

Safe, affordable on-site medical services to Cumming Elementary students.



As of March 2023, Georgia Highlands Medical Services proudly provides affordable medical and behavioral health services to Cumming Elementary School students whose parents/guardians choose to access this outstanding service. Care is provided on-site at our School Based Health Center at Cumming Elementary. The school safety and facilities departments have worked together to ensure that Cumming Elementary School stays safe and secure with the new addition. The clinic has its own secure entrance, and the doors that lead from the clinic to the school are also protected.

Our goal is to ensure that students and school staff can receive on-site medical and mental health services, reduce missed school days, and keep kids healthy. Additionally, our school center helps families overcome access barriers – including transportation, time, cost, and lack of continuity of care – that may prevent them from receiving needed healthcare services. Care is provided before, during, and after school hours right down the hall from your child's classroom. Furthermore, parents/guardians can meet their child at the clinic to be seen by our Nurse Practitioner, Ashley Ford, and Licensed Professional Counselor, Michele Ruiz.



ASHLEY FORD, FNP-C



MICHELE RUIZ, LPC

Visit our website to learn more about Georgia Highlands Medical Services.

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Funds raised will support the SCHOOL BASED HEALTH CENTER at Cumming Elementary School, a Georgia Highlands Medical Services and Forsyth County Schools partnership.



Cumming Elementary School SBHC Ribbon Cutting