

referral resources

IN AN EMERGENCY OR CRISIS

For assistance in an emergency situation	Illinois Department of Children and Family Services (DCFS)
Dial 911	800-25-ABUSE (800-252-2873) Call if you suspect that a child has been harmed or is at risk of being harmed by abuse or neglect.
Chicago Public Schools	CARES Line (24 hour) Screening, Assessment, Support, and Services (SASS)
Crisis Hotline: 773-553-1792 Student Safety Center: 773-553-3335	1-800-345-9049 Contact if the child is a risk to themselves or others, having a mental health crisis, or if you would like a referral to services for children, youth, and families.

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AND SEXUAL ABUSE RESOURCES

Chicago Domestic Violence Help Line	National Domestic Violence Hotline
1-877-863-6338 Information, Options, Counseling, Legal and Shelter Services	1-800-799-SAFE (7233) 1-800-787-3224 (hearing impaired line)
YWCA Metropolitan Chicago	Resilience/Rape Victim Advocates
312-733-2102 Sexual violence support services, including counseling and advocacy. Multiple South Side locations.	312-443-9603 Free trauma therapy, medical, and legal advocacy related to sexual violence in the Loop, Austin, and Ravenswood.
National Sexual Assault Hotline	Chicago Rape Crisis Hotline
1-800-656-HOPE (4673)	1-888-293-2080
Mujeres Latinas en Accion	KAN-WIN
773-890-7676 Bilingual/bicultural individual and group therapy for domestic and sexual violence in Pilsen and Brighton Park.	773-585-1392 Provides domestic and sexual violence support and advocacy focused on Asian American survivors. Confidential location.
Between Friends	Apna Ghar
773-274-5232 x 12 Domestic violence multilingual counseling and support services, teen relationship education, and court advocacy. Confidential location.	773-334-4663 Sexual and domestic violence services focused on crisis response, counseling, and advocacy for immigrants. Uptown and Skokie.

MENTAL HEALTH & WELLNESS RESOURCES

National Suicide Prevention Lifeline	National Runaway Safeline
1-800-273-TALK (8255) (press 2 for Spanish)	1-800-RUNAWAY 1-800-786-2929
STOP-IT Now	Youth Outreach Services
1-877-606-3158 24-hour Human Trafficking Hotline	773-777-7112 Behavioral health services for youth, including for problematic sexual behavior.
NAMI of Greater Chicago's Mental Health	Illinois Mental Health Collaborative
Helpline: 312-563-0445 1-800-950-NAMI (6264) National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI) HelpLine provides information and referral services.	1-866-359-7953, TTY: 1-866-880-4459 (Press 2 for the Warm line to talk with someone who will listen during a difficult time)
Metropolitan Family Services	Ada S. McKinley Community Services
312-986-4000 Provides support to children and adults with chronic mental illness.	773-918-6100 Provides outpatient care for trauma and gang related violence, or for personal trauma related to physical, sexual or emotional abuse.
Lutheran Social Services of Illinois (LSSI)	Association House
773-282-7800 Outpatient and residential counseling, mental health and alcohol/drug treatment services for children and families.	773-772-7170 Mental health services, substance abuse prevention and treatment, and 24 hour supervised residential living, rehabilitation.
SUBSTANCE ABUSE RESOURCES	
SAMHSA's National Helpline	Human Resource Development Institute (HRDI)
1-800-662-HELP (4357) http://findtreatment.SAMHSA.gov 24-hour information and referral assistance to local treatment facilities, support groups, and community-based organizations for both substance abuse and mental health services.	773-745-7107 Child and adolescent outpatient services for substance abuse services to children between 12-17 years. Inpatient substance abuse treatment facility for adolescent girls.
Gads Hill Center	Gateway Foundation
312-226-0963 Group and individual counseling for substance use, gang involvement, anxiety, etc.	773-826-1916 Outpatient programs, residential programs, and aftercare for youth drug and alcohol treatment.

South East Alcohol & Drug Abuse Center (SEADAC)	Narcotics Anonymous
773-731-9100 Clinical outpatient treatment and counseling for adult and youth alcohol and drug abuse.	1-888-GET-HOPE (438-4673) (Hopeline) www.na.org/meetingsearch
Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual, Transgender Support Resources	
GLBT National Help Center	Trevor Project Crisis Line
1-888-843-4564 www.glnh.org	1-866-4-U-TREVOR (488-7386) www.theTrevorProject.org
GLBT National Youth Talkline	Broadway Youth Center
1-800-246-PRIDE (1-800-246-7743) www.glnh.org/talkline	773-388-1600 A safe haven for LGBTQ youth. Health clinic, drop-in services,counseling and resource advocacy in Uptown.
Chicago: Center on Halsted LGBTQ Violence Resource Line	Illinois Safe Schools Alliance
773-871-CARE (2273) Violence Resource Line assists LGBTQH people exposed to violence.	312-533-2624 Promotes healthy development for LGBTQ youth in IL schools through advocacy, education and youth organizing.

