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# ***Welcome to Connections 2016***

The Mental Health Association of Southeast Florida is proud to present its **19th edition** of "**Connections**", a guide to behavioral health and support services in Broward County.

"Connections" provides a tool that empowers those with illness to be informed about resources and opportunities available to them in pursuit of recovery. "Connections" is also a resource to connect providers for collaboration and social service referrals to meet the community's need.

Please note that resource information in our community changes rapidly. While our staff and volunteers have made every effort to provide accurate content, there may be adjustments or corrections that were not available at the time this book went to print. We will make every effort to post the most current information in the "Connections" section under Publications & Directories on the MHA website at:

**[www.mhasefl.org](http://www.mhasefl.org)**

In addition, the publication is now also available as a mobile website"

**[www.BrowardConnections.org](http://www.BrowardConnections.org)**

MHA appreciates the continued support of our project underwriters: Broward County's Human Services Department and Broward Behavioral Health Coalition. Without their partnership, this resource would not be possible.

The MISSION of your Mental Health Association is to promote mental health and victory over mental illness and related challenges through education, prevention, advocacy, research and empowerment. The Mental Health Association has provided its programs and services in Broward County since 1957. To meet the needs in Miami-Dade County, MHA has expanding its service area to build partnerships and resources and operates as the Mental Health Association of Southeast Florida.

"Connections" addresses each component of the Mental Health Association's mission. We invite you to join in our organization and our advocacy efforts.

***Mental health  
is a goal for everyone.***



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## HOW TO USE THIS DIRECTORY

The “Needs Index” (starting on page 7) lists all of the agencies included in this directory under the specific categories of need served by the agency or one of the programs within the agency. Once you have identified an agency that is listed under the category you are looking for, you can locate that agency alphabetically (starting on page 21) for a more in-depth description of the agency and its programs.

If you know the name of the agency you are looking for, you can find it listed alphabetically in the “Agencies & Programs” section (starting on page 21) with a description of the programs and services of that agency.

The “Telephone Index” (starting on page 185), can be used to quickly look up a phone number for a particular agency or to find a specific program of an agency. If you cannot locate a phone number in the “Agencies & Programs” section, you may want to check the telephone index. To locate the full description of that program, look for it alphabetically in the Agency & Program section under the name of its agency which is listed in parenthesis after the program name in the telephone index section.

“Helpful Information” can be found starting on page 153. It includes phone numbers for hotlines, patient assistance programs for medications, national & state resources, information about various issues relevant to adults, and useful publications available through the Mental Health Association of Southeast Florida.

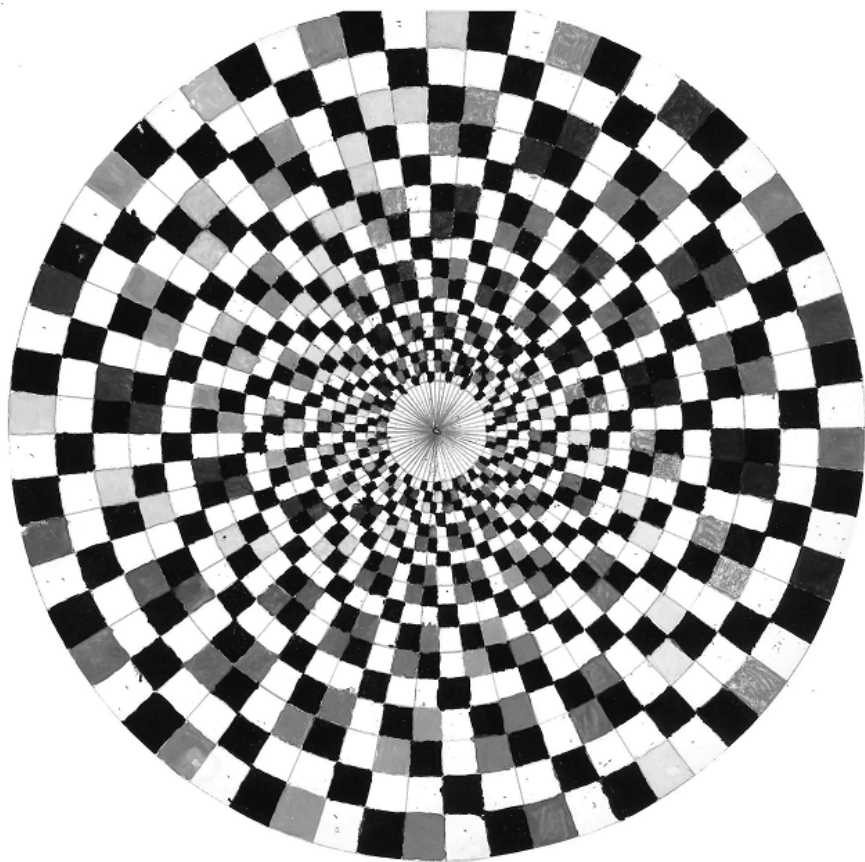
For assistance or any additional information  
Contact the Mental Health Association of Southeast Florida  
9:00am - 5:00pm weekdays  
954-746-2055

9Muses Art Center hours are  
9:00am - 5:30pm weekdays,  
10:00am - 5:00pm Saturdays  
Members Line: 954-746-9162

The Seth Line warm line hours are  
6:00pm - 10:00pm weekdays  
954-578-5640

Our staff can help you access any of this information.

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# Needs Index





## NEEDS INDEX

*Listed under each category are the agencies that address that specific need.  
Get detailed information about each of the programs of these agencies  
starting on page 21.*

**ABUSE & NEGLECT**

*(also see Domestic Violence)*

*(also see Sexual Assault & Abuse)*

Barry University Ofc of Public Guardian

Broward County Public Schools

Broward Regional Health Planning

Broward Sheriff's Office

Camelot Community Care

Catholic Charities

ChildNet

Children's Harbor

Children's Home Society

Department of Children & Families

Guardian Ad Litem

H.A.N.D.Y.

Kids In Distress

Mental Health Association

Mount Bethel Human Services

**ADVOCACY**

*(also see Peer Run Programs)*

9Muses Art Center

Alzheimer's Association

Barry University Ofc of Public Guardian

Broward County Human Rights Section

Broward County Long-Term Ombudsman

Center for Independent Living

Coalition To End Homelessness

Family Voices

Florida Initiative for Suicide Prevention

Mental Health Association

NAMI Broward

Nancy J. Cotterman Center

South Florida Wellness Center

Women In Distress

**AIDS/HIV**

*See HIV/AIDS*

**ALCOHOL ABUSE**

*See Co-Occurring Disorders*

*See Substance Abuse*

**ANGER MANAGEMENT**

*See Mental Health Services*

*See Violence*

**ANXIETY DISORDERS**

*See Mental Health Services*

*See Support Groups page 147*

**ARTS & CULTURE**

*(also see Social & Recreational)*

9Muses Art Center

Mental Health Association

Rebel's Drop-In Center

**ASSAULT**

*See Abuse & Neglect*

*See Domestic Violence*

*See Sexual Assault & Abuse*

**ASSESSMENT**

*See Co-Occurring Disorders*

*See Evaluations & Testing*

*See Mental Health Services*

*See Substance Abuse*

**ASSISTED LIVING FACILITIES**

*Contact Agency for Healthcare*

*Administration (AHCA)*

*www.ahca.myflorida.com*

**ATTENTION DEFICIT**

**DISORDER/ADHD**

*See Mental Health Services*

*See Support Groups page 147*

**BAKER ACT**

**RECEIVING FACILITIES**

*(also see page 181)*

Atlantic Shores Hospital

Broward Health Imperial Point

Broward Health Medical Center

Citrus Health Network

Fort Lauderdale Hospital

Henderson Crisis Stabilization

Larkin Community Hospital

Memorial Healthcare System

North Shore Medical Ctr, FMC Campus

Plantation General Hospital

University Hospital/University Pavilion



**BEREAVEMENT**

*(also Mental Health Services)*  
*(also see Support Groups page 147)*

Broward Health  
 Gilda's Club  
 Goodman Jewish Family Service  
 Tomorrow's Rainbow  
 TrustBridge Health

**BIPOLAR DISORDER**

*See Mental Health Services*  
*See Support Groups page 147*

**BI-SEXUAL**

*See Gay, Lesbian, Bi-Sexual,  
 Transgender (GLBT)*

**BLIND**

*See Disability - Physical*

**CAREER DEVELOPMENT**

*See Jobs & Training*

**CASE MANAGEMENT**

Achievement & Rehabilitation Centers  
 Archways  
 Broward Children's Center  
 Broward County Elderly & Veterans  
 Broward County Family Success  
 Broward House  
 Center for Hearing & Communication  
 ChildNet  
 Children's Diagnostic & Treatment Ctr.  
 Children's Harbor  
 Chrysalis Health  
 CINS/FINS Provider Agencies  
 Covenant House Florida  
 Department of Children & Families  
 Gateway Community Outreach  
 Gulf Coast Jewish Family & Community  
 Hallandale Beach Human Services  
 H.A.N.D.Y.  
 Healthy Mothers, Healthy Babies  
 Henderson Behavioral Health  
 House of Hope/Stepping Stones  
 Lutheran Services Florida  
 Minority Development & Empowerment  
 MonarchCare  
 Parent's Information & Resource Center  
 Saint Laurence Chapel

Schott Communities  
 SunServe  
 Susan B. Anthony Recovery Center  
 Total Intervention Early Services

**CHILDCARE**

**(After School, Day Care, Respite)**

Achievement & Rehabilitation Centers  
 Broward County Parks & Recreation  
 Broward County Public Schools  
 Broward Sheriff's Office  
 Child Care Licensing & Enforcement  
 ChildNet  
 Early Learning Coalition  
 FamilyCentral  
 Jewish Adoption & Foster Care Options  
 Jewish Community Centers  
 Memory Disorder Center  
 Minority Development & Empowerment  
 Mount Bethel Human Services  
 Salvation Army  
 YMCA of South Florida

**CHILDREN'S SERVICES**

2-1-1 Broward  
 A Child Is Missing  
 Achievement & Rehabilitation Centers  
 American Red Cross  
 Ann Storck Center  
 Autism Society of Broward  
 Banyan Health Systems  
 Best Buddies  
 Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Broward  
 Boys & Girls Clubs  
 Broward Children's Center  
 Broward County Children's Svcs. Admin.  
 Broward County Library  
 Broward County Parks & Recreation  
 Broward County Public Schools  
 Broward Health  
 Broward Regional Health Planning  
 Broward Sheriff's Office  
 Camelot Community Care  
 Center for Autism & Related Disabilities  
 Center for Hearing & Communication  
 Center for Independent Living  
 ChildNet  
 Children's Diagnostic & Treatment Ctr.  
 Children's Harbor  
 Children's Home Society  
 Children's Medical Services

Children's Services Council  
 Chrysalis Health  
 CINS/FINS Provider Agencies  
 Covenant House Florida  
 Department of Juvenile Justice  
 Division of Blind Services  
 Early Learning Coalition  
 Equine-Assisted Therapies  
 FamilyCentral  
 Florida (State of) 17th Judicial Circuit  
 Florida Dept. of Health in Broward County  
 Florida Initiative for Suicide Prevention  
 Gilda's Club  
 Grottoes of Broward  
 Guardian Ad Litem  
 Hallandale Beach Human Services  
 H.A.N.D.Y.  
 Harmony Development Center  
 Henderson Behavioral Health  
 Hispanic Unity  
 Hollywood Park, Recreation & Cultural  
 I'm Thumbody  
 Impact Broward  
 Jack and Jill Children's Center  
 Jewish Adoption & Foster Care Options  
 Jewish Community Centers  
 Junior Achievement  
 Kids In Distress  
 Lauderdale Lakes Parks & Human Svcs  
 Lighthouse of Broward  
 Listen to Children  
 Lutheran Services Florida  
 Make A Wish Foundation  
 Memorial Healthcare System  
 Mental Health Association  
 Minority Development & Empowerment  
 Mount Bethel Human Services  
 Nancy J. Cotterman Center  
 Nova Southeastern University  
 Our Children Our Future  
 PACE Center for Girls  
 Pembroke Pines (City of)  
 Smith Community Mental Health  
 SOS Children's Villages  
 State Attorney's Office  
 SunServe  
 Susan B. Anthony Recovery Center  
 Swim Central  
 Take Stock in Children  
 The Starting Place  
 Tomorrow's Rainbow

United Cerebral Palsy  
 Urban League  
 YMCA of South Florida

## CLINICS

*See Hospitals*

*See Medical Services*

## CLOTHING

*(also see Food Pantries page 141)*

*(also see Financial)*

*Clothing may also be available  
at local churches*

Coalition to End Homelessness  
 Covenant House Florida  
 Gateway Community Outreach  
 H.A.N.D.Y.  
 Jubilee Center  
 Lifenet4Families  
 Our Father's House  
 Saint Lawrence Chapel  
 Salvation Army

## CONSUMER-RUN PROGRAMS

*See Peer-Run Programs*

## CO-OCCURRING DISORDERS

Achievement & Rehabilitation Centers  
 Archways  
 Atlantic Shores Hospital  
 Banyan Health Systems  
 Broward Addiction Recovery Center  
 Broward County Elderly & Veterans  
 Broward Health  
 Broward House  
 Broward Sheriff's Office  
 Chrysalis Health  
 Correct Care Recovery Solutions  
 Fort Lauderdale Hospital  
 Gulf Coast Jewish Family & Community  
 Henderson Behavioral Health  
 House of Hope/Stepping Stones  
 Larkin Community Hospital  
 Memorial Healthcare System  
 Mental Health Association  
 Plantation General Hospital  
 Smith Community Mental Health  
 Susan B. Anthony Recovery Center  
 The Starting Place



## **COUNSELING (Individual, Family & Group Therapy)**

***If you are in crisis, call 9-1-1***

***See Mental Health Services***

***Also see the MHA Directory of***

***Professional Members***

***available online at:***

***www.mhasefl.org***

## **CRISIS RESPONSE**

***See Emergency Services***

## **DAY CARE/RESPIRE**

Achievement & Rehabilitation Centers

Alzheimer's Family Center

Ann Storck Center

Broward County Elderly & Veterans

Broward House

Catholic Charities

Impact Broward

Smith Community Mental Health

SunServe

United Cerebral Palsy

## **DAYTREATMENT**

***See Mental Health Services***

## **DEAF**

***See Disability - Physical***

## **DENTAL CARE**

***(also see Medical Services)***

Broward College

Broward County Dental Association

Children's Diagnostic & Treatment Ctr.

Florida Dept of Health in Broward Co.

Grottoes of Broward

Kids In Distress

Nova Southeastern University

## **DEPRESSION**

***See Mental Health Services***

***See Support Groups page 141***

## **DISABILITY - DEVELOPMENTAL**

2-1-1 Broward

Achievement & Rehabilitation Centers

Ann Storck Center

Best Buddies

Broward Children's Center

Broward County Public Schools

Center for Independent Living

Children's Diagnostic & Treatment Ctr.

Equine-Assisted Therapies

Goodman Jewish Family Service

Grottoes of Broward

MonarchCare

Nova Southeastern University

Our Children Our Future

Schott Communities

United Cerebral Palsy

## **DISABILITY - PHYSICAL**

Achievement & Rehabilitation Centers

Broward Children's Center

Center for Autism & Related Disabilities

Center for Hearing & Communication

Center for Independent Living

Children's Diagnostic & Treatment Ctr.

Division of Blind Services

Equine-Assisted Therapies

Goodman Jewish Family Service

Grottoes of Broward

Lighthouse of Broward

MonarchCare

Nova Southeastern University

Schott Communities

United Cerebral Palsy

## **DIVORCE**

***See Legal Services***

***See Mental Health Services***

***See Parenting Education***

## **DOMESTIC VIOLENCE**

***(also see Abuse & Neglect)***

***(also see Sexual Assault & Abuse)***

Department of Children & Families

Mental Health Association

Nova Southeastern University

Parent Education/Parent Support

Pride Center

Salvation Army

Women In Distress

## **DRIVER'S LICENSE/ID CARD**

Department of Highway Safety

## **DRUG ABUSE**

***See Co-Occurring Disorders***

***See Substance Abuse***

**DUAL DIAGNOSIS***See Co-Occurring Disorders***EATING DISORDERS****TREATMENT FACILITIES***(also see Mental Health Services)**(also see Hospitals)*

Renfrew Center

**EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE***If you are in crisis, call 9-1-1**(also see Financial Assistance)*

2-1-1 Broward

American Red Cross

Coalition to End Homelessness

Children's Home Society

Ease Foundation

H.A.N.D.Y.

Henderson Behavioral Health

Hope Outreach Center

Jubilee Center

Lifenet4Families

Nancy J. Cotterman Center

Salvation Army

Women In Distress

**EVALUATIONS & TESTING***(also see Co-Occurring Disorders)**(also see Mental Health Services)**(also see Substance Abuse)*

Broward County Public Schools

Chrysalis Health

Gulf Coast Jewish Family &amp; Community

Henderson Behavioral Health

Memory Disorder Center

New Direction Institute

Our Children Our Future

Nova Southeastern University

Parent's Information &amp; Resource Center

Smith Community Mental Health

Susan B. Anthony Recovery Center

**FAMILY SUPPORT**

2-1-1 Broward

Achievement &amp; Rehabilitation Centers

Al Anon Family Groups &amp; Alateen

Alzheimer's Association

Ann Storck Center

Autism Society of Broward

Broward Addiction Recovery Center

Broward County Family Success

Broward County Public Schools

Broward Regional Health Planning

Camelot Community Care

Center for Autism &amp; Related Disabilities

Children's Diagnostic &amp; Treatment Ctr.

Children's Home Society

Children's Medical Services

CINS/FINS Provider Agencies

Cooperative Parenting &amp; Divorce

Early Learning Coalition

Family Voices

Gilda's Club

Healthy Mothers, Healthy Babies

Jack and Jill Children's Center

Jewish Adoption &amp; Foster Care Options

Mental Health Association

Mount Bethel Human Services

NAMI Broward

Parent Education &amp; Parent Support

SOS Children's Villages

**FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE***(also see Emergency Services)*

Aging &amp; Disability Resource Center

Broward County Family Success

Catholic Charities

Department of Children &amp; Families

Florida Dept of Economic Opportunity

Gateway Community Outreach

Hallandale Beach Human Services Dept

Hope Outreach Center

MonarchCare

Red Hispana Florida

SunServe

Take Stock in Children

Urban League

**FOOD***(also see Food Pantries page 141)**(also see Financial Assistance)**Food may also be available**at local churches*

2-1-1 Broward

Broward Meals on Wheels

Broward Outreach Centers

Coalition to End Homelessness

Covenant House Florida

EASE Foundation

Gateway Community Outreach

Hallandale Beach Human Services Dept.

Hope Outreach Center

Jewish Community Centers

Jubilee Center

Lifenet 4 Families



Mount Bethel Human Services  
 Our Father's House  
 Poverello Center  
 Saint Laurence Chapel  
 Salvation Army  
 South Florida Hunger Coalition  
 Sunrise (City of)  
 The Pantry of Broward

### **GAY, LESBIAN, BISEXUAL, TRANSGENDER (GLBT)**

Fort Lauderdale Hospital  
 Pride Center  
 SunServe

### **GRIEF**

*See Bereavement*

*See Support Groups page 147*

### **HEARING & SPEECH CHALLENGED**

*See Disability - Physical*

### **HIV/AIDS**

AIDS Healthcare Foundation  
 Broward Health  
 Broward House  
 Broward Regional Health Planning  
 Children's Diagnostic & Treatment Ctr.  
 Florida Dept. of Health in Broward Co.  
 Memorial Healthcare System  
 Minority Development & Empowerment  
 Poverello Center  
 Pride Center  
 Red Hispana Florida  
 Salvation Army  
 SunServe

### **HOMELESS**

*See Case Management*

*See Clothing*

*See Emergency Services*

*See Financial Assistance*

*See Food*

*See Housing*

*See Shelter*

### **HOMOSEXUAL**

*See Gay, Lesbian, Bi-Sexual,  
 Transgender (GLBT)*

### **HOSPITALS**

*(also see Medical Services)*

*(also see page 143)*

*\* indicates behavioral health svcs.*

Atlantic Shores Hospital \*  
 Broward Health \*  
 Cleveland Clinic Hospital  
 Correct Care Recovery Solutions \*  
 Fort Lauderdale Hospital \*  
 Larkin Community Hospital \*  
 Memorial Healthcare System \*  
 North Shore Medical Ctr, FMC Campus \*  
 Plantation General Hospital \*  
 University Hospital/University Pavilion \*

### **HOUSING**

*Wait lists may apply*

*(also see Case Management)*

*(also see Financial Assistance)*

*(also see Shelter)*

2-1-1 Broward  
 Archways  
 Broward County Family Success  
 Broward County Housing Authority  
 Broward County Minority Builders  
 Broward House  
 Broward Housing Solutions  
 Catholic Charities  
 Children's Harbor  
 Gulf Coast Jewish Family & Community  
 Henderson Behavioral Health  
 Hope South Florida  
 Housing Authorities  
 Mount Bethel Human Services  
 Pembroke Pines (City of)  
 Volunteers of America

### **HOUSING – EMERGENCY**

*See Shelter*

### **IDENTIFICATION**

*(also see page 170)*

Department of Highway Safety

### **IN-HOME SERVICES**

2-1-1 Broward  
 Achievement & Rehabilitation Centers  
 Alzheimer's Family Center  
 Broward Meals on Wheels  
 Camelot Community Care  
 Chrysalis Health

FamilyCentral  
 Family Voices  
 Healthy Mothers, Healthy Babies  
 Gulf Coast Jewish Family & Community  
 Henderson Behavioral Health  
 Lighthouse of Broward  
 Lutheran Services Florida  
 Mental Health Association  
 Our Children Our Future  
 Smith Community Mental Health  
 TrustBridge Health  
 United Cerebral Palsy

## **JOBS AND TRAINING**

Achievement & Rehabilitation Centers  
 Archways  
 Atlantic Technical Center  
 Best Buddies  
 Broward College  
 Broward County Family Success  
 Broward Outreach Centers  
 Career Source Broward  
 Center for Independent Living  
 Covenant House Florida  
 Division of Blind Services  
 Florida Dept of Economic Opportunity  
 Foot Print to Success Clubhouse  
 Hallandale Beach Human Services  
 Hands On Broward  
 H.A.N.D.Y.  
 Henderson Behavioral Health  
 Hispanic Unity  
 Lifenet4Families  
 Lighthouse of Broward  
 Mc Fatter Technical Center  
 OIC of South Florida  
 Salvation Army  
 Second Chance Society  
 Sheridan Technical Center  
 Social Security Administration  
 Urban League  
 Vet Center  
 Vocational Rehabilitation  
 Volunteers of America

## **LEGAL SERVICES**

Barry University Ofc of Public Guardian  
 Broward County Courthouse  
 Broward Reentry Coalition  
 Broward Sheriff's Office  
 Department of Juvenile Justice  
 Florida (State of) 17th Judicial Circuit

Harmony Development Center  
 Hispanic Unity  
 Legal Aid Services  
 Law Office of the Public Defender  
 MonarchCare  
 State Attorney's Office

## **LESBIAN, GAY, BI-SEXUAL, TRANSGENDER**

*See Gay, Lesbian, Bi-Sexual,  
Transgender (GLBT)*

## **LIFE SKILLS**

9Muses Art Center  
 Broward County Family Success  
 Center for Independent Living  
 Covenant House Florida  
 Division of Blind Services  
 FLITE Center  
 Florida Initiative for Suicide Prevention  
 H.A.N.D.Y.  
 I'm Thumbody  
 Junior Achievement  
 Lighthouse of Broward  
 Mental Health Association  
 PACE Center for Girls  
 PROSPER  
 SOS Children's Villages  
 Urban League  
 YMCA of South Florida

## **MAIL SERVICE**

Coalition to End Homelessness  
 Lifenet 4 Families  
 Saint Laurence Chapel

## **MANIC-DEPRESSION (Bipolar)**

*See Mental Health Services  
 See Support Groups page 147*

## **MEDICAL SERVICES**

*(also see Hospitals)*  
 AIDS Healthcare Foundation  
 Broward Children's Center  
 Broward Health  
 Broward Outreach Centers  
 Children's Diagnostic & Treatment Ctr.  
 Children's Medical Services  
 Florida Dept. of Health in Broward Co.  
 Light of The World Clinic



Memorial Healthcare System  
 Nova Southeastern University  
 Salvation Army  
 TrustBridge Health  
 William "Bill" Kling Outpatient Center

### **MEDICATION ASSISTANCE**

*(also see page 177)*

AIDS Healthcare Foundation  
 Broward Health  
 Broward House  
 Florida Dept. of Health in Broward Co.  
 Henderson Behavioral Health  
 Nova Southeastern University

### **MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES**

*If you are in crisis, call 9-1-1*

*(also see Evaluations & Testing)*

*(also see Hospitals)*

*(also see Support Groups page 147)*

*Also see the MHA Directory of*

*Professional Members*

*available online at:*

***www.mhasefl.org***

2-1-1 Broward  
 Achievement & Rehabilitation Centers  
 American Red Cross  
 Aging & Disability Resource Center  
 Alzheimer's Family Center  
 Archways  
 Atlantic Shores Hospital  
 Banyan Health Systems  
 Broward County Elderly & Veterans  
 Broward County Public Schools  
 Broward Health  
 Broward House  
 Boward Sheriff's Office  
 Camelot Community Care  
 Catholic Charities  
 Center for Hearing & Communication  
 Children's Diagnostic & Treatment Ctr.  
 Children's Home Society  
 Chrysalis Health  
 Covenant House Florida  
 Fort Lauderdale Hospital  
 Goodman Jewish Family Service  
 Gulf Coast Jewish Family & Community  
 Hallandale Beach Human Services  
 H.A.N.D.Y.  
 Healthy Mothers, Healthy Babies  
 Henderson Behavioral Health  
 Kids In Distress  
 Larkin Community Hospital

Lighthouse of Broward  
 Lutheran Services Florida  
 Memorial Healthcare System  
 Mental Health Association  
 Minority Development & Empowerment  
 Nancy J. Cotterman Center  
 New Direction Institute  
 North Shore Medical Ctr, FMC Campus  
 Nova Southeastern University  
 Our Children Our Future  
 PACE Center for Girls  
 Parent's Information & Resource Center  
 Plantation General Hospital  
 Pembroke Pines (City of)  
 Saint Laurence Chapel  
 Salvation Army  
 Samaritan Counseling Center  
 Schott Communities  
 Smith Community Mental Health  
 Stable Place  
 SunServe  
 Susan B. Anthony Recovery Center  
 The Starting Place  
 Total Intervention Early Services  
 University Hospital/University Pavilion  
 Vet Center  
 Vocational Rehabilitation  
 Volunteers of America  
 William "Bill" Kling Outpatient Clinic  
 Women In Distress

### **NEGLECT**

*See Abuse & Neglect*

### **OBSESSIVE-COMPULSIVE DISORDER (OCD)**

*See Mental Health Services*

*See Support Groups page 147*

### **OLDER ADULT SERVICES**

*(also see Senior Centers page 145)*

2-1-1- Broward  
 A Child Is Missing  
 Aging & Disability Resource Center  
 Broward County Elderly & Veterans  
 Broward County Minority Builders  
 Broward County Transit  
 Broward Meals on Wheels  
 Catholic Charities  
 Florida Dept of Transportation  
 Gulf Coast Jewish Family & Community  
 Hallandale Beach Human Services



Impact Broward  
 Jewish Community Centers  
 Lauderdale Lakes Parks & Human Svcs.  
 Lighthouse of Broward  
 Memorial Healthcare System  
 MonarchCare  
 Nova Southeastern University  
 Pembroke Pines (City of)  
 Plantation General Hospital  
 State Attorney's Office  
 Sunrise (City of)  
 SunServe  
 Tamarac Social Services  
 The Pantry of Broward  
 TrustBridge Health

### **PANIC DISORDER**

*See Mental Health Services*  
*See Support Groups page 147*

### **PARENTING EDUCATION**

Achievement & Rehabilitation Centers  
 Children's Harbor  
 Cooperative Parenting & Divorce  
 Covenant House Florida  
 FamilyCentral  
 Jack and Jill Children's Center  
 Kids In Distress  
 Mental Health Association  
 Parent Education & Parent Support  
 Parent Enrichment Classes  
 Parent's Information & Resource Ctr.

### **PEER-RUN PROGRAMS**

*(also see Advocacy)*  
*(also see Support Groups page 141)*  
 9Muses Art Center  
 Family Voices  
 Foot Print to Success Clubhouse  
 Forest Park Drop-In Center  
 Mental Health Association  
 PROSPER  
 Rebel's Drop-In Center  
 Seth Line  
 Silver Impact  
 South Florida Wellness Center

### **PHOBIAS**

*See Mental Health Services*  
*See Support Groups page 147*

### **PREGNANCY & BIRTH**

*(also see Hospitals)*  
 Broward Health  
 Broward Healthy Start  
 Children's Diagnostic & Treatment Ctr.  
 Children's Harbor  
 Florida Dept. of Health in Broward Co.  
 Healthy Mothers, Healthy Babies  
 Hope Women's Centers

### **PRESCRIPTION ASSISTANCE**

*See Medication Assistance*  
*(also see page 177)*

### **PSYCHIATRIC**

*See Evaluations & Testing*  
*See Hospitals*  
*See Medication Assistance*  
*See Mental Health Services*

### **RESPIRE**

*See Day Care*

### **SENIORS**

*See Older Adults*  
*See Senior Centers page 145*

### **SEXUAL ASSAULT AND ABUSE**

*See Abuse & Neglect*  
*See Domestic Violence*  
*See Legal Services*  
 A Child Is Miss  
 Nancy J. Cotterman Center  
 Vet Center

### **SHELTER**

*(also see Case Management)*  
*(also see Emergency Assistance)*  
*(also see Financial Assistance)*  
 2-1-1 Broward  
 Broward County Housing Authority  
 Broward Outreach Centers  
 Broward Partnership  
 Covenant House Florida  
 ChildNet  
 H.A.N.D.Y.  
 Jewish Adoption & Foster Care Options  
 Kids In Distress  
 Saint Laurence Chapel  
 Salvation Army



**SOCIAL & RECREATIONAL***(also see Arts & Culture)**(also see Senior Centers page 145)*

9Muses Art Center  
 Boys & Girls Clubs  
 Broward County Library  
 Broward County Parks & Recreation  
 Broward Sheriff's Office  
 Equine-Assisted Therapies  
 Foot Print to Success Clubhouse  
 Hallandale Beach Human Services  
 H.A.N.D.Y.  
 Hollywood Park, Recreation & Cultural  
 Jewish Community Centers  
 Lauderdale Lakes Parks & Human Svcs  
 Mental Health Association  
 Pembroke Pines (City of)  
 Pride Center  
 PROSPER  
 Rebel's Drop-In Center  
 Schott Communities  
 Silver Impact  
 Sunrise (City of)  
 Swim Central  
 YMCA of South Florida

**SUBSTANCE ABUSE***(also see Co-Occurring Disorders)**(also see Support Groups page 147)*

2-1-1 Broward  
 Al Anon Family Groups & Alateen  
 Alcoholics Anonymous  
 Archways  
 Atlantic Shores Hospital  
 Banyan Health Systems  
 Broward Addiction Recovery Center  
 Broward County Elderly & Veterans  
 Broward County Public Schools  
 Broward House  
 Broward Outreach Centers  
 Broward Partnership  
 Broward Sheriff's Office  
 Catholic Charities  
 Center for Hearing & Communication  
 Chrysalis Health  
 Covenant House Florida  
 Faith Farm Ministries  
 Florida (State of) 17th Judicial Circuit  
 Fort Lauderdale Hospital  
 Henderson Behavioral Health  
 House of Hope/Stepping Stones  
 Larkin Community Hospital

Memorial Healthcare System  
 Narcotics Anonymous  
 Nova Southeastern University  
 Our Children Our Future  
 Salvation Army  
 Smith Community Mental Health  
 Susan B. Anthony Recovery Center  
 The Starting Place  
 Total Intervention Early Services  
 United Way Commission on Sub Abuse  
 University Hospital/University Pavilion  
 Vet Center  
 Volunteers of America

**SUPPORT GROUPS***(also see Support Groups page 147)*

9Muses Art Center  
 Al Anon Family Groups & Alateen  
 Alcoholics Anonymous  
 Alzheimer's Association  
 Alzheimer's Family Center  
 Broward House  
 Center for Autism & Related Disabilities  
 Center for Hearing & Communication  
 Children's Diagnostic & Treatment Ctr  
 Family Voices  
 Florida Initiative for Suicide Prevention  
 Gilda's Club  
 Jewish Adoption & Foster Care Options  
 Memory Disorder Center  
 Mental Health Association  
 NAMI Broward  
 Narcotics Anonymous  
 Parent Education & Parent Support  
 Poverello Center  
 Pride Center  
 Rebel's Drop-In Center  
 Red Hispana Florida  
 SunServe  
 Tamarac Social Services  
 Tomorrow's Rainbow  
 TrustBridge Health  
 Women In Distress

**TRANSGENDER**

*See Gay, Lesbian, Bi-Sexual,  
 Transgender (GLBT)*

**TRANSITIONING YOUTH**

Achievement & Rehabilitation Centers  
Big Brothers/Big Sisters  
Broward Housing Solutions  
Camelot Community Care  
ChildNet  
Department of Children & Families  
FLITE Center  
Gulf Coast Jewish & Community Svcs  
Henderson Behavioral Health  
Jewish Adoption & Foster Care  
Options  
Mental Health Association  
Pembroke Pines (City of)  
SOS Children's Villages

**TRANSPORTATION**

Broward County Transit  
Florida Dept of Transportation  
Sunrise (City of)

**TREATMENT SERVICES**

*See Co-Occurring Disorders*  
*See Evaluations & Testing*  
*See Hospitals*  
*See Medication Assistance*  
*See Mental Health Services*  
*See Support Groups page 147*  
*(also see page 178)*

**VETERANS**

*(also see page 171)*  
Broward County Elderly & Veterans  
Broward Housing Solutions  
Goodman Jewish Family Service  
Impact Broward  
Legal Aid Services  
Vet Center  
William "Bill" Kling Outpatient Clinic

**VISION CARE**

Broward College  
Nova Southeastern University

**VIOLENCE**

*See Abuse & Neglect*  
*See Domestic Violence*  
*See Legal Services*  
*See Sexual Assault & Abuse*

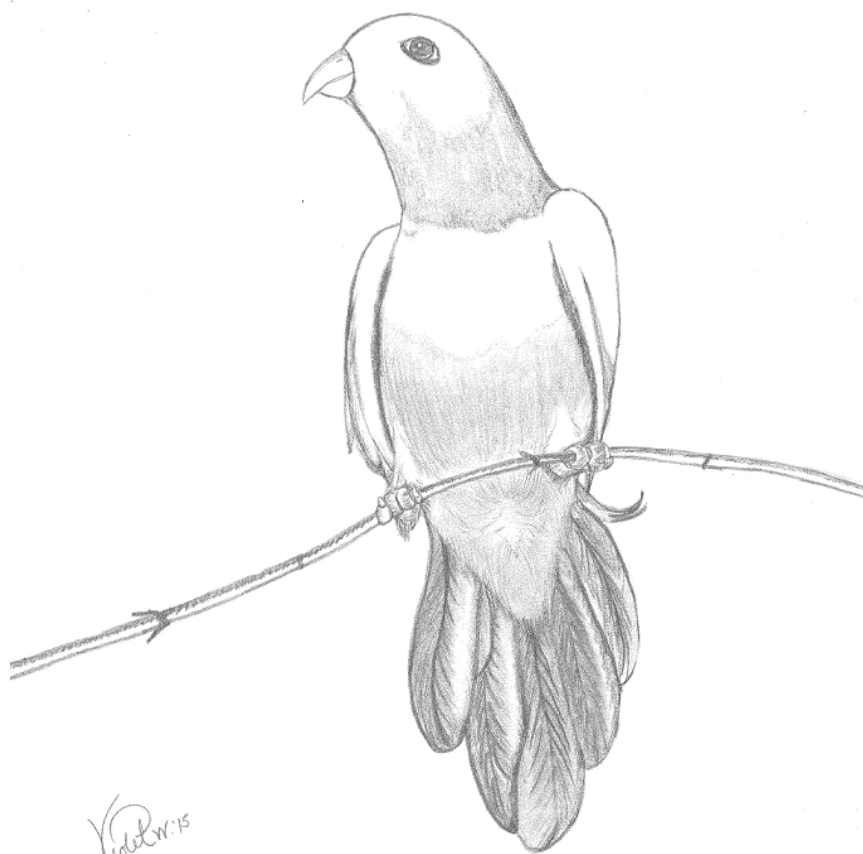
**YOUTH SERVICES**

*See Children's Services*  
*See Transitioning Youth*

**VISUALLY CHALLENGED**

*See Disability - Physical*





# Agencies & Programs



## 2-1-1 BROWARD

*(formerly First Call For Help of Broward)*

[www.211-broward.org](http://www.211-broward.org)

No Fee

Spanish, Creole, Language Line Service

24/7

Provides 24-hour comprehensive helpline and support services for individuals seeking crisis intervention, assistance and/or information and referrals to health and human services, community resources and disaster related information in Broward County. Callers in crisis should call 9-1-1 or go to the nearest emergency room.

**Dial 2-1-1**

**or 954-537-0211**

**TDD: Dial 7-1-1**

### 24-Hour Helpline Services

Crisis/suicide intervention, empathetic listening, information and referral helpline for callers of all ages seeking assistance with problems and needs such as mental health, substance abuse, family violence, financial problems, hunger, shelter needs, relationship issues and depression.

### Behavioral Health Info Line

**954-396-4636**

Specialized 24-hour helpline providing information and referral for mental health services, substance abuse prevention and treatment programs, case management and other specialized behavioral health services.

### Special Needs Connections

**954-537-0211**

[www.211specialneeds.org](http://www.211specialneeds.org)

Information and referral services for families and caregivers of children with physical needs and/or children with developmental disabilities including Autism, intellectual disabilities and Cerebral Palsy.

### Touchline/Senior Helpline

**954-537-0211**

Provides daily telephone reassurance call and emotional support for people 60+ years, living alone and in need of someone to check on them.

### Homeless Helpline

**954-537-0211**

Maintains information about community resources and links homeless individuals and families seeking emergency shelter with appropriate resources.

### Teen Hotline

**954-567-8336**

[www.teenspace211.org](http://www.teenspace211.org)

Provides information, referral, crisis intervention and non-judgmental listening services for youth, to help them with issues of adolescent and young adulthood.

**Teenspace Connexions****954-390-0490**

Offers pre-recorded messages on topics of interest to adolescents such as relationships, school and careers, dealing with siblings and parents, drugs and alcohol, pregnancy and HIV/AIDS. Counselors are available to the caller.

**Access to Benefits****954-537-0211**

Provides families of children with behavioral health or special needs, under 21 years, in home consultation to assist in accessing public benefits including Food Stamps, SSI Disability, WIC and Medicaid.

**Help Me Grow****954-537-0211**

Provides a centralized access point for early detection and connections to services for children, ages 0-8 years, who are at risk for developmental and/or behavioral problems, including free developmental screenings.

**9MUSES ART CENTER**

7139 W. Oakland Park Blvd.  
Lauderhill, FL 33313-1012

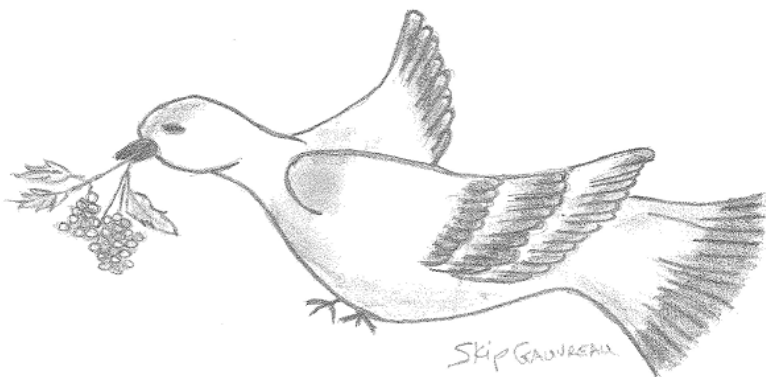
**954-746-2055****Member Line:  
954-746-9162**

[www.9musesartcenter.org](http://www.9musesartcenter.org)

No Fee for Persons with Diagnosis

M-F: 9:00am - 5:30pm; Sat: 10:00am - 5:00pm

A community arts organization and fully-functioning art studio where instruction and mentoring are offered. Arts disciplines include painting, drawing, pottery, textiles, 2D & 3D design, sculpting, design, music, drama and creative writing. On-site Frame Shop and Gallery is open to the public.





**A CHILD IS MISSING**

**954-763-1288**

500 SE 17th Street, #101  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33316

[www.achildismissing.org](http://www.achildismissing.org)

No Fee

Spanish

24/7

Assists law enforcement agencies in the search and early recovery of missing children, the elderly (often with Alzheimer's Disease), on-campus college students and disabled individuals in the first hours of their disappearance by use of telephone alert calls; over 1,000 calls can be placed in less than 60 seconds. Includes Amber Alerts, Silver Alerts and Blue Alerts.

**Child Abduction Response Teams (C.A.R.T. Alerts)**

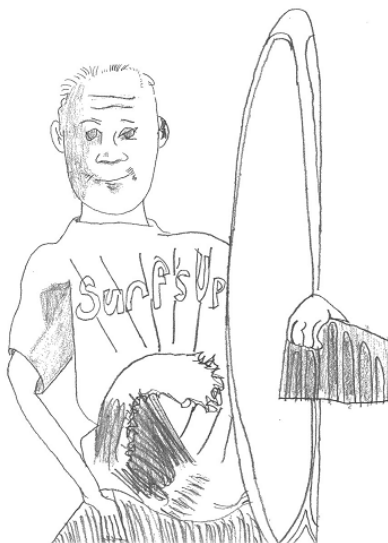
Serves as an activation arm for mobilization of teams that consist of members of all facets of law enforcement, emergency response, non-profit organizations and civil search groups that work together when a child is abducted.

**Child Safety Education Program**

Provides an interactive and child-friendly program that offers safety tips to children in summer camps.

**Sexual Predator Adult Educational Awareness**

Teaches adults how to respond to children's issues relating to childhood sexual abuse and sexual predators.



**ACHIEVEMENT & REHABILITATION  
CENTERS (ARC Broward)****954-746-9400**

10250 NW 53rd Street  
Sunrise, FL 33351

www.arcbroward.com  
Medicaid, Sliding Scale  
Spanish  
M-F: 8:00am - 6:00pm

Provides support and assistance to children and adults with Autism, Down's Syndrome, Cerebral Palsy, and other developmental disabilities. Offers rehabilitation services (OT, PT, Speech Therapy), in-home parent training, respite care, social and job skills for transitioning youth, and specialized summer camp for youth with developmental disabilities and moderate to severe behavioral challenges, 3-21 years. Also offers adult day program, residential, employment and mental health services for adults and children.

**ABLE (Alternative Behavioral Learning Environment)**

Provides after-school care for youth, 3-21 years with developmental disabilities and behavior issues that prevent participation in other available programs. All-day care is available on non-school days and summer.

**Parents As Teachers Program (PAT)**

Offers family education and support, case management, mental health and applied behavioral analysis for parents of children with special needs, birth-10 years. Some services available in-home.

**Preschool Education & Infant Stimulation**

Provides certified teachers with a low teacher/student ratio for full-day, year-round instructional curriculum of activities and therapies to facilitate growth for children with developmental disabilities. Operates a developmental preschool for children, 18 months - 5 years, with extended care available before and after school hours.



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**AGING & DISABILITY RESOURCE** **954-745-9567**  
**CENTER OF BROWARD (ADRC)** **TDD: 954-745-5689**

5300 Hiatus Road  
Sunrise, FL 33351

[www.adrcbroward.org](http://www.adrcbroward.org)

No Fee

Spanish, French, Creole

M-F: 8:00am - 5:00pm

**ADRC Helpline****954-745-9779**

Provides information and referral for counseling, assessments, assistance with utility payments on an emergency basis, and facilitates the financial eligibility process for publicly funded services for seniors 60+ years, persons with severe and persistent mental illness 18+ years, and their families and caregivers. Offers education for elders 60+ years and persons with disability 18-49 years, on the Health Maintenance Organizations (HMO) Statewide Medicaid Managed Long-Term Care Program.

**AIDS HEALTHCARE FOUNDATION** **954-522-3132**  
**POSITIVE HEALTHCARE FLORIDA**

110 SE 6th Street, #1960  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33301

[www.aidshealth.org](http://www.aidshealth.org)

Medicare, Medicaid, Insurance, Indigent Care

Spanish, Creole

A special needs health plan for HIV positive Medicaid recipients in Broward County that covers members with no co-pays and no premiums. Services include routine and specialist doctor office visits, hospitalization, emergency and urgent care, outpatient services, durable medical equipment, prescription drugs with no limitations, medical transportation, and health benefits beyond those of standard Medicaid. Operates a not-for-profit pharmacy and disease management program that provides services regardless of an individual's ability to pay.

**AL ANON FAMILY GROUPS  
& ALATEEN****888-425-2666  
888-ALANON**[www.southfloridaal-anon.org](http://www.southfloridaal-anon.org)

No Fee

Spanish, French

Serves families and friends of alcoholics 19+ years, who believe their lives are affected by someone else's drinking (Al Anon), and youth under 19 years (Alateen). Meetings are scheduled at various times and locations, 7 days a week.

**ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS****954-462-0265**

305 S. Andrews Avenue, #502

**954-462-7202**

Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33301

[www.aabroward.org](http://www.aabroward.org)

No Fee

Spanish, French

M-F: 9:00am - 5:00pm

Phone assistance available 24/7

Fellowship of men and women who work the 12-step program to stay sober and help others to achieve sobriety. Offers over 700 meetings in Broward County each week at various times and locations where the only requirement is a desire to stop drinking.

**ALZHEIMER'S ASSOCIATION****800-272-3900****Southeast Florida Chapter**

201 E. Sample Road

Deerfield Beach, FL 33064

[www.alz.org/seflorida](http://www.alz.org/seflorida)

No Fee

Spanish, French, Creole

M-F: 9:00am - 5:00pm

Helpline available 24/7

Provides education and support to Alzheimer's patients, families and caregivers as well as education to the community and professionals about Alzheimer's disease and other memory disorders. Operates dementia specific helpline for information, resources and counseling. Offers caregiver support groups, early stage support groups, advocacy & public policy initiatives, safety services for those with memory impairment, and a clinical trial matching program. Regional offices in Miami, W. Palm Beach and Hobe Sound.

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**ALZHEIMER'S FAMILY CENTER****954-971-7155**

6280 W. Atlantic Boulevard  
Margate, FL 33063

[www.alzcenter.org](http://www.alzcenter.org)

No Fee, Sliding Scale for Respite

Spanish

M-F: 8:30am - 4:30pm

Provides in-home caregiver counseling, support groups, in-home respite, volunteer companions intergenerational program, Project Lifesaver for wanderers, crisis respite and information and referral for Alzheimer's and other memory disorders.

**AMERICAN RED CROSS****954-797-3800****South Florida Region**

600 NE 3 Avenue

Ft Lauderdale, FL 33304

[www.redcross.org/fl/miami](http://www.redcross.org/fl/miami)

No Fee

24/7

Provides relief to victims of disaster and helps people prevent, prepare for, and respond to emergencies. Offers classes for first aid, CPR, water safety, lifeguard instructor and babysitter safety. Some fees may apply to these classes.

**Mental Health Team**

Offers emergency response mental health, case management and support services to survivors of a disaster.

**ANN STORCK CENTER****954-584-8000**

1790 SW 43rd Way

Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33317

[www.annstorckcenter.org](http://www.annstorckcenter.org)

Provides year-round residential programs for children and adults who are severely or multiply developmentally disabled and/or medically fragile. Offers a preschool with daily educational and therapeutic training for children with developmental disabilities and family support services including counseling, respite day care and parent education.

**ARCHWAYS****954-763-2030**

919 NE13th Street  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33304

[www.archways.org](http://www.archways.org)

Medicare, Medicaid, Insurance, Sliding Scale  
Spanish, French, Creole, Italian, American Sign Language

Provides behavioral healthcare to persons suffering from severe and persistent mental illness or mental illness/substance abuse issues. Treatment services include case management, nursing/medical care, psychosocial rehabilitation, outpatient treatment, psychiatric evaluations, medication monitoring, supported employment services, residential supported housing and Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF). Also provides prevention through education to youth and adults in the community on various topics including substance abuse prevention and violence prevention.

**ATLANTIC SHORES HOSPITAL****954-771-2711**

4545 N. Federal Highway  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33308

[www.atlanticshoreshospital.com](http://www.atlanticshoreshospital.com)

Medicare, Insurance, Private Pay

Private free-standing substance abuse and psychiatric hospital. Provides inpatient programs, medically supervised detoxification and individual, group and family therapy. Also offers dual-diagnosis treatment program. Baker Act receiving facility.

**ATLANTIC TECHNICAL CENTER****754-321-5100**

4700 Coconut Creek Parkway  
Coconut Creek, FL 33063

**Arthur Ashe Jr. Campus**

**754-322-2800**

1701 NW 23 Avenue  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33311

[www.atlantictechcenter.com](http://www.atlantictechcenter.com)

Public post-secondary career and technical education center, operating under the authority of the School Board of Broward County and the Florida Department of Education. Provides technical training, adult general education classes and support for disabled students under the Americans with Disabilities Act Amendment Act (ADAAA).

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**AUTISM SOCIETY OF BROWARD****954-577-4141**

10250 NW 53 Street  
Sunrise, FL 33351

[www.asabroward.org](http://www.asabroward.org)

Provides family support, public outreach and education. Offers scholarships for children's summer camp programs.

**BANYAN HEALTH SYSTEMS****954-327-4060**

1061 W. Oakland Park Blvd.  
Oakland Park, FL 33309

[www.banyanhealth.org](http://www.banyanhealth.org)  
Medicaid, Sliding Scale

Provides onsite and community counseling services to adults and adolescents, 12 years and older, for chemical dependency, psychological and psychiatric issues, domestic violence and other family problems, suicide prevention and legal involvement.

**BARRY UNIVERSITY - OFFICE  
OF THE PUBLIC GUARDIAN****954-862-3655**

12401 Orange Drive, #211  
Davie, FL 33330

[www.barry.edu/office-of-public-guardian](http://www.barry.edu/office-of-public-guardian)  
No Fee

Provides no cost legal guardianship services to adults of limited financial means who lack the capacity to make decisions on their own behalf and in their best interest. Legal guardians protect the property and personal rights of incapacitated adults.

**BEST BUDDIES BROWARD****954-449-6522**

3450 Lakeside Drive #304  
Miramar, FL 33027

[www.bestbuddiesflorida.org](http://www.bestbuddiesflorida.org)  
No Fee

Pairs individuals with intellectual and developmental disabilities with volunteers for one-to-one friendships, integrated employment and leadership development.

## **BIG BROTHERS/ BIG SISTERS OF BROWARD**

**954-584-9990**

4101 Ravenswood Road, #123

Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33312

[www.bbbsbroward.org](http://www.bbbsbroward.org)

No Fee

Provides children facing adversity with professionally supported, one-to-one mentoring relationships. Offers specialized mentor programs for youth 13-21 years in protective custody and transitioning out of foster care, and children who have one or both parent(s) incarcerated.

## **BOYS & GIRLS CLUBS**

**954-537-1010**

**David & Kay Hughes Administrative Headquarters**

877 NW 61 Street

Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33309

[www.bgcabc.org](http://www.bgcabc.org)

Fees Apply

Administration - M-F: 8:30am - 5:00pm

Clubs - M-F: 2:00pm - 8:00pm, Sat: 11:00am - 3:00pm

Additional hours when school is closed

Chartered clubs help youth develop academic success, good character & citizenship and healthy lifestyles.

<b>Carver Ranches Club, West Park</b>	<b>954-967-8787</b>
<b>Florence A. DeGeorge Club, Davie</b>	<b>954-236-2790</b>
<b>Harold Reitman Club, Ft. Lauderdale</b>	<b>954-797-7097</b>
<b>Jim &amp; Jan Moran Club, Deerfield Beach</b>	<b>954-725-5545</b>
<b>Lauderhill Club, Lauderhill</b>	<b>954-731-3552</b>
<b>Leo Goodwin Teen Center, N. Lauderdale</b>	<b>954-722-5580</b>
<b>Levine/Slaughter Club, N. Lauderdale</b>	<b>954-726-3927</b>
<b>Marti Huizenga Club, Hollywood</b>	<b>954-983-0626</b>
<b>Nan Knox Club, Ft. Lauderdale</b>	<b>954-463-6392</b>
<b>Lester H. White Club, Ft. Lauderdale</b>	<b>954-585-6351</b>
<b>Rick &amp; Rita Case Club, Davie</b>	<b>954-433-9000</b>
<b>Thomas D. Stephanis Club, Pompano Beach</b>	<b>954-941-2697</b>



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**BROWARD ADDICTION  
RECOVERY CENTER (BARC)****954-765-4200**

Detoxification &amp; Admissions

1000 SW 2nd Street

Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33312

[www.broward.org/addictionrecovery](http://www.broward.org/addictionrecovery)

Medicaid, Sliding Scale

Spanish, Creole, Telephone for Hearing Impaired

American Sign Language with appropriate notice

Detoxification &amp; Residential Services: 24/7

Admissions - M, W, Th, F: 7:00am - 5:00pm; Tu: 7:00am - 7:00pm

Outpatient - M-Th: 8:30am - 8:30pm; F: 8:30am - 5:00pm

Provides substance abuse services to adult Broward County residents.

Accepts individuals with co-occurring disorders when the primary indicator is substance abuse and conditions are sufficiently stable so neither symptoms nor disability significantly interfere with standard treatment.

Offers assessment, medical detox, residential and day/outpatient treatment services, perinatal addiction services and family education.

**Broward Addiction Recovery Division****954-357-4880**

Administrative Office

**TTY: 800-995-8711**

1011 S.W. 2nd Court

Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33312

M-F: 8:30am - 5:00pm

**BROWARD BEHAVIORAL  
HEALTH COALITION (BBHC)****954-622-8121**

1715 SE 4th Avenue

Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33316

[www.bbhcflorida.org](http://www.bbhcflorida.org)

M-F: 8:30am - 5:00pm

Designated managing entity for Circuit 17 (Broward County) that provides the contract management and oversight for the DCF-funded mental health and substance abuse services for adults, youth and families.

**BROWARD CHILDREN'S CENTER****954-943-7336**

200 SE 19 Avenue  
 Pompano Beach, FL 33060  
[www.bcckids.org](http://www.bcckids.org)

Provides a range of health, wellness, education, recreation, therapeutic, daily living and advocacy services for infants, children and young adults with special health care needs. Offers special needs medical case management.

**BROWARD COLLEGE****954-201-7350****Central Campus**

A. Hugh Adams Campus  
 3501 SW Davie Road  
 Davie, FL 33314

**Online Campus**

225 E. Las Olas Blvd. Bldg 31  
 Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33301

**Weston Center**

4205 Bonaventure Blvd.  
 Weston, FL 33332

**Miramar Town Center**

2050 Civic Center Place  
 Miramar, FL 33025

**Downtown Campus**

Willis A. Holcombe Center  
 111 E. Las Olas Blvd. Bldg 33  
 Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33301

**Miramar West Center**

1930 SW 145th Avenue  
 Miramar, FL 33027

[www.broward.edu](http://www.broward.edu)

**South Campus**

Judson A. Samuels Campus  
 7200 Pines Blvd  
 Pembroke Pines, FL 33024

**North Campus**

1000 Coconut Creek Parkway  
 Coconut Creek, FL 33066

**Coral Springs Center**

3500 N. University Drive  
 Coral Springs, FL 33065

**Pines Center**

16957 Sheridan Street  
 Pembroke Pines, FL 33331

**Cypress Creek**

Administrative Center  
 6400 NW 6th Way  
 Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33309

**Tigertail Lake Center**

580 Gulfstream Way  
 Dania Beach, FL 33004

**Career Centers****North Campus****954-201-2355****South Campus****954-201-8865****Central Campus****954-201-6612****Pines Center****954-201-3601****Child Care Certification Courses****888-352-2842**

Offers 40-hour required course for basic child care employment in Florida.

**Dental Clinic****954-201-6779**

A. Hugh Adams Central Campus, Bldg 8, Rm 159  
Davie, FL 33315

Private Pay

Daily hours vary each semester

Offers full services for dental hygiene care and limited services for other dental procedures by appointment only.

**Vision Clinic****954-201-2400**

North Campus, Bldg 41 Rm 164  
Coconut Creek, FL 33066

Private Pay

M & W: 9:00am - 2:00pm

Offers full services for eye care assessment, frame & lens fitting and contact lenses by appointment only.

**RENEW (Refugees Entering New Enterprises & Workforce)**

Provides job readiness training to refugees, asylees, and victims of human trafficking who are living in Broward County.

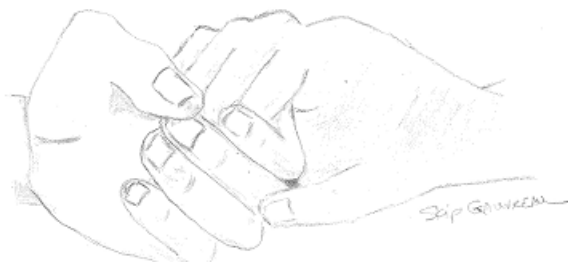
**BROWARD COUNTY CHILDREN'S  
SERVICES ADMINISTRATION****954-357-7880****TTY: 954-357-2882**

115 S. Andrews Avenue, #A-360  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33301

[www.broward.org/children](http://www.broward.org/children)

M-F: 8:30am - 5:00pm

Responsible for the strategic planning and administration of contracts awarded to non-profit and public organizations that provide services to children and their families in the areas of behavioral health, special needs, independent living, child care, deep-end acting-out youth and system of care.



**BROWARD COUNTY COURTHOUSE  
CLERK OF THE COURTS**
**954-831-6565**

201 SE 6th Street  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33301

[www.browardclerk.org](http://www.browardclerk.org)

Services include filing court proceedings; filing and retrieval of documents such as arrests, traffic citations, affidavits, marriage licenses, name changes, restraining orders, ex parte orders and other court related documents.

**Central Regional Courthouse**
**954-831-5622**

201 SW 6th Court #120  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33301

**North Regional Courthouse**
**954-831-1209**

1600 W. Hillsboro Blvd. #100  
Deerfield Beach, FL 33442

**South Regional Courthouse**
**954-831-0353**

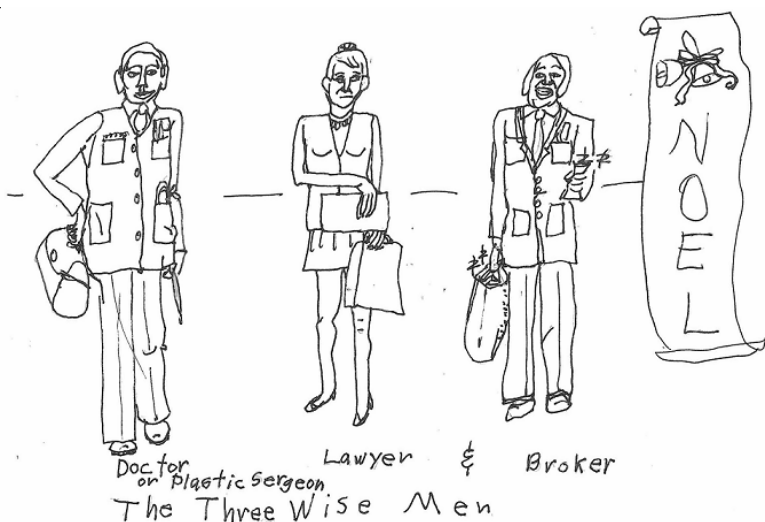
3550 Hollywood Blvd. #170  
Hollywood, FL 33021

**West Regional Courthouse**
**954-831-2339**

100 N. Pine Island Road #160  
Plantation, FL 33324

Court divisions are listed under:

**Florida (State of) 17th Judicial Circuit Court**



**BROWARD COUNTY DENTAL ASSN. 954-772-5461**

1919 NE 45th Street #216  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33308

[www.browarddental.org](http://www.browarddental.org)  
No Fee

Provides telephone referrals for dental care for children and adults. Offers dental care for underserved children at annual "Give Kids a Smile" event.

**BROWARD COUNTY ELDERLY AND 954-357-6622  
VETERANS SERVICES DIVISION TTD: 954-357-2882**

2995 N. Dixie Highway  
Oakland Park, FL 33334

[www.broward.org/eldervets](http://www.broward.org/eldervets)  
Medicaid, Sliding Scale  
Spanish, Italian, French, Creole, Portuguese, Hindi, Hindustani,  
Urdu, Kannada, Malayalam, Romanian  
M-F: 8:00am - 5:00pm

County funded agency provides services to older adults.

**Behavioral Health**

Services provided to persons 55+ years include behavioral health management, substance abuse prevention, outpatient, individual, aftercare, brief intervention screening, outpatient/peer support and an elderly crisis support team. Some services may be provided in-home.

**Community Care for the Elderly**

Assists functionally impaired, adults 60+ years who are at risk of premature nursing home placement. Services may include case management, homemaking, personal care, respite care, health support, adult day care, monthly caregiver stipend, and others.

**Veterans Services**

Provides assistance to veterans, their widows, dependents and dependent survivors regardless of age or other status. Services include outreach, information and referral linkage, and benefits and claims processing.

**BROWARD COUNTY FAMILY SUCCESS 954-357-6367**  
**ADMINISTRATION DIVISION TTY: 800-955-8770**

Edgar P. Mills Multipurpose Center  
900 NW 31st Avenue, #3000  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33311

[www.broward.org/family](http://www.broward.org/family)

No Fee

Spanish, French, Creole, American Sign Language

Telephone for Hearing Impaired

M-F: 8:30am-5:00pm

Assists individuals and families to achieve economic and social stability.

**Family Success Centers**

Provides social services information, referrals and services to assist individuals and families in setting goals, learning skills, and accessing the services for self-sufficiency.

**North Region Family Success Center 954-357-5340**

Annie L. Weaver Health Center  
2011 NW 3rd Avenue  
Pompano Beach, FL 33060  
M-F: 8:30am - 4:30pm

**Northwest Region Family Success Ctr. 954-357-5000**

10077 NW 29th Street  
Coral Springs, FL 33065  
M-F: 8:00am-5:00pm

**Central Region Family Success Center 954-357-5001**

Edgar P. Mills Multi-Purpose Center  
900 NW 31st Avenue, #3000  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33311  
M-F: 8:00am - 5:00pm

**South Region Family Success Center 954-357-5650**

Carver Ranches  
4733 SW 18th Street  
West Park, FL 33023  
M-F: 8:30am - 5:00pm

**Davie Family Success Center 954-797-2054**

4700 Davie Road, #B  
Davie, FL 33314  
M-F: 8:30am - 5:00pm

**Community Action Agency****954-357-5025**

900 NW 31st Avenue  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33311

M-F: 8:00am - 5:00pm

Assists individuals and families in setting goals, learning skills and accessing services they need to become self-sufficient including education, training, books, tools, child care, and bus passes. Offers low income Broward County residents financial assistance with electric bills depending on eligibility.

**Housing Options Program****954-357-5099**

(formerly Homeless Initiative Partnership)

900 NW 31st Avenue  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33311

M-F: 8:30am - 5:00pm

Provides intensive case management for families in need of temporary subsidized rental assistance including a life management skills program. Assists chronically homeless individuals with mental health or substance abuse issues to transition from homelessness to living independently. Family Reunification Program provides a one-way bus ticket anywhere Greyhound travels to be reunified with family.

**BROWARD COUNTY  
HOUSING AUTHORITY****954-739-1114**

4780 N. State Road 7  
Lauderdale Lakes, FL 33319

[www.bchafll.org](http://www.bchafll.org)

No Fee

Spanish, Creole

M-F: 7:30am - 5:00pm

Owens and operates federally subsidized rental housing for eligible low-income families, the elderly and persons with disabilities throughout Broward County. Provides rental subsidies to families living in private rental housing, and housing counseling to first time homebuyers and those facing possible foreclosure.

**Housing Choice Voucher Program (Section 8)**

Provides rental assistance to income eligible families/individuals.

Rent subsidy is paid to private landlords on behalf of program participants with families paying a percentage based on their annual adjusted income. Applications are accepted only when the waiting list is opened following public notice.

**BROWARD COUNTY** **954-357-7800****HUMAN RIGHTS SECTION** **TTY: 954-357-6181**

115 S. Andrews Avenue, #427

Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33301

[www.broward.org/humanrights](http://www.broward.org/humanrights)

No Fee

M-F: 8:30am - 5:00pm

Spanish, French, Creole, American Sign Language

Investigates complaints of discrimination in employment, housing and public accommodations that violate local and federal statutes.

**BROWARD COUNTY** **954-357-6385****HUMAN SERVICES DEPT.** **TTY: 954-468-3592**

Administration

115 S. Andrews Avenue, #303

Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33301

[www.broward.org/humanservices](http://www.broward.org/humanservices)

M-F: 8:30am-5:00pm

Branch of Broward County Government responsible for the administration of social services.

**BROWARD COUNTY LIBRARY** **954-357-7444**

100 S. Andrews Avenue

Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33301

[www.broward.org/library](http://www.broward.org/library)

[www.browardlibrary.org](http://www.browardlibrary.org)

No Fee

Hours vary by library location

Provides library services to residents for information and recreation at locations throughout the county. Offers specialized resources for youth and persons with disabilities. Library cards are free of charge upon request with proof of Broward County residence. Also offers online resources including e-books.



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**BROWARD COUNTY LONG-TERM  
OMBUDSMAN COUNCIL****954-597-2266**

8333 W. McNab Road, #231  
Tamarac, FL 33321

<http://ombudsman.myflorida.com>

No Fee

M-F: 8:00am - 5:00pm

Advocates for the residents of licensed adult family care homes, assisted living facilities and nursing/rehab homes, and educates the public on locating appropriate facilities.

**BROWARD COUNTY MINORITY  
BUILDERS COALITION****954-792-1121**

665 SW 27th Avenue, #16  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33312

[www.minoritybuilders.org](http://www.minoritybuilders.org)

No Fee

**Home Touch Program**

Provides carpentry, plumbing, electrical or other emergency home improvements to preserve health and safety and correct code violations in Broward County owner-occupied homes of persons 60+ years.

**South Florida Green Jobs Collaborative**

Trains community members in green jobs in the building industry through a partnership of the private and public sectors.



**BROWARD COUNTY PARKS  
AND RECREATION DIVISION****954-357-8100**

Administrative Offices  
950 NW 38th Street  
Oakland Park, FL 33309

[www.broward.org/parks](http://www.broward.org/parks)

Telephone for Hearing Impaired

Upon Request (website can be translated to many languages)

Hours and fees vary by location

Manages more than 6,500 acres, encompassing regional parks and nature centers, neighborhood parks and natural areas at various stages of development. Facilities include water parks, campgrounds, target range, stadium, skate park, observatory, mountain bike trails, educational farm with stables and a velodrome and other sports facilities.

**Broward County 4-H Program****954-357-5270**

Offers hands-on education and fun projects for youth 5-18 years, in a wide range of areas and includes after-school programs.



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**BROWARD COUNTY  
PUBLIC SCHOOLS**
**754-321-0000**

600 SE 3rd Avenue, 7th Floor  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33301

[www.browardschools.com](http://www.browardschools.com)

No Fee

Spanish, French, Creole, Portuguese

M-F: 8:00am - 8:00pm

**Office of Prevention Programs**
**754-321-1655**

[www.browardprevention.org](http://www.browardprevention.org)

Provides culturally competent violence and substance abuse education, mental health services, and appropriate referral, treatment and follow-up services. Utilizes collaborative partnerships to provide programs that address body image, bullying, character, depression, relationships and offers a peer counseling curriculum.

**BLAST**
**954-575-5998**
**(Building Lasting Attitudes & Strategies for Tomorrow)**

Family-centered program for awareness, education, prevention and early intervention of behavior problems of at-risk children, grades K - 12. Provides individual and group counseling focused on anger management and substance abuse prevention.

**Family Counseling**
**754-321-1590**

Provides short-term counseling for families with a child enrolled in any Broward County school, that addresses school related problems, mild depression, family communication, adjustment to significant family changes, interpersonal difficulties and minor substance abuse.

**Before & After School Childcare**
**754-321-3330**

Provides before and/or after-school childcare at elementary and middle schools, and maintains a list of additional private providers approved by the School Board.

**Guidance**
**754-321-2584**
**754-321-2585**
**Home Education**
**754-321-2586**

Offers programs and services to help students achieve success and develop life skills for academic, career development and personal and social success.

**BRACE**
**754-321-2587**
**(Broward Advisors for Continuing Education)**

Advisors work with guidance counselors to provide students with information on scholarships, financial aid and the college application process. Information on technical schools, military options and workforce entry is also available.

**Health Education****754-321-1575**

Provides education to maintain the health and well-being of students.

**Innovative Programs****754-321-2070**

Specially designated public schools that offer opportunities for in-depth experiences and study in specific areas of interest.

**Seagull School Homebound Program****754-321-7320**

Provides in-home school for medically fragile children who cannot attend classes in a school setting.

**SEDNET****754-321-3400****(Severely Emotionally Disturbed Children Network)**

Multi-agency cooperative effort between the Broward County School Board, Department of Children and Families, parents/caregivers, children's agencies, community mental health centers and other organizations to improve the service delivery system for SED children and adolescents.

**Student Support Services****754-321-1618**

Federally funded remedial programs at various elementary and middle schools to help children reach their grade level in reading and math.

**Child Abuse Services****754-321-1569**

Provides case consultation and supportive services for children, identified or at high risk for child abuse, abandonment or neglect including victims of domestic violence and sexual behavioral problems.

**Child Find****754-321-7200**

Provides resources, screening and referral for children, 0-22 years at risk of developing special needs and not receiving educational services. Offers free evaluations for hearing, vision, speech/language and developmental functioning.

**Exceptional Student Education (E.S.E.)****754-321-3400**

Provides specialized education and services for gifted students and students with disabilities.

**Family Counseling-IDEA Students****754-321-3430**

Provides counseling to emotionally handicapped, SED and/or autistic students, 5-22 years and their families. Encourages teamwork home, school and other referral resources.

**Florida Diagnostic & Learning  
Resources System (FDLRS)****754-321-2205**

Provides support services to educators, parents and other professionals who work with exceptional students.

## **Homeless Education Program**

**754-321-1550**

Identifies homeless students and removes systemic barriers to their education including school enrollment, transportation and reassignment. Provides supplemental academic and counseling case management services.

## **Psychological Services**

**754-321-3400**

Provides psychological testing and other support services for students including educational placement.

## **SALT Program**

**754-321-3400**

### **(Specialized Auditory Language Training)**

Assists parents to foster the growth of their children, 0-5 years with hearing impairment, and emphasizes parent/child interaction.

## **Social Work/Attendance**

**754-321-1618**

Provides supportive counseling services and attendance intervention (including individual, group or family counseling, student/family psychosocial assessments and parent education) for students and families based on individualized needs to increase student achievement. Offers special intervention and case management services for students experiencing behavioral problems, homelessness, child abuse, teenage pregnancy or other special situations.

## **Strategic Planning Office**

**754-321-1891**

Provides at-risk students with the necessary tools to foster personal, academic and social growth leading to school completion.

## **Suicide Prevention**

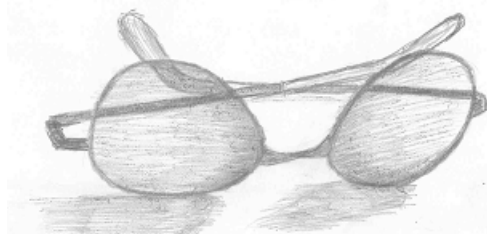
**754-321-3425**

Each school has a staff person, trained on the signs and symptoms of a child in crisis, who can be contacted regarding a student who may be suspect for suicide.

## **Title 1 Office**

**754-321-1400**

Provides federally funded remedial programs at various elementary and middle schools to help children reach their grade level in reading and math.



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**BROWARD COUNTY TRANSIT****954-357-8300**

Administrative Offices

TTY: **954-357-8302**[www.broward.org/bct](http://www.broward.org/bct)

Sliding Scale, Medicaid

Spanish, Creole, Telephone for Hearing Impaired

Administration - M-F: 8:30am - 5:00pm

Fixed Route Bus Service - 4:30am - 12:40am

**Customer Service (Bus Schedule)****954-357-8400**

M-F: 7:00am - 8:00pm,

Sat, Sun, Holidays: 8:30am - 5:00pm

Operates countywide fixed route bus service and community buses that connect to fixed routes. Buses are wheelchair accessible and equipped with bike racks.

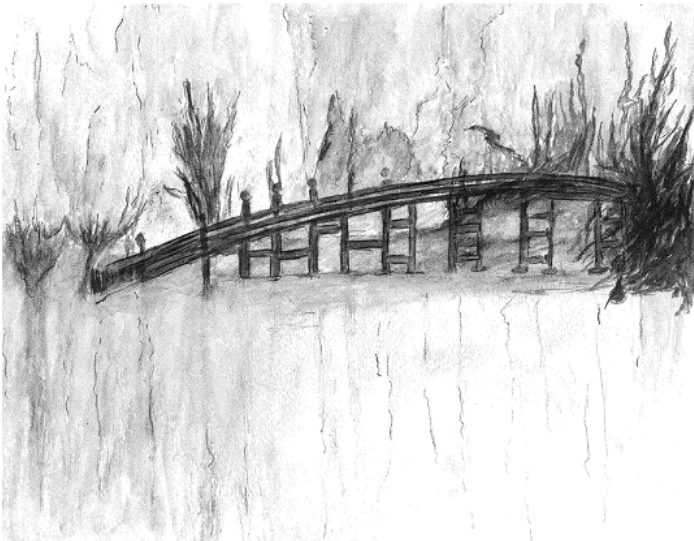
(Community bus locations include Coconut Creek, Coral Springs, Dania Beach, Davie, Deerfield Beach, Ft. Lauderdale, Hallandale Beach, Hillsboro Beach, Lauderdale-By-The-Sea, Lauderdale Lakes, Lauderhill, Lighthouse Point, Margate, Miramar, Pembroke Pines, Pompano Beach, Tamarac and West Park.)

**Paratransit (TOPS)****866-682-2258****Paratransit Customer Service****954-357-6794**

Provides transportation for persons with a physical, cognitive, emotional, visual or other disability which functionally prevents them from using fixed route bus services. To qualify, each application must go through an eligibility determination process.

**Senior and Disabled Passes****954-357-8400**

Income disadvantaged may apply for reduced price bus pass.



**BROWARD HEALTH**

**954-473-7458**

*(formerly North Broward Hospital District)*

Corporate Office

1800 NW 49th Street #110

Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33309

www.browardhealth.org

Medicare, Medicaid, Insurance, Sliding Scale

Spanish, French, Creole, American Sign Language,

Interpretation Services Available

Community healthcare system encompassing more than 30 facilities that provide a full spectrum of healthcare services including disease management and health education.

**HOSPITALS**

Tax-assisted hospitals with emergency rooms that provide services to all patients, including indigent patients.

**Broward Health Medical Center\*\***

**954-355-4400**

1600 S. Andrews Avenue

Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33316

**Broward Health Coral Springs**

**954-344-3000**

3000 Coral Hills Drive

Coral Springs, FL 33065

**Broward Health Imperial Point\*\***

**954-776-8500**

6401 N. Federal Highway

Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33308

**Broward Health North**

**954-941-8300**

201 E. Sample Road

Deerfield Beach, FL 33064

\*\* Includes behavioral health units

\*\* Baker Act receiving facilities



**URGENT CARE**

Provides medical services in an urgent care setting.

Medicare, Insurance

M-F: 8:00am - 9:00pm, Sat, Sun: 9:00am - 8:00pm

No appointment needed

**Magnolia Shoppes****954-320-3323**

9663 Westview Drive

Coral Springs, FL 33076

**Jacaranda Square****954-320-3360**

1811 N. Pine Island Road

Plantation, FL 33322

**Broward Health Weston****954-217-5000**

2300 N. Commerce Parkway

Weston, FL 33326

**COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTERS**

Provides community-based health care services including a disease state management program to reduce complications associated with chronic medical conditions.

**Clinica de las Americas****954-761-1020**

1101 NW 1st Street

Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33311

Medicare, Medicaid, Insurance, Sliding Scale

M-F: 8:00am - 4:30pm, Sat: By Appointment

Provides culturally competent and sensitive primary care and pediatric services to the Latin community.

**Comprehensive Care Center****954-467-0880**

1101 NW 1st Street

Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33311

Mon: 8:00am - 7:00pm, Tue-Thu: 8:00am - 5:00pm,

Fri: 8:00am - 1:00pm

Provides primary care services for individuals infected and affected by HIV and AIDS. Services include free HIV testing, nutrition, mental health and pharmacy counseling, case management, gynecology and dermatology.

**Bernard P. Alicki Health Center****954-527-6041**

*(formerly Healthcare for the Homeless)*

1101 W. Broward Blvd.

Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33311

Provides healthcare and related services to the homeless, delivered by mobile and fixed health care teams.



**Annie L. Weaver Health Center      954-786-5901**

*(formerly Pompano Adult Primary Care Ctr.)*

2011 NW 3rd Avenue  
Pompano Beach, FL 33060

Medicare, Medicaid, Insurance, Sliding Scale  
M-F: 8:00am - 5:00pm and Wed: 5:00pm - 9:00pm

Provides adult primary care for residents of northern Broward County including physical exams, case management/disease state management, immunizations, HIV/AIDS care, nutritional counseling and on-site pharmacy.

**Pompano Pediatric Primary Care      954-785-4273**

601 W. Atlantic Avenue  
Pompano Beach, FL 33060

**Pompano Prenatal Care Center      954-785-4273**

601 W. Atlantic Avenue  
Pompano Beach, FL 33060

Medicaid, Insurance, Sliding Scale  
M-F: 8:00am - 4:30pm (Only blood work done on Mondays)

Provides pregnancy testing, prenatal care, laboratory services, Healthy Start, nutritional counseling, WIC services and parenting education. Co-located with Pompano Pediatric Primary Care Ctr.

**Cora E. Braynon Health Center      954-759-6600**

*(formerly Seventh Avenue Family Health Ctr.)*

200 NW 7th Avenue  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33311

Medicare, Medicaid, Insurance, Sliding Scale  
Spanish, French, Creole,  
Interpretation for American Sign Language and other languages  
M-F: 8:00am - 4:30pm  
Pharmacy - M-F: 8:30am - 6:30pm  
Urgent Care - M-F: 8:00am - 8:30pm

Provides adult and pediatric primary health care services for uninsured and low income individuals. Includes immunization, vision and hearing screenings, nutritional counseling, pregnancy testing, ultrasound, genetic screening, Healthy Start & WIC screening, dental, laboratory, pharmacy, behavioral health and urgent care services.

**Lauderdale Lakes Health Center      954-759-7557**

3716 W. Oakland Park Blvd.  
Lauderdale Lakes, FL 33311

M: 8:00am - 7:30pm, Tu-Th: 8:00am - 4:30pm, F: 8:00am - 12:30pm

**Margate Health Center      954-759-7477**

5109 Coconut Creek Parkway  
Margate, FL 33063

M: 8:00am - 7:00pm, T-F: 8:00am - 4:30pm

**Specialty Care Center      954-463-7313**

1111 W. Broward Blvd.  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33312

Medicare, Medicaid, Insurance, Sliding Scale  
M-F: 8:00am - 4:30pm, Sat: 9:00am - 1:00pm  
Pharmacy - M-F: 8:30am - 4:00pm

Provides adult primary care, dermatology, ophthalmology, HIV/AIDS medical services, nutritional counseling, pharmacy, laboratory and behavioral health counseling.

**Care Coordination Program      954-767-5566**

Provides specialized care coordination and educational classes, lectures and one-on-one teaching for persons with a chronic or serious medical condition to improve quality of life and reduce complications associated with the medical condition.

*Also see separate listing for Children's Diagnostic & Treatment Center  
Also see separate listing for Memory Disorder Center*

**BROWARD HEALTHY START      954-563-7583**

6301 NW 5th Way #5000  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33309

[www.browardhsc.org](http://www.browardhsc.org)  
No Fee

Provides care coordination and outreach services to pregnant women and infants up to 3 years. Educational and support services available based on risk factors and need.

**BROWARD HOUSE****954-522-4749**

1726 SE 3rd Avenue  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33316

[www.browardhouse.org](http://www.browardhouse.org)

No Fee

Spanish, Creole

M-F: 8:30am - 5:00pm

Serves individuals living with or at risk for HIV and other health issues. Offers assisted living and independent living, medical respite, case management, HIV testing and counseling, education and prevention programs, substance abuse treatment, mental health therapy and support groups, including substance abuse aftercare.

**BROWARD HOUSING SOLUTIONS****954-764-2800**

305 SE 18th Court  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33316

[www.browardhousingsolutions.org](http://www.browardhousingsolutions.org)

Provides affordable housing opportunities for low-income clients with severe and persistent mental illness who can live independently. Must receive case management services from Archways, Broward Elderly and Veterans Services, Henderson Behavioral Health or SOS Children's Village. Offers subsidized rents to each tenant and his/her family, based on 30% of the gross monthly income, or rental subsidy for individuals who experience a sudden change in life situation necessitating rental assistance. Candidates must be approved by the Department of Children and Families (DCF). Also offers a lease-to-buy program that enables low-to-moderate income individuals with mental illness to lease affordable rental housing for up to two years and then qualify for a mortgage to become a homeowner. Also offers affordable and permanent housing for young adults 18-23 years who battle mental illness and have aged out of the foster care system.

**Home for the Brave**

Provides permanent, affordable housing for homeless veterans.



**BROWARD MEALS ON WHEELS****954-731-8770**

451 N. State Road 7  
Plantation, FL 33317

[www.bmow.org](http://www.bmow.org)

M-F: 8:00am - 4:00pm

Provides meal delivery to low-income, homebound and frail older adults. Offers hot meals to registered individuals at senior centers, meals for companion pets and nutrition counseling. Arranges for a volunteer to shop for those who can pay for their own groceries but are unable to shop for themselves. Delivers a 14-day supply of emergency meals to older adults returning home from the hospital or who suddenly find themselves in need of immediate assistance.

**BROWARD OUTREACH CENTERS****SOUTH****954-926-7417**

2056 Scott Street  
Hollywood, FL 33020

**NORTH****954-979-6365**

1700 Blount Road  
Pompano Beach, FL 33069

[www.miamirescuemission.com/boc.htm](http://www.miamirescuemission.com/boc.htm)

Provides food, shelter, substance abuse treatment, education, computer literacy, job placement, healthcare and spiritual development in a drug and alcohol free environment. Accommodates men, women and children.

**BROWARD PARTNERSHIP****954-779-3990**

*(formerly Broward Partnership for the Homeless)*

920 NW 7th Avenue  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33311

[www.bphi.org](http://www.bphi.org)

No Fee

Spanish, French, Creole

24/7

Provides emergency homeless shelter for men, women and families with children. Current residents receive meals, behavioral health counseling, dental care, substance abuse treatment, case management, linkage and referral services, vocational training, job readiness, transportation and family support. Outpatient services for former residents include limited job readiness and behavioral health counseling. Referrals for emergency shelter services must be received via the Taskforce for Ending Homelessness or HOPE South Florida; walk-ins are not accepted.

**BROWARD REENTRY COALITION**

**954-868-7532**

4200 NW 16th Street  
Lauderhill, FL 33313

No Fee  
24/7

An alliance of social service providers and government agencies that offer support and assistance to ex-offenders during incarceration and after release including employment, housing, identification and healthcare.

**BROWARD REGIONAL HEALTH  
PLANNING COUNCIL**

**954-561-9681**

200 Oakwood Lane, #100  
Hollywood, FL 33020

[www.brhpc.org](http://www.brhpc.org)

No Fee

Spanish, French, Creole

Legislatively designated local health planning entity delivers health and human service innovations at the national, state and local level through planning, direct services, evaluation and organizational capacity building.

**Affordable Care Act (ACA) Navigator Services**

Lead agency for Broward County area navigators who serve as an in-person resource for those who want additional assistance in shopping for and enrolling in the Federal Health Insurance Marketplace.

**Centralized Intake and Eligibility Determination (CIED)**

Provides a single entry point of service and assistance for persons living with HIV/AIDS.

**Crisis Intervention Team (CIT) Training**

Provides 40-hour training for law enforcement to improve the way officers respond to people experiencing mental health crises.

**Healthy Families Broward**

Community-based, voluntary home-visiting program that promotes positive parent/child interaction and healthy childhood growth and development to prevent child abuse and neglect.

**HIV Planning Council**

Oversees funding and services for Broward County Ryan White Part A program.

**Living Healthy/Tomando Control de Su Salud**

Offers a 6-week workshop, in English & Spanish, to empower older adults with various chronic diseases to take control of their health.

**Substance Abuse and Mental Health Team**

Contracted to provide linkage, support and advocacy to clients who have mental health or co-occurring disorders and are involved in the Broward County felony court system.

**TOUCH Broward**

Works with communities, partners and local government to reduce health disparities and improve health and well-being in the areas of tobacco free living, active living & healthy eating, clinical & community linkages, and healthy built environments.

**BROWARD SHERIFF'S OFFICE (B.S.O.)      954-831-8900**

2601 W. Broward Blvd.  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33311

[www.sheriff.org](http://www.sheriff.org)

Provides law enforcement and fire rescue services for unincorporated areas of Broward County as well as municipalities that have contracted for these services and the Ft Lauderdale-Hollywood International Airport, Port Everglades and the Broward County Courthouse. District offices are located throughout the county.

**Child Protective Investigative Svcs      954-797-5299**

Investigates allegations of child abuse, neglect or abandonment.

**Youth & Special Needs Services      954-321-4100**

Targets youth & special needs population.

**Police Athletic League (PAL)**

Provides youth an opportunity to stay out of trouble by participating in sports and other activities after school or during the summer.

**Law Enforcement Explorers**

Offers teens and young adults the opportunity to learn and experience lawful citizenship by participating side-by-side with certified BSO deputies in ongoing training and community service projects.

**Fire Rescue Explorers      954-831-8200**

Provides high school students with practical training and experience through education, community involvement and public service.

**Juvenile Firesetter      954-831-8210**  
**Prevention & Intervention Program**

Provides prevention and intervention through specialized fire safety education for youth, 2-17 years, targeting at-risk youth with an interest in, or a history of starting fires, initiating bomb threats, creating destructive incendiary devices or pulling fire alarms.

## **Neighborhood Services**

**954-321-4100**

Provides services directly related to local neighborhoods including Citizens on Patrol, Crime Prevention Unit, Sheriff's Posse, Poll Deputy Unit and Parking Enforcement.

## **Juvenile Assessment Center**

**954-761-2641**

2600 SW 4th Avenue  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33315

Manages the centralized juvenile drop-off point for deputies and law enforcement officers where assessment and case management services are provided to at-risk youth.

## **Department of Community Programs**

**954-375-6180**

4200 NW 16th Street  
Lauderhill, FL 33313

Administration for in-custody and community-based offender programs.

### **In-Custody Behavioral Services 954-831-0248**

Provides mental health and substance abuse counseling to persons either incarcerated in the county jail or involved with the 17th Judicial Circuit's Drug Court. Persons receiving services from the Broward Sheriff's Office are referred to community providers for additional and/or ongoing services upon release from jail, while receiving outpatient treatment and in preparation of discharge.

### **Day Reporting & Reentry Division 954-831-5311**

Provides support for successful transition and monitoring to prevent recidivism for the reintegration of offenders back into the community following release from jail.

### **Drug Court Treatment Program 954-497-3610**

Offers an alternative to traditional incarceration for criminal offenders who are charged with the purchase or possession of a controlled substance and/or other substance abuse related offense.

## **Victim Services Unit**

**954-321-4122**

Offers assistance for the victims and witnesses of crimes through established advocacy policies and by providing necessary notification.

**CAMELOT COMMUNITY CARE****954-958-0988**

1925 S. Perimeter Road, #120

Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33309

[www.camelotcommunitycare.org](http://www.camelotcommunitycare.org)

Medicaid, Sliding Scale, No Fee for qualified families

Spanish, Creole

Office Hours - M-F: 8:30am - 5:00pm

Service Hours - M-F: 8:30am - 8pm &amp; weekends by appointment

Provides behavioral health and child welfare services.

**In-Home Counseling**

Provides counseling and psychiatric services in the home, school or community for families with children 3-17 years, (up to 22 years, if qualified and already in the program by 18th birthday) who have mild to moderate emotional or behavioral difficulties. Offers assessment, family and individual therapy.

**Solutions for School Success**

Offers assessment, in-home individual and family therapy, and school classroom observation and support for children 3-17 years who are having emotional and behavioral issues at school and at home that are affecting their school performance.

**Family Development**

Provides in-home family therapy and support services to youth 10-17 years who are at risk for abuse/neglect and are residing with their family.

**Youth Transitions**

Offers transitional independent living services for youth (15-22 years) with serious emotional and behavioral issues who are aging out of the child welfare system (both foster care and relative placements), including case management, youth development activities and life skills coaching counseling.

**Foster Care**

Provides foster parent recruitment, training and licensing services, and placement and monitoring of children in foster care, 0-17 years. Parents must meet DCF requirements. Counseling services are provided to children who require in-home intervention for emotional and behavioral issues.



**CAREER SOURCE BROWARD**

**954-202-3830**

**954-677-5555**

www.careersourcebroward.com

www.employflorida.com (for employment resources)

No Fee

Spanish

M-Th: 8:00am - 7:00pm; F: 8:00am-5:00pm

Provides job seekers with job leads and placement services, access to internet job searches, training and workshops, assistance with resume writing, unemployment compensation information and resource rooms with free faxes, phones, copiers and computers for job search usage. Offers transportation and childcare assistance to eligible individuals.

**Ticket to Work program**

Provides job training and placement and other support services to SSI/SSDI beneficiaries who are interested in working.

**North**

**954-969-3541**

2301 W. Sample Road, Bldg. 4, #7A  
Pompano Beach, FL 33073

**Central**

**954-677-5555**

2610 W. Oakland Park Blvd.  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33311

**South**

**954-967-1010**

7550 Davie Road Extension  
Hollywood, FL 33024



**CATHOLIC CHARITIES  
OF THE ARCHDIOCESE OF MIAMI****954-332-6640**

1079 SE 22nd Avenue  
Pompano Beach, FL 33062

[www.ccadm.org](http://www.ccadm.org)  
Sliding Scale  
Spanish, Creole

Provides social services including behavioral health, adult day care centers, transitional housing and emergency financial assistance.

**Family Counseling****866-758-0025**

Provides brief therapy to individuals and families for physical abuse, trauma, substance abuse, job loss, depression and other issues.

**Emergency Services****954-568-6610**

Provides rent/mortgage assistance for people facing eviction and food vouchers.

**Volunteer Friendship Ministry****954-630-9793**

1503 NE 26th Street  
Wilton Manors, FL 33305

Trained volunteer care teams provide emotional and spiritual support to persons living with HIV/AIDS through visitation, telephone reassurance and social gatherings.

**Adult Day Care Centers**

Licensed adult day care centers for disabled individuals 19+ years and older adults. Provides daily supervised activities, exercise and medical observation. Accepts adults with a diagnosed cognitive, medical or psychological disability.

**Central West Adult Day Care Ctr.****954-583-6446****Centro Oeste Hispano****954-583-6446****Wilton Manors Adult Day Care Ctr.****954-630-9501**

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**CENTER FOR AUTISM  
& RELATED DISABILITIES (C.A.R.D.)****954-262-7111**

University of Miami/Nova Southeastern University  
6100 Griffin Road  
Davie, FL 33314

[www.umcard.org](http://www.umcard.org)

No Fee

Spanish

M-F: 8:00am - 4:30pm

Provides support to people with autism and related disorders, their families and the professionals who work with them. Also serves persons with related disabilities including deafness, blindness, sensory impairments with other disabling conditions, developmental delays in children under 5 years who also present with autistic-like behaviors, and genetic disorders that may co-exist with autism symptoms (Fragile X Syndrome, Rett Syndrome, Tuberous Sclerosis, Angelman Syndrome, among others).

**CENTER FOR HEARING  
AND COMMUNICATION****954-601-1930**

2900 W. Cypress Creek Road, #3  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33309

**TTD: 954-601-1938****Video Ph: 954-642-2351**

[www.chchearing.org](http://www.chchearing.org)

Medicare, Private Pay, Sliding Scale

American Sign Language

M-F: 9:00am - 5:00pm

Provides interdisciplinary clinical and support services for people who are hard of hearing or deaf, and their families. Offers psychological evaluation and counseling, substance abuse counseling, case management, audiology services, support groups, assistive listening devices and specialized no-cost phone equipment for Florida residents with hearing difficulties. After-school and summer youth programs and American Sign Language instruction are also available.

**CENTER FOR INDEPENDENT  
LIVING OF BROWARD****954-722-6400****TTY: 954-735-0963**

4800 N. State Road 7, Suite 102  
Lauderdale Lakes, FL 33319

[www.cilbroward.org](http://www.cilbroward.org)

No Fee

Spanish, Telephone for the Hearing Impaired

M-F: 9:30am - 5:00pm

Provides advocacy, independent living skills, peer support groups, training to improve employability skills, assistive technology and equipment loan use and youth services. Also offers case management services for persons with disabilities in need of long-term care or transitioning from a nursing home facility and specialized no-cost phone equipment for Florida residents with hearing difficulties.

**CHILD CARE LICENSING  
AND ENFORCEMENT****954-357-4800****TTY: 954-831-3940**

115 S. Andrews Avenue #119  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33301

[www.broward.org](http://www.broward.org)

M-F: 8:00am - 5:00pm

Regulates and monitors child care facilities and family child care homes in accordance with Broward County Ordinance and State Statute. Provides criminal background screening for employment in childcare facilities and child care homes.

**CHILDNET****954-414-6000**

1100 W. McNab Road  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33309

[www.childnet.us](http://www.childnet.us)

No Fee

Manages the Broward child welfare system for foster care, adoption, protective and related services for abused, neglected and abandoned children. Provides case management, independent living and adoption services, and subcontracts with social service agencies to provide child welfare services including family preservation and strengthening, residential group and shelter care and foster home management.

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**CHILDREN'S DIAGNOSTIC  
& TREATMENT CENTER****954-728-8080**

1401 S. Federal Highway  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33316

[www.childrensdiagnostic.org](http://www.childrensdiagnostic.org)

Provides medical care, case management, social services and other types of intervention to children and adolescents with chronic illnesses and development disabilities and support and education to their families. Helps pregnant women get prenatal care.

**Comprehensive Family AIDS Program**

Provides care to infants, children, women and families who are infected and affected by HIV/AIDS including gynecology, nutritional counseling, dental care, laboratory tests, medication management, mental health assessment and counseling, support groups and summer camp program for infected children.

**CHILDREN'S HARBOR****954-252-3072**

19425 SW 58th Manor  
Pembroke Pines, FL 33332

[www.childrensharbor.org](http://www.childrensharbor.org)

Provides residential services for foster children in a family-style setting, and community-based services for the prevention and intervention of abuse and neglect.

**Family Strengthening Program**

Provides in-home counseling and case management for families with children, 0-18 years living in the home, to keep families intact, prevent abuse/neglect, improve relationships and incorporate the nurturing parenting model.

**Residential Group Home**

Provides 24-hour care and supervision for pregnant and/or parenting teens and their infants in foster care, and 24-hour care and supervision for sibling groups in foster care to allow them to remain together. Referrals come from ChildNet.

**CHILDREN'S HOME SOCIETY****954-453-6400**

401 NE 4th Street  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33301

[www.chsfl.org/intercoastal](http://www.chsfl.org/intercoastal)

Medicaid

Spanish, Creole

M-F: 8:30am - 5:00pm

Provides adoption assistance, child abuse and neglect prevention, family counseling and emergency care for children.

**CHILDREN'S MEDICAL SERVICES****954-713-3100**

1625 SE 3rd Avenue, #415

Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33316

[www.cms-kids.com](http://www.cms-kids.com)

Provides family-centered prevention, early intervention, primary care, medical, therapeutic specialty and long-term care to children under 21 years with special healthcare needs.

**CHILDREN'S SERVICES COUNCIL****954-377-1000**

6600 W. Commercial Blvd.

Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33319

[www.cscbroward.org](http://www.cscbroward.org)

Provides leadership, coordination and funding for services for and on behalf of children.

**CHRYSLIS HEALTH****954-587-2008**

3800 W. Broward Blvd.

Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33312

[www.chrysalishealth.com](http://www.chrysalishealth.com)

Medicaid, Insurance, Private Pay, Sliding Scale

Spanish, French, Creole

Provides behavioral health services for children, youth and adults including individual, family and group therapy for mental health and substance use disorders, psychiatric services, medication management, psychosocial rehabilitation services, residential care, case management and psychological testing. In-home services are available.

## CINS/FINS PROVIDER AGENCIES

954-486-4222

Through the Florida Department of Juvenile Justice and local social service agencies, provides help to children and their families to reduce or stop behaviors that may otherwise require families to go to court as last resort.

### Child In Need of Services (CINS)

Services provided to a child who has been found by the court to be runaway, truant or ungovernable.

### Families In Need of Services (FINS)

Services provided to a family that has a child who is displaying behaviors such as truancy, runaway, and will not follow directions or is beyond parental control.

### Shelters

Provides short-term, primarily voluntary, services including crisis intervention, shelter, food, clothing, case management and counseling. Shelter services are available 24/7.

#### Lippman Youth Shelter

954-568-2801

221 NW 43rd Court  
Oakland Park, FL 33309

### Non-Residential Counseling

Provides family counseling to stabilize a crisis, keep families intact, minimize out-of-home placement, provide aftercare services for youth returning home from shelter services and prevent the involvement of families in the juvenile justice and dependency systems.

#### Lutheran Services of Florida

954-486-4222

4675 N. State Road 7  
Lauderdale Lakes, FL 33319

#### Mt. Bethel Human Services

954-766-6058

597 NW 9th Avenue  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33311

#### Community Based Connections

954-524-9797

1033 Sistrunk Blvd., #201  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33311



**CLEVELAND CLINIC****954-689-5000**

2950 Cleveland Clinic Blvd.  
Weston, FL 33331

[www.clevelandclinicflorida.org](http://www.clevelandclinicflorida.org)

Private not-for-profit hospital offering medical and surgical services. No behavioral health unit but offers groups and programs on physical and emotional health issues.

**Family Health Center****954-349-1111**

1825 N. Corporate Lakes Blvd.  
Weston, FL 33331

Offers primary care services in an outpatient setting.

**COALITION TO END HOMELESSNESS 954-792-4000**

924 NW 1st Street  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33311

No Fee

M-F: 9:00am - 4:00pm

**Yellow House**

Advocates and educates to address the needs of the homeless.

Offers clothing, crisis response, phones, computers, laundry, hygiene needs, showers and mail service.

**COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIP DIVISION 954-357-8647**

115 S. Andrews Avenue, #A-370  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33301

**TTY: 954-357-2882**

[www.broward.org/humanservices/communitypartnerships](http://www.broward.org/humanservices/communitypartnerships)

M-F: 8:30am - 5:00pm

Branch of Broward County Government responsible for the planning, coordination, administration and evaluation for human services programs including behavioral health, child care licensing, sexual assault treatment and counseling, health care, HIV/AIDS and homeless services.



**COOPERATIVE PARENTING****954-746-2055****& DIVORCE (CO-PARENTING)**

Mental Health Association of Southeast Florida

7145 W. Oakland Park Blvd.

Lauderhill, FL 33313-1012

[www.mhasefl.org](http://www.mhasefl.org)

Sliding Scale

Creole, Hebrew

Hours by appointment

Court approved individual and group training, for moderate to high conflict divorced couples and parents living in separate households, to reduce parental conflict and risk factors that influence the child's post-divorce adjustment. Supervised visitations and therapeutic supervised visitations also available on and off site.

**CORRECT CARE RECOVERY****954-392-3000****SOLUTIONS/SOUTH FLORIDA STATE HOSPITAL**

*(formerly Geo Care)*

800 E. Cypress Drive

Pembroke Pines, FL 33025

Treats adults with severe and persistent mental illness, involuntarily committed to the hospital when community treatment alternatives are no longer effective.

**COVENANT HOUSE FLORIDA****954-561-5559**

733 Breakers Avenue

Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33304

[www.covenanthousefl.org](http://www.covenanthousefl.org)

No Fee

Spanish, Creole

24/7

Emergency shelter for youth under 21 years, including youth with babies. Provides shelter, food, clothing, health services, parent education, counseling, substance abuse treatment, case management, employment assistance, life skills instruction, transportation assistance and transitional housing for older adolescents bridging into independent living.

**DEERFIELD BEACH (City of)  
PARKS AND RECREATION****954-480-4433**

150 NE 2nd Avenue  
Deerfield Beach, FL 33441

Offers athletic programs, teen center and summer camp at various locations.

**Westside Park Summer Camp****954-480-4481**

Serves economically-disadvantaged children, 6-12 years, who are primarily from Deerfield Beach's Consolidated Plan area.

**Teen Center**

1345 SW 11th Way  
Deerfield Beach, FL



**DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN  
& FAMILIES (DCF)**

**954-375-6092**

1400 W. Commercial Blvd.  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33309

[www.myflfamilies.com](http://www.myflfamilies.com)

No Fee

Spanish, Creole

M-F: 8:00am - 5:00pm

Branch of State Government responsible for the administration of social services.

**Abuse Hotline**

**800-962-2873**

Serves as the central reporting center for allegations of abuse, neglect, and/or exploitation for all children and vulnerable adults in Florida.

**Domestic Violence Hotline**

**800-500-1119**

Administers and coordinates statewide activities related to the prevention and intervention of domestic violence through community-based partnerships. Regulates, certifies and monitors domestic violence centers across the state of Florida.

**Adult Protective Services (APS)**

**954-375-6093**

201 W. Broward Blvd., #510  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33301

Provides services for frail, elderly and disabled adults who are at risk or are victims of abuse, neglect, or exploitation and disabled adults who need assistance to remain in their own homes in the community. Investigates allegations of elderly/disabled adult abuse neglect and exploitation. Provides case management for clients who receive OSS (Optional State Supplement) and live in an ALF (Assisted Living Facility) or adult family care home, and clients who receive subsidies from the Home Care for Disabled Adults/Elderly program. To report abuse, neglect or exploitation, call the Florida Abuse Hotline at 800-962-2873.

**Substance Abuse and Mental Health**

**954-453-3426**

Legislatively appointed state authority for substance abuse, mental health, and methadone designation responsible for the oversight of a statewide system of care for the prevention, treatment, and recovery of children and adults with serious mental illnesses or substance abuse disorders.

**ACCESS Economic Services****954-375-3338****Central Broward Service Center**

3511 N. Pine Island Road  
Sunrise, FL 33351

**North Broward Service Center**

1400 W. Commercial Blvd.  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33309

Determines eligibility and ongoing case management of Food Assistance (food stamps), Temporary Cash Assistance and Medicaid for families with children or older adults, blind or disabled adults, based on state and federal guidelines.

Clients may also apply for benefits at over 150 community partner sites.

**Things to bring to interview:**

Identification of head of household and/or person attending interview (photo I.D.)

Proof of residency in this county (proof of address such as bill, etc.)

Social Security Cards for all members of household on application

Alien Status (I.D. Card) of all members of household who are not U.S. citizens

Proof of household size and composition (# in family, how many boys/girls, ages)

Resources (bank accounts, car registrations, etc.)

Proof of any and all income to all household members - loss or lack of income must also be proven. Provide at least 8 weeks proof of current income from employment

Notes from people providing money or paying your bills

Medical bills for members of household 60+ years who receive SSI or SSD, if you wish to claim medical deductions

Child/adult dependent care expenses for allowable deductions

Shelter costs, if you wish to claim allowable deductions

Proof of rent/mortgage payment, home owners' insurance, electric, gas, taxes/assessments, telephone, heating fuel, water, sewage, etc.

**DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAY  
SAFETY & MOTOR VEHICLES (D.M.V.)**

**800-303-7288**

www.flhsmv.gov  
www.gathergoget.com

Issues and renews driver's license or state identification card.  
Office hours vary by location and appointments are available.

**Driver's License Offices**

**954-497-1570**

100 S. Military Trail, #26  
Deerfield Beach, FL 33442

3718 W. Oakland Park Blvd.  
Lauderdale Lakes, FL 33311

1135 Banks Road  
Margate, FL 33063

15739 Pines Blvd.  
Pembroke Pines, FL 33027

7217 W. Oakland Park Blvd.  
Lauderhill, FL 33313

8001 Pembroke Road  
Pembroke Pines, FL 33025

Everyone requesting a driver's license or state identification card must show an original or certified copy of their birth certificate or valid U.S. passport, social security card or computer generated W-2 or 1009 form, and two proof of address items such as voter's registration, vehicle registration, utility bill (telephone, water, FPL, etc. or bank statement less than 2 months old), deed, rental/lease agreement, mail from federal, state, county or city government, a letter from a homeless shelter or transitional housing provider verifying they receive your mail accompanied by a certification of address form.

For an initial driver's license, you will be required to take vision, hearing, road signs, road rules and driving tests. For the driving test, you will need to have a car and proof of insurance. You may pick up a study booklet at any of the locations listed above.

Fees for License:

Original License	\$48
Renewal	\$48
Replacement	\$25
Delinquent fee (late renewal)	\$15 additional
ID Card (original, renewal, replacement)	\$25



**DEPARTMENT OF  
JUVENILE JUSTICE (D.J.J.)****954-497-2873**2928-A N. State Road 7  
Lauderdale Lakes, FL 33313[www.djj.state.fl.us](http://www.djj.state.fl.us)

Oversees detention, prevention & victims, and residential services for youth.

**Probation and Community Intervention**

Youth, under 18 years, charged with a crime in Florida are referred to DJJ. A referral is similar to an arrest in the adult criminal justice system. DJJ provides a recommendation to the State Attorney and the Court regarding appropriate sanctions and services for the youth. When making recommendations, DJJ has two options:

**Diversion**

Offers programs that are alternatives to the formal juvenile justice system for youth who have been charged with a minor crime. Diversion programs employ non-judicial sanctions including restitution to victim(s), community service hours, letter of apology to victim(s), curfew, forfeiture of driver's license, encouragement to avoid contact with co-defendants, friends, or acquaintances deemed to be inappropriate associations, referrals to local social service agencies, and substance abuse or mental health counseling.

**Probation**

Court-ordered sanctions and services overseen by an assigned juvenile probation officer who monitors compliance and helps the youth connect with service providers. If the youth does not comply with probation, is charged with a serious crime, or has a significant history of offenses, the youth may be ordered to live in a residential facility for a period of time. After discharge from the facility, the youth is usually placed on Conditional Release (much like parole in the adult criminal justice system) that provides monitoring and services while transitioning back to the community after being in a residential program.



**Juvenile Detention Center****954-467-4563**

222 NW 22nd Avenue  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33311

Secure facility that serves youth detained pending adjudication, disposition or placement in commitment facility. Services include education, mental health, substance abuse treatment and health care.

**Prevention and Victims Services**

Provides contracted delinquency prevention programs that address specific problems and provide interventions for at-risk youth and their families to reduce juvenile crime and protect public safety. Programs target high-risk juveniles and those who exhibit problem behaviors such as ungovernability, truancy, running away from home and other pre-delinquent behaviors.

**Residential Services**

Contracts to provide residential programs for juvenile offenders.

**Broward Girls Academy****954-322-6500**

Residential program for low and moderate risk girls, 14-19 years, who are committed to DJJ after being assessed and classified as moderate risk with serious to severe mental disturbance. Services include mental health group, individual and family counseling. Education services are provided by the Broward County Schools.

**Pompano Substance Abuse  
Treatment Center****954-956-5615**

Staff-secured substance abuse treatment program for moderate risk boys, 13-18 years. Uses evidence-based curriculum and treatment with an integrated education program provided by the Broward County Schools. Also offers a culinary arts vocational program. Basic medical services are provided onsite.

**Thompson Academy****954-967-6300**

Residential program for youth, 13-18 years, who are committed to DJJ after being assessed and classified as moderate-risk to public safety. Utilizes a community therapeutic model and has a full-time medical department and on-site educational program provided by Broward County School System.

**Juvenile Assessment Center****954-467-4600**

2600 SW 4th Avenue  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33315

Provides screening of youth offenders.

**DIVISION OF BLIND SERVICES****954-746-1770**

7771 W. Oakland Park Blvd., #185  
Sunrise, FL 33351

[www.myflorida.com/dba](http://www.myflorida.com/dba)

No Fee

Spanish, Creole

M-F: 8:00am - 5:00pm

Provides rehabilitation services to persons who are blind or have severe visual impairment.

**Independent Living Services**

Assists individuals who are blind or severely visually impaired to live more independently in their homes and communities.

**Vocational Rehabilitation Services**

Assists blind and visually impaired individuals seeking employment.

**Blind Babies Program**

Provides community-based early intervention education for children, 0-5 years, who are blind or visually impaired.

**Braille and Talking Books Library Services**

Provides reading materials to individuals who have trouble reading print because of sight impairment, reading disability or difficulty holding a book due to arthritis, stroke or an accident.

**EARLY LEARNING COALITION****954-377-2188**

6301 NW 5th Way, #3400  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33309

[www.elcbroward.org](http://www.elcbroward.org)

Spanish, French, Creole

M-F: 9:00am - 5:00pm

Provides resources, advocacy, leadership, coordination and oversight for early care and education from birth to 12 years and supports access to school-age care to ensure children's success in school. Assists income-eligible families with the cost of child care so they may continue to work and/or participate in training. Through the Voluntary Pre-Kindergarten program (VPK), prepares children by helping them develop the skills needed to become good readers and successful students. Offers developmental screenings for children whose families participate in the school readiness program.



**EASE FOUNDATION**

**954-797-1077**

**(Emergency Assistance Service Effort)**

4700 SW 64th Avenue #B

Davie, FL 33314

[www.easefoundation.org](http://www.easefoundation.org)

No Fee

Provides emergency assistance, on a one-time basis, to qualified residents of Davie.

**EQUINE-ASSISTED THERAPIES  
OF SOUTH FLORIDA**

**954-974-2007**

*(formerly Horses and the Handicapped)*

Tradewinds Park

3600 W. Sample Road

Coconut Creek, FL 33073

[www.equineatsf.org](http://www.equineatsf.org)

Fees apply

M-Sat: 7:00am - 7:00pm, Sun: 7:00am - 11:00am

Provides therapeutic riding, hippotherapy and equine-facilitated psychotherapy for children and adults with physical, cognitive and emotional challenges.

**FAITH FARM MINISTRIES**

**954-763-7787**

1980 NW 9th Avenue

Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33311

[www.faithfarm.org](http://www.faithfarm.org)

No Fee

Thrift stores sell new and used furniture and accessories.

**Men's Residential Program**

**954-463-6214**

Offers residential, 9-month non-denominational, faith-based substance abuse recovery program for men 21+ years.

**FAMILY CENTRAL****954-720-1000**

840 SW 81st Avenue  
N. Lauderdale, FL 33068

[www.familycentral.org](http://www.familycentral.org)

Sliding Scale

Spanish, Creole

M-F: 8:00am - 6:00pm

Connects families with childcare resources and provides community-based parenting classes and in-home parenting education.

**Resource & Referral Warm Line****954-724-4609**

Provides referrals to early care and school readiness programs and child care services during times when children are out of school.

**FAMILY VOICES****954-746-2055**

Mental Health Association of Southeast Florida  
7145 W. Oakland Park Blvd.  
Lauderhill, FL 33313-1012

[www.mhasefl.org](http://www.mhasefl.org)

Trained mentors work with, and advocate for, families of children/youth diagnosed with, or at risk for, behavioral disorders. Offers individual and group support.

**FLITE CENTER****954-530-4686**

**(Fort Lauderdale Independence  
Training & Education Center)**

1100 W. McNab Road  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33309

[www.flitecenter.org](http://www.flitecenter.org)

Assists youth and young adults transitioning out of the foster care system with the life skills and education necessary to become self-sufficient, live independently and maintain employment.

**FLORIDA (STATE OF)  
17TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT COURT**

**954-831-7740**

201 SE 6th Street  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33301

[www.17th.flcourts.org](http://www.17th.flcourts.org)

**Misdemeanor Drug Court**

**954-831-3576**

Offers voluntary program for adults 18+ years that includes working with the court, treatment and supervision team. Charges will not be prosecuted in exchange for the offender's compliance with the conditions of the program and successful graduation. Eligible offenses include possession of cannabis, and/or possession of drug paraphernalia. Other non-violent misdemeanor crimes where there is a substance abuse issue are also eligible.

**Misdemeanor Mental Health Court**

**954-831-7240**

Specialized docket for non-violent misdemeanor defendants with serious mental illness or mental disability that offers an opportunity to participate in court-supervised treatment in lieu of the traditional criminal justice system. Accepts defendants with prior convictions; DUI or domestic violence cases are not accepted.

**Felony Mental Health Court**

**954-831-7805**

Specialized docket for felony defendants with severe and persistent mental illness, those who have been declared incompetent to proceed or those not guilty by reason of insanity that offers treatment at a forensic hospital for competency restoration or a conditional release plan with a probation officer.

**Juvenile Division**

**954-831-6492**

**Unified Family Court Case Mgmt.**

**954-831-8532**

Provides case management for domestic violence, domestic relations, dependency and delinquency cases.

**Community Justice Alternatives**

**954-831-7752**

Offers mediation for neighborhood disputes including conflicts between children.

**Court Mediation & Arbitration**

**954-831-6076**

Preserves the parental relationships before, during and after divorce by helping parents constructively and amicably resolve conflicts concerning children. These resolutions are formalized in a written agreement and may be made an order of the court if requested.

**Teen Court**

**954-831-7600**

Offers an alternative to formal juvenile court proceedings for youth 11-17 years. Uses positive peer pressure, counseling, referral, community service and other interventions. Must be referred by the State Attorney's office or local police department.

**FLORIDA DEPT. OF  
ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY***(formerly Agency for Workforce Innovation)*[www.floridajobs.org](http://www.floridajobs.org)**866-352-2345****TTY: 800-955-8771****Florida Reemployment Office****800-204-2418**[www.fluidnow.com](http://www.fluidnow.com) (online application)

Provides temporary wage replacement benefits to qualified individuals who are out of work through no fault of their own.

**Special Unemployment Compensation Program****Disaster Unemployment Assistance**

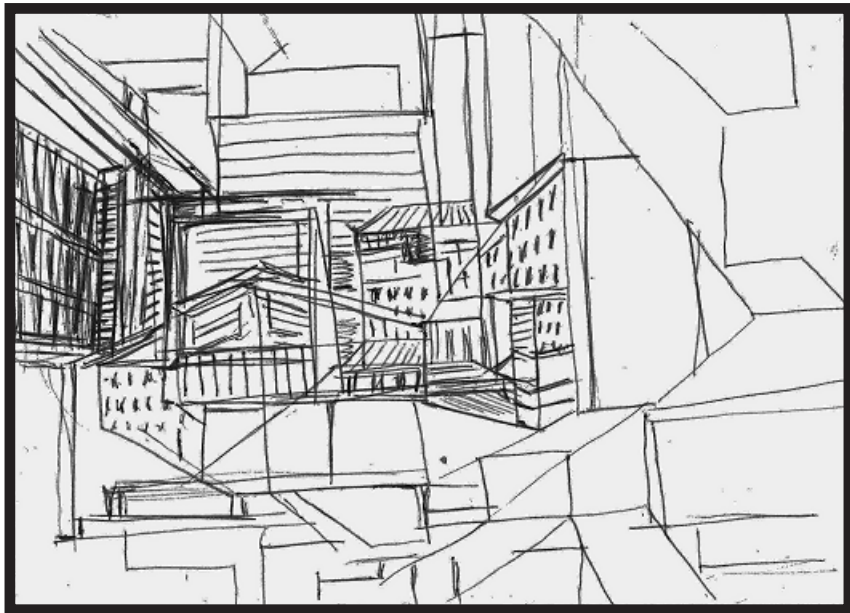
Provides assistance to individuals who do not qualify for regular unemployment benefits from Florida or any other state and whose unemployment is a direct result of a disaster.

**Trade Readjustment Allowance Program**

Provides training, job search, relocation allowances and other reemployment services to individuals who have been totally or partially separated from their job due to increased foreign imports.

**Workforce Services**

Provides support services to Career Source to support employers and assist individuals gain employment, remain employed and advance in their careers. See **Career Source** for locations.



**FLORIDA DEPT. OF HEALTH  
IN BROWARD COUNTY**

**954-467-4700**

*(formerly Broward County Health Dept.)*

Administrative Center

780 SW 24th Street

Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33315

Operations Building

2421A SW 6th Avenue

Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33315

<http://broward.floridahealth.gov>

Medicaid, Sliding Scale

Spanish Creole

M-F: 8:00am - 5:00pm (may vary depending on program)

Provides healthy living programs, HIV/AIDS testing and treatment, hepatitis prevention and testing, STD services, breast and cervical cancer screening, dental care for children (and adults receiving services through Ryan White), pharmacy services, child and adult immunization, school health, smoking cessation, KidCare outreach, social services, family planning, WIC and nutrition, health education, tuberculosis diagnosis and treatment, vital statistics, birth and death certificates, environmental health, and epidemiology. Coordinates a perinatal community network coalition that provides prevention services for pregnant women.

**Coral Springs WIC Center**

**954-767-5111**

10077 SW 29th Street

Coral Springs, FL 33065

**Edgar Mills Health Center**

**954-467-4700**

900 NW 31st Street

Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33311

**Fort Lauderdale Health Center**

**954-467-4700**

2421A SW 6th Avenue

Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33315

**North Regional Health Center**

**954-467-4700**

601 W. Atlantic Blvd.

Pompano Beach, FL 33060

**Oakland Park WIC Center**

**954-767-5111**

900 NW 31st Street

Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33311

**Paul Hughes Health Center**

**954-467-4700**

205 NW 6th Avenue

Pompano Beach, FL 33060

**South Regional Health Center**

**954-467-4700**

4105 Pembroke Road

Hollywood, FL 33021

**FLORIDA DEPT. OF TRANSPORTATION 954-777-4091  
DISTRICT FOUR**

3400 W. Commercial Blvd.  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33309

[www.dot.state.fl.us](http://www.dot.state.fl.us)

Government agency responsible for the planning and development of a safe, viable and balanced state transportation system that includes roadway, air, sea, spaceports, bus transit, and bicycle and pedestrian facilities.

**Safe and Mobile Seniors**

[www.safeandmobileseniors.org](http://www.safeandmobileseniors.org)

Offers resources for older adults and their families, health care providers, law enforcement and aging service providers to improve the safety, access and mobility of Florida's aging road users.

**FLORIDA INITIATIVE FOR  
SUICIDE PREVENTION (F.I.S.P.)****954-384-0344**

2645 Executive Park Drive  
Weston, FL 33331

[www.fisponline.org](http://www.fisponline.org)

Some fees

Spanish

M-F: 9:00am - 5:00pm

Provides suicide prevention education, support for survivors of suicide, legislative advocacy and program research. Callers in crisis should call 9-1-1 or go to the nearest emergency room.

**Sun Program (Solutions Unlimited Now)**

Offers teens a group program that addresses life skills, problem-solving, self-confidence and empathy.

**HOPE Clubs (Helping Overcome Problems Effectively)**

Provides curriculum, support and materials for middle schools, high schools or colleges to establish clubs.



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**FOOT PRINT TO SUCCESS  
CLUBHOUSE****954-657-8010**

3511 NW 8 Avenue, #7  
Pompano Beach, FL 33064

[www.footprintsuccess.org](http://www.footprintsuccess.org)

Provides psychosocial programming and pre-vocation skill development that helps adults with severe and persistent mental illness achieve meaningful work and social opportunities.

**FOREST PARK DROP-IN CENTER****954-392-3350**

Correct Care Recovery Solution/South Florida State Hospital  
800 E. Cypress Drive  
Pembroke Pines, FL 33025

No Fee

Consumer-operated support center for adults residing at South Florida State Hospital with a mental illness and/or co-occurring substance abuse disorder.

**FORT LAUDERDALE HOSPITAL****954-463-4321**

1601 E. Las Olas Blvd.  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33301

[www.fortlauderdalehospital.org](http://www.fortlauderdalehospital.org)

Medicare, Insurance, Self-Pay  
24/7

Private psychiatric hospital that provides inpatient treatment, outpatient treatment and aftercare for addiction, co-occurring and psychiatric issues. Offers medically-supervised detoxification from drugs and alcohol. Baker Act and Marchman Act receiving facility.

**Pride Institute****954-453-8679**

[www.prideinstituteoflorida.com](http://www.prideinstituteoflorida.com)

Specialized inpatient mental health and substance abuse treatment for GLBT clients.

**GATEWAY COMMUNITY OUTREACH****954-725-8434**

291 SE 1st Terrace  
Deerfield Beach, FL 33441

[www.gcoflorida.org](http://www.gcoflorida.org)

No Fee

M-F: 8:30am - 4:30pm (main office)

Provides food, clothing, furniture, case management, rent and mortgage assistance to those in need. Also operates satellite sites in Coral Springs, Deerfield Beach, Pompano Beach, Sunrise and Lauderhill on a variable schedule.

**GILDA'S CLUB****954-763-6776**

119 Rose Drive  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33316

[www.gildasclubsouthflorida.org](http://www.gildasclubsouthflorida.org)

No Fee

Provides social connections and support groups, workshops, education and activities for anyone living with cancer, along with families and friends. Offers bereavement services for adults and children.

**Noogieland**

Offers social and emotional support for children and teens living with cancer, or those who have, or have lost, a loved one with cancer.

Provides events and teen groups to meet the special needs of adolescents. School re-entry program assists children, their classmates and teachers following a cancer diagnosis or treatment.





**GOODMAN JEWISH FAMILY SERVICE      954-370-2140**

*(formerly Jewish Family Service)*

100 S. Pine Island Road, #230

Plantation, FL 33324

[www.jfsbroward.org](http://www.jfsbroward.org)

Insurance, Medicare, Sliding Scale

Hebrew

M: 9:00am - 7:00pm; Tu & Th: 9:00am - 9:00pm;

W: 9:00am - 5:00pm; F: 8:00am - 4:00pm

Provides individual, couples, family, group and in-home counseling.

**Family Link Program**

Private pay services for family advocacy and care management.

**Legacy Corps for Veterans and Military Families**

Provides non-medical companionship/respite for veterans and military family caregivers including in-home respite and/or assistance with errands, transportation, recreational activities, etc.

**Holocaust Survivors Assistance Program**

Offers free, confidential assistance and support including reparations and restitution assistance, in-home care counseling, emergency financial assistance, socialization event, dental assistance for survivors of the Holocaust.

**Joshua's Path**

Assists family caregivers or advocates of an adolescent or adult with a developmental, physical or mental health disability to put in place needed supports and arrangements for their loved one's current and future needs, including free planning consultations, educational seminars and a special needs resource fair.

**GROTTOES OF BROWARD**

**954-864-0215**

*(formerly Children with Special Needs Dental Care)*

[www.hfgrotto.org](http://www.hfgrotto.org)

No Fee

Provides free dental treatment, including hospital and anesthesia costs, when needed, for children with cerebral palsy, muscular dystrophy and related neuromuscular disorders, those with mental retardation, and organ transplant recipients.

**GUARDIAN AD LITEM****954-831-6214**

612 S. Andrews Avenue #1000

Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33301

[www.guardianadlitem.org](http://www.guardianadlitem.org)

No Fee

Recruits, trains and supervises volunteers appointed by the court to protect the rights, and advocate in the best interest, of a child involved in a court proceeding, primarily cases of alleged abuse or neglect.

**GULF COAST JEWISH FAMILY  
& COMMUNITY SERVICES****954-630-4181**

201 NE 40th Court

Oakland Park, FL 33334

[www.gcjfc.org](http://www.gcjfc.org)

Insurance, Medicare, Medicaid, Sliding Scale

Spanish, French, Creole

24/7

**ARTS (Adult Residential Treatment and Stabilization)***(formerly EGRTS)*

Provides a home environment for adults 30+ years, with severe and persistent mental illness to stabilize psychiatric symptoms in a 3-4 month length of stay.

**Young Adult Transition Program (YATP)**

Provides youth and young adults 16-24 years, who have serious emotional/behavioral difficulties or serious mental illness, with the support and assistance to make a successful transition to adulthood.

**Alternative Family Program (AFP)****954-809-4758**

Offers supportive community placement for adults with severe and persistent mental illness upon return from a mental health facility.

**Older Adult Support Team (OAST)****954-649-3955**

Provides in-home assessment, crisis intervention counseling, follow-up and case management for older adults, 60+ years, at risk of suicide. Works in coordination with the state Adult Protective Services.



**HALLANDALE BEACH****954-457-1460****HUMAN SERVICES DEPARTMENT**

Austin Hepburn Center

750 NW 8th Avenue

Hallandale Beach, FL 33009

[www.hallandalebeachfl.gov](http://www.hallandalebeachfl.gov)

No Fee

After School Program: \$200 resident / \$250 non-resident annually

Spanish

M-F: 8:00am - 5:30pm

After School Program - M-F: 2:00pm - 5:30pm

Senior Activity Center - M-F: 8:00am - 12:00pm

Provides social services to the residents of Hallandale Beach including case management, job assistance, emergency food, utility payments, rent and mortgage assistance, health services and individual, group and family counseling, parenting, anger management and conflict resolution workshops for youth and adults. Food pantry available to those in need.

**Youth Services**

Provides after-school tutorial enrichment program for youth up to 17 years with transportation for students from Hallandale Elementary and Gulfstream Middle Schools, and spring break and summer camps for youth grades K-8.

**Senior Activity Center**

Provides round-trip transportation, continental breakfast, arts & crafts, computer classes, music, enhanced fitness, educational forums, field trips and lunch to older adults 60+ years. Offers case management and counseling, job assistance, emergency food, rent and utility payment assistance, HIV/AIDS testing and health services.

**HANDS ON BROWARD****954-233-1300***(formerly Volunteer Broward)*

6600 W. Commercial Blvd.

Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33319

[www.handsonbroward.org](http://www.handsonbroward.org)

No Fee

M-F: 8:30am - 5:00pm

Provides hands-on volunteer experience by matching individuals and groups with non-profit agencies with volunteer openings. Volunteer opportunities are available in a wide range of programs for people of all ages.

**H.A.N.D.Y.****954-522-2911****(Helping Abused, Neglected and Dependent Youth)**

501 NE 8th Street

Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33304

[www.handyinc.org](http://www.handyinc.org)

No Fee

Spanish, Creole

Provides assessments, case management and counseling for at-risk youth, birth-23 years, who have been removed from their home due domestic violence, substance abuse, physical and/or sexual abuse or abandonment. Offers tutoring, mentoring, social and recreational activities, emergency assistance for food and clothing, school supplies, housing, lifeskills training, post-secondary education support, internships and job placements. Referral from a social service agency is required.

**HARMONY DEVELOPMENT CENTER****954-766-4483**

12233 SW 55th Street, #801

Cooper City, FL 33330

[www.harmonydevelopmentcenter.org](http://www.harmonydevelopmentcenter.org)

Provides prevention and alternative diversion program for at-risk youth, 11-17 years who commit non-serious delinquent acts, to ensure swift and appropriate progress in their behavior.



**HEALTHY MOTHERS,  
HEALTHY BABIES COALITION**

**954-765-0550**

1100 W. State Road 84  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33315

[www.hmhbroward.org](http://www.hmhbroward.org)  
No Fee  
Spanish Creole

Provides prenatal care, parenting, education and support services to reduce infant death, and temporary assistance for basic needs (food, one-time partial rental assistance and vouchers) to low-income Broward families who meet income eligibility.

**Cribs for Kids**

Provides cribs for and education to families in need of a safe sleeping environment for an infant.

**Fatherhood Mentorship Program**

Provides individual and group education to help men develop the skills needed to become and remain active in their child's lives.

**Forget Me Not**

Provides individual and group bereavement support to families who have experienced the loss of a baby.

**Healthy Families**

Provides education and case management to pregnant or parenting families living in targeted zip codes to prevent abuse and neglect.

**Mahogany Project**

Provides intensive case management including childbirth education, nutrition, breastfeeding and infant care to high-risk mothers in the 33311 zip code.

**Mothers Overcoming Maternal Stress (M.O.M.S) Program**

Provides in-home counseling, parenting education and case management for pregnant women or mothers, with children through the age of 1 year, who are experiencing symptoms of depression and other stressors.

**Teen Collaborative Project**

Provides in-home case management to at-risk teenage girls during their pregnancy and up to their child's second birthday.

**HENDERSON BEHAVIORAL HEALTH 954-486-4005**4740 N. State Road 7, Bldg. C #201 **Crisis: 954-463-0911**Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33319 **TTY: 954-584-4981**

www.hendersonbehavioralhealth.org

Insurance, Sliding Scale, Medicare, Medicaid

Offers crisis intervention, inpatient crisis stabilization, supported employment, housing, youth transitional housing and group homes, homeless outreach and emergency shelter, forensic services, medication management, adult and youth outpatient mental health and co-occurring treatment, adult and youth case management, psychosocial rehabilitation and college/university student counseling.

**Adult Walk-In 954-463-0911****& Mobile Crisis Response Team**

4720 N. State Road 7, Bldg. B

Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33319

**Youth Emergency Services (YES) 954-677-3113**

Provides 24/7 crisis intervention and counseling to individuals experiencing a crisis who have a child 2-17 years (up to 18 years if enrolled in high school).

**Crisis Stabilization Unit (CSU) 954-739-8066**

2677 NW 19th Street

Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33311

Baker Act receiving facility.

**Community Support Services:****PATH Project, Forensic 954-730-7284****& HILL Project**

4720 N. State Road 7, Bldg. B

Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33319

**F.A.C.T. 954-485-8888**

4720 N. State Road 7, Bldg. B

Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33319



**Adult Outpatient & Psychosocial Rehabilitation Services:**
**New Vistas**
**954-731-1000**

2900 W. Prospect Road  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33309

**Central**
**954-791-4300**

330 SW 27th Avenue  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33312

**South**
**954-921-2600**

1957 Jackson Street  
Hollywood, FL 33020

**West**
**954-888-7999**

3501 S. University Drive, #6  
Davie, FL 33328

**Housing Services:**
**954-735-4331**

5700 NW 27th Court  
Lauderhill, FL 33313

**Rainbow Villas**

5800-5810 NW 27th Court  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33312

**954-731-2835**
**The Summit Apartments**

868 SW 10th Street  
Pompano Beach, FL 33060

**954-785-4097**
**Parkside House**

5700 NW 27th Court  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33312

**954-735-1901**
**Chalet Apartments**

746 N. 19th Avenue  
Hollywood, FL 33020

**954-925-3353**
**Student Counseling Services:**
**NSU Students**
**954-424-6911**
**Broward College Students**
**954-424-6916**
**UM-Miller School of Medicine**
**954-424-6868**
**Family Counseling**
**954-735-5100**
**& Outpatient Program**

2900 W. Prospect Road  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33309

Provides office-based and home-based, brief solution-focused, individual, family and group counseling for children, 2-21 years, who are enrolled in school.

**SOAAR****954-735-6624****(System of Adolescent Addiction Recovery)**

2900 W. Prospect Road  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33309

Provides intensive, in-home substance abuse counseling to youth, 9-21 years, and individual family and group counseling.

**First Episode Psychosis Program**

Provides treatment, education, support and guidance when psychosis first appears for persons 16-35 years.

**HISPANIC UNITY OF FLORIDA****954-964-8884**

840 Johnson Street  
Hollywood, FL 33021

[www.hispanicunity.org](http://www.hispanicunity.org)

No Fee

Spanish, Telephone for Hearing Impaired

M-F: 8:00am - 5:00pm

Provides services to ease the cultural transition for newcomers from other nations. Provides education including ESOL classes, employment, economic development, health services, civic engagement and basic legal assistance. Certified application counselors and navigators are available to assist with enrollment in the Affordable Care Act Marketplace insurance.

**Unity 4 Kids**

Provides licensed dual-language preschool that prepares children for academic and social success in kindergarten.

**HOLLYWOOD PARKS, RECREATION  
& CULTURAL ARTS (CITY OF)****954-921-3404**

1405 S. 28th Avenue  
Hollywood, FL 33020

[www.hollywoodfl.org/parks](http://www.hollywoodfl.org/parks)

Some fees apply

Provides services for youth and teens including summer camp and after-school programs in drama, dance, music, aquatics, athletics and sports.



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**HOPE WOMEN'S CENTERS****954-372-7089**

991 SW 71st Avenue  
N. Lauderdale, FL 33068

[www.thereishope.org](http://www.thereishope.org)

No Fee

M-Th: 9:00am - 5:00pm; F: 9:00am - 1:00pm

Provides confidential pregnancy testing, options counseling, limited obstetric ultrasounds, referrals and STI testing.

**Fort Lauderdale Center****954-568-2616**

840 E. Oakland Park Blvd  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33334

M-Th: 9:00am - 5:00pm; F: 9:00am - 1:00pm

**Davie Center****954-452-9459**

2261 S. University Drive  
Davie, FL 33328

M-F: 9:00am - 5:00pm; Sat: 9:00am - 1:00pm

**North Lauderdale Center****954-726-7464**

943 SW 71st Avenue  
N. Lauderdale, FL 33068

M-Th: 9:00am - 5:00pm; F: 9:00am - 1:00pm

**HOPE SOUTH FLORIDA****954-566-2311**

5110 N. Federal Highway #102  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33308

[www.hopesouthflorida.org](http://www.hopesouthflorida.org)

Spanish

M-F: 9:00am - 4:00pm

Faith-based/community-based organization that provides a community drop-in center for families facing housing and economic crisis in their lives.



**HOPE OUTREACH CENTER****954-321-0909**

4700 SW 64th Avenue, #A  
Davie, FL 33314

[www.hopeoutreachfl.org](http://www.hopeoutreachfl.org)  
No Fee  
Spanish

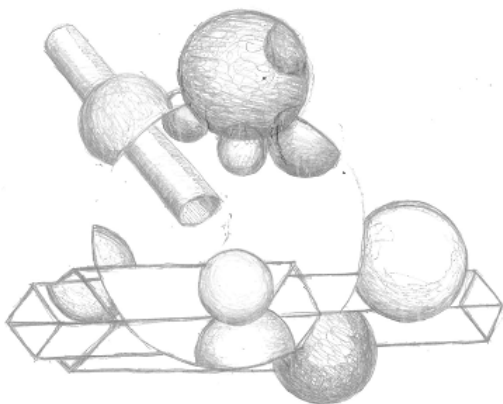
Provides social services to southwest Broward County residents. Offers food and emergency assistance with rent and utilities.

**HOUSE OF HOPE (Men)****954-524-8989****STEPPING STONES (Women)**

Administration & Admission Office  
908 SW 1st Street  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33312

[www.houseofhope.org](http://www.houseofhope.org)

Residential treatment center for individuals with substance use issues or co-occurring disorder, including case management, aftercare and outpatient intervention.



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**HOUSING AUTHORITIES**

**Dept. of Housing & Urban Development**

www.hud.gov

Housing Choice Voucher Program, sometimes referred to as "Section 8", is a partnership between the federal government and local housing authorities. Provides rental assistance in the private rental market to low-income families, the elderly and disabled in the private rental market. Rent subsidies (vouchers) allow families to pay a reasonable share of their income toward rent while the program, within specific limits, makes up the difference.

**Broward County Housing Authority** **954-739-1114**

4780 N. State Road 7  
Lauderdale Lakes, FL 33319

**Dania Beach Housing Authority** **954-920-9662**

715 W. Dania Beach Blvd.  
Dania Beach, FL 33004

**Deerfield Beach Housing Authority** **954-428-0678**

533 S. Dixie Highway #201  
Deerfield Beach, FL 33441

**Fort Lauderdale Housing Authority** **954-525-6444**

437 SW 4th Avenue  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33315

**Hollywood Housing Authority** **954-989-4691**

7300 N. Davie Road Extension  
Hollywood, FL 33024

**TDD: 954-981-8264**

**Pompano Beach Housing Authority** **954-785-7200**

321 W. Atlantic Blvd.  
Pompano Beach, FL 33060



**I'M THUMBODY (2nd Grade)****954-746-2055****THUMBODY, TOO (Kindergarten)**

Mental Health Association of Southeast Florida

7145 W. Oakland Park Blvd.

Lauderhill, FL 33313-1012

[www.mhasefl.org](http://www.mhasefl.org)

Provides group self-esteem programs that introduce mental health, resilience and bully prevention themes. Promotes respect for self and others, responsibility for behavior and knowledge of sources of safe help.



**IMPACT BROWARD**

**954-484-7117**

*(formerly Senior Volunteer Services)*

4701 NW 33rd Avenue

Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33309

www.impactbroward.org

No Fee

Telephone for Hearing Impaired

M-F: 8:30am - 4:30pm

Volunteer service organization provides opportunities for older adults to tutor and mentor children, provide support and companionship to frail elderly and adults with disabilities or mentor veterans. Case managers provide in-home assessments for both clients and volunteers. Also matches volunteers with community agencies.

**Senior Companion Program**

Volunteers provide friendship and companionship to frail elderly and adults with disabilities who are living alone and may be at risk for institutional placement.

**RELIEF for Caregivers**

Volunteers provide in-home respite to relieve caregivers of older adults.

**Foster Grandparents**

Senior volunteers, 55+ years, mentor and tutor youth, 3-11 years, on a one-to-one basis in various settings. Small stipend is available to volunteers who meet low-income eligibility.

**Drop-out Prevention Program**

Uses Foster Grandparent program volunteers to work with youth in danger of academic failure and youth involved with the Department of Juvenile Justice.

**Retired and Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP)**

Matches volunteers, 55+ years, with local organizations to assist in providing services.

**Executive Service Corp**

Senior executives and professionals provide pro bono consulting services to Broward County non-profit organizations.

**Veterans Helping Veterans**

Senior volunteers, 55+ years who are veterans themselves, serve as mentors to returning veterans transitioning back to civilian life.

**Students and Teachers Achieving Reading Success**

Volunteers tutor students, grades 1-3, in Broward County Title I elementary schools.

**JACK AND JILL CHILDREN'S CENTER 954-463-8772**

1315 W. Broward Blvd.  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33312

[www.jackandjillcenter.org](http://www.jackandjillcenter.org)  
Sliding Scale  
M-F: 7:00am- 6:00pm

Provides early childhood education for children 6 weeks - 5 years, and family support services for economically-disadvantaged working families.

**Parent Enrichment Program**

Offers a 10-week parenting course that includes stress management, listening and communication, positive development and basic child development. Court-ordered participants whose children have been removed from the home are not eligible.

**JEWISH ADOPTION &  
FOSTER CARE OPTIONS (JAFCO)****954-749-7230**

4200 N. University Drive  
Sunrise, FL 33351

[www.jafco.org](http://www.jafco.org)  
No Fee  
M-F: 9:00am - 5:00pm  
Emergency Shelter 24/7

Provides services for at-risk children and their families including adoption program, foster care, group homes, case management for family preservation and developmental disabilities program. Emergency shelter for children 0-12 years who have been removed from their homes due to abuse, neglect or abandonment. Independent living program supports youth, 13-21 years, living in the group home to eventually live on their own.

**Senior Caregiver Program**

Offers support to grandparents, 55+ years, who are raising their grandchildren. Assists with daycare, after-school care and camp. Bi-weekly support group.



**JEWISH COMMUNITY CENTERS****David Posnack JCC****954-434-0499**

5850 S. Pine Island Road  
Davie, FL 33328

[www.dpjcc.org](http://www.dpjcc.org)

Provides pre-school, after-school, summer camp and special needs programs for youth, and social and recreational programs for adults including healthy aging.

**Samuel & Helene Soref JCC****954-792-6700**

6501 W. Sunrise Blvd.  
Plantation, FL 33317

[www.sorefjcc.org](http://www.sorefjcc.org)

Provides pre-school, after-school, summer camp and special needs programs for youth, and social and recreational programs for adults and older adults. WE CARE program provides food pantry and medical equipment loan.

**JUBILEE CENTER  
OF SOUTH BROWARD****954-920-0106**

2020 Scott Street  
Hollywood, FL 33020

[www.jubileecenterbroward.org](http://www.jubileecenterbroward.org)

No Fee

Social Services: M-F: 10:30am - 12:30pm

Soup Kitchen: M-F: 11am

Provides emergency services to working and homeless individuals and families in Broward County including food pantry, personal hygiene items and clothing.

**JUNIOR ACHIEVEMENT****954-979-7100**

1130 Coconut Creek Blvd.  
Coconut Creek, FL 33066

[www.jasouthflorida.org](http://www.jasouthflorida.org)

Provides business, economic and life skills programs for youth, grades K-12.

**KIDS IN DISTRESS****954-390-7654**

819 NE 26th Street  
Wilton Manors, FL 33305

[www.kidsindistress.org](http://www.kidsindistress.org)  
Medicaid, Insurance, Sliding Scale  
Spanish, Creole

Provides child and family strengthening services to prevent child abuse, preserve the family and treat children who have been abused or neglected. Emergency shelter offers 24/7 refuge for children birth-15 years who are victims of abuse or neglect. Offers individual and family counseling, adoption and foster care services, supportive housing and family preservation programs. Operates pediatric dental and eye care clinics in collaboration with Nova Southeastern University.

**LARKIN COMMUNITY HOSPITAL  
BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES****954-962-1355**

1201 N. 37th Avenue  
Hollywood, FL 33021

[www.larkinbehavioral.com](http://www.larkinbehavioral.com)  
Medicare, Medicaid, Insurance, Private Pay  
Spanish, French, Creole, American Sign Language  
24/7

Private facility offering inpatient psychiatric services for mental health and co-occurring disorders. Also offers partial hospitalization program (PHP) and intensive outpatient program (IOP).

**LAUDERDALE LAKES PARKS  
& HUMAN SERVICES (CITY OF)****954-535-2785**

4331 NW 36th Street  
Lauderdale Lakes, FL 33319

[www.lauderdalelakes.org](http://www.lauderdalelakes.org)

Offers recreational, educational, fitness, social, athletic and cultural programs for youth and adults. Operates summer camps and after-school programs for youth. Provides social services for seniors, children and families. Operates Alzheimer's Care Center to provide services to persons with memory disorders.



**LAW OFFICE OF THE  
PUBLIC DEFENDER****954-831-8650**

201 SE 6th Street, Room 3872  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33301

[www.browarddefender.org](http://www.browarddefender.org)

Provides legal representation for defendants responding to criminal charges, who otherwise would be unable to afford a lawyer.

**LEGAL AID SERVICES****954-765-8950**

491 N. State Road 7  
Plantation, FL 33317

[www.browardlegalaid.org](http://www.browardlegalaid.org)

No Fee

Spanish, French, Creole

M-F: 9:00am- 5:00pm

Provides free civil legal services to financially eligible clients on issues of children's advocacy, consumers, environmental, homeless, housing, immigration, tax clinic, HIV/AIDS, human rights, and Mission United Veterans project.

**LIFENET 4 FAMILIES****954-792-2328**

*(formerly Cooperative Feeding Program)*

1 NW 33rd Terrace  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33311

[www.lifenet4families.org](http://www.lifenet4families.org)

No Fee

Office Hours - M-F: 9:00am - 4:00pm

Hot Meals - M-Sat: 9:00am - 11:00am, Sun: 11:00am - 12:30pm

Food Pantry - M-F: 9:00am - 2:00pm

Provides necessary food, ancillary services and referrals to individuals and families in poverty. Offers access to on-site shower facilities, haircuts, clothing, job readiness preparation, emergency financial assistance, mailing address usage and mail retrieval services.

**LIGHT OF THE WORLD CLINIC****954-563-9876****(Clinica Luz del Mundo)**

5333 N. Dixie Highway #201

Oakland Park, FL 33334

[www.flafreeclinic.org](http://www.flafreeclinic.org)

Fee for Lab Services only

Spanish

Tu-Th: 9:00am - 5:00pm; F: 9:00am - 3:00pm; Sat: 8:00am - 2:00pm

Provides free medical care to uninsured, low-income or no-income residents of Broward County. Clients must be pre-qualified before an appointment can be given.

**LIGHTHOUSE OF BROWARD COUNTY 954-463-4217**

650 N. Andrews Avenue

Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33311

[www.lhob.org](http://www.lhob.org)

No Fee

Provides instruction in specific skills needed by low vision or blind persons including low vision clinic, retail store for aids and appliances, group and individual counseling, and job readiness. In-home and in-agency programs are available. Offers specialized programs for children with visual impairment.

**Adult Vision Rehabilitation**

Provides independent living skills leading to success in school, college, work, family and community for blind and visually impaired teens, adults and seniors.

**Bright Beginnings**

Provides specialized early intervention services for visually impaired children, birth-5 years. Offers parents and caregivers tools to help their child reach critical developmental stages that are normally achieved through visual interaction with the world. Services are also available in the child's natural environments such as home, daycare or another therapy provider's location.

**Teen LIFE (Learning Independence From Experience)**

Offers year round after-school and weekend transition program for youth 13-21 years and a 6-week intensive summer program for planning post-high school life.

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**LISTEN TO CHILDREN (MHA Listeners) 954-746-2055**

Mental Health Association of Southeast Florida

7145 W. Oakland Park Blvd.

Lauderhill, FL 33313-1012

[www.mhasefl.org](http://www.mhasefl.org)

Offers an elementary school-based mentoring program that pairs children with screened, trained, supervised volunteers who provide weekly support focused on self-esteem, communication and problem-solving skills.

**LUTHERAN SERVICES FLORIDA 954-486-4222**

[www.lsfnet.org](http://www.lsfnet.org)

No Fee

**Broward Family Center****954-486-4222**

4185 N. State Road 7

Lauderdale Lakes, FL 33319

Provides in-home and residential services including crisis intervention, case management, counseling and referral services for youth, 6-17 years, who are at risk of entering the juvenile justice system due to truancy, ungovernability, lock-outs, runaway or homelessness.

**Lippman Youth Shelter****954-568-2801**

221 NW 43rd Court

Oakland Park, FL 33309

Provides residential crisis intervention, counseling, case management and referral services to Broward County at-risk youth, 10-17 years, who are homeless, runaway or experiencing severe family conflicts, truancy, ungovernability or lock-outs and not delinquent or dependent.

**MAKE A WISH FOUNDATION 954-967-9474**

4491 S. State Road 7, #201

Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33314

[www.sfla.wish.org](http://www.sfla.wish.org)

No Fee

Grants wishes to children 2 1/2 -18 years with life threatening medical conditions.

**MC FATTER TECHNICAL CENTER** **754-321-5700**

6500 Nova Drive  
Davie, FL 33314

[www.mcfattertech.com](http://www.mcfattertech.com)

Public post-secondary career and technical education center, operating under the authority of the School Board of Broward County and the Florida Department of Education. Provides curricula for both basic and advanced instruction in the academic and occupational programs.

**MEMORIAL HEALTHCARE SYSTEM** **954-987-2000**

3501 Johnson Street  
Hollywood, FL 33021

[www.mhs.net](http://www.mhs.net)

Medicare, Medicaid, Insurance, Sliding Scale

**HOSPITALS:**

Tax-assisted hospitals with emergency rooms that treat indigent patients.

**Memorial Regional Hospital\*\*** **954-987-2000**

3501 Johnson Street  
Hollywood, FL 33021

**Memorial Regional Hospital South** **954-966-4500**

3600 Washington Street  
Hollywood, FL 33021

**Memorial Hospital West** **954-436-5000**

703 N. Flamingo Road  
Pembroke Pines, FL 33028

**Memorial Hospital Miramar** **954-538-5000**

1901 SW 172 Avenue  
Miramar, FL 33029

**Memorial Hospital Pembroke** **954-962-9650**

7800 Sheridan Street  
Pembroke Pines, FL 33024

**Joe DiMaggio Children's Hospital** **954-265-5324**

1005 Joe DiMaggio Drive  
Hollywood, FL 33021

\*\* Includes behavioral health units

\*\* Baker Act receiving facility

## URGENT CARE

Provides medical services in an urgent care setting.

### **Memorial Pembroke Urgent Care    954-276-6500**

801 S. Douglas Road  
Pembroke Pines, FL 33025

## SOUTH BROWARD COMMUNITY HEALTH SERVICES

Provides primary care medical services.

### **Dania    954-922-7606**

140 S. Federal Highway  
Dania Beach, FL 33004

### **Hallandale    954-276-9700**

1750 E. Hallandale Beach Blvd.  
Hallandale Beach, FL 33009

### **Hollywood    954-985-1551**

4105 Pembroke Road  
Hollywood, FL 33021

### **Miramar    954-276-6600**

6730 Miramar Parkway  
Miramar, FL 33023

### **Pembroke Pines    954-883-8140**

2217 N. University Drive  
Pembroke Pines, FL 33025

### **W. Hollywood    954-967-2500**

6214 Johnson Street  
Hollywood, FL 33021



**ADULT OUTPATIENT BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES****Long Acting Therapy Clinic****954-265-4631**

3501 Johnson Street  
Hollywood, FL 33021

M-F: 7:00am - 7:00pm

Provides medication administration and monitoring of long-acting antipsychotic injections and evidence-based, comprehensive metabolic monitoring for patients on these drug therapies.

**Outpatient Behavioral Health Center 954-276-3422**

3400 N. 29th Avenue  
Hollywood, FL 33020

M-Th: 8:00am - 9:30pm, F-Sun: 8:00am - 5:00pm

Provides outpatient behavioral health services including dialectical behavioral therapy, cognitive behavioral therapy, trauma program, intensive outpatient program (IOP) for mood disorders and co-occurring disorders, and outpatient detoxification program.

**INPATIENT BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SVCS 954-276-3403****PEAC****954-265-6310****(Psychiatric Emergency Assessment Center)**

Licensed Baker Act receiving facility. Provides psychiatric emergency screening for individuals 14+ years experiencing a crisis related to substance abuse and/or mental health issues.

**Child & Adolescent Treatment Services (CATS)**

Provides psychiatric evaluation and stabilization for youth experiencing a mental health and/or substance abuse crisis.

**Mood Disorder Unit / Thought Disorder Unit**

Provides crisis support and intervention and psychiatric stabilization.



**SENIOR FACILITIES:**

**Memorial Manor 954-276-6200**

777 S. Douglas Road  
Pembroke Pines, FL 33025

**Memorial Adult Day Care 954-276-9880**

1750 E. Hallandale Beach Blvd.  
Hallandale Beach, FL 33019

**Memorial Senior Partners East 954-924-2954**

1301 S. Ocean Drive  
Hollywood, FL 33019

**Memorial Senior Partners West 954-967-4458**

6770 Garfield Street  
Hollywood, FL 33024

**Memorial CARES 954-883-7240**

*(formerly Leeza's Care Connection)*

2261 N. University Drive, #103  
Pembroke Pines, FL 33024

Offers individual guidance, information and referral, and a variety of support programs and resources for caregivers impacted by any chronic or progressive illness. Provides a community gathering place for family caregivers to connect with each other.

**Ryan White Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services 954-276-3422**

Provides services to individuals with HIV/AIDS who have been determined eligible for Ryan White funding. Offers psychiatric evaluation and medication management, individual counseling, mental health and substance abuse intensive outpatient programs and ambulatory detoxification.



**MEMORY DISORDER CENTER  
at BROWARD HEALTH NORTH****954-786-7392**

201 E. Sample Road  
Deerfield Beach, FL 33064

[www.browardhealth.org/memory](http://www.browardhealth.org/memory)  
Insurance, Medicare, Medicaid

Outpatient diagnostic facility offering multi-disciplinary approach to determine the cause of a memory disorder. Provides training, education, support groups, counseling and clinical drug trials. Crisis Respite Program offers in-home care on an emergency basis to relieve the caregiver of a person with a memory disorder. Offers comprehensive driving assessment to evaluate visual acuity, visual tracking/scanning ability, physical function and the ability to drive safely that includes in-office assessment and on-road evaluation.





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**MENTAL HEALTH ASSOCIATION  
OF SOUTHEAST FLORIDA (MHA)****954-746-2055***(formerly MHA of Broward County)*

7145 W. Oakland Park Blvd.

Lauderhill, FL 33313-1012

[www.mhasefl.org](http://www.mhasefl.org)

M-F: 9:00am - 5:00pm, Additional hours by appointment

No Fee for most services

Spanish, Creole

Provides information and referral to the public and private community. Offers resources and education for the prevention of mental illness and the promotion of mental health, and advocacy for and empowerment of people with behavioral illness.

**Connections**

Provides a comprehensive guide to social services in Broward County. A copy of *Connections* can be picked up at the MHA office.

You can also download a PDF copy online ([www.mhasefl.org](http://www.mhasefl.org)) or use the mobile website ([www.browardconnections.org](http://www.browardconnections.org))

**Consumer Support**

Offers a range of peer-to-peer social activities, support groups and educational opportunities including groups for anger and stress management, hoarding, anxiety disorders, depression, depression in older adults, OCD (hosted), as well as Recovery workshops and Schizophrenics Anonymous meetings.

**Continuing Education (CEU)**

Offers in-service staff trainings and continuing education (CEU) for behavioral health and other professionals as a State of Florida, Department of Health-Division of Medical Quality Assurance (MQA) provider.

**Cooperative Parenting & Divorce (Co-Parenting)**

Court approved individual and group training, for moderate to high conflict divorced couples and parents living in separate households, to reduce parental conflict and risk factors that influence the child's post-divorce adjustment. Supervised visitations and therapeutic supervised visitations also available on and off site.

**Family Voices**

Trained mentors work with, and advocate for, families of children/youth diagnosed with, or at risk for, behavioral disorders. Offers individual and group support.

**I'm Thumbody (2nd grade)****Thumbody, Too (kindergarten)**

Provides group self-esteem programs that introduce mental health, resilience and bully prevention themes. Promotes respect for self and others, responsibility for behavior and knowledge of sources of safe help.

**Listen to Children (MHA Listeners)**

Offers an elementary school-based mentoring program that pairs children with screened, trained, supervised volunteers who provide weekly support focused on self-esteem, communication and problem-solving skills.

**Live Your Life Well**

A national public education campaign designed to help people better cope with stress and enhance their well-being. Live Your Life Well can be presented as an in-service training or public presentation.

**National Institute of Mental Health (NIMH)****Outreach Partnership Program**

Outreach Partner for the State of Florida in a nationwide initiative of the NIMH with support from the National Institute on Drug Abuse (NIDA) and the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA) to strengthen the public health impact of research by disseminating the latest scientific findings; informing the public about mental disorders, alcoholism, and drug addiction; and reducing the associated stigma and discrimination. Provides in-service training, public presentations and literature through public education.

**9Muses Art Center**

7139 W. Oakland Park Blvd.  
Lauderhill, FL 33313

[www.9musesartcenter.org](http://www.9musesartcenter.org)

M-F: 9:00am - 5:30pm, Sat: 10:00am - 5:00pm

**Member Phone: 954-746-9162**

A community arts organization and fully-functioning art studio where instruction and mentoring are offered. Arts disciplines include painting, drawing, pottery, textiles, 2D & 3D design, sculpting, design, music, drama and creative writing. On-site Frame Shop and Gallery is open to the public.

**Parent Education & Parent Support (PEPS)**

Offers evidence-based parent education classes which meet DCF, ChildNet and Court criteria, and parent skills workshops. Specialty tracks available for parents of infants, children and teens. In-home and hands-on parenting available for ChildNet referred clients. Fee-based parent education and anger management available by request.

**Parenting Enrichment Classes**

Fee-based community workshops are available on parenting subjects including communication, listening, positive discipline and stress management.

**PROSPER (Peers Reaching Out  
Support Partners for Emotional Recovery)**

7139 W. Oakland Park Blvd.  
Lauderhill, FL 33313

This recovery initiative for adults with mental illness pairs consumers to peer partners who assist one another as they pursue life skills, social skills and health agendas that support recovery. Social skills and successful community integration are reinforced.

**Public Policy Initiatives**

Supports and advocates public policy and agendas consistent with the values of access, choice and empowerment.

**Seth Line**

**954-578-5640**

**Peer Support Warm Line**

Provides a "warm line" offering peer support, information and referral, and telephone reassurance to any person seeking a caring and supportive listener. Contact is by phone only.



**MINORITY DEVELOPMENT  
& EMPOWERMENT****954-315-4530**

5225 NW 33rd Avenue  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33309

No Fee

Spanish, French, Creole

Provides human and social services targeted to Caribbean and other minority individuals and families. Services include confidential HIV testing and counseling, case management and mental health counseling, substance abuse prevention education, after-school programs and foster parent recruitment and support. Offers prevention services and education for men who have sex with men. Free tax and financial services to low-income residents, January - April, and by appointment, May - December.

**MONARCH CARE****954-720-2485**

*(formerly CareSource)*

7071 W. Commercial Blvd., #2-D  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33319

[www.monarchcare.org](http://www.monarchcare.org)

Sliding Scale

Spanish

M-F: 9:00am - 5:00pm

Provides legal guardianship, trustee services and case management for children, elderly, persons with mental illness or persons with physical/developmental disabilities who need short-term intervention or lifetime continuous care. Assists individuals who have difficulty with daily needs due to declining physical health and/or cognitive function. Offers money management services for individuals who can no longer manage their personal monetary affairs due to age or disability. Provides support services for persons who serve as legal guardians of family or friends.



**MOUNT BETHEL HUMAN SERVICES**

**954-763-5010**

1021 NW 6th Street  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33311

www.mbhsc.org

No Fee

Spanish

M-F: 8:30am - 5:00pm

Provides services for at-risk families including foster care, family reunification, child care assistance, emergency food pantry, parenting and neighborhood empowerment.

**CINS/FINS**

**(Children in Need of Services/Families in Need of Services)**

Provides services to youth 10-17 years, who are at risk for delinquency.

**New Vision Community Development Corporation**

Offers certified HUD housing counseling to first-time homebuyers.

**Foster Home Management**

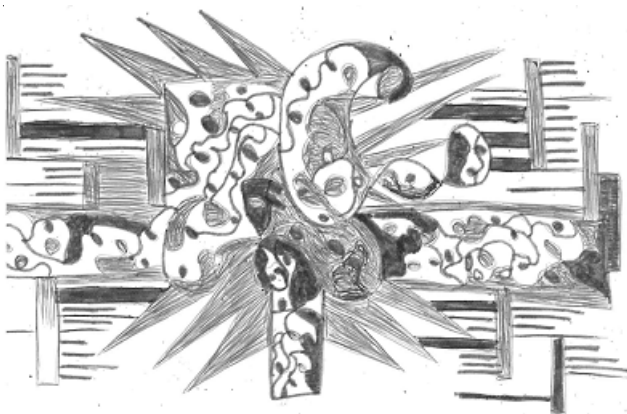
Provides a stable, nurturing environment for children who have been removed from their homes due to abuse, neglect or abandonment.

**Family Resource Center**

**954-768-0920**

1004 NW 1st Street  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33311

Provides neighborhood-based support services including child care assistance to qualified families within the specified boundary of Fort Lauderdale, and a food pantry on Thursdays.



**NANCY J. COTTERMAN CENTER****954-357-5775***(formerly Sexual Assault Treatment Center)***TTY: 954-357-5418**

400 NE 4th Street

Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33301

[www.broward.org/sexualassault](http://www.broward.org/sexualassault)

No Fee

Spanish, French, Creole

**Crisis Intake Unit**

24/7

Provides hotline and immediate crisis counseling to victims of sexual assault and adult survivors of childhood abuse. Also provides forensic medical examinations and interviews, crisis counseling, victim advocacy and information and referral. Forensic interviews conducted upon referral from law enforcement or child protective services.

**Counseling Unit**

M-Th: 8:30am - 8:00pm, F &amp; Sat: 9:00am - 5:00pm

Individual, family and group counseling for child and adult victims of sexual assault and/or sexual abuse and their non-offending family members, and for child victims of physical abuse. Extended forensic interviews are also provided at request of members of law enforcement or child protective services. Offers primary prevention education services.

**Child Protection Teams**

A team consisting of a medical director, team coordinator, psychologist, nurse practitioner, clinical supervisor and mental health professionals serve as consultants to the Broward Sheriff's Office Child Protective Investigation Section to assist in the investigation of child abuse that has been reported to the Florida Abuse Registry.



**NAMI BROWARD**
**954-316-9907**

4161 NW 5th Street  
Plantation, FL 33317

[www.namibroward.org](http://www.namibroward.org)

No Fee

Spanish

M-F: 9:00am - 5:00pm

Provides support, advocacy and educational resources for persons living with serious mental illness and their families. Support groups are available for persons living with mental illness as well as groups for family members and/or caregivers of persons diagnosed with a mental illness.

**NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS**

[www.na.org](http://www.na.org)

No Fee

24/7

Recovering drug addicts meet regularly at various locations to help each other stay clean using a 12-Step model.

**Gold Coast Narcotics Anonymous**
**888-524-1777**

P.O. Box 101346

Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33310

[www.goldcoastna.org](http://www.goldcoastna.org)

**South Broward Narcotics Anonymous**
**954-967-6755**

P.O. Box 816313

Hollywood, FL 33081

[www.southbrowardna.org](http://www.southbrowardna.org)

**NEW DIRECTION INSTITUTE**
**954-748-8444**

1509 N. State Road 7

Margate, FL 33063

[www.newdirectioninstitute.org](http://www.newdirectioninstitute.org)

Medicaid

Spanish, French, Creole

Provides mental health day treatment programs for children, adults and elderly offering counseling, psychiatric evaluations, social rehab skills training and medication management. Meals and transportation are included.

**NORTH SHORE MEDICAL CENTER  
FMC CAMPUS****954-735-6000***(formerly Florida Medical Center)*

5000 W. Oakland Park Blvd.

Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33313

[www.fmc-campus.com](http://www.fmc-campus.com)

Medicare, Medicaid, Insurance

Telephone for Hearing Impaired

Spanish, French, Creole, American Sign Language

Private hospital provides medical/surgical services and also offers inpatient and outpatient behavioral health treatment for adults 18+ years. Provides separate psychiatric emergency room and inpatient acute stabilization. Baker Act receiving facility.

**NOVA SOUTHEASTERN UNIVERSITY****800-541-6682**

3301 College Avenue

Davie, FL 33314

[www.nova.edu](http://www.nova.edu)

Private, not-for-profit academic institution that also offers a range of clinical services and community programs

**Psychology Services Center****954-262-5730**

Maltz Psychology Building

[www.nova.edu/healthcare/psychology](http://www.nova.edu/healthcare/psychology)

Sliding Scale

Provides therapy for mental health issues, family issues, child and adolescent behavior and adjustment difficulties, spousal abuse and other domestic violence, emotional problems associated with aging and psychological problems related to physical disease. Offers biofeedback services, specialized programs for older adults, Brief Therapy Institute for family counseling, intensive psychodynamic psychotherapy and neuropsychology assessment.

**Guided Self-Change Clinic****954-262-5968**

Maltz Psychology Building

[www.nova.edu/gsc](http://www.nova.edu/gsc)

Sliding Scale

Provides an outpatient, motivational cognitive-behavioral program for individuals who are concerned about becoming healthier, losing weight, exercising more, drinking less, stopping drug use, quitting smoking or gambling, reducing internet use, or achieving other goals.



**Samuel L. Ziff Medical Health Center      954-678-2273**

3200 S. University Drive  
Davie, FL 33328

Offers medical services in family medicine, internal medicine, pediatrics and osteopathic manipulative medicine. Specialties include nephrology and hypertension, obstetrics and gynecology, dermatology, optometry and psychiatry. Also provides physical rehabilitation, speech/language and communication services, interdisciplinary fall prevention, hearing and balance center, and Parkinson's Disease management and support services.

**Pharmacy      954-262-4550**

3200 S. University Drive  
Davie, FL 33328

Full-service pharmacy available to the community for prescription dispensing, compounding tailor-made medicines, disease management programs, dosage monitoring for patients with multiple prescriptions, herbal and nutritional counseling and wellness screenings.

**Dental Clinic      954-262-7500**

3200 S. University Drive  
Davie, FL 33328

Offers dental care to adults, children, adolescents and older adults including specialty care (orthodontics, endodontics, periodontics, oral surgery and prosthetics).

**Eye Care Institute - Pediatrics      954-262-4200**

3200 S. University Drive  
Davie, FL 33328

Provides vision care for infants and children. Also offers services at Broward Health Specialty Care and Kids In Distress.

**University of Miami/NSU      954-678-2273**

**Center for Autism & Related Disorders (C.A.R.D.)**

3301 College Avenue  
Davie, FL 33314

Provides services for individuals of any age with autism spectrum disorder, pervasive developmental disorder, childhood disintegrative disorder or Rett's disorder and individuals with a dual sensory impairment or a sensory impairment with other handicapping conditions. Offers support to families and professionals involved with these individuals.

**Adolescent Drug Abuse 954-262-5730****Prevention and Treatment (ADAPT)**

Provides early intervention for adolescents, 10-17 years, who have been arrested for minor offenses, have substance abuse issues or are considered at-risk for developing these problems.

**ADHD Assessment, Consultation 954-262-5730****& Treatment Program (A.A.C.T.)**

Provides assessment, testing and treatment for children and adolescents, 2-22 years, who are demonstrating behavioral problems consistent with a diagnosis of ADHD.

**Brief Therapy Institute 954-262-3032**

Offers short-term therapy for individuals and families that focuses on the client's strengths and resources.

**Child, Adolescent and Family Services 954-262-5730**

Provides individual, group and family therapy and psychological and psycho-educational testing for children, adolescents and their families.

**Child and Adolescent Traumatic 954-262-5730****Stress Program (C.A.T.S.P.)**

Provides specialized psychological services for youth, 3-18 years, who are experiencing post-trauma symptoms.

**Family Violence Program**

Provides family therapy for dealing with issues of anger, violence, communication problems and emotional/behavioral disturbances including anger management for adolescents.

**School Psychology Assessment 954-262-5730****and Consultation Center (S.P.A.C.E.)**

Offers comprehensive psychoeducational evaluations for school related academic, behavioral, developmental and learning problems.

**NSU Audiology Clinic 954-262-7754**

Provides comprehensive assessment and treatment for newborns and children with hearing and balance disorders. Also provides hearing evaluation and treatment for adults including vestibular balance evaluations and treatment for benign paroxysmal positional vertigo and tinnitus.

**NSU Clinic for Speech, Language 954-262-7726****and Communications**

Provides services to youth of all ages for apraxia, articulation, dysarthria, feeding/swallowing difficulties, phonology, pragmatic/semantic language, receptive/expressive language, stuttering/fluency and voice disturbances.

**Community Resolution Services****954-262-4237**

Offers professional mediation and facilitation services, as well as training, workshops and conflict coaching for individuals, families, groups and organizations.

**AHEC Tobacco Program****877-848-6696**

3200 S. University Drive  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33328

[www.ahectobacco.com](http://www.ahectobacco.com)

No Fee

Spanish, Creole, Portuguese

Offers options to help individuals quit tobacco use. May be eligible for free nicotine replacement therapy such as nicotine patches, gums or lozenges.

**OIC OF SOUTH FLORIDA****954-563-3535****(Opportunities Industrialization Centers of Broward County)**

3407 Powerline Road, #100  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33309

[www.oicsfl.org](http://www.oicsfl.org)

No Fee

Provides self-help skills and employment opportunities for disadvantaged and underemployed residents of Broward County. Offers outpatient re-entry services for prison inmates.

**OUR CHILDREN OUR FUTURE****954-929-7517**

2835 Hollywood Blvd. 4th Floor  
Hollywood, FL 33020

[www.ourchildrenourfuturefl.org](http://www.ourchildrenourfuturefl.org)

Provides outpatient mental health and substance abuse services for children, adolescents and their families including psychiatric evaluation, psychological testing and evaluation, medication management, early intervention services, behavior therapy for children with developmental disorders and care coordination services. Offers in-home/school services.

**OUR FATHER'S HOUSE****954-968-7550**

2380 Martin Luther King Blvd.  
Pompano Beach, FL 33066

[www.ofhsoupkitchen.org](http://www.ofhsoupkitchen.org)

No Fee

M-F: Lunch 11:30am - 12:55pm

Serves hot lunch at the facility or a bag lunch to go. Provides a bag of food to needy families once a month and clothing upon request.

**PACE CENTER FOR GIRLS****954-561-6939**

2225 N. Andrews Avenue

Wilton Manors, FL 33311

[www.pacecenter.org/broward](http://www.pacecenter.org/broward)

No Fee

Spanish, French, Creole

**DAY Program (Diversion Alternatives for Youth)**

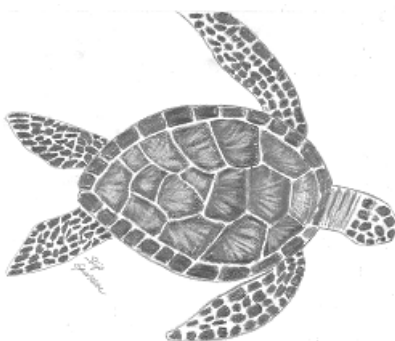
M-F: 8:00am - 4:00pm

Provides gender responsive academics, counseling and life skills education for girls, 12-18 years, at risk for delinquency, academic failure, teen pregnancy and/or substance abuse. Lunch and transportation provided for those who qualify or available for purchase.

**PACE Reach**

M-F: 10:00am - 7:00pm

Provides gender responsive counseling and family management services to girls and their families, and gender responsive diversion services for girls, 10-17 years, who are referred by the State Attorney's Office. Evening and Saturday appointments available.



**PARENT EDUCATION &  
PARENT SUPPORT (PEPS)**

**954-746-2055**

Mental Health Association of Southeast Florida  
7145 W. Oakland Park Blvd.  
Lauderhill, FL 33313-1012

[www.mhasefl.org](http://www.mhasefl.org)  
Some fees may apply  
Spanish, Creole  
Hours by appointment

Offers evidence-based parent education classes which meet DCF, ChildNet and Court criteria, and parent skills workshops. Specialty tracks available for parents of infants, children and teens. In-home and hands-on parenting available for ChildNet referred clients. Fee-based parent education and anger management available by request.



**PARENT ENRICHMENT CLASSES****954-746-2055**

Mental Health Association of Southeast Florida  
7145 W. Oakland Park Blvd.  
Lauderhill, FL 33313-1012

[www.mhasefl.org](http://www.mhasefl.org)

Fees apply

Fee-based community workshops are available on parenting subjects including communication, listening, positive discipline and stress management.

**PARENT'S INFORMATION  
& RESOURCE CENTER****954-785-8285**

817 N. Dixie Highway  
Pompano Beach, FL 33060

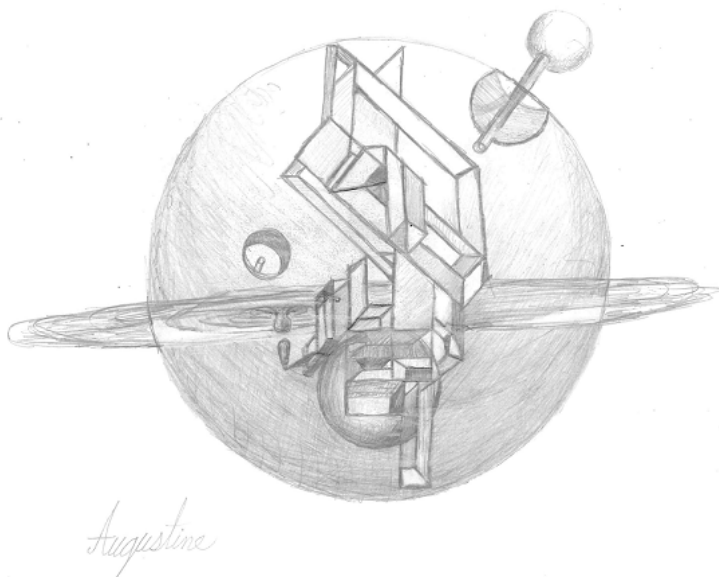
[www.pircinc.org](http://www.pircinc.org)

Medicare, Medicaid, Insurance, Sliding Scale

Spanish, French, Creole

M-F: 9:00am - 6:00pm, Sat: 9:00am - 5:00pm

Provides outpatient individual and family counseling, psychiatric evaluation, medication management, case management, psychological testing, parenting classes and anger management training for parents and children who are at risk of separation or are attempting reunification.



**PEMBROKE PINES (City of)**

**954-435-6500**

10100 Pines Blvd.

Pembroke Pines, FL 33026

[www.ppines.com](http://www.ppines.com)

**Special Populations Programs**

**954-435-3660**

Provides recreational and educational activities for individuals with special needs including Special Olympics training, wheelchair sports and field trips.

**Recreation & Cultural Arts**

**954-392-2130**

Offers leisure and recreation services including camps for spring, summer and winter breaks.

**Community Services**

**954-450-6888**

Provides services for adults including day and evening classes, counseling, support groups and some transportation services.

**Transitional Independent Living**

**954-894-4598**

Provides housing and supportive services youth, 18-22 years, who have aged out of foster care.

**Pines Point**

**954-450-6960**

501 NW 103rd Avenue

Pembroke Pines, FL 33025

Offers affordable, independent living for adults, 50+ years.

**PLANTATION GENERAL HOSPITAL**

**954-587-5010**

401NW 42nd Avenue

Plantation, FL 33317

[www.plantationgeneral.com](http://www.plantationgeneral.com)

Creole

24/7

Private hospital offering medical/surgical services.

**The Center for Behavioral Health**

**954-257-0062**

Provides adult and geriatric acute inpatient, intensive outpatient and partial hospitalization programs for behavioral health and co-occurring issues.

**POVERELLO CENTER****954-561-3663**

1056 N. Dixie Highway  
Wilton Manors, FL 33305

[www.poverello.org](http://www.poverello.org)

Food Pantry - M-F: 9:00am - 3:00pm, Sat: 9:00am - 12:00pm

Provides a food pantry to serve Broward County residents, who are living with HIV/AIDS, with their basic nutritional needs and nutritional counseling. Proper ID and doctor's verification of testing positive needed. Operates a thrift store that supports the food bank; can arrange for pick-up of donated items.

**Poverello Live Well Center****954-563-1229**

2200 NE 12th Avenue  
Wilton Manors, FL 33305

Offers full gym services, support groups and acupuncture, chiropractic and massage treatments.

**PRIDE CENTER****954-463-9005**

2040 N. Dixie Highway  
Wilton Manors, FL 33305

[www.pridecenterflorida.org](http://www.pridecenterflorida.org)

M-F: 10:00am -10:00pm, Sat/Sun: 12:00pm - 5:00pm

Provides a welcoming, safe space for the GLBT community and friends to access services that embrace individuality, diversity and acceptance. Offers support groups, confidential HIV testing and activities.



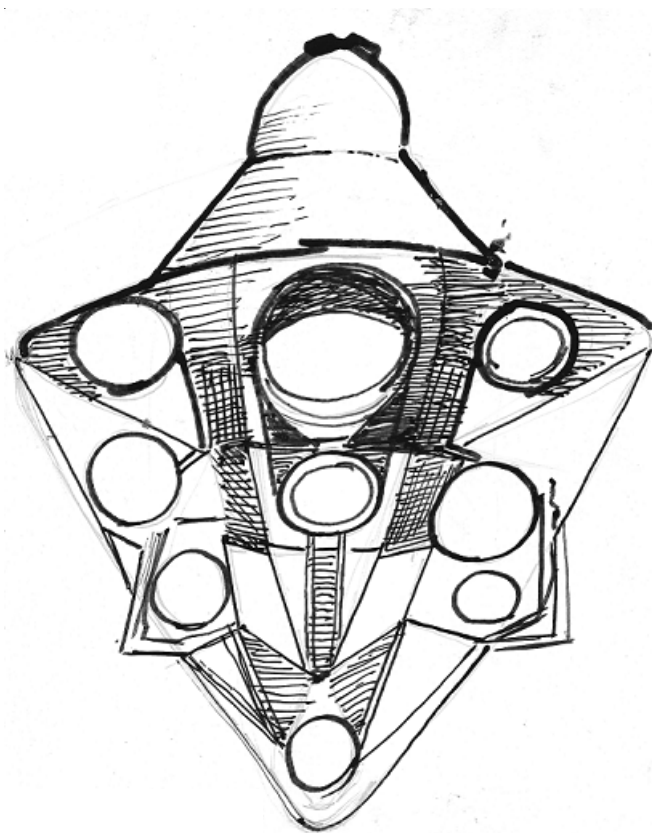


**PROSPER****954-746-2055****Peers Reaching Out: Support Partners  
for Emotional Recovery**

Mental Health Association of Southeast Florida  
7139 W. Oakland Park Blvd.  
Lauderhill, FL 33313-1012

[www.mhasefl.org](http://www.mhasefl.org)

This recovery initiative for adults with mental illness pairs consumers to peer partners who assist one another as they pursue life skills, social skills and health agendas that support recovery. Social skills and successful community integration are reinforced.



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**REBEL'S DROP-IN CENTER****954-276-3452**

Memorial Outpatient Behavioral Health  
3400 N. 29th Avenue  
Hollywood, FL 33020

No Fee

M-F: 3:00pm - 8:00pm; Sat, Sun & Holidays: Noon - 5:00pm

Peer-run drop-in center provides social support, advocacy and peer counseling for adults 18+ years overcoming mental health or substance abuse issues.

**RED HISPANA FLORIDA****954-817-1787**

1350 E. Sunrise Boulevard  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33304

[www.redhispanafl.org](http://www.redhispanafl.org)

No Fee

Provides HIV services including confidential testing, counseling, nutrition, prevention education and support groups. Limited emergency financial relief funds or supermarket gift cards are available.

**RENFREW CENTER OF FLORIDA****954-698-9222**

7700 Renfrew Lane  
Coconut Creek, FL 33073

[www.renfrewcenter.com](http://www.renfrewcenter.com)

24/7

Private facility provides inpatient eating disorders treatment for female adults and adolescents 14+ years. Outpatient services include day treatment and intensive outpatient programs, individual, group and family treatment groups. Offers transitional living (room and meals) for participants in the day treatment program who cannot commute on a daily basis. Observant Jewish program is also available.

**SAINT LAURENCE CHAPEL**

**954-972-2958**

1698 Blount Road  
Pompano Beach, FL 33069

[www.stlaurencechapel.org](http://www.stlaurencechapel.org)  
No Fee

Day shelter for the homeless or nearly homeless that provides hot breakfast and lunch, showers, clothing, case management, group counseling, medical assistance, mailing address and telephone center, storage and voluntary chapel services. Offers bus passes and/or transportation to and from the shelter.



**SALVATION ARMY****954-524-6991**

1445 W. Broward Boulevard  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33312

[www.salvationarmyfortlauderdale.org](http://www.salvationarmyfortlauderdale.org)

Sliding Scale

Spanish, French, Creole

M-F: 8:30am - 5:00pm

Faith-based organization provides social services including food, shelter and clothing to those in need. Also offers disaster relief services, child care centers, AIDS education and residential services, medical facilities, shelters for battered women and children, family counseling, vocational training and substance abuse rehabilitation.

**Adult Rehabilitation Program****954-463-3725**

1801 W. Broward Blvd.  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33312

M-F: 7:30am - 4:00pm

Residential work therapy program for men addicted to drugs and/or alcohol. Offers job training, life skills and the opportunity to earn a GED. Income from the thrift stores supports the Adult Rehabilitation Center.

**SAMARITAN COUNSELING CENTER****954-463-2273**

101 SE 3rd Avenue  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33301

[www.samaritansfl.org](http://www.samaritansfl.org)

Medicare, Insurance, Sliding Scale

Spanish

M-F: By appointment

Provides faith-based counseling at locations for adults, children and adolescents at locations in Ft. Lauderdale, Plantation, Pompano Beach and Southwest Ranches.



**SCHOTT COMMUNITIES**

**954-434-3306**

6591 S. Flamingo Road  
Cooper City, FL 33330

[www.schottcommunities.org](http://www.schottcommunities.org)

Provides services for individuals who are deaf or hard of hearing, blind or visually impaired, or physically or developmentally disabled including counseling and case management, adult day training classes and social opportunities. Operates a group home for developmentally disabled women and apartments for deaf and/or disabled individuals who can live independently.

**SECOND CHANCE SOCIETY**

**954-763-5999**

1835 SE 4th Avenue  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33316

[www.secondchancesociety.org](http://www.secondchancesociety.org)

No Fee

M-F: 8:30am - 5:00pm

Assists homeless and other struggling individuals who are seeking employment to obtain basic tools, uniforms or work clothes, business licenses or certifications. May also assist with payment for vocational training or books. Provides help in securing birth certificate and/or I.D.

**SETH LINE**

**954-578-5640**

**Peer Support Warm Line**

Mental Health Association of Southeast Florida

[www.mhasefl.org](http://www.mhasefl.org)

No Fee

M-F: 6:00pm - 10:00pm

A "warm line" offering peer support, information and referral, and telephone reassurance to any person seeking a caring and supportive listener. Contact is by phone only. Callers in crisis should call 9-1-1 or go to the nearest emergency room.



**SHERIDAN TECHNICAL CENTER****754-321-5400**

5400 Sheridan Street

**754-321-3900**

Hollywood, FL 33021

20251 Stirling Road

Pembroke Pines, FL 33332

[www.sheridantechnical.com](http://www.sheridantechnical.com)

Public post-secondary career and technical education center, operating under the authority of the School Board of Broward County and the Florida Department of Education. Provides academic support programs including GED preparation, English for speakers of other languages (ESOL), and post-secondary workforce development training for individuals beyond compulsory school attendance age.

**SILVER IMPACT CENTER****954-572-0444**

7155 W. Oakland Park Blvd.

Lauderhill, FL 33313

No Fee

Drop-in center for adults 50+ years with mental illness, emotional and/or substance abuse challenges. Provides group discussions and activities. Broward Meals on Wheels site.

**SMITH COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH****954-321-2296**

601 S. State Road 7

Plantation, FL 33317

[www.smithcmh.com](http://www.smithcmh.com)

Medicaid, Insurance, Sliding Scale

M-F: 8:00am - 6:30pm

Provides mental health and substance abuse services to children, adults and families, including psychiatric evaluations and pharmacological management, psychological testing, day treatment programming for children and adolescents, in-home therapy, outpatient counseling, behavioral assessment, therapeutic after-school programming, teen programming and therapeutic respite services.

**SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION**
**800-772-1213**

3201 W. Commercial Blvd. #100

**TTY: 800-325-0778**

Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33309

[www.ssa.gov](http://www.ssa.gov)

No Fee

M, Tu, Th, F: 9:00am - 4:00pm; W: 9:00am - 12:00pm

Automated services: 24/7

**Ticket To Work Program**
**866-968-7842**
[www.ssa.gov/work](http://www.ssa.gov/work)

Voluntary federally-funded employment program that helps people who receive disability benefits return to work or work for the first time while keeping their Medicare or Medicaid. Offers vocational rehabilitation and other support services that assist in achieving employment goals.

**SOS CHILDREN'S VILLAGES**
**954-420-5030**

3681 NW 29th Place

Coconut Creek, FL 33073

[www.sosflorida.com](http://www.sosflorida.com)

No Fee

24/7

Residential community of 12 single-family homes, a community center and a program services building that serves children in foster care and allows brothers and sisters, who are typically separated while in foster care, to reunite and maintain their family connection. Staff members live with youth to provide a combination of family life, friends, school, extracurricular activities, therapy and life skills classes that help youth overcome their traumatic pasts and learn to become independent. Offers an after care program for young adults transitioning out of foster care that helps them find housing, employment, finish their education and raise their own children.



**SOUTH FLORIDA HUNGER COALITION 954-714-6923**

451 N. State Road 7  
Plantation, FL 33317

[www.southfloridahungercoalition.org](http://www.southfloridahungercoalition.org)

Serves as a resource for hunger related initiatives and maintains an updated list of food pantries. See page 141 for a listing of food pantries.

**SOUTH FLORIDA WELLNESS NETWORK 954-533-0585**

2901 W. Cypress Creek Road #105  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33309

[www.sfwn.org](http://www.sfwn.org)

No Fee

Spanish

Provides education to the public, policy makers and service providers about the negative impact and consequences of stigma and the prevalence and multiple pathways to recovery. Offers peer recovery support services including training and advocacy.

**STABLE PLACE 954-790-0270**

5020 SW 73rd Avenue  
Davie, FL 33324

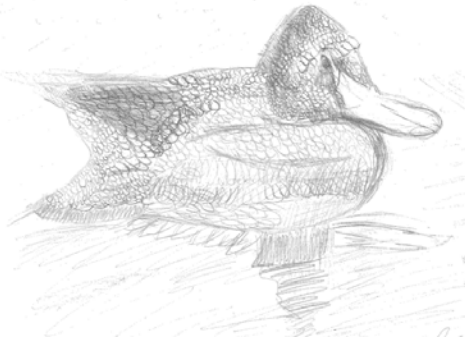
[www.stableplace.org](http://www.stableplace.org)

Sliding Scale

Spanish

M-Sat: 9:00am-7:00pm

Offers equine-assisted therapy to individuals, couples, families and groups.





**STATE ATTORNEY'S OFFICE**

**954-831-6955**

201 SE 6th Street  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33301

[www.sao17.state.fl.us](http://www.sao17.state.fl.us)

**Victim Advocate Unit**

**954-765-4133**

Assists crime victims to understand and navigate the criminal justice system by providing case specific information, resource and referral information (including help with crime victim compensation and restitution), crisis and supportive counseling, safety planning, courtroom orientation and courtroom accompaniment.

**Truancy Intervention Unit**

**954-831-8592**

Provides intervention with the parent or guardian of a truant child to place the youth back in school. Works in partnership with schools to intervene when unexcused absences continue after a school worker has attempted to work with the family. Also monitors truant children who are under the supervision of the Department of Juvenile Justice.

**Domestic Violence Unit**

**954-831-7978**

Assists victims of domestic violence who are attempting to escape from actual or threatened violence through relocation. Participants are provided with an address designated by the Office of the Attorney General as a substitute mailing address in order to prevent their assailant from finding them. Also issues injunctions of protection.

**Misdemeanor Diversion Program**

**954-357-5900**

Diversion program that affords first time offenders an opportunity to immediately accept responsibility for their actions, seek rehabilitation and divert their cases from the criminal court system.

**Broward Senior Intervention and  
Education Program**

**954-831-5785**

Diversion program that handles the special needs of elderly defendants, 60+ years.

**Homicide Unit**

**954-831-7922**

**Public Corruption Unit**

**954-831-7487**

**Economic Crime Unit**

**954-831-7206**

**Elderly Abuse Unit**

**954-831-8525**

**Sex Crime / Child Abuse Unit**

**954-831-6933**

**Career Criminal Unit**

**954-831-7990**

**SUNRISE (CITY OF)****954-741-2580**

10770 W. Oakland Park Blvd.  
Sunrise, FL 33351

[www.sunrisefl.gov](http://www.sunrisefl.gov)

M-F: 9:00am - 5:30pm

**Leisure Services****954-747-4600**

10610 W. Oakland Park Blvd.  
Sunrise, FL 33351

Offers sports, recreational and leisure activities and hosts programs and special events at various facilities.

**Social Services****954-746-3670**

10650 W. Oakland Park Blvd.  
Sunrise, FL 33351

M-F: 8:30am - 4:30pm

Full-time social worker helps eligible Sunrise residents obtain emergency financial assistance, food distribution, loaned durable medical equipment, eyeglass repair, annual flu shots and health and wellness screenings. Offers income tax assistance and bereavement support group.

**Transportation Bus Service****954-746-3677**

Mini buses equipped with handicap lifts and wheelchair stations operate on a regular schedule.

**Medical Transportation****954-746-3676**

Non-emergency transportation to medical appointments is available to eligible Sunrise residents, 62+ years or physically disabled, who no longer maintain a vehicle in their immediate household



**SUNSERVE**

**954-764-5150**

2312 Wilton Drive  
Wilton Manors, FL 33305

[www.sunserve.org](http://www.sunserve.org)

Provides outpatient mental health treatment, education and outreach services that are targeted to especially benefit the GLBT community including programs specifically for youth, adults and older adults. Services include individual, couples, family and group therapy as well as support groups and professional training.

**Transgender Services**

Offers linkage to culturally relevant medical care, mental health services, employment opportunities and information about name change, gender marker change and surgery.

**HOPWA Case Management**

Provides housing resources for people living with AIDS including rent or mortgage assistance, move-in assistance, utilities and case management.

**Noble A. McArtor Senior Day Care Center**

**954-764-5055**

1480 NW 9th Avenue  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33315

Provides daytime or respite care for frail elderly population regardless of their ability to pay. Program is supportive of any sexual orientation or identification.

**SUSAN B. ANTHONY  
RECOVERY CENTER**

**954-733-6068**

1633 Poinciana Drive  
Pembroke Pines, FL 33025

[www.susanbanthonycenter.org](http://www.susanbanthonycenter.org)  
Medicaid, Sliding Scale  
24/7

Provides residential substance abuse and co-occurring treatment for women with children. Women and children live on campus in transitional housing. Integrated services include addiction, trauma, parenting, developmental intervention, educational and vocational goals and peer mentoring/case management. Offers aftercare and outpatient services that include case management and relapse prevention. Also offers child therapy services.

**SWIM CENTRAL****954-357-7946**

3700 NW 11th Place  
Lauderhill, FL 33311

[www.broward.org/parks](http://www.broward.org/parks)

No Fee

Spanish, French, Creole, Telephone for Hearing Impaired

Provides water safety classes through public elementary schools, charter schools, day care centers and summer camps.

**TAKE STOCK IN CHILDREN  
OF BROWARD****954-201-7846**

225 E. Las Olas Blvd. #31-200  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33301

[www.takestockbrowardfl.org](http://www.takestockbrowardfl.org)

No Fee

Spanish

Provides mentors and college scholarships to low-income, at-risk youth.

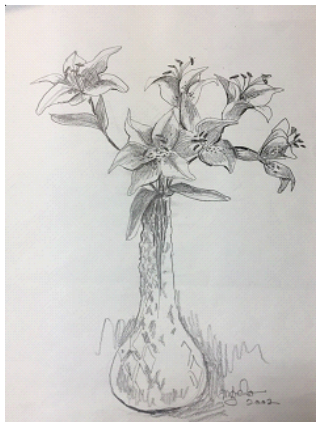
**TAMARAC (CITY OF)  
SOCIAL SERVICES****954-597-3642**

8601 W. Commercial Blvd.  
Tamarac, FL 33351

[www.tamarac.org](http://www.tamarac.org)

No Fee

Provides a positive adjustment support group facilitated by a licensed professional, and depression and bipolar peer support groups, and caregiver support group.



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**THE PANTRY OF BROWARD****954-358-1481**

610 NW 3rd Avenue  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33311

[www.thepantryofbroward.org](http://www.thepantryofbroward.org)

No Fee

M-F: 8:00am - 4:00pm

Provides assistance including monthly nutritional food boxes to clients and classes on menu planning and economical food shopping to low-income older adults and grandparents raising their grandchildren. Also helps clients with annual back to school supplies and holiday gifts for their grandchildren.

**THE STARTING PLACE****954-327-4060**

1061 W. Oakland Park Blvd. 2nd Floor  
Oakland Park, FL 33311

[www.startingplace.org](http://www.startingplace.org)

Medicaid, Insurance, Sliding Scale

Spanish, Creole

M-Th: 8:00am - 7:00pm, F: 8:00am - 4:30pm

Provides prevention, intervention and treatment services for children, teens and adults facing substance abuse and/or mental illness.

**TOMORROW'S RAINBOW****954-978-2390**

4341 NW 39th Avenue  
Coconut Creek, FL 33073

[www.tomorrowsrainbow.org](http://www.tomorrowsrainbow.org)

No Fee

Provides grief support for children, and their families, who have experienced the death of a loved one. Uses miniature horses as supportive tools for healing.

**TOTAL INTERVENTION  
EARLY SERVICES (T.I.E.S.)****954-234-2724**

4699 N. State Road 7, #Z  
Tamarac, FL 33319

Medicare, Medicaid, Insurance

Provides case management services including behavioral health management, substance abuse treatment and after care in an outpatient, group setting.

**TRUSTBRIDGE HEALTH****954-267-3800**

550 Cypress Creek Road, #550  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33309

[www.trustbridge.com](http://www.trustbridge.com)

Medicare, Medicaid, Insurance, Sliding Scale

Spanish, Creole

24/7

Offers support for families facing any stage of illness, including home health care, hospice care and caregiver support. Provides care for qualified patients regardless of ability to pay in-home or at hospice sites.

**UNITED CEREBRAL PALSY****954-584-3151**

3117 SW 13th Court  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33312

[www.ucpsouthflorida.org](http://www.ucpsouthflorida.org)

Provides support and services for people with cerebral palsy and other developmental disabilities, and their families. Offers group residential homes, early intervention programs, after-school care, in-home respite and educational programs.

**UNITED WAY OF BROWARD COUNTY    954-760-7007**  
**COMMISSION ON SUBSTANCE ABUSE**

1300 S. Andrews Avenue  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33316

[www.drugfreebroward.org](http://www.drugfreebroward.org)

No Fee

Coordinates community efforts in the area of substance use/abuse services. Provides education, training and collaboration to foster, develop and enhance drug-free efforts throughout Broward County.

**UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL**

**954-721-2200**

7201 N. University Drive  
Tamarac, FL 33321

[www.uhmchealth.com](http://www.uhmchealth.com)

Private hospital offering medical/surgical services.

**University Pavilion**

**954-722-9933**

Provides inpatient, intensive outpatient and partial hospitalization programs for mental health and substance abuse issues in a free-standing psychiatric hospital on the grounds of the medical center. Offers outpatient detoxification for medically stable patients. Baker Act receiving facility.

**URBAN LEAGUE**

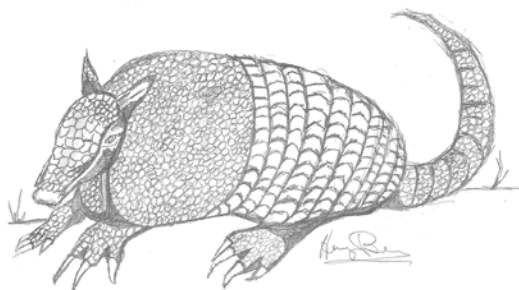
**954-584-0777**

560 NW 27th Avenue  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33311

[www.ulbroward.org](http://www.ulbroward.org)

No Fee

Provides programs to reduce risk factors associated with substance abuse, teen pregnancy, delinquency, and school failure and deter at-risk youth from engaging in criminal behavior. Services include tutoring, homework assistance, employability skills training, physical fitness, life skills, cultural and leadership activities, college prep workshops, anger management and behavior modification. Provides education, job training, job placement and support to young adults, 16-21 years, who have not completed high school and/or were juvenile offenders. Offers comprehensive housing counseling for first time homebuyers and individuals facing foreclosure and a 2:1 match savings program for low-income individuals/families to purchase their first home, continue post-secondary education or establish a small business.



**VET CENTER****954-356-7926**

3666 W.Oakland Park Blvd.  
Lauderdale Lakes, FL 33311

[www.vetcenter.va.gov](http://www.vetcenter.va.gov)

No Fee

M-Th: 8:00am - 8:30pm, Fri & Sat: 8:30am - 4:30pm

Offers a broad spectrum of readjustment counseling services to combat veterans and their families, including benefit claims referral, community education, substance abuse assessment, and employment counseling and referral. Provides military sexual trauma counseling for veterans (need not have served in combat) and bereavement counseling for families of service members who die on active duty.

**Pompano Beach Vet Center****954-984-1669**

2300 W. Sample Road, #102  
Pompano Beach, FL 33073

**VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION****800-451-4327**

7771 W. Oakland Park Blvd., #201  
Sunrise, FL 33351

**954-747-7900**

7550 Davie Road Extension  
Hollywood, FL 33024

**954-893-5093**

1400 W. Commercial Blvd., #115  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33309

**954-202-3800**

[www.rehabworks.org](http://www.rehabworks.org)

No Fee

Assists individuals with physical, mental or emotional disability to achieve employment goals. Provides medical/psychological evaluations, counseling, interpreter services, adjustment services and employment assistance.





**VOLUNTEERS OF AMERICA FLORIDA 954-735-5068**

Broward Office  
2713 N. Andrews Avenue  
Wilton Manors, FL 33311

[www.voaflorida.org](http://www.voaflorida.org)  
No Fee

Provides supportive housing to adults, families and veterans experiencing homelessness, individuals with mental illness and/or substance abuse, and persons with limited financial resources. Offers assistance with behavioral health care, supportive housing, education, training and employment.

**WILLIAM "BILL" KLING 954-475-5500**  
**OUTPATIENT CLINIC**

*(formerly Veterans Outpatient Clinic)*  
9800 W. Commercial Blvd.  
Sunrise, FL 33351

[www.va.gov](http://www.va.gov)

Provides primary, specialized, and diagnostic health care and clinical services including audiology, cardiology, dental, dermatology, diagnostic X-ray, nutrition counseling, gastroenterology, general surgery, immunology, internal medicine, orthopedics, kinesiotherapy, laboratory services, neurology, occupational therapy, oncology, ophthalmology, optometry, pharmacy services, physical therapy, podiatry, prosthetics, psychiatry, psychology, social work services, urology, visual impairment services, women's services and urgent care.

**Community Based Outpatient Clinics (CBOC)**

TriCare	888-363-2273
Deerfield Beach	954-570-5572
Hollywood	954-986-1811
Pembroke Pines	954-894-1668



**WOMEN IN DISTRESS****954-760-9800**

PO Box 50187

**Hotline: 954-761-1133**

Lighthouse Point, FL 33074

[www.womenindistress.org](http://www.womenindistress.org)

No Fee

Telephone for Hearing Impaired

Spanish, Creole, Language Line assistance available

M-Th: 9:00am - 9:00pm; F: 9:00am - 5:00pm;

Shelter: 24/7

Operates a 24-hour domestic violence crisis line and emergency shelter.

Provides counseling for men, women and children including support groups and individual advocacy services.

**YMCA OF SOUTH FLORIDA****954-334-9622**

900 SE 3rd Avenue

Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33311

[www.ymcabroward.org](http://www.ymcabroward.org)

Provides programming and service coordination that fosters physical, social and academic development and family strengthening including after school programs.



# **YOUTH CO-OP**

## **Hollywood Office**

**954-327-0533**

5090 Coconut Creek Parkway  
Margate, FL 33063

## **Margate Office**

**954-971-1163**

5090 Coconut Creek Parkway  
Margate, FL 33063

[www.ycoop.org](http://www.ycoop.org)

No Fee

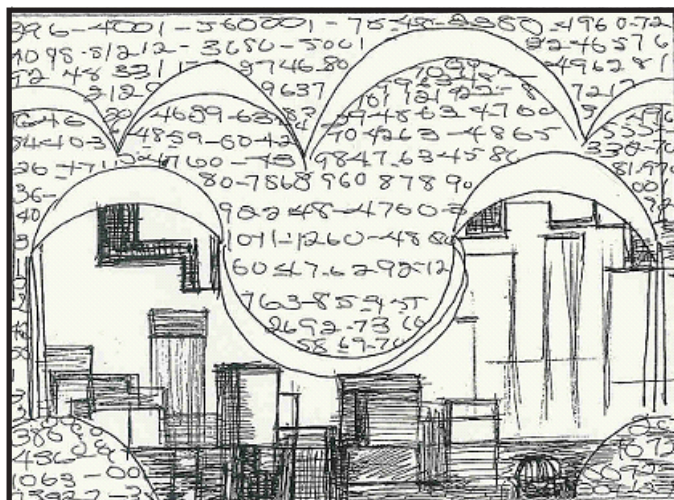
Spanish, French, Creole

M-F: 8:00am - 6:00pm

Assists refugees, asylees and public interest parolees to ease transition to their new country. Serves youth as well as adults, families and recent immigrants who may be unemployed or underemployed, economically disadvantaged, or face barriers to employment.

## **Refugee Youth & Family Program**

Facilitates acculturation, the development of social skills and the improvement of grades for at-risk youth, 5-18 years, through career planning, vocational orientation, ESOL, tutoring, homework assistance, and cultural and recreational activities. Provides individual and family counseling, and offers summer camp and spring break programs.





## FOOD PANTRIES

South Florida Hunger Coalition maintains an updated list of food pantries and can assist in identifying what is currently available.

Some food pantries may also provide clothing.

Food and clothing may also be available at local churches.

**All phone numbers are 954 area code**

AHM Church	744 NW 12th Avenue	Ft. Lauderdale 33311	763-9945
All Saints Catholic Church	10900 W. Oakland Pk	Sunrise 33351	742-2666
All Saints Catholic Mission	3460 Powerline Road	Oakland Park 33309	396-3086
Atlantic Baptist Church	4850 W. Atlantic Blvd	Margate 33063	974-8900
Baptiste Church	1039 NE 3rd Avenue	Ft. Lauderdale 33304	763-7282
Big Mama	2136 NW 8th Street	Ft. Lauderdale 33311	584-1400
Bethel Baptist	6060 Kimberly Blvd	N. Lauderdale 33068	972-3321
Blessings Food Pantry	210 NE 3rd Street	Pompano Beach 33060	943-0404
Bread of Life Food Pantry	20911 Johnson Street	Pembroke Pines 33029	435-7474
Broward Outreach Centers	2056 Scott Street	Hollywood 33023	620-4025
Broward Outreach Centers	1700 Blount Road	Pompano Beach 33069	979-6365
Catholic Charities	1503 NE 26th Street	Wilton Manors 33305	332-6640
Christ Church	4845 NE 25 Avenue	Ft. Lauderdale 33308	771-7300
Christ Church	210 NE 3rd Street	Pompano Beach 33060	943-0404
Christian Community Church	2052 NW 49th Avenue	Lauderhill 33313	484-7739
Christian Love Fellowship	801 SE 10th Street	Deerfield Beach 33441	428-8980
City of Hallandale Bch/Hepburn	750 NW 8th Avenue	Hallandale Beach 33009	457-1460
City of Miramar - Senior Center	6700 Miramar Parkway	Miramar 33023	889-1700
Client Choice Food Pantry	5648 Wiley Street	Hollywood 33021	987-0625
Cokesbury United Methodist	1801 NW 65th Avenue	Margate 33063	972-3424
Crossroad Food Bank	621 NW 6th Avenue	Ft. Lauderdale 33311	627-6900
Deeper Life Church	1527 Argyle Drive	Ft. Lauderdale 33312	462-5364
Enrichment Center	3590 NW 54th Street	Ft. Lauderdale 33314	484-8180
Faith and Life Fellowship	121 S. 24th Avenue	Hollywood 33020	922-5422
Feeding South Florida	2501 SW 32nd Terrace	Pembroke Park 33023	518-1818
First Baptist Church Pompano	138 NE 1st Street	Pompano Beach 33060	745-6100
First Baptist Church Sunrise	6401 Sunset Strip	Sunrise 22217	742-6404
First Christian Church	2725 NE 14th Avenue	Wilton Manors 33334	564-2019
First Congregational Church	2501 NE 30th Street	Ft. Lauderdale 33306	563-4271
Ft. Laud. 7th Day Adventist	850 W Davie Blvd	Ft. Lauderdale 33315	523-8334
Full Gospel Church	2201 NE 19th Street	Ft. Lauderdale 33305	537-2067
Gateway Community Outreach	291 SE 1st Terrace	Deerfield Beach 33441	725-8434
Gulf Stream Baptist Assn	20 NW 46th Avenue	Plantation 33317	583-0339
Haitian Evangelical Baptist	153 NW 12th Street	Pompano Beach 33069	479-7113
Hallandale Food Pantry	220 SW 6th Avenue	Hallandale 33009	455-0615
Hollywood Community Church	1708 N. 60th Avenue	Hollywood 33021	322-4302
Hollywood Hills United Methodist	400 N. 35th Avenue	Hollywood 33021	962-7181
Hope Outreach Center	4700 SW 64th Avenue	Davie 33314	321-0909
Hopewell Missionary	890 NW 15th Street	Pompano Beach 33069	782-5778
Iglesia Bautista de Pompano	101 SW 17th Street	Pompano Beach 33060	785-3164
Immanuel Baptist Church	1037 NE 3rd Avenue	Oakland Park 33304	763-7282
Intercession Food Pantry	501 NW 17th Street	Ft. Lauderdale 33311	881-1802
Jack & Jill Children's Center	1315 W Broward Blvd	Ft. Lauderdale 33312	463-8772
Jubilee Center	2020 Scott Street	Hollywood 33020	920-0106
Jubilee Praise Ministry	4505 NW 103rd Avenue	Sunrise 33351	667-6011



Kingdom Life Community Svcs	3737 SW 56th Avenue	Pembroke Park 33023	937-4402
Liberia Economic/Social Dev.	3220 N 24th Avenue	Hollywood 33022	924-3635
Liberia Economic/Social Dev.	2334 Greene Street	Hollywood 33022	924-3635
LifeNet4Families	1 NW 33rd Terrace	Ft. Lauderdale 33311	792-2328
Lighthouse Community Church	806 NW 1st Street	Dania Beach 33004	923-8660
Manna Share A Meal	2071 SW 70th Avenue	Davie 33317	475-0508
Metropolitan Baptist Church	7200 Davie Rd Ext.	Hollywood 33024	963-0634
Mount Bethel Human Services	1001 NW 1st Street	Ft. Lauderdale 33311	763-5010
Mount Bethel Human Services	547 NW 9th Avenue	Ft. Lauderdale 33311	763-5010
NE Focal Point	227 NW 2nd Street	Deerfield Beach 33441	480-4449
New Hope Missionary Baptist	2305 Sheridan Street	Hollywood 33320	920-6368
New Inspirational Fellowship	249 SW 7th Court	Deerfield Beach 33441	873-6401
Omega Church International	1300 NE 38th Street	Oakland Park 33334	773-8377
Parkway United Methodist	100 NE 44th Street	Pompano Beach 33064	942-8310
Pembroke Park Church of Christ	3707 SW 56 Avenue	Pembroke Park 33023	962-9327
Pembroke Road Baptist Church	7130 Pembroke Road	Miramar 33023	987-7050
Pentecostal Gospel Temple	900 State Road 7	Margate 33068	979-9999
Poverello Center	2056 N Dixie Highway	Wilton Manors 33305	561-3663
Salvation Army	1445 W Broward Blvd	Ft. Lauderdale 33312	712-2435
San Isidro Catholic Church	2310 MLK Blvd	Pompano 33069	971-8780
SE Focal Point	3081 Taft Street #2	Hollywood 33021	966-9805
Sheridan Hills Baptist Church	3751 Sheridan Street	Hollywood 33020	961-4250
Soref JCC WE CARE Food Bank	6501 W Sunrise Blvd	Plantation 33313	792-6700
St Ambrose Catholic Church	380 S Federal Highway	Deerfield Beach 33441	427-2225
St Laurence Chapel	1698 Blount Road	Pompano Beach 33069	972-2958
St Vincent dePaul/St. Elizabeth	3331 NE 10th Terrace	Pompano Beach 33064	942-1850
St Vincent dePaul/Blessed	1701 E Oakland Park	Oakland Park 33334	564-1010
Temple Beth Orr	2151 Riverside Drive	Coral Springs 33071	753-3232
The Pantry of Broward	610 NW 3rd Avenue	Ft. Lauderdale 33311	358-1481
Trinity Broadcasting	3324 Pembroke Road	Pembroke Park 33021	962-1700
Trinity United Methodist Church	3901 NE 22 Street	Lighthouse Point 33064	941-8033





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**HOSPITALS**

Hospital with behavioral health services are marked with an asterisk (\*).  
Baker Act receiving facilities are marked with a plus (+).

Atlantic Shores Hospital .....	954-771-2711 *+
Broward Health Medical Center .....	954-355-4400 *+
Broward Health Coral Springs .....	954-344-3000
Broward Health Imperial Point .....	954-776-8500 *+
Broward Health North .....	954-941-8300
Cleveland Clinic Hospital .....	954-689-5000
Fort Lauderdale Hospital .....	954-463-4321 *+
HealthSouth Sunrise Rehabilitation Hospital .....	954-749-0300
Holy Cross Hospital .....	954-771-8000
Joe DiMaggio Children's Hospital .....	954-987-2000
Kindred Hospital-Ft. Lauderdale .....	954-764-8900
Kindred Hospital-Hollywood .....	954-920-9000
Larkin Hospital Behavioral Health .....	954-962-1355 *
Memorial Hospital Miramar .....	954-538-5000
Memorial Hospital Pembroke .....	954-962-9650
Memorial Hospital West .....	954-436-5000
Memorial Regional Hospital .....	954-987-2000 *+
Memorial Regional Hospital South .....	954-966-4500
North Shore Hospital, FMC Campus .....	866-498-5433 *+
Northwest Medical Center .....	954-974-0400
Plantation General Hospital .....	954-587-5010*+
South Florida State Hospital .....	954-392-3000 *
St. Anthony's Rehabilitation Hospital .....	954-739-6233
University Hospital & Medical Center .....	954-721-2200
University Pavilion Hospital .....	954-722-9933 *+
Westside Regional Medical Center .....	954-473-6600

## MUNICIPALITIES

Many cities provide social services to assist their residents. Those marked with an asterisk (\*) have services included in the agency and program listings provided alphabetically starting on page 21.

Broward County .....	954-831-4000 *
Coconut Creek .....	954-973-6770
Cooper City .....	954-434-4300
Coral Springs .....	954-344-1001
Dania Beach .....	954-924-3600
Davie .....	954-797-1000
Deerfield Beach .....	954-480-4200 *
Fort Lauderdale .....	954-828-5000
Hallandale .....	954-458-3251 *
Hillsboro Beach .....	954-427-4011
Hollywood .....	954-921-3474
Lauderhill .....	954-730-3000
Lauderdale-By-The-Sea .....	954-776-0576
Lauderdale Lakes .....	954-535-2700 *
Lazy Lake .....	954-614-9058
Lighthouse Point .....	954-943-6500
Margate .....	954-972-6454
Miramar .....	954-602-3011
North Lauderdale .....	954-722-0900
Oakland Park .....	954-630-4200
Parkland .....	954-753-5040
Pembroke Park .....	954-966-4600
Pembroke Pines .....	954-431-4500 *
Plantation .....	954-797-2200
Pompano Beach .....	954-786-4600
Sea Ranch Lakes .....	954-943-8862
Southwest Ranches .....	954-434-0008
Sunrise .....	954-741-2580 *
Tamarac .....	954-597-3500 *
West Park .....	954-989-2688
Weston .....	954-385-2000
Wilton Manors .....	954-390-2100



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**SENIOR CENTERS**

Senior Centers may provide information and referrals, recreation, shopping, transportation, counseling, health support services, Alzheimer's care, telephone reassurance, education, hot meals, help with utility bills, etc. Depending on the location, services available to anyone 60+ years.

**Northeast Focal Point Senior Center      954-480-4449**

227 NW 2nd Street  
Deerfield Beach, FL 33441

**Northwest Focal Point Senior Center      954-973-0300**

6009 NW 10th Street  
Margate, FL 33063

**Southeast Focal Point Senior Center      954-966-9805**

(Joseph Meyerhoff Senior Center)  
3081 Taft Street  
Hollywood, FL 33021

**Southwest Focal Point Senior Center      954-450-6888**

301 NW 103rd Avenue  
Pembroke Pines, FL 33026

**Beach Community Center      954-828-4610**

3351 NE 33rd Avenue  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33308

**Daniel D. Cantor Senior Center      954-742-2299**

5000 Nob Hill Road  
Sunrise, FL 33351

**David Posnak J.C.C.      954-434-0499**

5850 Pine Island Road  
Davie, FL 33328

**Fred Lippman Multipurpose Center      954-921-3408**

2030 Polk Street  
Hollywood, FL 33020

**Hallandale Senior Center      954-457-1460**

(Austin Hepburn Center)  
750 NW 8th Avenue  
Hallandale, FL 33009

**Holiday Park Social Senior Center      954-828-5383**

1150 G. Harold Martin Drive  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33304



<b>Lauderdale Lakes Senior Center</b> 4340 NW 36th Street Lauderdale Lakes, FL 33313	<b>954-535-2810</b>
<b>Lauderhill Senior Center</b> 1176 NW 42nd Way Lauderhill, FL 33313	<b>954-321-2450</b>
<b>Miramar Senior Center</b> 6700 Miramar Parkway Miramar, FL 33025	<b>954-889-2700</b>
<b>Noble A. McArtor Adult Day Care</b> 1480 SW 9th Avenue Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33315	<b>954-764-5055</b>
<b>Oakland Park Senior Center</b> 250 NE 33rd Street Oakland Park, FL 33334	<b>954-630-4494</b>
<b>Poitier Williams Senior Center</b> 2185 NW 19th Street Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33311	<b>954-714-3500</b>
<b>Sadkin Senior Center</b> 1176 NW 42nd Way Lauderhill, FL 33313	<b>954-321-2450</b>
<b>Samuel &amp; Helene Soref JCC</b> 6501 W. Sunrise Blvd. Plantation, FL 33313	<b>954-792-6700</b>
<b>Sartory Senior Center</b> 10150 NW 29th Street Coral Springs, FL 33065	<b>954-345-2209</b>
<b>Sunrise Senior Center</b> 10650 W. Oakland Park Blvd. Sunrise, FL 33351	<b>954-746-3670</b>
<b>Sunset Lakes Senior Center</b> 301 NW 103rd Avenue Pembroke Pines, FL 33026	<b>954-602-3347</b>
<b>Tamarac Senior Center</b> 8601 W. Commercial Blvd. Tamarac, FL 33321	<b>954-3597-3623</b>

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## SUPPORT GROUPS

### ANGER/STRESSMANAGEMENT

Mental Health Association 7145 W. Oakland Park Boulevard Lauderhill, FL 33313-1012 Thursdays: 4:30pm - 5:30pm	954-746-2055
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### ANONYMOUS GROUPS

Alcoholics Anonymous Help Line	954-462-0265
Gamblers Anonymous	855-222-5542
Narcotics Anonymous	954-967-6755

### ANXIETY/PANIC DISORDER

9Muses Art Center	954-746-2055
Rebel's Drop In Center	954-965-6408

### ATTENTION DEFICIT HYPERACTIVITY DISORDER (ADHD)

CHADD (Children & Adults with ADHD)	
North Broward (Coral Springs)	954-753-3518
South Broward (Cooper City)	954-680-0799

### CANCER

Gilda's Club South Florida	954-763-6776
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### CO-DEPENDENCY

Co-Dependents Anonymous (C.O.D.A.) www.coda.org	888-444-2359
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**DEPRESSION**

Mental Health Association 954-746-2055  
 7145 W. Oakland Park Boulevard  
 Lauderhill, FL 33313-1012  
 Mondays: 10:30am - 12:00Noon

Memorial Hospital Pembroke 954-963-8030  
 Memorial Senior Partners  
 7031 Taft Street  
 Hollywood, FL 33024  
 Mondays & Thursdays: 1:00pm - 2:00pm  
 for Adults 50+ years

Rebel's Drop-In Center 954-965-6408  
 3400 N. 29th Avenue  
 Hollywood, FL 33024  
 Thursdays: 6:00pm

University Pavilion 954-722-9933  
 7425 N. University Drive  
 Tamarac, FL 33321  
 Tuesday: 6:45pm - 8:15pm

**DEPRESSION/MANIC-DEPRESSION (BIPOLAR)**

For those who have either illness and/or their families, friends and support persons.

Atlantic Shores Hospital 954-771-2711  
 4545 N. Federal Highway  
 Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33308  
 Mondays: 7:30pm - 9:00pm

Mental Health Association 954-746-2055  
 7145 W. Oakland Park Boulevard  
 Lauderhill, FL 33313-1012  
 Tuesdays : 6:00pm - 8:00pm

Rebel's Drop-In Center 954-965-6408  
 3400 N. 29th Avenue  
 Hollywood, FL 33021  
 Mondays: 7:00pm - 8:00pm

South Florida DBSA 954-812-7110

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**EATING DISORDERS**

Alliance for Eating Disorders Awareness 561-841-0900  
120 S. University Drive, #A  
Plantation, FL 33324  
2nd & 4th Tuesdays: 6:00pm - 7:00pm

**GRIEF & BEREAVEMENT**

Compassionate Friends 954-370-3446  
Deicke Auditorium  
5701 Cypress Road  
Plantation, FL 33317  
2nd Wednesdays: 7:15pm

Goodman Jewish Family Services 954-370-2140  
100 S. Pine Island Road #216  
Plantation, FL 33324  
Tuesdays: 2:30pm - 4:00pm

TrustBridge Health 954-267-3875  
Hospice of Broward County  
550 W. Cypress Creek Road  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33309  
Mondays: 6:00pm

**HOARDING**

9Muses Art Center 954-746-2055  
7139 W. Oakland Park Blvd.  
Lauderhill, FL 33313  
Thursdays: 12:00pm - 1:00pm



**NATIONAL ALLIANCE ON  
MENTAL ILLNESS (NAMI)**

954-316-9907

Connections Support Group  
(for persons living with mental illness)  
Call for locations and times

Family Support Group  
(for family members and/or caregivers  
of persons diagnosed with mental illness)  
Call for locations and times

**OBSESSIVE-COMPULSIVE DISORDER (OCD)**

9Muses Art Center  
7139 W. Oakland Park Blvd.  
Lauderhill, FL 33313  
1st & 3rd Wednesdays: 7:30pm - 8:30pm

954-746-2055

**RECOVERY INTERNATIONAL**

866-221-0302

Uses a cognitive-behavioral, peer-to-peer, self-help training system to  
help individuals gain skills to lead more peaceful and productive lives.

Deerfield Beach (Dave)  
Tuesdays: 10:00am

954-972-4670

North Lauderdale (Teri)  
Tuesdays: 1:30pm

954-572-0222

Cooper City (Janet)  
Wednesdays: 6:30pm

954-433-9012

**RECOVERY WORKSHOP**

9Muses Art Center  
7139 W. Oakland Park Blvd.  
Lauderhill, FL 33313  
Wednesdays: 1:00pm - 2:00pm

954-746-2055

**SCHIZOPHRENICS ANONYMOUS**

866-800-5199

Rebel's Drop-In Center  
3400 N. 29th Avenue  
Hollywood, FL 33021  
Sundays: 3:00pm - 4:00pm

954-965-6408

9Muses Art Center  
7139 W. Oakland Park Blvd.  
Lauderhill, FL 33313  
Fridays: 5:00pm

954-746-2055

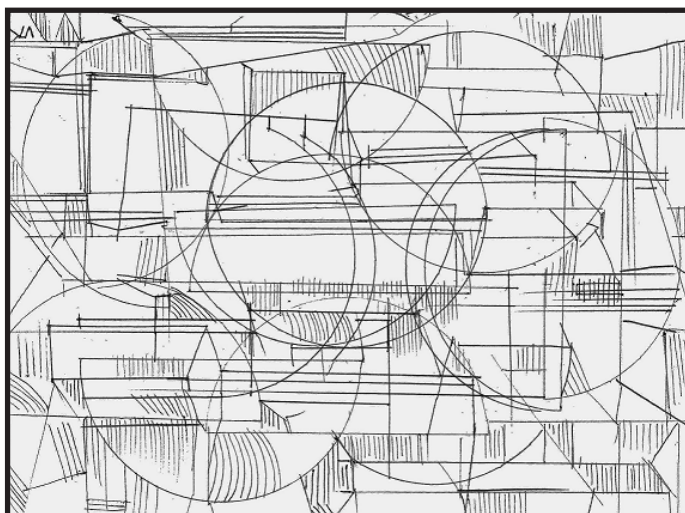
**SMART RECOVERY**

866-951-5357

The Pride Center in Equality Park  
2040 N. Dixie Highway  
Bldg. A, 2nd Floor  
Wilton Manors, FL 33304  
Mondays: 7:30pm & Thursdays: 6:30pm

305-725-1025

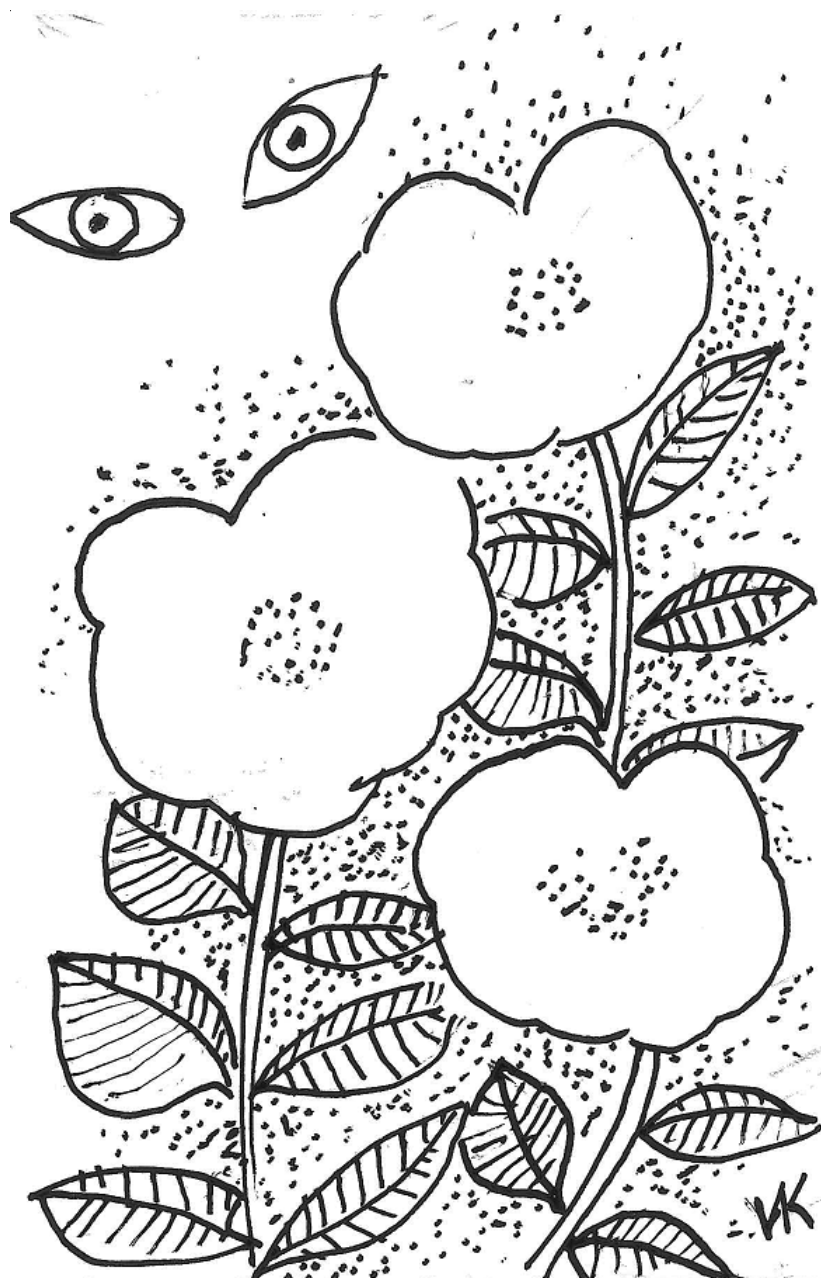
954-815-4170







# Helpful Information



# HOTLINES & WEBSITES

## Anonymous Lines

<b>Alateen</b> www.al-anon.org/for-alateen	<b>888-425-2666</b>
<b>Alcoholics</b> www.aabroward.org	<b>954-462-0265</b>
<b>Cocaine</b> www.ca.org www.fl-a-ca.org	<b>954-779-7272</b>
<b>Marijuana</b> www.marijuana-anonymous.org	<b>800-766-6779</b>
<b>Overeaters</b> www.oa.org	<b>954-938-9586</b>

## Crisis Help Lines

<b>Abuse Registry</b>	<b>800-962-2873</b>
<b>Crisis Unit</b> www.hendersonbehavioralhealth.org	<b>954-739-8066</b>
<b>Crisis Line-BROWARD</b> <b>First Call for Help</b> www.211-broward.org	<b>Call 211 or</b> <b>954-537-0211</b>
<b>Crisis Line-DADE</b> www.switchboardmiami.org	<b>305-358-1640</b>
<b>Crisis Line-PALM BEACH</b> www.211palmbeach.org	<b>561-547-1000</b>
<b>Disaster Distress Helpline</b> www.disasterdistress.samhsa.gov	<b>800-985-5990</b>
<b>Florida Coalition Against Domestic Violence</b> www.fcadv.org	<b>800-500-1119</b>
<b>Mobile Crisis (Henderson)</b> www.hendersonbehavioralhealth.org	<b>954-463-0911</b>
<b>National Center for Missing and Exploited Children</b> www.missingkids.com	<b>800-843-5678</b> <b>(THE LOST)</b>



<b>National Organization for Victim Assistance (NOVA)</b> www.trynova.org	<b>800-879-6682</b> (TRY NOVA)
<b>National Self-Injury Info Line</b> www.selfinjury.com	<b>800-366-8288</b> (DON'T CUT)
<b>Poison Control</b> www.pediatrics.med.miami.edu/poison-control-center	<b>800-222-1222</b>
<b>Sexual Assault</b> www.broward.org	<b>954-761-7273</b> (RAPE)
www.rainn.org	<b>800-656-4673</b> (HOPE)
<b>Suicide Prevention</b> www.hopeline.com	<b>800-784-2433</b> (SUICIDE)
www.suicidepreventionlifeline.org	<b>800-442-4673</b> (HOPE)
www.afsp.org	<b>800-273-8255</b> (TALK)
<b>Suicide Prevention Spanish</b>	<b>888-333-2377</b>
<b>Trans Lifeline</b> www.translifeline.org	<b>888-628-9454</b> <b>877-565-8860</b>

### **Health Help Lines**

<b>AIDS</b> www.cdc.gov/hiv www.cdcnpin.org/hiv	<b>800-232-4636</b> (CDC-INFO)
<b>Alzheimer's</b> www.alz.org	<b>800-272-3900</b>
<b>HIV/STD</b> www.cdc.gov/std	<b>800-227-8922</b>
<b>Hill Burton Free Hospital Care</b> www.hrsa.gov/getthehealthcare/affordable/hillburton	<b>800-638-0742</b>
<b>Medicaid Authorization</b> www.dcf.state.fl.us/programs/access	<b>866-762-2237</b>
<b>Medicare Hotline</b> www.medicare.gov	<b>800-633-4227</b> (MEDICARE)

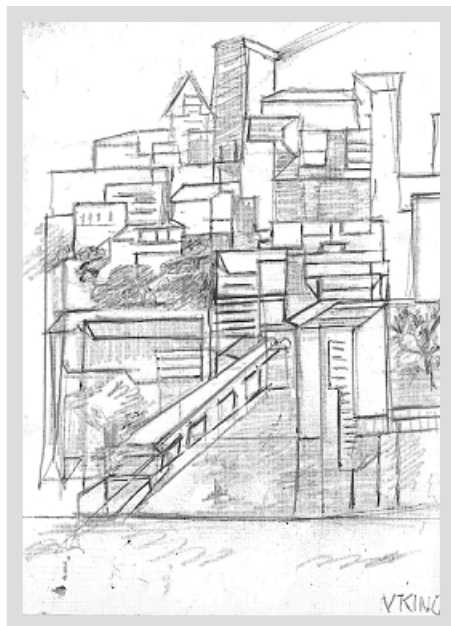
## Listening/Resource Help Lines

*You can call and talk to someone who listens, understands and cares*

<b>Family Voices</b>	<b>954-746-2055</b>
<b>First Call for Help</b>	<b>Call 211 or 954-537-0211</b>
<b>Seth Line (<i>warm line</i>)</b>	<b>954-578-5640 866-964-3714</b>

## Veteran's Help Lines

<b>Veterans Crisis Line</b>	<b>800-273-8255</b> Press 1
<b>National Center for PTSD</b> <a href="http://www.ptsd.va.gov">www.ptsd.va.gov</a>	<b>802-296-6300</b>
<b>Military OneSource</b> <a href="http://www.militaryonesource.com">www.militaryonesource.com</a>	<b>800-342-9647</b>
<b>S.A.F.E. Program</b> (Support & Family Education) <a href="http://www.ouhsc.edu/safeprogram">www.ouhsc.edu/safeprogram</a>	<b>405-270-5183</b>





# NATIONAL & STATE ORGANIZATIONS

## **Alcoholics Anonymous**

**212-870-3400**

P.O. Box 459  
New York, NY 10163  
[www.aa.org](http://www.aa.org)

## **Alzheimer's Association**

**800-272-3900**

225 N. Michigan Avenue, 17th Floor  
Chicago, IL 60601  
[www.alz.org](http://www.alz.org)

## **American Foundation for Suicide Prevention**

**888-333-2377**  
(AFSP)

120 Wall Street, 29th Floor  
New York, NY 10005  
[www.afsp.org](http://www.afsp.org)

## **Anxiety & Depression Association of America**

**240-485-1001**

8701 Georgia Avenue, #412  
Silver Spring, MD 20910  
[www.adaa.org](http://www.adaa.org)

## **Autism Society of America**

**800-328-8476**  
(800-3AUTISM)

4340 East-West Highway #350  
Bethesda, MD 20814  
[www.autism-society.org](http://www.autism-society.org)

## **Autism Speaks**

**888-288-4762**

1 E. 33rd Street, 4th Floor  
New York, NY 10016  
[www.autismspeaks.org](http://www.autismspeaks.org)

## **Bazelon Center for Mental Health Law**

**202-467-5730**

1101 15th Street NW #1212  
Washington, DC 20005  
[www.bazelon.org](http://www.bazelon.org)

## **Brain Injury Association of Florida**

**800-992-3442**

1637 Metropolitan Blvd., #3  
Tallahassee, FL 32308  
[www.biaf.org](http://www.biaf.org)



<b>Center for Mental Health Services</b> 1 Choke Cherry Road, Room 6-1057 Rockville, MD 20857 <a href="http://www.samhsa.gov">www.samhsa.gov</a>	<b>240-276-1310</b>
<b>CHADD (Children &amp; Adults with ADHD)</b> 8181 Professional Place, #150 Landover, MD 20785 <a href="http://www.chadd.org">www.chadd.org</a>	<b>301-306-7070</b>
<b>Dana Alliance for Brain Initiatives</b> 505 Fifth Avenue, 6th Floor New York, NY 10017 <a href="http://www.dana.org">www.dana.org</a>	<b>212-223-4040</b>
<b>Department of Children &amp; Families (DCF)</b> 1317 Winewood Blvd., Bldg 1, Rm 202 Tallahassee, FL 32399 <a href="http://www.myflfamilies.com">www.myflfamilies.com</a>	<b>866-762-2237</b>
<b>Depression and Bipolar Support Alliance (DBSA)</b> 730 N. Franklin Street, #501 Chicago, IL 60654 <a href="http://www.dbsalliance.org">www.dbsalliance.org</a>	<b>800-826-3632</b>
<b>Family Caregiver Alliance</b> 785 Market Street, #750 San Francisco, CA 94103 <a href="http://www.caregiver.org">www.caregiver.org</a>	<b>800-445-8106</b>
<b>Disability Rights Florida (formerly Advocacy Center for Persons with Disabilities)</b> 2728 Centerview Drive, #102 Tallahassee, FL 32301 <a href="http://www.disabilityrightsflorida.org">www.disabilityrightsflorida.org</a>	<b>800-342-0823</b>
<b>Florida Council on Compulsive Gambling</b> 901 Douglas Avenue, #200 Altamonte Springs, FL 32714 <a href="http://www.gamblinghelp.org">www.gamblinghelp.org</a>	<b>888-236-4848</b> (ADMIT IT)
<b>Florida Department of Elder Affairs</b> 4040 Esplanade Way Tallahassee, FL 32399 <a href="http://www.elderaffairs.state.fl.us">www.elderaffairs.state.fl.us</a>	<b>850-414-2000</b>



<b>Florida Department of Health</b> <b>Division of Medical Quality Assurance (MQA)</b> 4042 Bald Cypress Way Tallahassee, FL 32399 <a href="http://www.doh.state.fl.us/mqa">www.doh.state.fl.us/mqa</a>	<b>850-488-0595</b>
<b>Florida Respite Coalition</b> 2699 Lee Road, #230 Winter Park, FL 32789 <a href="http://www.floridarespite.org">www.floridarespite.org</a>	<b>866-357-3543</b> (FL-RELIEF)
<b>Florida Senior Medicare Patrol</b> 9887 4th Street North, #100 St. Petersburg, FL 35702	<b>727-570-9696</b>
<b>Florida Telecommunications Relay</b> 1820 E. Park Avenue, #101 Tallahassee, FL 32301 <a href="http://www.ftri.org">www.ftri.org</a>	<b>800-222-3448</b> TTY: 888-447-5620
<b>Freedom From Fear</b> 308 Seaview Avenue Staten Island, NY 10305 <a href="http://www.freedomfromfear.org">www.freedomfromfear.org</a>	<b>718-351-1717</b> ext. 19
<b>International OCD Foundation</b> 18 Tremont Street #903 Boston, MA 02108 <a href="http://www.oocdf.org">www.oocdf.org</a>	<b>617-973-5801</b>
<b>Learning Disabilities Association of America</b> 4156 Library Road Pittsburgh, PA 15234-1349 <a href="http://www.ldanatl.org">www.ldanatl.org</a>	<b>412-341-1515</b>
<b>Mental Health America (MHA)</b> <b>(formerly National Mental Health Association)</b> 2000 N. Beauregard Street, 6th Floor Alexandria, VA 22311 <a href="http://www.mentalhealthamerica.net">www.mentalhealthamerica.net</a>	<b>800-969-6642</b> (NMHA)
<b>National Alliance for Caregiving</b> 4720 Montgomery Lane, 2nd Floor Bethesda, MD 20814 <a href="http://www.caregiving.org">www.caregiving.org</a>	<b>301-718-8444</b>



<b>National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI)</b> 3803 N. Fairfax Drive, #100 Arlington, VA 22203 <a href="http://www.nami.org">www.nami.org</a>	<b>800-950-6264</b> (NAMI)
<b>National Association for Persons in Supported Employment</b> 416 Hungerford Drive, #418 Rockville, MD 20850 <a href="http://www.apse.org">www.apse.org</a>	<b>301-279-0060</b>
<b>National Center for Learning Disabilities</b> 32 Laight Street New York, NY 10013 <a href="http://www.ncld.org">www.ncld.org</a>	<b>212-545-7510</b>
<b>National Eating Disorders Association</b> 165 W. 46th Street, #402 New York, NY 10036 <a href="http://www.nationaleatingdisorders.org">www.nationaleatingdisorders.org</a>	<b>800-931-2237</b>
<b>National Empowerment Center</b> 599 Canal Street Lawrence, MA 01840 <a href="http://www.power2U.org">www.power2U.org</a>	<b>800-769-3728</b> (POWER2U)
<b>National Federation of Families</b> 15883-A Crabbs Branch Way Rockville, MD 20855 <a href="http://www.ffcmh.org">www.ffcmh.org</a>	<b>240-403-1901</b>
<b>National Institute of Mental Health (NIMH)</b> 6001 Executive Blvd., Rm 6200 MSC 9663 Bethesda, MD 20892 <a href="http://www.nimh.nih.gov">www.nimh.nih.gov</a>	TTY: <b>866-615-6464</b> 866-415-8051
<b>National Institute on Drug Abuse (NIDA)</b> 6001 Executive Blvd., Rm 5213 MSC 9561 Bethesda, MD 20892 <a href="http://www.nida.nih.gov">www.nida.nih.gov</a>	<b>301-443-1124</b>
<b>National Mental Health Consumers Self-Help Clearinghouse</b> 1211 Chestnut Street, #1100 Philadelphia, PA 19107 <a href="http://www.mhselfhelp.org">www.mhselfhelp.org</a>	<b>800-553-4539</b>

**National Parkinson Foundation**
**800-473-4636**

200 SE 1st Street, #800  
Miami, FL 33131  
[www.parkinson.org](http://www.parkinson.org)

**Planned Parenthood**
**800-230-7526**

(PLAN)

434 W. 43rd Street  
New York, NY 10001  
[www.plannedparenthood.org](http://www.plannedparenthood.org)

**Postpartum Support International**
**800-944-4773**

(4PPD)

6706 SW 54th Avenue  
Portland, OR 97219  
[www.postpartum.net](http://www.postpartum.net)

**Substance Abuse and Mental Health  
Services Administration (SAMHSA)**
**877-726-4727**

(SAMHSA7)

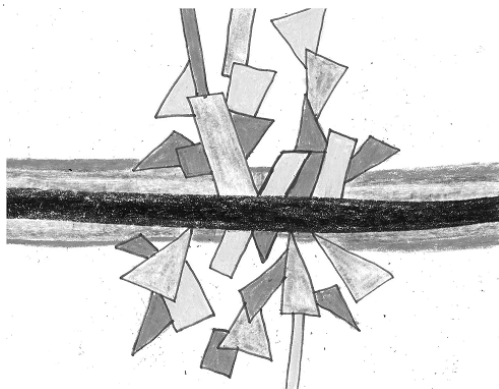
1 Choke Cherry Road  
Rockville, MD 20857  
[www.samhsa.gov](http://www.samhsa.gov)

**U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs**
**800-827-1000**

810 Vermont Avenue NW  
Washington, DC 20420  
[www.va.gov](http://www.va.gov)

**World Federation for Mental Health**
**703-490-6926**

PO Box 807, Mill Street  
Occoquan, VA 22125  
[www.wfmh.org](http://www.wfmh.org)



## **BROWARD BEHAVIORAL HEALTH COALITION (BBHC)**

Broward Behavioral Health Coalition, Inc. (BBHC) was created in 2011 and selected by the Florida Department of Children and Families as Broward County's managing entity for mental health and substance abuse services.

The BBHC Board has contracted with Concordia Behavioral Health to provide support services related to BBHC's management of behavioral health services in Broward County.

### **BBHC's mission:**

*To advocate and ensure an effective and efficient behavioral health system of care is available in Broward County.*

**Broward Behavioral**  
HEALTH COALITION

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## SELF-ADVOCACY

### What You Need to Know

You may have just been diagnosed with a mental illness, or you may have already begun treatment. Either way, you're probably experiencing a range of emotions. For some people, receiving a diagnosis can be a relief, finally being able to put a name to a problem. For others, it can be a major blow. You may experience fear, anger, denial, shame or sadness. You may be wondering, "Why did this happen to me? How will this affect my life? What will people think of me?"

Being told that you have a mental illness is not the end of the world. With help and support, you can recover and achieve your life's ambitions. Of course, you will face many challenges as you begin your treatment, but there is hope. Mental illnesses are manageable. And there are a number of things you can do for yourself after a diagnosis to cope with the news, keep up with your treatment, and support your own recovery.

### Be Hopeful

Above all else, it's important to maintain a positive outlook. Here are a few things to keep in mind throughout your treatment and recovery.

- You are not alone in this experience. Mental illnesses are medical illnesses and are common, affecting one in every five Americans.
- You can improve and achieve your goals. Today, many people who are diagnosed with serious mental illnesses are managing their conditions and regaining control of their lives.
- You can and should play an active role in your treatment. The more informed you are about your illness and treatment options, the better you'll be able to direct your recovery.

### Get Emotional Support

An important step in coping with a diagnosis is to find emotional support. Talk to friends and family members you feel close to and trust. They care about you and want to help you recover. Discuss your feelings about the diagnosis and any treatments or services that have been recommended. Don't be afraid to let people know how to help you. This support will be important, both as you begin your recovery and when you have to deal with any setbacks along the way. Also, you may want to meet people who have already been through what you are currently experiencing. This can help you prepare for what's ahead and help you avoid any problems others may have been through in their recovery. Seek out self-help groups and support organizations that can reduce any feelings of isolation and loneliness.

### Learn All You Can About Your Diagnosis

If you're ready, do some research on your particular illness, the recommended treatments and other self-help ideas. The more you learn, the better you'll be in working with your doctor and making decisions that feel right for you. Talk to people who have had similar experiences about mental illnesses and treatment options. There are a number of websites, including the National Institute of Mental Health ([www.nimh.nih.gov](http://www.nimh.nih.gov)) and Mental Health America ([www.mentalhealthamerica.net](http://www.mentalhealthamerica.net)), which can give you additional information. However, beware of some commercial websites that offer quick fixes or don't reveal their sources.

# MYTHS & FACTS ABOUT MENTAL ILLNESS

## THE MYTHS

*MYTH: Mental illnesses are due to poor parenting and moral weakness.*

**REALITY:** Current research has suggested that the majority of mental illnesses are biologically-based and are treatable. Some mental illnesses have a genetic component. Biological and environmental triggers, not yet fully understood, may precipitate the onset of the illness.

*MYTH: People who have been treated for a mental illness are unstable and could go “wild” at any moment.*

**REALITY:** Most people with mental illnesses are more likely to withdraw from social contact than aggressively confront others. The vast majority of people with mental illnesses are never dangerous or a threat to others. The fear that they will go “wild” is unfounded and not a reason for denying the person employment opportunities, housing or friendship.

*MYTH: All people with mental illnesses are violent and dangerous to society.*

**REALITY:** Statistical research shows that a person with a mental illness is no more likely to commit a violent act than someone in the general population. Individuals who have recovered from a mental illness are more apt to be the victims of a violent crime rather than the perpetrators. The true predictor of criminality is not a history of mental illness but a history of violent actions. A person who has been treated for a mental illness but does not have a previous criminal record is considered less likely to be arrested than the average citizen.

*MYTH: People with mental illnesses will never recover.*

**REALITY:** Mental illnesses are treatable and people who have them can and do recover. Mental illnesses should be viewed with the same attitude as physical illnesses. When care and treatment are available, improvement and/or recovery will allow individuals to return to leading normal, productive lives. Unfortunately, discrimination prevents people who have recovered from a mental illness from re-entering the vocational, residential and social mainstream.

*MYTH: People with schizophrenia have a “split personality”.*

**REALITY:** “Split personality” is a popular but incorrect description of schizophrenia, one of the major mental illnesses. Dissociative disorder is a separate and very rare disorder. Schizophrenia is a thought disorder characterized by visual or auditory hallucinations and other symptoms of being “out of touch with reality”.

*MYTH: All homeless people have a mental illness and they should be hospitalized.*

**REALITY:** One-third of the homeless population is estimated to have a mental illness. Only six percent of the homeless require inpatient psychiatric care, according to the National Institute of Mental Health (NIMH).

*MYTH: People with a mental illness should be locked up “for their own good”.*

**REALITY:** The mental health system no longer “locks people up” as a treatment. Today, most people are successfully treated in outpatient settings. People with mental illnesses live in the community. Many live with their families while using community support services.

*MYTH: It’s okay to discriminate against people with a mental illness because no one can expect you to hire a person with schizophrenia or rent to someone with manic depression.*

**REALITY:** The Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 provides comprehensive protection against discrimination based on mental or physical disabilities. The employment provision of the ADA took effect July 26, 1992 for all employers with 25 employees or more; in 1994, for 15 employees or more. All Americans, no matter what their disability, are entitled to work opportunities provided they meet job qualifications. The Fair Housing Amendment Act of 1988 extended protection against discrimination in the sale or rental of housing to people with disabilities.

*MYTH: Mental illness is the same as mental retardation.*

**REALITY:** Mental retardation (now called developmental disability) is a condition that develops at birth or during development and involves below average intellectual functioning. Most people with a mental illness are of at least average intelligence and their first episode with mental illness can happen at any age. Mental illnesses respond to treatment.

**Learn the Facts**



## THE FACTS

Mental illness strikes people of all ages, races and economic backgrounds, whether or not there is a history of mental illness. Possible causes include genetic history, chemical imbalances in the brain and other biological and environmental triggers.

More than 54 million Americans have a mental disorder in any given year, although only one-third seek treatment

Late-life depression affects about 6 million adults, but only 10 percent ever receive treatment. At least 10 to 20 percent of widows and widowers develop clinically significant depression within one year of their spouse's death. Older Americans are more likely to commit suicide than any other age group. Although they constitute only 13 percent of the U.S. population, individuals age 65 and older account for 20 percent of all suicides.

One in five children have a diagnosable mental, emotional or behavioral disorder. And up to one in 10 may suffer from a serious emotional disturbance. Seventy percent of children, however, do not receive mental health services.

Each year, 18 million Americans suffer from clinical depression. About 12 million women in the U.S. experience depression every year — roughly twice the rate of men. Depression is often misunderstood; it is not a passing mood or a personal weakness, but a major medical disorder.

It has been calculated that each year, the economy loses an estimated \$44 billion because of clinical depression. More than \$17 billion is in time lost from work. A RAND Corporation study found that patients with depressive symptoms spend more days in bed than those with diabetes or arthritis, back problems, lung problems or gastrointestinal disorders.

Depression greatly increases the risk of developing heart disease. People with depression are four times more likely to have a heart attack than those with no history of depression

Anxiety disorders (phobia, panic disorder, obsessive-compulsive disorder or post-traumatic stress disorder) affect more than 28 million Americans. Symptoms can be totally disabling.

Schizophrenia, a brain disease characterized by impaired thinking, delusions and hallucinations, is the most severe and disabling of the mental illnesses. More than 2.5 million people in the U.S. will be affected by schizophrenia, which is five times more common than many of the prevalent physical illnesses affecting Americans.

Up to one half of all visits to primary care physicians are due to conditions that are caused or exacerbated by mental or emotional problems. However, mental disorders are highly treatable medical illnesses. Hope and help are available. Call your Mental Health Association for resources.

Sources: *Mental Health America*  
*National Institute of Mental Health*  
*Surgeon General's Report on Mental Health*



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# 10 TOOLS TO LIVE YOUR LIFE WELL

## Simple Strategies for Success

- Tool 1: Connect With Others**
- Tool 2: Stay Positive**
- Tool 3: Get Physically Active**
- Tool 4: Help Others**
- Tool 5: Get Enough Rest**
- Tool 6: Create Joy and Satisfaction**
- Tool 7: Eat Well**
- Tool 8: Take Care of Your Spirit**
- Tool 9: Deal Better With Hard Times**
- Tool 10: Get Professional Help If You Need It**

The **Live Your Life Well** website is designed to help you cope better with stress and create more of the life you want.

Maybe you're holding down two jobs or can't find work. Maybe you're the parent of young children or the child of aging parents. Maybe you face a rush of daily demands or one potentially life-changing challenge. Whatever your situation, **MHA is here to help you.**

**10 Tools to Live Your Life Well** is based on extensive scientific evidence. These tools can help you relax, grow and flourish. They can help you **Live Your Life Well.**

Get more information and track you success at:  
**[www.LiveYourLifeWell.org](http://www.LiveYourLifeWell.org)**



*Source: Mental Health America ©*

## IDENTIFICATION

### Birth / Marriage / Divorce Certificate

A copy of your birth certificate can be obtained by written request to the Bureau of Vital Statistics in the county where you were born. There is usually a fee for this service. To find the address and phone number of the Bureau of Vital Statistics in your birth county, look in your local library for the telephone directory of the city in which you were born or use an internet search. You can also dial 1, area code of birth county, and 555-1212 and ask for the Bureau of Vital Statistics.

You can also obtain Marriage & Divorce certificates in the same way by contacting the Bureau of Vital Statistics in the county in which you were married or divorced.

### Social Security Card

**800-772-1213**

To get a new, duplicate or name change social security card  
Call or visit in person

3201 W. Commercial Blvd  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33309  
877-253-4720

500 N. Hiatus Road  
Pembroke Pines, FL 33026  
866-643-3406

8501 W. Sunrise Blvd., #100  
Plantation, FL 33322

5195 Coconut Creek Pkwy  
Margate, FL 33063

#### **You will need to bring Proof of:**

U.S.citizenship such as birth certificate, passport or naturalization papers.

Identity that shows name, date of birth and preferably a photo such as a U.S. Driver's License, U.S. Identification Card, or U.S. Passport. These documents must be currently valid and not expired.

### Identification Card

**954-497-1570**

To get a new, duplicate or name change identification card  
Call or visit in person at any drivers license office.

100 S. Military Trail, #126  
Deerfield Beach, FL 33442

3718 W. Oakland Park Blvd.  
Lauderdale Lakes, FL 33311

1135 Banks Road  
Margate, FL 33063

15739 Pines Blvd.  
Pembroke Pines, FL 33027

7217 W. Oakland Park Blvd.  
Lauderhill, FL 3313

8001 Pembroke Road  
Pembroke Pines, FL 33025

#### **You will need to bring:**

Original or certified copy of your birth certificate, or a valid U.S. passport, social security card or computer generated W-2 or 1099 form, and two proof of address items such as a voter's registration, vehicle registration, utility bill (telephone, water, FPL, etc. or bank statement less than 2 months old), deed, rental/lease agreement, mail from federal, state, county or city government, a letter from a homeless shelter or transitional housing provider verifying they receive your mail accompanied by a certification of address form.

There is a \$25 fee for an original, renewal or replacement ID card.

# VETERAN'S BENEFITS

*Veteran's benefits, consisting of monthly disability payments, health care and various other benefits, are available to veterans of U.S. military service and their dependents.*

## Who is eligible?

Veterans with Active military service, who have an Honorable or Under Honorable Conditions discharge, and their beneficiaries may receive veteran's benefits.

## What benefits are provided?

The major benefits that may be available to veterans and their beneficiaries include health care (for veterans), such as CHAMPVA for Permanent and Total service-connected veterans' spouses; life insurance; mortgage insurance; financial aid for education; vocational rehabilitation; counseling; burial benefits at national cemeteries; survivors' benefits and death benefits for beneficiaries.

Disability payments are available to veterans whose disabilities were incurred or aggravated during their military service. The amount of the benefit depends upon the degree of the impairment and the number of dependents. Low-income war time, disabled veterans may also apply for a pension, regardless of the disability's connection to military service. Disabled veterans also may receive grants for adaptive modification of their homes and automobiles, and assistance with other expenses. The benefits are administered by the Dept. of Veterans Affairs (VA).

## How do I apply?

Contact the Florida Department of Veterans' Affairs (FDVA) at 850-487-1533. You can also find them on the Internet at [www.floridavets.org](http://www.floridavets.org) or your local County Veteran Service Office (CVSO). You can locate your CVSO in the "Blue Pages" of your phone book under "County Government" or on the FDVA Website. These offices can assist you with any application for veterans benefits. Counselors at this number can answer questions about benefits eligibility and application procedures. They also make referrals to other VA facilities, such as medical centers and national cemeteries. These facilities also accept applications for benefits.

## Contacts for Veteran's Information:

<b>U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs</b>	<b><a href="http://www.va.gov">www.va.gov</a></b>	<b>800-827-1000</b>
<b>VA Health Resource Center</b>	<b>(800-222-VETS)</b>	<b>800-222-8387</b>
<b>Broward County Veterans Services</b>		<b>954-357-6622</b>
<b>Broward County VA Benefits Office</b>		<b>954-475-5500</b>
<b>Miami VA Healthcare Center</b>		<b>305-575-7520</b>
<b>National Center for PTSD</b>	<b><a href="http://www.ncptsd.va.gov">www.ncptsd.va.gov</a></b>	<b>802-296-6300</b>
<b>Military OneSource</b>	<b><a href="http://www.militaryonesource.com">www.militaryonesource.com</a></b> (user id: military; password: onesource)	<b>800-342-9647</b>

**S.A.F.E. Program** **[www.ouhsc.edu/safeprogram](http://www.ouhsc.edu/safeprogram)**

Support and Family Education - Mental Health Facts for Families.

A free downloadable 18-session curriculum for people who care about someone who has a mental illness or PTSD.

*Source: Department of Veterans' Affairs*

## Understand Your Health Care Options

Getting the services you need and paying for them can be a challenge. Your options may be limited by whether or not you have insurance, the type of insurance you have (private, HMO, Medicaid, Medicare), and the amount of coverage it provides for mental health care. But, remember, there are options.

- If you're employed and have a health plan, call your health insurer to see if they cover mental health services. Then find out which mental health professionals in your area are willing to accept payment from your insurance plan. If your employer has an Employee Assistance Program (EAP), they can also help you find services you can afford.
- If you can get health care through a government program like Medicaid or Medicare, you should contact a community mental health center or local health department to see which doctors or programs accept this form of health insurance.
- If you don't have health insurance, ask your community mental health center about reduced-cost (or sliding-scale fee) mental health services.
- The Affordable Care Act, or ACA as it is more commonly called, is a Federal Law which makes health care available to individuals who choose to participate. There is a financial eligibility requirement but the Act creates an opportunity for individuals with pre-existing conditions to be eligible for health care coverage. Information is available at [www.healthcare.gov](http://www.healthcare.gov)

## Develop a Partnership with Your Doctor and/or Therapist

Once you have received a diagnosis and are in contact with a doctor or a mental health professional, here's what you need to know about making the most of these relationships from the start.

- Make sure it's the right fit for you. If possible, interview multiple providers; don't be afraid to meet with more than one. You'll want to find a doctor, mental health professional or peer counselor with whom you can relate. Ask them about their style of treatment and experiences helping other people with your particular illness.
- Be open with your doctor or therapist. Go to your appointments with a list of questions you may have about your diagnosis and the therapies that are being proposed.
- After starting a course of treatment, you should begin to notice changes: relief from your symptoms, more self-assurance, greater ability to make decisions. You should tell the doctor or therapist about your progress, or if you are having any problems. Don't be afraid to voice your concerns.
- Involve your family and friends in your treatment, if you're comfortable with that. Invite them to accompany you to an appointment or to sit in on a therapy session.
- Treatment takes time. Don't give up.

**Getting the right help requires perseverance and self-advocacy.**

**Take advantage of the options you have and continue to search for other ways to meet your needs.**

**Remember — getting back to your life is the goal of recovery!**

*Source: Mental Health America*

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# FLORIDA LICENSED MENTAL HEALTH PROFESSIONS CLASSIFICATIONS

## PSYCHIATRIST (MEor OS)

Psychiatrists are physicians who have a medical degree (M.D.) or a degree in osteopathic medicine (D.O.) with a specialization in mental illness. They treat a wide range of emotional and behavioral disorders and may be working in hospitals, businesses, public agencies, private practice, etc. Psychiatrists are the only mental health professionals who can prescribe medication.

## PSYCHOLOGIST (PY)

Psychologists have either a Ph.D. (Doctor of Philosophy) or a Psy.D. (Doctor of Psychology) or an Ed.D. (Doctor of Education) from an accredited graduate or professional school. They diagnose and treat emotional and behavioral disorders in children, adolescents and adults that range from mild to very severe. Psychologists most often work in hospitals, businesses, public or private practice treatment centers or private practice.

## CLINICAL SOCIAL WORKER (SW)

Clinical Social Workers have a Master's Degree (M.S.W.) from an accredited graduate school with a specialization in mental health services. They plan, organize and administer direct therapeutic services and intervene in individual, group, community and organizational systems. Clinical Social Workers often work in hospitals, social service agencies or private practice.

## MARRIAGE & FAMILY THERAPIST (MT)

Marriage & Family Therapists have a Master's Degree (M.A. or M.S. or M.Ed.) from an accredited graduate school with specialty coursework in marriage and family therapy. They treat stress that accompanies family milestones such as marriage, divorce, birth, death, etc., as well as other emotional and behavioral problems. Marriage & Family Therapists may be working in mental health clinics, public service agencies, businesses, hospitals or private practice.



## MENTAL HEALTH COUNSELOR (MH)

Mental Health Counselors have a Master's Degree (M.A. or M.S. of M.Ed.) from an accredited graduate school with specialty coursework in mental health counseling. They treat individuals, families or groups including children, adolescents and adults with a wide range of emotional and behavioral problems. Mental Health Counselors often work in hospitals, schools, businesses, agencies or private practice.

## SCHOOL PSYCHOLOGIST (SS)

School Psychologists have either a Doctoral Degree (Ph.D. or Psy.D. or Ed.D.) or a Master's Degree (M.A. or M.S. of M.Ed.) from an accredited graduate school with specialization in child development, learning and behavior disorders. They test, diagnose and assess cognitive abilities that relate to learning or behavioral problems and treat these problems in children and adolescents. School Psychologists often work in government agencies, public or private schools or private practice.

## REGISTERED NURSE (RN or ARNP)

Certain classifications of nurses receive specialized training and are qualified to provide mental health care.

### PLEASE NOTE:

All licensed mental health professionals have completed a supervised internship prior to sitting for the State of Florida Licensure Exam to determine competency in their particular field. In addition, all must maintain active participation in ongoing Continuing Education to renew their license status. Effective mental health treatment is based on the unique relationship between client and therapist. Although certain license classifications traditionally provide service to certain narrow populations, many services overlap license titles. An exception is the prescription of medication, which is restricted to the Psychiatrist (ME).

**Registered Interns** are unlicensed individuals working under the supervision of a licensed professional. **Registered Interns are listed as ISW, IMT, IMH.**

### SPECIAL NOTE:

The State of Florida, Department of Health-Division of Medical Quality Assurance provides further information on licensure requirements.

Psychiatrist refers to persons licensed pursuant to chapter 458 or 459.

Psychologist, School Psychologist refer to persons licensed pursuant to chapter 490.

Clinical Social Worker, Marriage & Family Therapist, Mental Health Counselor refer to persons licensed pursuant to chapter 491.

Registered Nurse refers to persons licensed pursuant to chapter 464.

# HOW TO TALK WITH YOUR DOCTOR

Before your first appointment, write down the history of your illness:

When did you first feel like this?

How long did it last?

Was it triggered by some event?

Were you treated before?

What medications? What dosages? Did they work, etc.?

Write down any medications you are currently taking and the dosage, including over-the-counter preparations.

Also list medications you have taken in the past. Be honest about any alcohol, prescription or recreational drugs used.

Start a list of questions you want to ask the doctor. Add to it as you think of things you want to say or find out at your next appointment. Then take that paper with you when you go to see him/her.

Bring pen and paper to write down the things the doctor tells you, since memory and concentration may be faulty at this time.

When the doctor gives you a prescription, ask about the potential side effects, if they will lessen, and how long before the medication is expected to produce results.

Be patient since some medications can take several weeks to work, but almost nothing should take longer than 8 weeks. If no improvement is felt by then, insist that your doctor put you on a different medication or give you a good reason why not.

Ask how this medication might interact with any other medications you take, and any food or drink you should avoid. Do not get out of your chair until all your questions are answered to your satisfaction.

Don't be intimidated - she/he is your doctor and it is YOUR body chemistry your doctor is being paid to stabilize. If you have any bad reaction to the medication, do not hesitate to call the doctor, day or night.



## TAKING YOUR MEDICATION

As with all the other medications mentioned, do not adjust your dosage of medication or stop it altogether without discussing it first with the doctor who prescribed it. Also, notify your doctor if you are pregnant, and advise him/her of any other medications you are taking. Always check with the doctor before taking any over-the-counter medications.

**When to take medications:** Take your medications at the same time every day. If you make taking medications part of your regular daily schedule, you are more likely to remember them. Ask your doctor if you can take your medication with meals, at bedtime, etc. so you can better remember.

**Missed doses:** If you miss a dose...don't panic! You must stay on your medication as ordered to avoid a relapse, but one missed dose or late dose will not cause a major problem if you normally take your medication on a regular basis.

**Pill containers:** Remember that drugstores can give you medications in two different kinds of containers - child-safe and ordinary ones. The child-safe containers are necessary if you are likely to have children around your home who could get into the medicines, thinking they are candy. On the other hand, child-safe tops are very hard for some people to get off the medicine bottle. If this will be a problem, ask your druggist for the easy flip-off caps on your medicine.

If you are taking more than one medication, and at different times of the day, it is essential that you take the correct dosage of each medication. An easy way to make sure you do this is to use a 7-day pillbox, available in any pharmacy and to fill the box with the proper medication at the beginning of each week. Many pharmacies also have pillboxes with sections for medications that must be taken more than once a day. You can also use small jars to create your own system. This can help you make sure you don't forget to take the right number of pills and to know you have already taken them in case you get mixed up.

**Medication and Pregnancy:** If you are a woman of childbearing age, you should discuss any plan to become pregnant with your doctor prior to discontinuing birth control methods. Your doctor can best help you to plan this in a safe way for both you and your baby.

**Medication and Alcohol:** Alcohol and drugs generally do not mix well with medication. Alcohol can also cause mood swings and interact with the medication, making it difficult to get stabilized. Discuss with your doctor if even minimal use is considered.

There are ongoing clinical trials available, some sponsored by the National Institute of Mental Health and others by pharmaceutical manufacturers. Call the **Mental Health Association of Southeast Florida at 954-746-2055** for information on clinical trials. Also see page 178.

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# MEDICATION ASSISTANCE

Provides medicine free of charge to eligible individuals who do not have prescription drug coverage and have income limitations, specified by each program.

[www.needymeds.com](http://www.needymeds.com)

[www.rxassist.org](http://www.rxassist.org)

[www.rxhope.com](http://www.rxhope.com)

## Partnership for Prescription Assistance

**888-477-2669**

[www.pparx.org](http://www.pparx.org)

**(888-4PPA-NOW)**

Single point of access to public and private assistance programs.

Offers a multi-lingual service. M-F: 8:00am - 10:00pm; S/S: 8:00am - 8:00pm

## PHRMA

### (Pharmaceutical Manufacturers Association of America)

[www.phrma.org](http://www.phrma.org)

Or contact the individual pharmaceutical patient assistance programs:

<b>Abbott Laboratories</b>	<b>800-441-4987</b>
<b>Boehringer Ingelheim</b>	<b>800-556-8317</b>
<b>Bristol Myers Squibb</b>	<b>800-763-0003</b>
<b>Eli Lilly</b>	<b>800-545-6962</b>
<b>Glaxco Wellcome</b>	<b>866-728-4368</b>
<b>Janssen Pharmaceuticals</b>	<b>800-526-7736</b>
<b>Merck</b>	<b>800-727-5400</b>
<b>Novartis Pharmaceuticals</b>	<b>800-277-2254</b>
<b>Pfizer</b>	<b>800-879-3477</b>
<b>Sanofi Adventist</b>	<b>800-221-4025</b>
<b>Schering-Plough Pharmaceuticals</b>	<b>800-656-9485</b>
<b>Solvay Pharmaceuticals</b>	<b>800-256-8918</b>
<b>Sunovion</b>	<b>877-850-0819</b>
<b>Wyeth-Ayerst Laboratories</b>	<b>800-568-9938</b>
<b>Zeneca Pharmaceuticals</b>	<b>800-424-3727</b>

**Florida HIV/AIDS Assistance**

**800-352-2437**

**Florida KidCare**

**888-540-5438**

## PARTICIPATING IN CLINICAL TRIALS

Through the ages, disorders of the mind have been among the most devastating and feared illnesses of humanity. Today, thanks to ambitious and productive research and the many individuals willing to participate in this research, highly effective treatments for mental illnesses now exist. As a result of these treatments, many thousands of people who have brain diseases such as depression, bipolar disorder, schizophrenia and anxiety disorders lead fulfilling and productive lives.

Scientists study and try different ways to diagnose, treat, and prevent human disease more effectively. The needed research may take place in a basic science laboratory, a clinic, or in the community.

Some clinical research may examine how well a new treatment works -- perhaps a drug or other type of therapy. In other instances, a clinical study might explore factors that affect mental disorders such as the role of genes and their interactions with life experiences.

The pace of progress to date would not have been possible without the participation in research of patients with mental illness and other volunteers, yet neither will the advances of tomorrow be realized without their continued participation. It is important to note that just as research on treatments has evolved to become more effective, so too has our society's attentiveness to the well-being of research volunteers grown. Procedures now in place to protect research participants are more effective than ever before.

To help you make your decision about participating in a research study, the National Institute of Mental Health (NIMH) has prepared a booklet to answer some of your questions and lists questions that you will want to ask of the clinical study director. You can call the Mental Health Association of Southeast Florida at 954-746-2055 to request a copy of this booklet.

There are many clinical trials available including those from private organizations and governmental entities. You can find a list of current research projects at [\*\*www.clinicaltrials.gov\*\*](http://www.clinicaltrials.gov)

It is our hope that by helping people better understand why they might consider participation in the clinical research of mental illnesses, all Americans will benefit in the years ahead.

## ❖ **PATIENT'S BILL OF RIGHTS** ❖

- ❖ *The right to individual dignity - respect, freedom of movement, freedom from neglect or abuse, a humane environment, privacy.*
- ❖ *The right to quality treatment and rehabilitation in the least restrictive setting.*
- ❖ *The right to receive services regardless of the ability to pay.*
- ❖ *The right to give, refuse, or retract express and informed consent to mental health treatment.*
- ❖ *The right to communicate - mail, telephone and visitors.*
- ❖ *The right to social relationships - exercise, recreation and social contact.*
- ❖ *The right to file a petition with the court questioning the cause of determination and requesting release.*
- ❖ *The right to participate in treatment and discharge planning.*
- ❖ *The right to be informed regarding patient rights and reasonable access to personal records.*
- ❖ *And other constitutional and legal rights, such as: confidentiality, representation, reporting grievances, voting, religious worship, work choice and compensation.*

## **Your Rights and the Florida Mental Health Act (*The Baker Act*)**

The Florida law covering both voluntary and involuntary treatment is Chapter 394 of Florida Statutes - known as the Florida Mental Health Act or the Baker Act.

Florida law encourages people with mental illnesses to seek treatment voluntarily and to choose the type of treatment needed. But Florida law recognizes that some people with mental illnesses may need to be involuntarily admitted for evaluation and treatment.

The Baker Act outlines a bill of rights for the person who is mentally ill, provides a system of due process for persons receiving services in designated mental health facilities, and creates a system of community-based acute care services.

A receiving facility is the central reception point for individuals who appear to need emergency mental health care. The receiving facility must ensure that persons receive needed services in the least restrictive setting and in the least intrusive manner. Consequently, receiving facilities must ensure that persons are not inappropriately admitted to community or State hospitals.

Under the Baker Act, no one can be admitted to a State hospital without first being screened by a community mental health center or clinic which must certify that State hospital admission is the most appropriate placement for the individual.

# BAKER ACT RECEIVING FACILITIES

## Tax assisted or publicly supported

<b>BROWARD HEALTH MEDICAL CENTER</b>	<b>954-355-4400</b>
1600 S. Andrews Avenue Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33316	
<b>BROWARD HEALTH IMPERIAL POINT</b>	<b>954-776-8500</b>
6401 N. Federal Highway Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33308	
<b>HENDERSON CRISIS STABILIZATION UNIT</b>	<b>954-739-8066</b>
2677 NW 19th Street Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33311	
<b>MEMORIAL REGIONAL HOSPITAL</b>	<b>954-265-6310</b>
3501 Johnson Street Hollywood, FL 33021	

## Private, requiring insurance or full payment

<b>ATLANTIC SHORES HOSPITAL</b>	<b>954-771-2711</b>
4545 N. Federal Highway Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33308	
<b>CITRUS HEALTH NETWORK</b>	<b>954-987-1731</b>
8375 S. Palm Drive Pembroke Pines, FL 33025	
<b>FORT LAUDERDALE HOSPITAL</b>	<b>954-463-4321</b>
1601 E. Las Olas Blvd. Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33301	
<b>LARKIN COMMUNITY HOSPITAL, Behavioral Health</b>	<b>954-962-1355</b>
1201 N. 37th Avenue Hollywood, FL 33021	
<b>NORTH SHORE MEDICAL CENTER, FMC Campus</b>	<b>866-498-5433</b>
5000 W. Oakland Park Blvd. Lauderdale Lakes, FL 33313	
<b>PLANTATION GENERAL HOSPITAL</b>	<b>954-587-5010</b>
401 NW 42nd Avenue Plantation, FL 33317	
<b>UNIVERSITY PAVILION</b>	<b>954-722-9933</b>
7425 N. University Drive Tamarac, FL 33321	

## PUBLIC & PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION

The Mental Health Association of Southeast Florida provides public and professional education on a wide range of topics.

Presentations are offered at the MHA offices, as well as at other agencies and community sites.

Organizations and corporations can request a presenter for a public lecture or in-service staff training.

MHASEFL is an approved provider of continuing education (CEU) for licensed and/or certified behavioral health and elder care professionals through the State of Florida, Department of Health-Division of Medical Quality Assurance (MQA). Other professions may also be eligible for CEUs.

To request a presentation or notification of educational opportunities. call **954-746-2055** or send an email to:

**[education@mhasefl.org](mailto:education@mhasefl.org)**



## PUBLICATIONS AVAILABLE THROUGH MHA

The Mental Health Association of Southeast Florida has been selected as the State of Florida's partner in the

***National Institute of Mental Health (NIMH)  
Outreach Partnership Program.***

You are invited to become part of a local Florida Coalition for mental health education. MHASEFL partners with individuals and organizations to provide community lectures, workshops, mental health screening events, advocacy town hall meetings, primary care outreach, and media opportunities. MHASEFL is also a State of Florida approved provider of continuing education for behavioral health professionals.

As a coalition partner, you will have access to multiple copies of many different brochures, videos, slides, screening tools, referral resources and more. To join the MHA's coalition, call **954-746-2055 ext 125**.

### **SOME OF THE AVAILABLE RESOURCES**

*Many of these brochures are available at no cost at the MHA office.  
Some can also be faxed or e-mailed.*

#### Topics include:

Alcohol Abuse	Depression in Older Adults
Anxiety Disorders	Eating Disorders
Attention Deficit/ADHD	Grief & Bereavement
Autism Spectrum Disorder	Help After a Disaster
Bipolar Disorder	Manic-Depression
Borderline Personality	Neuroscience
Child Abuse	Obsessive-Compulsive Disorder
Children & Divorce	Panic Disorder
Children's Mental Health	Post Partum Depression
Co-Morbidity	Post Traumatic Stress Disorder
Coping with Traumatic Events	Psychiatric Medications
Depression	Schizophrenia
Depression & African Americans	Social Phobia
Depression & HIV	Suicide
Depression & Medical Conditions	Violence
Depression in Women	Publications in Spanish
Depression in Men	Publications in Large Print

#### Videos & Screening Tools:

Alcohol Abuse  
Anxiety Disorders  
Depression  
Eating Disorders  
Gambling

#### Lists:

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**AND MUCH MORE**





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Families In Need of Services (FINS)	
Shelters	
Lippman Youth Shelter .....	954-568-2801
Non-Residential Counseling	
Lutheran Services of Florida .....	954-486-4222
Mt. Bethel Human Services .....	954-766-6058
Community Based Connections .....	954-524-9797
Circuit Court (See FLORIDA 17TH JUDICIAL) .....	954-831-7740
CIT Team Training (See BROWARD REG'L HEALTH) .....	954-561-9681
Clerk of Court (See BROWARD CO. COURTHOUSE) ....	954-831-6565
CLEVELAND CLINIC .....	954-689-5000
Family Health Center .....	954-349-1111
Clinica de las Americas (See BROWARD HEALTH) .....	954-761-1020
Clinica Luz del Mundo (See LIGHT OF THE WORLD) .....	954-563-9876
COALITION TO END HOMELESSNESS .....	954-792-4000
Commission on Substance Abuse (See UNITED WAY) ..	954-760-7007
Community Action (See BR. CO. FAMILY SUCCESS) ...	954-357-5025
Community Care for Elderly (See BR. CO. ELDERLY) ...	954-357-6622
Community Justice Alternatives (See FLORIDA 17TH) ...	954-831-7752
COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIP DIVISION .....	954-357-8647
Community Resolution (See NOVA SOUTHEASTERN) ..	954-262-4237
Comprehensive Care Center (See BROWARD HEALTH)	954-467-0880
Connections (See MENTAL HEALTH ASSOCIATION) ....	954-746-2055
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Mobile website ( <a href="http://www.browardconnections.org">www.browardconnections.org</a> )	
Consumer Support (See MENTAL HEALTH ASSN) .....	954-746-2055
Continuing Education (See MENTAL HEALTH ASSN) ....	954-746-2055
Cooperative Feeding (See LIFENET 4 FAMILIES) .....	954-792-2328
COOPERATIVE PARENTING & DIVORCE .....	954-746-2055
CO-PARENTING (See COOPERATIVE PARENTING) ....	954-746-2055
Cora E. Braynon Health Ctr (See BROWARD HEALTH) .	954-759-6600
Coral Springs Medical Ctr (See BROWARD HEALTH) ....	954-344-3000
Coral Springs WIC Ctr (See FLORIDA DEPT) .....	954-767-5111
CORRECT CARE RECOVERY SOLUTIONS .....	954-392-3000
South Florida State Hospital	
Court Mediation & Arbitration (See FLORIDA 17TH) .....	954-831-6076
Courthouse (See BROWARD COUNTY COURTHOUSE)	954-831-6565
COVENANT HOUSE FLORIDA .....	954-561-5559
Crisis Intervention Team (See BROWARD REG'L) .....	954-561-9681
Crisis Stabilization Unit (See HENDERSON) .....	954-739-8066
CSU (See HENDERSON) .....	954-739-8066

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Dania Beach Housing (See HOUSING AUTHORITIES) ...	954-920-9662
David Posnack JCC (See JEWISH COMMUNITY CTR) ...	954-434-0499
Davie Family Success (See BROWARD CO FAMILY) ...	954-797-2054
Day Reporting & Reentry (See BROWARD SHERIFF) ...	954-831-5311
DCF (See DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN & FAMILIES) .	954-375-6092
Deerfield Beach Housing (See HOUSING AUTHORITIES)	954-428-0678
DEERFIELD BEACH PARKS AND RECREATION .....	954-480-4433
Westside Park Summer Camp .....	954-480-4481
Teen Center	
Dental Association (See BROWARD COUNTY DENTAL)	954-772-5461
Dental Clinic (See BROWARD COLLEGE) .....	954-201-6779
DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN & FAMILIES .....	954-375-6092
Abuse Hotline .....	800-962-2873
Domestic Violence Hotline .....	800-500-1119
Adult Protective Services (APS) .....	954-375-6093
Substance Abuse and Mental Health .....	954-453-3426
ACCESS Economic Services .....	954-375-3338
Central Broward Service Center	
North Broward Service Center	
Dept of Community (See BROWARD SHERIFF) .....	954-375-6180
DEPT / HIGHWAY SAFETY & MOTOR VEHICLES .	800-303-7288
Driver's License Offices .....	954-497-1570
Dept. of Housing & Urban Development (See HOUSING AUTHORITIES)	
DEPARTMENT OF JUVENILE JUSTICE .....	954-497-2873
Probation and Community Intervention	
Diversion	
Probation	
Juvenile Detention Center .....	954-467-4563
Prevention and Victims Services	
Residential Services	
Broward Girls Academy .....	954-322-6500
Pompano Substance Abuse Treatment Center .....	954-956-5615
Thompson Academy .....	954-967-6300
Juvenile Assessment Center .....	954-467-4600
DIVISION OF BLIND SERVICES .....	954-746-1770
Independent Living Services	
Vocational Rehabilitation Services	
Blind Babies Program	
Braille and Talking Books Library Services	
DJJ (See DEPARTMENT OF JUVENILE JUSTICE) .....	954-497-2873
DMV (See DEPT OF HIGHWAY SAFETY) .....	800-303-7288
Domestic Violence Hotline (See DEPT OF CHILDREN) ...	800-500-1119
Domestic Violence Unit (See STATE ATTORNEY) .....	954-831-7978

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Driver's License Offices (DEPT OF HIGHWAY) .....	954-497-1570
Drop-out Prevention (See IMPACT BROWARD) .....	954-484-7117
Drug Court Treatment (See BROWARD SHERIFF) .....	954-497-3610
EARLY LEARNING COALITION .....	954-377-2188
EASE FOUNDATION .....	954-797-1077
Economic Crime Unit (See STATE ATTORNEY) .....	954-831-7206
Edgar Mills Health Ctr (See FLORIDA DEPT / HEALTH) .	954-467-4700
EGRYS (See GULF COAST JEWISH FAMILY) .....	954-630-4181
Elderly Abuse Unit (See STATE ATTORNEY) .....	954-831-8525
Elderly and Veterans Svcs (See BR. CO. ELDERLY) .....	954-357-6622
Emergency Assistance Service Effort (See EASE) .....	954-797-1077
EQUINE-ASSISTED THERAPIES .....	954-974-2007
E.S.E. (See BROWARD CO. PUBLIC SCHOOLS) .....	754-321-3400
Exceptional Student Ed. (See BR. CO. PUBLIC SCH) ....	754-321-3400
Executive Service Corp (See IMPACT BROWARD) .....	954-484-7117
F.A.C.T. (See HENDERSON) .....	954-485-8888
FAITH FARM MINISTRIES .....	954-763-7787
Men's Residential Program .....	954-463-6214
Families In Need of Services (See CINS/FINS) .....	954-486-4222
FAMILY CENTRAL .....	954-720-1000
Resource & Referral Warm Line .....	954-724-4609
Family Link Program (See GOODMAN JEWISH) .....	954-370-2140
Family Success Ctr (See BROWARD CO. FAMILY) .....	954-357-6367
FAMILY VOICES .....	954-746-2055
FDLRS (See BROWARD CO. PUBLIC SCHOOLS) .....	754-321-2205
Felony Mental Health Court (See FLORIDA 17TH) .....	954-831-7805
Fire Rescue Explorers (See BROWARD SHERIFF) .....	954-831-8200
Firesetter (See BROWARD SHERIFF'S OFFICE) .....	954-831-8210
First Call For Help (See 2-1-1 BROWARD) .....	954-537-0211
First Episode Psychosis Program (See HENDERSON) ...	954-486-4005
FISP (See FLORIDA INITIATIVE) .....	954-384-0344
FLITE CENTER .....	954-530-4686
Florida Diagnostic & Learning (See BR. CO. PUBLIC) ....	754-321-2205
FLORIDA 17TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT COURT .....	954-831-7740
Misdemeanor Drug Court .....	954-831-3576
Misdemeanor Mental Health Court .....	954-831-7240
Felony Mental Health Court .....	954-831-7805
Juvenile Division .....	954-831-6492
Unified Family Court Case Mgmt. ....	954-831-8532
Community Justice Alternatives .....	954-831-7752
Court Mediation & Arbitration .....	954-831-6076
Teen Court .....	954-831-7600

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FLORIDA DEPT OF ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY .....	866-352-2345
Florida Reemployment Office .....	800-204-2418
Special Unemployment Compensation Program	
Disaster Unemployment Assistance	
Trade Readjustment Allowance Program	
Workforce Services	
FLORIDA DEPT. OF HEALTH IN BROWARD COUNTY ..	954-467-4700
Coral Springs WIC Center .....	954-767-5111
Edgar Mills Health Center .....	954-467-4700
Fort Lauderdale Health Center .....	954-467-4700
North Regional Health Center .....	954-467-4700
Oakland Park WIC Center .....	954-767-5111
Paul Hughes Health Center .....	954-467-4700
South Regional Health Center .....	954-467-4700
FLORIDA DEPT. OF TRANSPORTATION .....	954-777-4091
Safe and Mobile Seniors	
FLORIDA INITIATIVE FOR SUICIDE PREVENTION .....	954-384-0344
Sun Program (Solutions Unlimited Now)	
HOPE Clubs (Helping Overcome Problems Effectively)	
Florida Medical Ctr (See NORTH SHORE MEDICAL) .....	954-735-6000
FOOT PRINT TO SUCCESS CLUBHOUSE .....	954-657-8010
FOREST PARK DROP-IN CENTER .....	954-392-3350
Fort Lauderdale Health Ctr (See FLORIDA DEPT) .....	954-467-4700
FORT LAUDERDALE HOSPITAL .....	954-463-4321
Pride Institute .....	954-453-8679
Fort Lauderdale Housing (See HOUSING AUTHORITIES)	954-525-6444
Fort Lauderdale Independence Training (SEE FLITE) .....	954-530-4686
Foster Grandparents (See IMPACT BROWARD) .....	954-484-7117
GATEWAY COMMUNITY OUTREACH .....	954-725-8434
GeoCare (See CORRECT CARE RECOVERY) .....	954-392-3000
GILDA'S CLUB .....	954-763-6776
Noogieland	
Gold Coast Narcotics Anonymous (See NARCOTICS) ....	888-524-1777
GOODMAN JEWISH FAMILY SERVICE .....	954-370-2140
Family Link Program	
Legacy Corps for Veterans and Military Families	
Holocaust Survivors Assistance Program	
Joshua's Path	
GROTTOES OF BROWARD .....	954-864-0215
GUARDIAN AD LITEM .....	954-831-6214
Guided Self-Change Clinic (See NOVA) .....	954-262-5968

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GULF COAST JEWISH FAMILY & COMMUNITY .....	954-630-4181
ARTS (Adult Residential Treatment and Stabilization)	
Young Adult Transition Program	
Alternative Family Program .....	954-809-4758
Older Adult Support Team .....	954-649-3955
HALLANDALE BEACH HUMAN SERVICES .....	954-457-1460
Youth Services	
Senior Activity Center	
HANDS ON BROWARD .....	954-233-1300
H.A.N.D.Y. ....	954-522-2911
HARMONY DEVELOPMENT CENTER .....	954-766-4483
Health Dept (See FLORIDA DEPT OF HEALTH) .....	954-467-4700
Health Info Line (See 2-1-1 BROWARD) .....	954-396-4636
Healthcare for the Homeless (See BROWARD HEALTH)	954-527-6041
Healthy Families Broward (See BROWARD REG'L) .....	954-561-9681
HEALTHY MOTHERS, HEALTHY BABIES COALITION ..	954-765-0550
Cribs for Kids	
Fatherhood Mentorship Program	
Forget Me Not	
Healthy Families	
Mahogany Project	
Mothers Overcoming Maternal Stress (M.O.M.S) Program	
Teen Collaborative Project	
Help Me Grow (See 2-1-1 BROWARD) .....	954-537-0211
Helping Abused, Neglected / Dependent (See HANDY) ..	954-522-2911
HENDERSON BEHAVIORAL HEALTH .....	954-486-4005
Adult Walk-In & Mobile Crisis Response Team .....	954-463-0911
Youth Emergency Services (YES) .....	954-677-3113
Crisis Stabilization Unit (CSU) .....	954-739-8066
Community Support Services	
PATH Project, Forensic & HILL Project .....	954-730-7284
F.A.C.T. ....	954-485-8888
Adult Outpatient & Psychosocial Rehabilitation Services	
New Vistas .....	954-731-1000
Central .....	954-791-4300
South .....	954-921-2600
West .....	954-888-7999
Housing Services .....	954-735-4331
Rainbow Villas .....	954-731-2835
The Summit Apartments .....	954-785-4097
Parkside House .....	954-735-1901
Chalet Apartments .....	954-925-3353

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Student Counseling Services	
NSU Students .....	954-424-6911
Broward College Students .....	954-424-6916
UM-Miller School of Medicine .....	954-424-6868
Family Counseling & Outpatient Program .....	954-735-5100
SOAAR .....	954-735-6624
First Episode Psychosis Program	
HILL Project (See HENDERSON) .....	954-730-7284
HISPANIC UNITY OF FLORIDA .....	954-964-8884
Unity 4 Kids	
HIV Planning Council (See BROWARD REG'L) .....	954-561-9681
Holocaust Survivors (See GOODMAN JEWISH) .....	954-370-2140
Hollywood Housing (See HOUSING AUTHORITIES) .....	954-989-4691
HOLLYWOOD PARKS, RECREATION .....	954-921-3404
Home for the Brave (See BROWARD HOUSING) .....	954-764-2800
Home Touch (See BR. CO. MINORITY BUILDERS) .....	954-792-1121
Homeless Education (See BR. CO. PUBLIC SCHOOLS) .....	754-321-1550
Homeless Helpline (See 2-1-1 BROWARD) .....	954-537-0211
Homeless Initiative (See BR. CO. FAMILY SUCCESS) ...	954-357-5099
Homicide Unit (See STATE ATTORNEY'S OFFICE) .....	954-831-7922
HOPE WOMEN'S CENTERS .....	954-372-7089
Fort Lauderdale Center .....	954-568-2616
Davie Center .....	954-452-9459
North Lauderdale Center .....	954-726-7464
HOPE SOUTH FLORIDA .....	954-566-2311
HOPE OUTREACH CENTER .....	954-321-0909
Horses and the Handicapped (See EQUINE-ASSISTED) .	954-974-2007
HOUSE OF HOPE / STEPPING STONES .....	954-524-8989
HOUSING AUTHORITIES	
Dept. of Housing & Urban Development (See HOUSING AUTHORITIES)	
Broward County Housing Authority .....	954-739-1114
Dania Beach Housing Authority .....	954-920-9662
Deerfield Beach Housing Authority .....	954-428-0678
Fort Lauderdale Housing Authority .....	954-525-6444
Hollywood Housing Authority .....	954-989-4691
Pompano Beach Housing Authority .....	954-785-7200
Housing Choice Voucher (See BR. CO. HOUSING) .....	954-739-1114
Housing Options (See BR. CO. FAMILY SUCCESS) .....	954-357-5099
HUD (See HOUSING AUTHORITIES)	
Hughes Health Ctr (See FLORIDA DEPT OF HEALTH) ...	954-467-4700
Human Rights (See BR. CO. HUMAN RIGHTS) .....	954-357-7800
Human Services (See BR. CO. HUMAN SERVICES) .....	954-357-6385

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I'M THUMBODY / THUMBODY, TOO (Kindergarten) .....	954-746-2055
IMPACT BROWARD .....	954-484-7117
Senior Companion Program	
RELIEF for Caregivers	
Foster Grandparents	
Drop-out Prevention Program	
Retired and Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP)	
Executive Service Corp	
Veterans Helping Veterans	
Students and Teachers Achieving Reading Success	
Imperial Point Medical Center (See BROWARD HEALTH)	954-776-8500
In-Custody Behavioral Svcs (See BROWARD SHERIFF) .	954-831-0248
JACK AND JILL CHILDREN'S CENTER .....	954-463-8772
Parent Enrichment Program .....	954-746-2055
JAFCO (See JEWISH ADOPTION & FOSTER CARE) .....	954-749-7230
JEWISH ADOPTION & FOSTER CARE OPTIONS .....	954-749-7230
Senior Caregiver Program	
JEWISH COMMUNITY CENTERS	
David Posnack JCC .....	954-434-0499
Samuel & Helene Soref JCC .....	954-792-6700
Jewish Family Svc (See GOODMAN JEWISH FAMILY) ..	954-370-2140
Joe DiMaggio Children's Hosp. (See MEMORIAL) .....	954-265-5324
Joshua's Path (See GOODMAN JEWISH FAMILY) .....	954-370-2140
JUBILEE CENTER .....	954-920-0106
JUNIOR ACHIEVEMENT .....	954-979-7100
Juvenile Assessment Ctr (See BROWARD SHERIFF) .....	954-761-2641
Juvenile Assessment Ctr (See DEPT OF JUVENILE) .....	954-467-4600
Juvenile Detention Center (See DEPT OF JUVENILE) .....	954-467-4563
Juvenile Division (See FLORIDA 17TH JUDICIAL) .....	954-831-6492
Juvenile Firesetter (See BROWARD SHERIFF) .....	954-831-8210
KIDS IN DISTRESS .....	954-390-7654
LARKIN COMMUNITY HOSPITAL BEHAVIORAL .....	954-962-1355
Lauderdale Lakes Health Ctr (See BROWARD HEALTH)	954-759-7557
MEMORY DISORDER CENTER .....	954-786-7392

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MENTAL HEALTH ASSOCIATION OF SE FL .....	954-746-2055
Connections	
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Consumer Support	
Continuing Education (CEU)	
Cooperative Parenting & Divorce (Co-Parenting)	
Family Voices	
I'm Thumbody (2nd Grade) & Thumbody, Too (Kindergarten)	
Listen to Children (MHA Listeners)	
Live Your Life Well	
National Institute of Mental Health (NIMH) Outreach Partnership	
9Muses Art Center	
9Muses Member Line .....	954-746-9162
Parent Education & Parent Support (PEPS)	
Parenting Enrichment Classes	
PROSPER	
Peers Reaching Out Support Partners for Emotional Recovery	
Public Policy Initiatives	
Seth Line Peer Support Warm Line .....	954-578-5640
MHASEFL (See MENTAL HEALTH ASSOCIATION) .....	954-746-2055
MHA Listeners (See LISTEN TO CHILDREN) .....	954-746-2055
Mills Health Center (See FLORIDA DEPT OF HEALTH) ..	954-467-4700
Minority Builders Coalition (See BR. CO. MINORITY) .....	954-792-1121
MINORITY DEVELOPMENT & EMPOWERMENT .....	954-315-4530
Misdemeanor Diversion (See STATE ATTORNEY) .....	954-357-5900
Misdemeanor Drug Court (See FLORIDA 17TH) .....	954-831-3576
Misdemeanor Mental Health Court (See FLORIDA 17TH)	954-831-7240
Mobile Crisis Response Team (See HENDERSON) .....	954-463-0911
MONARCH CARE .....	954-720-2485
MOUNT BETHEL HUMAN SERVICES .....	954-763-5010
CINS/FINS (Children in Need of Svcs/Families in Need of Svcs)	
New Vision Community Development Corporation	
Foster Home Management	
Family Resource Center .....	954-768-0920
NANCY J. COTTERMAN CENTER .....	954-357-5775
Crisis Intake Unit	
Counseling Unit	
Child Protection Teams	
NAMI BROWARD .....	954-316-9907
NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS	
Gold Coast Narcotics Anonymous .....	888-524-1777
South Broward Narcotics Anonymous .....	954-967-6755

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National Inst. of MH OPP (See MENTAL HEALTH ASSN)	954-746-2055
Neighborhood Services (See BROWARD SHERIFF) .....	954-321-4100
NEW DIRECTION INSTITUTE .....	954-748-8444
New Vistas (See HENDERSON) .....	954-731-1000
Central .....	954-791-4300
South .....	954-921-2600
West .....	954-888-7999
NIMH Outreach (See MENTAL HEALTH ASSN) .....	954-746-2055
Nine Muses Art Center (See 9MUSES ART CENTER) ....	954-746-2055
Nine Muses Member Line (See 9MUSES ART CTR) .....	954-746-9162
Noble A. McArtor Senior Day Care (See SUNSERVE) ....	954-764-5055
Noogieland (See GILDA'S CLUB) .....	954-763-6776
North Broward Hospital District (See BR. HEALTH) .....	954-473-7458
North Broward Medical Ctr (See BROWARD HEALTH) ...	954-941-8300
North Region Family Success (See BR. CO. FAMILY) ....	954-357-5340
North Regional Court (See BR. CO. COURTHOUSE) .....	954-831-1209
North Regional Health Ctr (See FL. DEPT OF HEALTH) ..	954-467-4700
NORTH SHORE MEDICAL CENTER, FMC CAMPUS .....	954-735-6000
Northwest Family Success (See BR. CO. FAMILY) .....	954-357-5000
NOVA SOUTHEASTERN UNIVERSITY .....	800-541-6682
Psychology Services Center .....	954-262-5730
Guided Self-Change Clinic .....	954-262-5968
Samuel L. Ziff Medical Health Center .....	954-678-2273
Pharmacy .....	954-262-4550
Dental Clinic .....	954-262-7500
Eye Care Institute - Pediatrics .....	954-262-4200
University of Miami/NSU .....	954-678-2273
Center for Autism & Related Disorders (C.A.R.D.)	
Adolescent Drug Abuse Prevention and Treatment ....	954-262-5730
ADHD Assessment, Consultation & Treatment .....	954-262-5730
Brief Therapy Institute .....	954-262-3032
Child, Adolescent and Family Services .....	954-262-5730
Child and Adolescent Traumatic Stress Program .....	954-262-5730
Family Violence Program	
School Psychology Assessment and Consultation ...	954-262-5730
NSU Audiology Clinic .....	954-262-7754
NSU Clinic for Speech, Language .....	954-262-7726
Community Resolution Services .....	954-262-4237
AHEC Tobacco Program .....	877-848-6696
Oakland Park WIC Ctr (See FL. DEPT OF HEALTH) .....	954-767-5111
Office of the Public Guardian (See BARRY UNIVERSITY)	954-862-3655
OIC OF SOUTH FLORIDA .....	954-563-3535
Older Adult Support (See GULF COAST JEWISH) .....	954-649-3955

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Ombudsman Council (See BR. CO. LONG-TERM) .....	954-597-2266
Opportunities Industrialization Ctrs (See OIC) .....	954-563-3535
OUR CHILDREN OUR FUTURE .....	954-929-7517
OUR FATHER'S HOUSE .....	954-968-7550
Outreach Partnership (See MENTAL HEALTH ASSN) ....	954-746-2055
PACE CENTER FOR GIRLS .....	954-561-6939
DAY Program (Diversion Alternatives for Youth)	
PACE Reach	
PAL (See BROWARD SHERIFF'S OFFICE) .....	954-831-8900
Pantry of Broward (See THE PANTRY OF BROWARD) ..	954-358-1481
Paratransit (See BROWARD COUNTY TRANSIT) .....	866-682-2258
PARENT EDUCATION & PARENT SUPPORT (PEPS) ...	954-746-2055
PARENT ENRICHMENT CLASSES .....	954-746-2055
PARENT'S INFORMATION & RESOURCE CENTER .....	954-785-8285
Parents As Teachers (See ACHIEVEMENT & REHAB) ...	954-746-9400
Parks and Recreation (See BROWARD CO. PARKS) ....	954-357-8100
Parkside House (See HENDERSON) .....	954-735-1901
PATH Project (See HENDERSON) .....	954-730-7284
Paul Hughes Health Ctr. (See FL. DEPT OF HEALTH) ....	954-467-4700
PEAC (See MEMORIAL HEALTHCARE SYSTEM) .....	954-265-6310
Peers Reaching Out: Support Partners (See PROSPER)	954-746-2055
Peer Support Warm Line (See SETH LINE) .....	954-578-5640
PEMBROKE PINES (City of) .....	954-435-6500
Special Populations Programs .....	954-435-3660
Recreation & Cultural Arts .....	954-392-2130
Community Services .....	954-450-6888
Transitional Independent Living .....	954-894-4598
Pines Point .....	954-450-6960
PEPS (See PARENT EDUCATION/PARENT SUPPORT)	954-746-2055
Preschool Education (See ACHIEVEMENT & REHAB) ...	954-746-9400
PLANTATION GENERAL HOSPITAL .....	954-587-5010
The Center for Behavioral Health .....	954-257-0062
Police Athletic League (See BROWARD SHERIFF) .....	954-831-8900
Pompano Adult Primary Care (See BROWARD HEALTH)	954-786-5901
Pompano Beach Housing (See HOUSING) .....	954-785-7200
Pompano Beach Vet Center (See VET CENTER) .....	954-984-1669
Pompano Pediatric Primary (See BROWARD HEALTH) ..	954-785-4273
Pompano Prenatal Care (See BROWARD HEALTH) .....	954-785-4273
Pompano Prenatal Care (See BROWARD HEALTH) .....	954-785-4273
Pompano Substance Abuse (See DEPT OF JUVENILE) .	954-956-5615
Positive Healthcare Florida (See AIDS HEALTHCARE) ...	954-522-3132
Posnack JCC (See JEWISH COMMUNITY CENTER) .....	954-434-0499

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POVERELLO CENTER .....	954-561-3663
Poverello Live Well Center .....	954-563-1229
Prevention & Intervention (See BROWARD SHERIFF) .....	954-831-8900
PRIDE CENTER .....	954-463-9005
Pride Institute (See FORT LAUDERDALE HOSPITAL) ....	954-453-8679
PROSPER .....	954-746-2055
Psychiatric Emergency Assessment (See MEMORIAL) ..	954-254-6310
Public Corruption Unit (See STATE ATTORNEY) .....	954-831-7487
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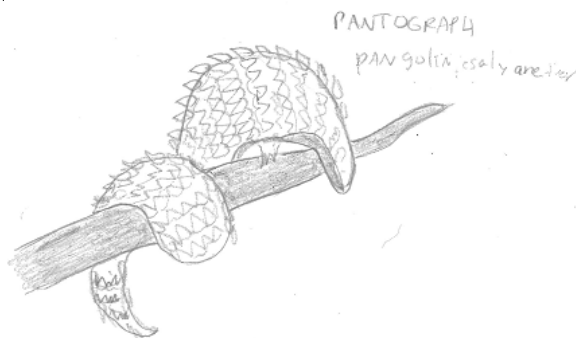
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## *The Legacy of* **Alana Segall**

Alana Segall was born in Vienna, Austria and raised in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. While doing volunteer nursing with the Broward County chapter of the American Red Cross, Alana discovered 9Muses Art Center while looking through the *Connections* guidebook. Through 9Muses, Alana had reconnected with her creative side. She had long ago dabbled in painting, writing and music, but her artistic impulses faded until she stumbled upon 9Muses. The talented minds she encountered at 9Muses inspire her to share her love of art with her four grandchildren.

Often having worked in watercolor, Alana also frequently painted in acrylic and occasionally attempted oil painting and pastels. Her subjects included animals, people, and scenes of nature. Mothers and children frequently appear in her work, as do elegant dancers and undersea creatures, especially sea turtles. Despite the varied nature of her subject matter, her works are unified by a sense of love, companionship, and hope. She also participated in the Ceramics program at 9Muses, and had recently shown off her poetry skills at 9Muses' monthly Creativity Café event.

Unfortunately, Alana passed away in 2015 while not only being a member of 9Muses but also MHASEFL's Board of Directors' Secretary. She leaves behind a legacy of art and volunteerism.

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*Our "Connections" cover features an acrylic  
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