Children's Crisis Services Directory

A resource for parents and caregivers

If your child is experiencing a crisis, it can be confusing as to who you should turn to for help. This resource will help determine who you should call and what happens next.

CRISIS/SAFETY PLAN

Refer to the crisis or safety plan that you and your child created with your therapist.

Family and Friends I can call when I am having a hard time:

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PLACES TO CALL

When your child is experiencing a crisis you might want to call 911. However, other options to call are:

- Detroit Wayne Integrated Health Network 24 Hour Helpline 800-241-4949
  or Reach Us Detroit Text or call 313-488-HOPE reachusdetroit.org
  or National Suicide Prevention Lifeline 800-273-8255

IN THE EMERGENCY ROOM

DWIHN partners with The Guidance Center and New Oakland Family Centers to complete crisis screenings for youth in acute crisis in local emergency departments 24/7. This service is available 24/7, including weekends and holidays.

After screening, services offered may include:
- Crisis residential
- Inpatient hospitalization
- Linkage to community mental health
- Short-term crisis intervention/stabilization

WALK IN CENTERS

If you would rather avoid the hospitals there is a walk in center you can take your child to.

The Children's Center
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Monday – Friday
8:00am to 8:00pm
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