

veryday thousands of people in our area struggle to buy healthy food, find affordable child care, secure a job that pays the bills, find access to healthcare and other essential needs. United Way of the Big Bend is here to help.

Just as you would call 9-1-1 for emergencies, you can call **2-1-1** for human services information and assistance.

Get Connected..

United Way works with **2-1-1** to help provide referrals to a wide variety of community services in the Big Bend Region. Services such as:

- Clothing
- Crisis Counseling
- Child Developmental & Behavioral Concerns
- Disability Screening & Services
- Employment Services
- Emotional Support Services/Counseling
- Family Planning
- Food Pantries

- Grief &Loss
- Health Services
- Housing/Shelter
- Legal Services
- Legal Services
- Suicide Prevention
- Substance Abuse
- Troubled Teens
- Transportation and much more!

2-1-1 is available 24 hours a day. You do not have to be in crisis to call, there are no eligibility criteria, and **services are free**.

COMMON CONCERNS*	
Housing	5,595
Disaster Services	2,978
Utilities	2,064
Food/Meals	1,916
Medical/Dental	1,367
Mental Health	1,235
Information Services	1,142
Personal/Household Needs	892
Legal/Criminal Justice	857
Indiv/Fam/Comm Support	698
Suicide	221
*Callers often have more than 1 concern	

19,007
TOTAL CALLS

