Resources

Suicide Prevention and Survivor Hotline
(24 hours/7 days)
Los Angeles/Orange/Ventura/San Bernardino/Riverside/Imperial Counties:
English – (800) 273-8255
Spanish – (888) 628-9454

Additional:
CrisisChat.org

Text Crisis Line
Text START to 741-741
www.Crisistextline.org

Substance Abuse Hotline
(888)742-7900
publichealth.lacounty.gov/sape/findtreatment.htm

California Youth Crisis Hotline
(24 hours/7 days)
(800) 843-5200
www.Calyouth.org

Veteran’s Crisis Line
Veterans Crisis Line: (800) 273-8255 Press 1
www.veteranscrisisline.net

Cohen Military Family Clinic
(619) 345-4611
cohenveterans network.org

National Alliance on Mental Illness
NAMI in LA County (213) 386-3615
(800) 950-NAMI (6264)
www.namilacc.org

Los Angeles Gay and Lesbian Center
(323) 993-7400
www.thecenterlv.org

Los Angeles LGBT Center
(323) 993-7669
www.lalgbtcenter.org/mental_health_services

Family Services
(888) 683-5084 Toll Free
info@thevillagefps.org

Autism Society of Los Angeles
(242) 299-1531/ Warmline:(310) 853-2151
www.AutismLA.org

Women and Children Crisis Shelter
(562) 945-3939
www.wccshope.org

Systemwide Mental Assessment Response Team
(SMART)
SMART was established to prevent unnecessary incarceration and/or hospitalization, provide alternate care in the least restrictive environment and to support patrol.

Case Assessment Management Program
(CAMP)
CAMP was established as a follow-up program for SMART. The focus of CAMP is to investigate high utilizers of emergency service, use of force, targeted school violence, incidents with increasing risk behavior, incidents involving weapons, and to help link individuals to resources.

Los Angeles Police Department Mental Evaluation Unit
100 West 1st Street
Room 630
Los Angeles, CA 90012

Social Media:
FB: facebook.com/lapdmeu
Twitter: @lapdmeu
Instagram: @lapdmeu
CALL 911

When your family is experiencing an emergency that puts yourself, your loved one, and/or the public in immediate danger, call 911.

While speaking to the 911 dispatcher use the 911 Checklist to provide helpful information to the responding Officers.

LAPD will send a patrol unit to stabilize the crisis and detain the loved one for a mental health evaluation. During the detention officers will handcuff the loved one for everyone’s safety and because it is LAPD’s policy.

“Statistics show that when officers handcuff a person who is in crisis, the application of force by officers is significantly reduced.”

When the scene is stabilized, a Systemwide Mental Assessment Response Team (SMART) unit will respond, if available, to provide mental health assistance.

CALL ACCESS (800)854-7771

For psychiatric emergency incidents involving mental illness that do not require a 911 response, please call ACCESS 24/7.

When you call ACCESS a Psychiatric Mobile Response Team (PMRT) will respond, if available, to your location.

ACCESS is a Department of Mental Health service for all members of the Los Angeles County community.

Department of Mental Health Clinics

Central Los Angeles
Northeast Mental Health 3303 N. Broadway, LA, CA 90031 (323) 478-8200

Downtown Mental Health 529 Maple Ave, LA, CA 90013 (213) 430-6700

South Los Angeles
Long Beach Mental Health 1975 Long Beach Blvd, LA, CA 90806 (562) 599-9280

San Pedro Mental Health Clinic 150 W 7th St San Pedro, CA 90731 (310) 519-6100

San Fernando Valley
San Fernando Mental Health 10605 Balboa Blvd, Granada Hills, CA 91344 (818) 832-2400

West Valley Mental Health Center 7621 Canoga Ave, Canoga Park, CA 91304 (818) 598-6900

West Los Angeles
Edelman West Side Mental Health Center 11080 W. Olympic Blvd, LA, CA 90064 (310) 966-6500

Didi Hirsch Community Mental Health 4760 S. Sepulveda Bl. Culver City, CA 90230 (310) 895-2300

Additional information
http://dmh.lacounty.gov/wps/portal/dmh/our_services

Develop a Care Plan

National Alliance on Mental Illness

NAMI helps families and consumers by offering Education, Advocacy, Support and Resources.

Find HELP, Find HOPE
CALL (800)950-6264
www.namilacc.org

211 is a service that can link you to countywide programs. When struggling to find answers for a family member that may be suffering from mental illness, this toll-free phone number is a great place to start.

When you call, expect to follow a few automated prompts before you speak to a person.

What is a 5150 Hold?

During a mental health crisis, officers/clinicians will detain the subject to determine if he/she meets the criteria for a 5150 WIC application for a 72-hour hold. Subjects will be assessed for the danger they pose to themselves, danger they pose to others, and for grave disability. The officer’s determination will be based on physical evidence, the subject’s history, the subject’s statements, and reliable witness statements.