



WillfindUhelp.org

CRISIS LINE OF WILL / GRUNDY COUNTY

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Is a publicly searchable website designed to give you access to community resources, such as agency, program and service information.

Options include the ability to skim through resources by the category of services that are offered, such as health care, education, or substance use. Additionally, as you navigate the website you'll find an option to enter a keyword and search for exactly what you need.

Help is just a click away!

24 HOURS A DAY

- Bolingbrook** 630.759.4555
- Peotone**..... 708.258.3333
- Mokena**..... 708.479.1399
- Joliet**..... 815.722.3344
- Frankfort**..... 815.469.6166
- Wilmington**..... 815.476.6969
- New Lenox** 815.485.7366
- Grundy County**..... 815.942.6611

Crisis Line

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Administration

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Crisisline247.org

Or

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CRISIS LINE

serving
Will & Grundy Counties



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or click away!**

Mission Statement

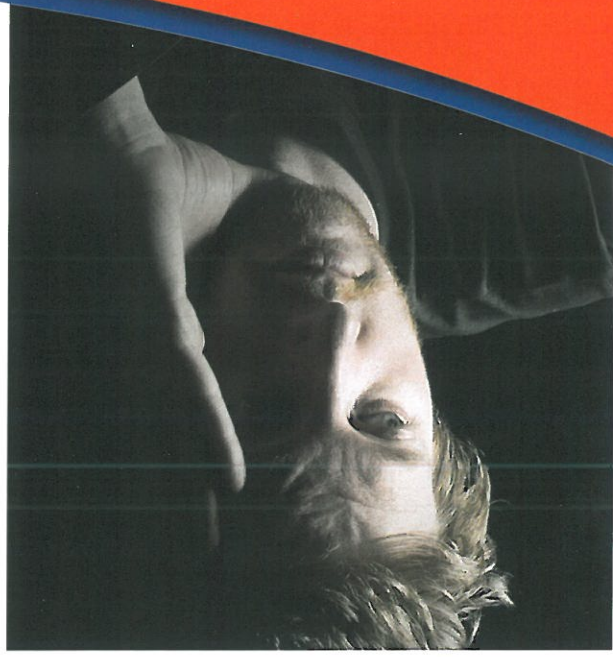
Crisis Line is dedicated to providing help to people in need.

History of Crisis Line

Crisis Line was developed in response to the economic problems that were generated by plant layoffs and shutdowns that occurred in the 1970's. These economic problems were causing stress, depression and other serious problems for individuals and families. Crisis Line's purpose was acting as a clearing house for information of available social services. Telephone counseling to individuals with personal or family problems and Suicide Prevention and Intervention.

Crisis Line was incorporated in 1976 in Will County and later became incorporated in 1979 in Grundy County. Crisis Line became accredited through the American Association of Suicidology (AAS) in 1988.

Crisis Line's 24 hour, 7 day a week comprehensive suicide hotline is manned by trained volunteers from the community.



Services

Telephone Counseling

Providing non-directive, non-judgmental phone counseling for all subjects. We are available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

Suicide Prevention & Intervention

Accredited through the American Association of Suicidology. Volunteer operators apply strategies that help to reduce the incidence and prevalence of suicidal behaviors.

Reassurance Calls

Every day, our staff of volunteers make numerous calls to the elderly, handicapped and homebound with a friendly chat to check on their wellbeing or medication reminder. This support helps individuals to stay independent in their own homes.

Suicide Prevention & Intervention Workshops

Crisis Line staff provide workshops to schools, parent groups, churches and organizations that focus on recognizing warning signs of suicidal behaviors and depression.

Information and Referral

When a person is facing a difficult situation, Crisis Line is just a call or click away! Individuals can call and speak to a volunteer operator who can provide information or referrals for assistance or individuals can access a website directory of services by going to

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Become a Volunteer



Interested in becoming a volunteer?

Training is provided by Crisis Line staff and other local mental health providers.

This training is a 5 week program that includes 30 hours of classroom training in behavioral health, suicide prevention and intervention, emergency procedures, family issues, substance abuse, the structure of community services and the techniques of non-directive counseling. With an additional 12 hours of hotline training with an experienced operator.

