

988 & 911 WHAT'S THE DIFFERENCE?

988

PURPOSE

A personal mental health or substance use crisis.

SERVICES

Immediate assistance and connection to any necessary additional services, only as requested by person initiating the call.

911

PURPOSE

Physical dangers, often related to accidents or criminal activity.

SERVICES

Immediate response by police, fire department or emergency medical service.

For every crisis, a continuum of care.

Built around a three-pillar system, 988 Indiana gives those in need Someone to Contact, Someone to Respond and a Safe Place for Help.

Experiencing a mental health or substance use crisis?

Call, text or chat 988.



Want more information?
Scan the QR code.



WHEN YOU NEED
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Someone to Contact

Individuals contacting 988 talk to a trained crisis specialist. Specialists are prepared to help anyone experiencing suicidal thoughts or other mental health or substance use crises.



Someone to Respond

When needed, individuals contacting 988 can receive face-to-face assistance from a small team of mental health specialists.



A Safe Place for Help

If mutually agreed, individuals contacting 988 can be transported to a local safe place to receive short-term assistance with a goal of stabilization and preparation for return to their community.