FULTON COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF SENIOR SERVICES

Kinship Care Quick Facts

Let's focus on the needs of Grandparents caring for their Grandchildren in Fulton County.



THE CHILDREN OF GEORGIA

- 90,000 (4%) children live with a relative with no parent present.
- 288,297 (11.6%) children under 18 live in homes where householders are grandparents or other relatives.
- 218,708 (8.8%) of these children live with grandparents.
- 69,589 (2.8%) of these children live with other relatives.



THE GRANDPARENTS

- 115,245 grandparents are householders responsible for their grandchildren who live with them. Of these:
- 41,598 (36.1%) do not have parents present.
- 66,381 (57.6%) are in the workforce.

IN THE UNITED STATES

- 8 million children being raised by a relative as a primary caregiver.
- 2.5 million children being raised by a relative without their birth parent living in the household