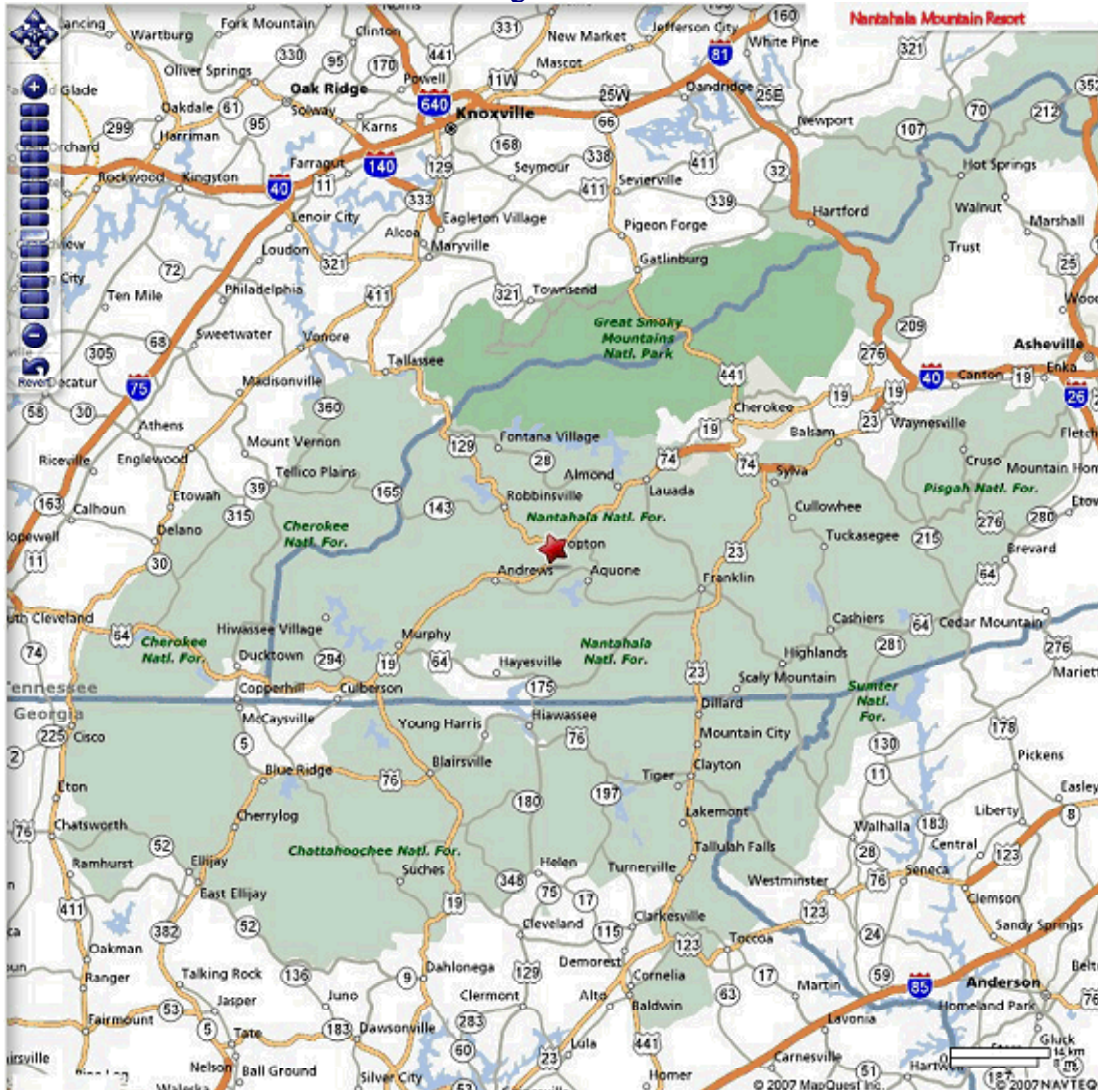


## Directions from Gatlinburg to Nantahala Mountain Resort



Out of Gatlinburg take 441 South through the Great Smoky Mountain National Park to Cherokee, NC. Drive through Cherokee to the dead-end where there is a traffic light and turn right. Go 500 feet to another traffic light and turn left, thus remaining on Hwy 441. In approximately three miles you will come to the intersection of Hwy 441 and Hwy 19/74; stay in the right-hand lane and take the first highway entrance to the right, going West toward Bryson City/Murphy. Stay on this highway, which is labeled "The Great Smoky Mountain Expressway," for 16 miles. The highway then becomes a two-lane road. Continue on Hwy 19/74, heading into the Nantahala Gorge on the road which is labeled, "The Scenic Waters Byway." From here it is approximately 12 miles to the Nantahala Mountain Resort. Along the way you will *pass by* the Nantahala Outdoor Center (on the right) and the Nantahala River Launch Site (on the left). The entrance to the Nantahala Mountain Resort, Franklin Branch Road, is 1.4 miles *past* the river

launch site (do *not* turn onto Wayah Rd.).

This drive is 65 miles from the entrance of the Great Smoky Mountain Park, approximately one and one half hours and is a beautiful scenic mountain trip through the Great Smoky Mountain National Park and the mountains of Western North Carolina.

Office hours are 9am-9pm Monday-Saturday and 9am-8pm Sunday. If you think you will be arriving after 9pm and do not have a map and keycode to your cabin please call the office toll-free at 888-667-2224 before 9pm. If it is after 9pm call the emergency number at (828)361-7329.