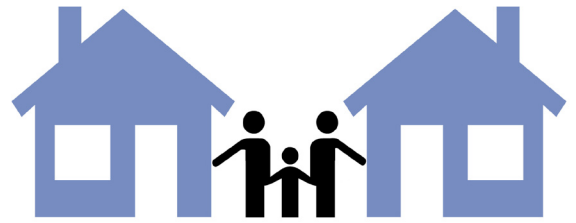


GET HELP ... RIGHT NOW

Neighbor-to-Neighbor



LifeLine

WHAT IS NEIGHBOR-TO-NEIGHBOR LIFELINE?

United Way of Greater New Haven and The Jewish Federation of Greater New Haven have joined together to help the growing number of families and individuals who find themselves facing food and housing insecurity in this economic downturn. Our organizations share a commitment to improving lives and an ability to mobilize caring people in times of need. We believe that together we can achieve more for our shared community than either organization could achieve alone. In short, our combined efforts will result in more people being able to receive help right now.

2-1-1

Get Connected. Get Answers.

Our database contains over 5,500 health and human service providers, 16,000 sites, and more than 50,000 service-sites to help meet your needs. To find the service you need, dial 2-1-1 from anywhere in Connecticut to speak to a specialist or visit www.211infoline.org. 2-2-1 is available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

BEHIND ON YOUR MORTGAGE PAYMENT OR FACING FORECLOSURE?

- CT Housing Finance Authority - (877)571-CHFA.
- Mortgage Foreclosure Assistance - (877) 472-8313
- Home Ownership Preservation Foundation - 1-888-995-HOPE or visit www.995hope.com.
- The Real Options, Overcoming Foreclosure (ROOF) Project - visit www.theroofproject.org (New Haven only).

RECENTLY LOST YOUR JOB OR WORRIED ABOUT LAY-OFFS?

- The Connecticut Department of Labor can help you learn more about your legal rights, education and training, unemployment benefits as well as explore jobs by visiting www.ctdol.state.ct.us/ or call (860) 263-6000.
- The Connecticut Regional Workforce Alliance can help you learn more about available career resources visit www.workforcealliance.biz or calling (203) 867-4030.

LOOKING FOR FOOD ASSISTANCE?

- Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program - visit www.ct.gov/dss/cwp/view.asp.
- 2-1-1 provides resources around food needs in our community, including food pantries and soup kitchens, WIC, food banks, farmer's markets and school lunch and breakfast programs. Please visit www.infoline.org/focus/hunger.asp for assistance.

HAVING TROUBLE PAYING THE UTILITY BILLS?

Visit www.hud.gov/local/ct/renting/energyprgms.cfm for helpful resources around fuel and weatherization assistance, discounted home heating oil programs, emergency energy assistance as well as making your home more energy efficient.

