

988 National Suicide and Crisis Lifeline

Alachua County Crisis Center





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24/7 Local Crisis Line: 352-264-6789

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24/7 Mobile Crisis Response

Counseling Services

311 Critical Information Line

Survivors of Suicide Group

Community Outreach & Training

988 History



**8.6 million calls, texts, & chats since
launch on July 16, 2022.**

When to dial 211, 911, and 988?

211

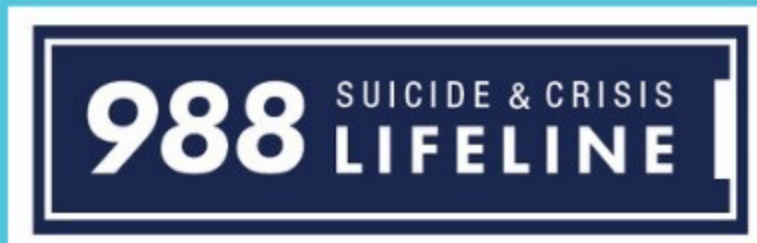
Connections to community resources, emotional support, and crisis intervention

911

Emergencies: medical, fire, and police

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Crisis: mental health, substance use, and suicide



Types of Support

**Immediate
crisis
intervention**

**Suicide
prevention**

**Emotional
support**

**Connection to
resources**

More Than 988: Future Plans for HB 1477

Support for people in crisis can't end with a phonecall. HB1477 goes beyond the establishment of 988.

Someone to Call

The establishment of a 24/7, easy-to-remember 988 lifeline gives people a reliable place to call for support during a crisis.

Someone to Respond

988 calls reach trained counselors. Specific lifelines will support groups at higher risk of suicide, including American Indian people and veterans.

A Place to Go

Future technological improvements will provide operators with real-time information from service providers to help arrange follow-up care for callers.

Questions?

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