Opportunties for Service In and Around Tallahassee

Crisis & Counseling

2-1-1 Big Bend

2-1-1 Big Bend is a non-profit organization of 5 hotlines that provide free, short-term counseling, crisis intervention, information, and community referrals.

www.211bigbend.org

Big Bend Hospice

Big Bend Hospice provides physical, emotional, psychological, social, practical and spiritual care for terminally ill patients and their families.

www.bigbendhospice.org

Brehon Institute for Family Services

Established in 1978, Brehon's mission is to improve the lives of children and their families by providing services that produce healthy babies and prevent child abuse and neglect.

http://www.brehoninstitute.org/

Capital Area Community Action Agency, Inc.

Capital Area Community Action Agency, Inc. is a private non-profit agency providing comprehensive services and advocacy to help low-income families in; Leon, Gadsden, Gulf, Jefferson, Calhoun, Liberty, and Franklin overcome poverty and gain financial independence.

http://www.cacaainc.org/

Consumer Credit Counseling Service of Greater Atlanta, Inc.

Consumer Credit Counseling Service of Central Florida and the Florida Gulf Coast is a 501 (c) (3) nonprofit organization that helps individuals and families of all backgrounds and income levels avoid and conquer financial crisis. However, a majority of the clients we help are low-to moderate-income.

www.credability.org

Crack Cocaine Self-Help Group

To provide substance abuse counseling through empowerment.

DISC Village Prevention Services Unit

The Prevention Unit provides school-based and community-based substance abuse programs. The Regional Prevention Center services provide advocacy, training, technical assistance and universal prevention services through the Keep Kids Drug Free initiative (KKDF). Proceeds from the sale of KKDF license tags allow for the employment a Regional Prevention Coordinator to provide these services.

www.discvillage.com

Lee's Place

Lee's Place addresses a broad spectrum of loss, including divorce, abandonment (foster care children and adoptees), life transitions and death. Additionally, the staff at Lee's Place provides education to schools, community groups and professional organizations on a variety of loss issues and coping strategies.

www.leesplace.org

Mothers in Crisis

Mothers in Crisis, Inc. links families and communities together to create networks of support and encouragement for families to live drug free lives.

Planned Parenthood

To provide low cost reproductive services, annual exams and STD testing to men and women. To provide education resources to the community and work to decrease unintended pregnancy and sexually transmitted disease.

www.plannedparenthood.org/north-florida

Pregnancy Help and Information Center (PHI Center)

The Pregnancy Help and Information Center is a community-based, non-profit organization, existing to provide aid and comfort to any woman facing pregnancy, childbirth, or parenting under stressful circumstances. All of our services are free, non-judgmental, compassionate, and confidential.

www.phicenter.org

Refuge House

Rape crisis and battered women's program; offeres safe shelter for battered women (married and unmarried) and their children. Training required (40 hrs). Volunteer positions include courthouse advocates to help victims get injunctions, children's volunteers to conduct therapeutic activities for children of bettered women, outreach and support volunteers to assist with support group activitities, and clerical volunteers.

www.refugehouse.com

Ronald McDonald House

Ronald McDonald House Family Place serves as a home away from home for families who have children in a hospital in the Tallahassee area. Many volunteers are needed each week to see that the house operates smoothly and is a comfortable, warm and friendly place for families in crisis. many good droup opportunities exist. Volunteer opportunities vary. If you are friendly, practical and cheerful give us a call!

www.rmhctallahassee.org

Victim Advocate Program (FSU)

The Victim Advocate Program at FSU uses volunteers in facilitating educational presentations to the FSU community on issues such as sexual assault, dating violence, and harassment as a victim advocate player; Staffing info booths at "Stop Rape Week", "Safe Week", and others; office assistance and special projects.

http://victimadvocate.fsu.edu/