211 Program - United Way
National Resource

Service Details

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Georgia

Additional Information

Program Details

The 2-1-1 United Way Program allows for one easy-to-remember telephone number, 211, that connects people with important community services and volunteer opportunities, where available. Each community’s 2-1-1 is individually run and each maintains its own databases of community resources. However, while specific services vary from community to community, 2-1-1 generally provides callers with information and referrals to local human services for everyday needs and emergency needs in times of crisis. These resources may include any or all of the following: Basic Human Needs -- food banks, clothing closets, shelters, rent assistance, utility assistance, disaster relief - Physical and Mental Health -- health insurance programs, Medicaid and Medicare, maternal health, Children's Health Insurance Program, medical information lines, crisis intervention services, suicide hotlines, support groups, counseling, drug and alcohol intervention and rehabilitation - Employment Supports -- financial assistance, job training, transportation assistance, education programs - Support for Older Americans and Persons with Disabilities -- adult day care, congregate meals, Meals on Wheels, respite care, home health care, transportation, homemaker services - Support for Children, Youth and Families -- childcare, after school programs, Head Start, family resource centers, summer camps and recreation programs, mentoring, tutoring, protective services - Housing and Utilities -- find emergency shelters for individuals and families in crisis, new house housing, utilities assistance, or financial support for much-needed home repairs - Health -- information about health care services for infants and new parents, and child care services for working parents. Also medical, dental, mental health or in-home health care - Volunteer Opportunities and Donations For those looking to get or give help, the Web site’s 2-1-1 Finder locates the comprehensive 2-1-1 information and referral call center that serves a particular area. NOTE: 2-1-1 is not yet in ALL communities nationwide. Call or visit their website for a list of communities served.

Location Information

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May vary from one community to another.

Contact Information

Phone: (000)000-0000
Dialing Instructions: 211 is the direct phone number for all communities.
Pref Contact Method: Website

Additional Information

Cost/Fees:
Eligibility/Procedures:
Website: http://211.org
Languages: English, Translators Available
Your American Cancer Society compiled this information as a public service. Our goal is to provide a comprehensive list. Inclusion should not be viewed as an endorsement of these organizations and programs by your American Cancer Society. Before attending a meeting, please verify the meeting time and date. Should you experience difficulties with any of these resources, please call your local American Cancer Society office.

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