Medicaid, and Medicare. Services to those without insurance are partially funded by the Florida Department of Children and Families via LSF Health Systems, LLC.

Clients who are unable to pay may be eligible for payment plans and sliding fee scale. For more, visit www.mbhci.org/getting-started/insurance-billing/

Meridian is an affiliate of Progress Health System.



Note: Because of the increased health risks, we prioritize admitting pregnant females and persons who are using drugs intravenously (by injection) to substance use treatment. If you, or the person that you are concerned about, are in one of these priority populations, please let us know when you call for help.