Adult Protective Services (APS)

Age Requirements 18 and over Available 24/7 No Other Eligibility Criteria **Resident of Patrick County** Family No **Intake Process** Contact the office for more information. A toll-free state hotline (24 hours a day, seven days a week) is also available to report concerns in Virginia: 1-888-83ADULT, OR 1-888-832-3858. Self Refer Yes Patrick County Department of Social Services http://www.co.patrick.va.us/social-services Main (276) 694-3328 106 Rucker Street, Suite 128 24171 VA United States Monday: 8:00 am-5:00 pm Tuesday: 8:00 am-5:00 pm Wednesday: 8:00 am-5:00 pm Thursday: 8:00 am-5:00 pm Friday: 8:00 am-5:00 pm Saturday: Closed Sunday: Closed Fee Structure No Fee Languages Spoken English

Patrick County Department of Social Services investigates reports of abuse, neglect, and exploitation of adults aged 60 and over and incapacitated adults over 18 years of age and provides services when persons are found to be in need of protective services.

The goal of APS is to protect a vulnerable adult's life, health, and property without a loss of liberty. When this is not possible, APS attempts to provide assistance with the least disruption of life style and with full due process, protection, and restoration of the person's liberty in the shortest possible period of time. APS seeks to achieve simultaneously and in order of importance: freedom, safety, and minimal disruption of lifestyle and least-restrictive care.

To report suspected financial exploitation or other kinds of abuse to the elderly or adults with a disability, call your local department of social services or the Virginia Department of Social Services' 24-hour, toll-free Adult Protective Services hotline at: 1-(888) 832-3858.

Service Area(s) Patrick County