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We are happy to provide the attached *Youth Violence Prevention Resource Guide* which describes various services, programs and other resources currently available for youth in suburban Cook County, Illinois. This document, an outcome of the work of the *WePLAN for Action* Youth Violence Prevention Task Force, is a compilation of information gained through face to face meetings, community outreach and program information solicitation requests. The Task Force produced this reference document in order for individuals and agencies to easily identify youth violence prevention resources.

In addition, this resource guide contains an attachment for you to add or update current information on youth violence prevention resources in suburban Cook County. The resource guide will be updated and distributed annually.

Please share this document and, if possible, inform our Office of Violence Prevention Coordination of whom you've shared it with; this will help us measure the distribution of the document. If desired, we can provide a simple tracking form for you to record distribution points. Please contact the Director of the Office of Violence Prevention Coordination, Monique Brunson, at (708) 492-2142 or by email at mbrunson@cookcountygov.com for a copy of this form or to ask questions or provide any other comments.

Many thanks to the Youth Violence Prevention Task Force members for their time and efforts in creating this document and thank you for the work you do to address youth violence in suburban Cook County.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Stephen A. Martin, Jr.'.

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Chief Operating Officer

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*“It takes a village
to raise a child.”*



2009 Resource Directory

for Youth Violence Prevention
in Suburban Cook County

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TASK FORCE

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wePlan Youth Violence Prevention Resource Directory

Description: wePlan for Action (2005-2010)

wePlan is the implementation of a community health plan based on an extensive assessment conducted in partnership with community leaders, providers and residents of suburban Cook County. Using MAPP (Mobilizing for Action through Planning and Partnerships) a nationally recognized planning process facilitated by the Cook County Department of Public Health (CCDPH), three priority health indicators were identified:

- Youth Violence
- Access to Care
- Chronic Disease

The overall purpose for wePlan is to lead a regional effort committed to improving the health of suburban Cook County residents. As a result, taskforces were created to address each of the priority health indicators listed above.

Overview: we Plan Youth Violence Prevention Taskforce

The wePlan Youth Violence Prevention Taskforce (YVP) is comprised of a diverse group of community based organizations with the goal of preventing and reducing youth violence by strengthening community protective factors. YVP's mission is to expand services, programs and agency partnerships throughout suburban Cook County by conducting the following:

- Identifying effective strategic approaches to youth violence prevention
- Promoting coordination, cooperation and collaboration among all agencies providing violence prevention services to youth and families, and;
- Expanding membership by recruiting additional community partners.

In 2007, the wePlan Youth Violence Prevention Task Force was convened. The concept of developing a comprehensive resource directory listing violence youth violence prevention programs and services derived from a series of meetings held by the committee. The result is the development of the 2009 wePlan Youth Violence Prevention Resource Directory.

wePlan Youth Violence Prevention Resource Directory

About the Resource Guide

The YVP Resource Guide was created in conjunction with past and present committee members. The purpose of this directory is to assist individuals & families in locating violence prevention programs, services, educational and recreational opportunities that are available throughout suburban Cook County. Services and resources offered in this directory have been organized by location; South, West and North suburban regions of Cook County. They are also categorized in the following groups:

1. Mentoring Programs and Services
2. Arts and Recreational Services/Activities
3. Career Planning, Guidance and Employment Services
4. Counseling, Mental Health, Domestic Violence and Crisis Counseling
5. Violence Prevention Programs

The wePlan Youth Violence Taskforce understands that from time to time specific information pertaining to organizations location, telephone numbers operating hours and services are subject to change per the discretion of each individual organization. Please contact the organization directly regarding the location and span of resources they provide before accessing services.

South Suburban Cook County Agencies and Resources

Municipalities

Alsip
Bridgeview
Calumet City
Chicago Ridge
Dixmoor
Evergreen Park
Glenwood
Hickory Hills
Justice
Lynwood
Merrionette Park
Oak Lawn
Palos Heights
Park Forest
Richton Park
Sauk Village
Steger
Worth

Bedford Park
Burbank
Calumet Park
Country Club Hills
Dolton
Flossmoor
Harvey
Hometown
Lansing
Markham
Midlothian
Olympia Fields
Palos Hills
Phoenix
Riverdale
South Chicago Heights
Thornton

Blue Island
Burnham
Chicago Heights
Crestwood
East Hazel Crest
Ford Heights
Hazel Crest
Homewood
Lemont
Matteson
Oak Forest
Orland Park
Palos Park
Posen
Robbins
South Holland
Tinley Park

wePlan Youth Violence Prevention Resource Directory

Mentoring

Organization: The Link and Option Center
Address: 15652 Homan Avenue
City, State, Zip: Markham, Illinois 60428
Telephone: (708) 331-4880
Website: www.link-option.com
Types of Services: after school programs, college preparatory, mentoring, and tutoring

Organization: Aunt Martha's Services Inc. Teen Reach
Address: 440 Forest Blvd
City, State, Zip: Park Forest, Illinois 60466
Telephone: (708) 679-8000
Website: www.auntmarthas.org
Types of Services: Tutoring, recreation, mentoring, substance abuse prevention, life skills education and parental activities

Arts and Recreation

Agency: Aunt Martha's Youth Services Inc. Club Exposure
Address: 440 Forest Blvd
City, State, Zip: Park Forest, Illinois 60466
Telephone: (708) 679-8000
Website: www.auntmarthas.org
Types of Services: self-esteem building, cultural pride youth empowerment by learning about the history of Hip-Hop culture, rap music, break dancing, and aerosol artwork

Agency: Girls Scouts of South Cook County
Address: 1005 West 175th Street
City, State, Zip: Homewood, Illinois 60430
Telephone: (708) 957-8100
Fax: (708) 957-8506
Website: www.girlscouts-scc.org
Types of Services: Informal Leadership Development Program for girls 5-17 years old, Prevention Programs, Recreational Programs

Agency: Building Your Own Community
Address: 14200 Chicago Road, Suite. 214
City, State, Zip: Dolton, Illinois
Telephone: (708) 849-3237
Website:
Types of Services: Life skills education, academic assistance, career training role model involvement; recreation, sports, music, cultural and artistic activities

Agency: The Link and Option Center
Address: 15652 Homan Avenue
City, State, Zip: Markham, Illinois 60428
Telephone: (708) 331-4880
Website: www.link-option.com
Types of Services: youth after school programs, college preparatory, mentoring, and tutoring

Agency: Boys and Girls Club of America
Address:
City, State, Zip: Ford Heights, Illinois
Telephone: (708) 758-1960
Website:
Types of Services: education, environment, health, arts, careers, alcohol/drug and pregnancy prevention, gang prevention, leadership development and athletics

Agency: Evergreen Park Youth Commission
Address: 3450 West 95th Street
City, State, Zip: Evergreen Park, Illinois 60805
Telephone: (708) 229-3377
Website:
Types of Services: Recreational Programs, Employment Assistance, Emergency Shelter, Referral Services

Agency: Twin Lake Camp, Inc
Address: 2557 Indiana Avenue
City, State, Zip: Lansing, Illinois 60438
Telephone: (708) 889-9086
Website: www.twinlakescampinc.com
Types of Services: Recreational Programs, Speakers Bureau

Agency: Orland Township Youth and Family Services Department
Address: 14671 West Avenue
City, State, Zip: Orland Park, Illinois 60462
Telephone: (708) 403-4001
Website:
Types of Services: Counseling, Crisis Intervention, Education/Training, and Mental Health Services

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Career Planning, Employment Assistance

Agency: Aunt Martha's Youth Service Inc Jobs Club
Address: 440 Forest Blvd
City, State, Zip: Park Forest, Illinois 60466
Telephone: (708) 679-8000
Website: www.auntmarthas.org
List/Types of Services: Help with resumes, job searches, job leads and referrals, work readiness and preparation training.

Agency: Chicago Heights Youth Committee
Address: 1601 Hanover
City, State, Zip: Chicago Heights, IL 60411
Telephone: (708) 758-3371
Website:
Types of Services: Counseling, Education/Training, Employment Assistance, Prevention Programs, Recreational Programs, Referral Services, Self Help/Support Groups

Agency: Chicago Ridge Youth Service Bureau
Address: P.O. Box 183, 10432 Oxford Avenue
City, State, Zip: Chicago Ridge, Illinois 60415
Telephone: (708) 636-0888
Website:
Types of Services: Community Service Placement, Counseling, Crisis Intervention, Domestic Violence Services, Education/Training, Employment Assistance, Mental Health, Prevention Programs, Referrals, Self Help/Support Groups, Speakers Bureau

Agency: The Link and Option Center
Address: 15652 Homan Avenue
City, State, Zip: Markham, Illinois 60428
Telephone: (708) 331-4880
Website: www.link-option.com
Types of Services: Youth after-school programs, college preparatory, mentoring, and tutoring

Agency: Aunt Martha's Youth Services Inc. Club Exposure
Address:
City, State, Zip: Park Forest, Illinois
Telephone: (708) 503-8600
Website: www.auntmarthas.org
Types of Services: self-esteem building, cultural pride youth empowerment by learning about the history of Hip-Hop culture, rap music, break dancing, and aerosol artwork

Agency: Evergreen Park Youth Commission
Address: 3450 West 95th Street
City, State, Zip: Evergreen Park, Illinois 60805
Telephone: (708) 229-3377
Website:
Types of Services: Recreational Programs, Employment Assistance, Emergency Shelter, Referral Services

Agency: Rich Township
Address: 22013 Governors Highway
City, State, Zip: Richton Park, Illinois 60471
Telephone: (708) 748-6722
Website: www.richtownship.org
Types of Services: Employment Assistance, Counseling, Education/Training, Emergency Shelter, Food/Housing Assistance

Counseling, Mental Health, Domestic Violence, Crisis Intervention

Agency: The Success Center
Address: 2755 Bernice Road
City, State, Zip: Lansing, IL 60438
Telephone: (708) 474-7601
Website: Reginald@thesuccesscenter.net
List/Types of Services: Counseling, prevention services, parenting and angry management

Agency: Aunt Martha's Youth Service Inc Pre-Trail Services
Address:
City, State, Zip:
Telephone: (708) 333-3604
Website:
Types of Services: Pre-adjudicated services for youth. Education & school advocacy; individual, family & group counseling, resources linkage, crisis intervention, behavior management, role modeling, transportation and recreational/cultural activities

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Agency: Bloom Township Youth & Family Services

Address: 425 South Halsted

City, State, Zip: Chicago Heights, IL 60411

Telephone: (708) 784-9400

Website: www.bloomtownship.org

Types of Services: Counseling, Mental Health, Referral, Self Help, Support Groups

Agency: Bremen Youth Services

Address: 15350 Oak Park Avenue (P.O. Box 620)

City, State, Zip: Oak Forest, Illinois 60452

Telephone: (708) 687-9200

Website: www.bremenyouthservices.com

Types of Services: Counseling, Crisis Intervention, Mental Health, Prevention Programs, Recreational Programs, Referrals, Self Help/Support Groups, Sexual Abuse, Speakers Bureau, Substance Abuse

Agency: Chicago Heights Youth Committee

Address: 1601 Hanover

City, State, Zip: Chicago Heights, IL 60411

Telephone: (708) 758-3371

Website:

Types of Services: Counseling, Education/Training, Employment Assistance, Prevention Programs, Recreational Programs, Referral Services, Self Help/Support Groups

Agency: Chicago Ridge Youth Service Bureau

Address: P.O. Box 183, 10432 Oxford Avenue

City, State, Zip: Chicago Ridge, Illinois 60415

Telephone: (708) 636-0888

Website:

Types of Services: Community Service Placement, Counseling, Crisis Intervention, Domestic Violence Services, Education/Training, Employment Assistance, Mental Health, Prevention Programs, Referrals, Self Help/Support Groups, Speakers Bureau

Agency: Orland Township Youth and Family Services Department

Address: 14671 West Avenue

City, State, Zip: Orland Park, Illinois 60462

Telephone: (708) 403-4001

Website:

Types of Services: Counseling, Crisis Intervention, Education/Training, Mental Health Services, Prevention Programs, Recreational Programs, Referral Services, Self Help/Support Group Speakers Bureau, Substance Abuse

Agency: Rich Township

Address: 22013 Governors Highway

City, State, Zip: Richton Park, Illinois 60471

Telephone: (708) 748-6722

Website:

Types of Services: Counseling, Education/Training, Emergency Shelter, Employment Assistance, Food/Housing Assistance

Agency: Worth Township Youth Service Bureau

Address: 11601 South Pulaski

City, State, Zip: Alsip, Illinois 60803

Telephone: (708) 388-2101

Website: www.worhtownship.com

Types of Services: Counseling, Mental Health Services, Referral Services, Sexual Abuse Services, Speakers Bureau

Agency: South Suburban Family Shelter

Address: P.O. Box 937

City, State, Zip: Homewood, Illinois 60430

Telephone: (708) 798-7737

Website: www.ssfs1.org

Types of Services: Counseling, Crisis Intervention, Domestic Violence Services, Emergency Shelter, Prevention Programs, Speakers Bureau

Agency: Crisis Center for South Suburbia

Address: P.O. Box 39

City, State, Zip: Tinley Park, IL 60477

Telephone: (708) 429-7255

Website: www.crisisctr.org

Types of Services: Counseling, Court Advocate, Crisis Intervention, Domestic Violence, Emergency Shelter, Prevention Programs, Referral Services, Speakers Bureau

Agency: Chicago Christian Counseling Center

Address: 15127 South 73rd Avenue, Suite G

City, State, Zip: Orland Park, Illinois 60462

Telephone: (708) 845-5500

Website: www.chicagochristiancounseling.org

Types of Services: Counseling, Education/Training, Mental Health Services

Agency: Catholic Charities-South Suburbs

Address: 16100 Seton Drive

City, State, Zip: South Holland, IL 60473

Telephone: (708) 333-8379

Website: www.catholiccharities.net

Types of Services: Counseling, Crisis Intervention, Domestic Violence Services, Employment Assistance, Mental Health Services, Prevention Programs, Rape/Sexual Assault, Sexual Abuse, Speakers Bureau, Substance Abuse, Emergency Shelter

Agency: Grand Prairie Services

Address: 17746 South Oak Park Avenue

City, State, Zip: Tinley Park, Illinois 60477

Telephone: (708) 444-1012

Website: www.gpsbh.org

Types of Services: Counseling, Crisis Intervention, Mental Health Services, Education/Training, Referral Services, Speakers Bureau, Substance Abuse Services

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Violence Prevention Programs

Agency: Boys and Girls Club of America

Address: 1401 E. 13th Place

City, State, Zip: Ford Heights, IL 60411

Telephone: (708) 758-1960

Website: www.bgcc.org

List/Types of Services: Education, the environment, health, the arts, careers alcohol/drug and pregnancy prevention, gang prevention, leadership development and athletics

Agency: Crisis Center for South Suburbia

Address: P.O. Box 39

City, State, Zip: Tinley Park, Illinois 60477

Telephone: (708) 429-7255

Website:

Types of Services: Fresh Start Dating Violence Prevention Program—one and two day educational workshops for junior high and high school students, workshop for parents, and school personnel. Follow-up individual and group counseling for teens affected by domestic violence. Other programs offered include emergency shelter for victims of domestic violence, court advocacy, hospital advocacy, individual and group counseling and partner abuse intervention program

Agency: South Suburban Family Shelter

Address: P.O. Box 937

City, State, Zip: Homewood, Illinois 60430

Telephone: (708) 798-7737

Website: www.ssfs1.org

Types of Services: Provides school-based prevention program for students in elementary through high school

Agency: Riverdale Domestic Violence Prevention Project

Address: 13725 Wabash Avenue

City, State, Zip: Riverdale, Illinois 60827

Telephone: (708) 841-7054

Website:

Types of Services: Referral services for children exposed to domestic violence, individual and group counseling referrals, supportive documentation of domestic violence cases

West Suburban Cook County Agencies and Resources

Municipalities

Bellwood
Broadview
Cicero
Forest Park
Hillside
Indian Head Park
Lyons
Melrose Park
Northlake
River Grove
Schiller Park
Summit
Willow Springs

Berkeley
Brookfield
Countryside
Forest View
Hinsdale
LaGrange
Maywood
Norridge
Oak Park
Riverside
Stickney
Westchester

Berwyn
Burr Ridge
Elmwood Park
Harwood Heights
Hodgkins
LaGrange Park
McCook
North Riverside
River Forest
Rosemont
Stone Park
Western Springs

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Mentoring

Agency: Maywood SafetyNet Works
Address: 840-842 South 17th Avenue
City, State, Zip: Maywood, Illinois 60153
Telephone: (708) 343-9600
Website:

Types of Services: Social-development strategies to enhance non-violent conflict resolution skills and strengthen non-violent attitudes and beliefs; Mentoring strategies to provide caring, non-judgmental, supportive role models, Community-oriented safety strategies that provide for safety of young people in their communities

Arts and Recreation

Agency: Boys and Girls Club of America
Address:
City, State, Zip: Bellwood, Illinois
Telephone: (708) 547-6960
Website:
Types of Services: National program are available in the areas of education, the environment, health, the arts, careers, alcohol/drug and pregnancy prevention, gang prevention, leadership development and athletics

Agency: CEP Youth Leadership, Inc.
Address: 4903 South Gilbert Avenue
City, State, Zip: LaGrange, Illinois 60525
Telephone: (708) 579-5898
Website: www.cep4youth.org
Types of Services: Education/Training, Leadership Development, Prevention and Recreational Programs

Agency: PAV YMCA
Address: 2947 South Oak Park Avenue
City, State, Zip: Berwyn, Illinois 60402
Telephone: (708) 749-0606
Website: www.pavymca.org
Types of Services: Recreational Programs, Education/Training, Child Care

Agency: West Cook YMCA, Inc.
Address: 255 South Marion Street
City, State, Zip: Oak Park, Illinois 60302
Telephone: (708) 383-5200
Fax: (708) 383-0159
Website: www.opymca.org
Types of Services: Recreational Programs, Education/Training, Prevention Programs, Health Services, Child Care, Speakers Bureau

Agency: Maywood Fine Arts Association
Address: 25 North Fifth Avenue
City, State, Zip: Maywood, Illinois 60153
Telephone: (708) 865-0301
Website: www.maywoodfinearts.org
Types of Services: "Get Off the Street and On Your Feet" peer-to-peer workshop to provide skills for coping with difficult situations. Offered at recreation centers, public libraries, and park districts.

Agency: MWAH! Performing Arts Troupe (Messages Which are Hopeful)
Address: 159 Cottage Hill
City, State, Zip: Elmhurst, Illinois 60126
Telephone: (630) 993-0003
Website: www.mwah.net
Types of Services: Violence prevention related issues for youth and families. Real life situations depicted through drama, song, dance and discussion. Prevention Programs, Speakers Bureau

Agency: Des Plaines Valley Council Boy Scouts of America
Address: 811 West Hillgrove Avenue
City, State, Zip: LaGrange, Illinois 60525
Telephone: (708) 354-1111
Website: www.bsa-dpvc.org
Types of Services: Recreational/Prevention Program

Agency: River Forest Community Center
Address: 8020 Madison Street
City, State, Zip: River Forest, Illinois 60305
Telephone: (708) 771-6159
Website: www.rfcc.info
Types of Services: Recreational Programs, Child Care

Agency: Hephzibah Children's Association
Address: 946 North Blvd
City, State, Zip: Oak Park, Illinois 60301
Telephone: (708) 386-8417
Fax: (708) 386-8639
Website: www.hephzibahhome.org
Types of Services: Recreational Programs, Counseling, Crisis Intervention, Mental Health Services, Prevention Programs, Sexual Abuse Services, Speakers Bureau

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Career Planning, Employment Assistance

Agency: Oak-Leyden Developmental Services, Inc.
Address: 411 Chicago Avenue
City, State, Zip: Oak Park, Illinois 60302
Telephone: (708) 524-1050
Website: www.oak-leyden.org
Types of Services: Employment Assistance, Referral Services, Food/Housing Assistance

Counseling, Mental Health, Domestic Violence, Crisis Intervention

Agency: Youth Crossroads, Inc.
Address: 6412 West 27th Street
City, State, Zip: Berwyn, Illinois 60402
Telephone: (708) 484-7400
Website: www.youthincrisis.info
Types of Services: Counseling, Crisis Intervention (Runaway, Lock-out), Prevention Programs, Referral Services

Agency: Sarah's Inn
Address: 309-311 Harrison Street
City, State, Zip: Oak Park, Illinois 60304
Telephone: (708) 386-3305
Website: www.sarasinn.org
Types of Services: Crisis Intervention, Domestic Violence Services, Education/Training, Prevention Programs, Referral Services, Self Help/Support Groups

Agency: Norwood Park Township Family Services
Address: 4600 North Harlem
City, State, Zip: Harwood Heights, Illinois 60706
Telephone: (708) 867-6886
Website: www.leydenfamilyservice.org
Types of Services: Counseling, Mental Health Services, Substance Abuse Services

Agency: Lutheran Child and Family Services of Illinois
Address: 7620 Madison Street
City, State, Zip: River Forest, Illinois 60305
Telephone: (708) 771-7180
Website: www.lcfs.org
Types of Services: Counseling, Referral Services, Food/Housing Assistance, Speakers Bureau, Self Help/Support Groups

Agency: Howard Mohr Community Center
Address: 7640 Jackson Blvd
City, State, Zip: Forest Park, Illinois 60130
Telephone: (708) 771-7737
Website: www.forestpark.net
Types of Services: Recreational Programs, Emergency Shelter, Food Assistance

Agency: Riveredge Hospital
Address: 8311 West Roosevelt Road
City, State, Zip: Forest Park, Illinois 60130
Telephone: (708) 771-7000
Website: www.psysolutions.com
List/Types of Services: Crisis Intervention, Referral Services

Agency: Pillars
Address: 333 North LaGrange Road
City, State, Zip: LaGrange, Illinois 60526
Telephone: (708) 698-5500
Website: www.pillarscommunity.org
Types of Services: Counseling, Mental Health Services, Substance Abuse, Crisis Intervention, Domestic Violence, Rape/Sexual Assault Programs, Sexual Abuse Services, Prevention Programs, Referral Services

Agency: Pillars
Address: 333 North LaGrange Road
City, State, Zip: LaGrange, Illinois 60526
Telephone: (708) 698-5500
Website: www.pillarscommunity.org
Types of Services: Counseling, Mental Health Services, Substance Abuse, Crisis Intervention, Domestic Violence, Rape/Sexual Assault Programs, Sexual Abuse Services, Prevention Programs, Referral Services

Agency: Hephzibah Children's Association
Address: 946 North Blvd
City, State, Zip: Oak Park, Illinois 60301
Telephone: (708) 386-8417
Website: www.hephzibahhome.org
Types of Services: Counseling, Crisis Intervention, Mental Health Services, Prevention Programs, Recreational Programs, Sexual Abuse Services, Speakers Bureau

Agency: Hephzibah Children's Association
Address: 946 North Blvd
City, State, Zip: Oak Park, Illinois 60301
Telephone: (708) 386-8417
Website: www.hephzibahhome.org
Types of Services: Counseling, Crisis Intervention, Mental Health Services, Prevention Programs, Recreational Programs, Sexual Abuse Services, Speakers Bureau

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Agency: Loyola Children's Room at Maybrook Court
Address: 1500 Maybrook Drive, Room 200
City, State, Zip: Maywood, Illinois 60153
Telephone: (708) 786-2465
Website: www.loyolamedicine.org
Types of Services: Counseling, Domestic Violence Services, Mental Health Services, Prevention Programs, Referral Services, Self-Help/Support Groups

Agency: MOMS (Mothers of Murder Sons)
Address: 429 South 24th Avenue
City, State, Zip: Bellwood, Illinois 60104
Telephone: (708) 547-0154
Website:
Types of Services: Support services for women who have experienced the death of a child.

Violence Prevention Programs

Agency: Operation Safe Child
Address: P.O. Box 816
City, State, Zip: Maywood, Illinois 60153
Telephone:
Website: www.opsafechild.org
Types of Services: Teaching children what to do in unsafe situations such as abduction attempts. Illegal drug activity, gang activity and home alone. Teaches children good character and critical thinking.

Agency: Maywood SafetyNet Works
Address: 840-842 South 17th Avenue
City, State, Zip: Maywood, Illinois 60153
Telephone: (708) 343-9600
Website:
Types of Services: Social-development strategies to enhance non-violent conflict resolution skills and strengthen non-violent attitudes and beliefs; Mentoring strategies to provide caring, non-judgmental, supportive role models; Community-oriented safety strategies that provide for the safety of young people in their communities

Agency: Maywood Fine Arts Association
Address: 25 North Fifth Avenue
City, State, Zip: Maywood, Illinois 60153
Telephone: (708) 865-0301
Website: www.maywoodfinearts.org
Types of Services: "Get Off the Street and On Your Feet" peer-to-peer workshop to provide skills for coping with difficult situations. Offered at recreation centers, public libraries, and park districts.

Agency: CeaseFire Cicero
Address: 2346 South Central Avenue
City, State, Zip: Cicero, Illinois 60804
Telephone: (708) 656-1400
Website: www.ceasefireillinois.org
Types of Services: Conflict mediation

Agency: J.S. Morton High School
Address: 2423 South Austin Blvd
City, State, Zip: Cicero, Illinois 60804
Telephone: (708) 222-5826
Website:
Types of Services: Peer Mediation, Teen Dating Violence

Agency: MWAH! Performing Arts Troupe (Messages Which Are Hopeful)
Address: 159 Cottage Hill
City, State, Zip: Elmhurst, Illinois 60126
Telephone: (630) 993-0003
Website: www.mwah.net
Types of Services: Violence prevention related issues for youth and families. Real life situations depicted through drama, song, dance and discussion.

Agency: PLCCA
Address: 411 West Madison
City, State, Zip: Maywood, Illinois 60153
Telephone: (708) 450-3500
Website:
Types of Services: TeenReach, After-School Program, Gang Prevention/Intervention, Case Management, Crime Victim Assistance, Domestic Violence, Grief Counseling

Agency: Corazon Community Services
Address: 5339 West 25th Street
City, State, Zip: Cicero, Illinois 60804
Telephone: (708) 656-1400
Website: corazoncommunityservices.org
Types of Services: Informational and Referral, computer technology center, FUERZA youth program, college/career preparation, cease fire, bilingual

Agency: CeaseFire Maywood
Address: 1100 South Maywoodd
City, State, Zip: Maywood, Illinois
Telephone: (708) 450-8401
Website: www.ceasefireillinois.org
Types of Services: Conflict mediation

North Suburban Cook County Agencies and Resources

Municipalities

Arlington Heights
Bartlett
Des Plaines
Evanston
Golf
Inverness
Morton Grove
Northbrook
Park Ridge
Roselle
South Barrington
Wilmette

Barrington
Buffalo Grove
Elgin
Glencoe
Hanover Park
Kenilworth
Mount Prospect
Northfield
Prospect Heights
Schaumburg
Streamwood
Winnetka

Barrington Hills
Deerfield
Elk Grove Village
Glenview
Hoffman Estates
Lincolnwood
Niles
Palatine
Rolling Meadows
Skokie
Wheeling

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Mentoring

Agency: Links North Shore Youth Health Service
Address: 1779 Maple Street
City, State, Zip: Northfield, Illinois 60093
Telephone: (847) 441-6191
Website: www.linksyouth.org
Types of Services: Mentoring, Counseling, Referrals

Arts and Recreation

Agency: Hanover Park Park District
Address: 1919 Walnut Avenue
City, State, Zip: Hanover Park, Illinois 60133
Telephone: (630) 837-2468
Website: www.hpparks.org
Types of Services: Recreational Programs

Agency: Arlington Heights Teen Center
Address: 122 North Belmont Avenue
City, State, Zip: Arlington Heights, Illinois 60004
Telephone: (847) 577-5394
Website:
Types of Services: Recreational Programs

Agency: Spectrum Youth and Family Services of Schaumburg Township
Address: 1 Illinois Blvd, Suite. LL1077
City, State, Zip: Hoffman Estates, Illinois 60169
Telephone: (847) 884-6212
Website: www.schaumburgtownship.org/spectrum
Types of Services: Recreational Programs, Mentoring, Mental Health, Crisis Intervention, Sexual Abuse Services, Counseling

Agency: Youth Organizations Umbrella (Y.O.U)
Address: 1027 Sherman Avenue
City, State, Zip: Evanston, Illinois 60201
Telephone: (847) 866-1200
Website: www.youevanston.org
Types of Services: Recreational Programs, Mental Health, Crisis Intervention, Counseling

Agency: Maine Township
Address: 1700 Ballard Road
City, State, Zip: Park Ridge, Illinois 60068
Telephone: (847) 297-2510
Website: www.mainetown.com
Types of Services: Counseling, Recreational Programs, Employment Assistance, Peer Jury, Mental Health

Agency: Alfred Campanelli YMCA
Address: 300 West Wise Road
City, State, Zip: Schaumburg, Illinois 60193
Telephone: (847) 891-9622
Website: www.campanelliyca.org
Types of Services: Recreational Programs, Speakers Bureau

Agency: Northbrook Park District
Address: 1810 Walters Avenue
City, State, Zip: Northbrook, Illinois 60062
Telephone: (847) 291-2369
Website: nbparks.org
Types of Services: Recreational Programs

Agency: The Warming House Youth Center
Address: 1187 Wilmette Avenue PMB 152
City, State, Zip: Wilmette, Illinois 60091
Telephone: (847) 256-5288
Website: www.warminghouse.org
Types of Services: Recreational Programs, Mental Health, Crisis Intervention, Counseling

Agency: Youth Services of Glenview/Northbrook
Address: 3100 West Lake Street Avenue
City, State, Zip: Glenview, Illinois 60026
Telephone: (847) 724-2620
Website: www.youthservices-gn.org
Types of Services: Recreational Programs, Counseling, Mental Health, Domestic Violence Services, Crisis Intervention

Agency: New Trier Township
Address: 739 Elm Street
City, State, Zip: Winnetka, Illinois 60093
Telephone: (847) 446-8203
Website: www.newtriertownship.com
Types of Services: Counseling, Recreational Programs, Crisis Intervention, Employment Assistance, Mental Health, Rape/Sexual Assault, Sexual Abuse Services

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Career Planning, Employment Assistance

Agency: The Youth Job Center of Evanston
Address: 1114 Church Street
City, State, Zip: Evanston, Illinois 60201
Telephone: (847) 864-5627
Website: www.youthjobcenter.org
Types of Services: Employment Assistance

Agency: New Trier Township
Address: 739 Elm Street
City, State, Zip: Winnetka, Illinois 60093
Telephone: (847) 446-8203
Website: www.newtriertownship.com
Types of Services: Counseling, Recreational Programs, Crisis Intervention, Employment Assistance, Mental Health, Rape/Sexual Assault, Sexual Abuse Services

Agency: Wilwork
Address: 1200 Wilmette Avenue
City, State, Zip: Wilmette, Illinois 60091
Telephone: (847) 853-7608
Website: www.wilmette.com
Types of Services: Employment Assistance

Counseling, Mental Health, Domestic Violence, Crisis Intervention

Agency: The Bridge Youth and Family Services
Address: 721 S. Quentin Road, Suite. 103
City, State, Zip: Palatine, Illinois 60067
Telephone: (847) 359-7490
Website: www.bridgeyouth.org
Types of Services: Counseling, Mental Health, Sexual Abuse Services, Referral Services

Agency: Children's Advocacy Center of North and Northwest Cook County
Address: 640 Illinois Blvd
City, State, Zip: Hoffman Estates, Illinois 60194
Telephone: (847) 885-0100
Website: www.cachelps.org
Types of Services: Counseling, Crisis Intervention, Sexual Abuse Services, Referral Services

Agency: Family Service of Winnetka-Northfield
Address: 992 ½ Green Bay Road
City, State, Zip: Winnetka, Illinois 60093
Telephone: (847) 446-8060
Website: www.familyservicewn.org
Types of Services: Counseling, Mental Health, Crisis Intervention, Domestic Violence Services

Agency: Haven Youth and Family Services
Address: 560 Green Bay Road, Suite. 10
City, State, Zip: Winnetka, Illinois 60093
Telephone: (847) 446-5606
Website: www.havenforyouth.org
Types of Services: Counseling, Crisis Intervention, Referral Services, Food/Housing Assistance

Agency: The Josselyn Center
Address: 405 Central Avenue
City, State, Zip: Northfield, Illinois 60093
Telephone: (847) 441-5600
Website: www.josselyn.org
Types of Services: Counseling, Mental Health, Referral Services, Education/Training

Agency: Kenneth Young Center
Address: 1001 Rohlwing Road
City, State, Zip: Elk Grove Village, Illinois 60007
Telephone: (847) 524-8800
Website: www.kennethyoung.org
Types of Services: Counseling, Crisis Intervention, Referrals, Mental Health

Agency: Links North Shore Youth Health Service
Address: 1779 Maple Street
City, State, Zip: Northfield, Illinois 60093
Telephone: (847) 441-6191
Website: www.linksyouth.org
Types of Services: Mentoring, Counseling, Referrals

Agency: Maine Center, Inc
Address: 819 Busse Highway
City, State, Zip: Park Ridge, Illinois 60068
Telephone: (847) 696-1570
Website: www.maine-center.org
Types of Services: Counseling, Crisis Intervention, Sexual Abuse Services, Referral Services, Mental Health

Agency: Maine Township
Address: 1700 Ballard Road
City, State, Zip: Park Ridge, Illinois 60068
Telephone: (847) 297-2510
Website: www.mainetown.com
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Types of Services: Recreational Programs, Mental Health, Crisis Intervention, Counseling

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Agency: Maryville Scott Nolan Center
Address: 555 Wilson Lane
City, State, Zip: Des Plaines, Illinois 60016
Telephone: (847) 768-5461
Website: www.maryvilleacademy.org
Types of Services: Counseling, Crisis Intervention, Mental Health

Agency: Northwest CASA-Center Against Sexual Assault
Address: 415 West Golf Road
City, State, Zip: Arlington Heights, Illinois 60005
Telephone: (847) 806-6526
Website:
Types of Services: Counseling, Rape/Sexual Assault Services, Crisis Intervention, Speakers Bureau

Agency: Response Center
Address: 9304 Skokie Blvd
City, State, Zip: Skokie, Illinois 60077
Telephone: (847) 676-0078
Website: www.responsecenter.info
Types of Services: Counseling, Mental Health, Rape/Sexual Assault Services, Sexual Abuse Services, Speakers Bureau

Agency: Streamwood Behavioral Health Center
Address: 1400 East Irving Park Road
City, State, Zip: Streamwood, Illinois 60107
Telephone: (630) 837-9000
Website: www.psolutions.com
Types of Services: Crisis Intervention, Counseling, Sexual Abuse Services, Substance Abuse

Agency: Village of Skokie Human Services
Address: 5120 Galitz Street
City, State, Zip: Skokie, Illinois 60077
Telephone: (847) 933-8208
Website: www.skokie.org
Types of Services: Crisis Intervention, Counseling, Domestic Violence Services, Referral Services, Speakers Bureau

Agency: Niles Family Services
Address: 999 Civic Center Drive
City, State, Zip: Niles, Illinois 60714
Telephone: (847) 588-8460
Website:
Types of Services: Counseling, Crisis Intervention,

Agency: OMNI Youth Service
Address: 1111 Lake Cook Road
City, State, Zip: Buffalo Grove, Illinois 60089
Telephone: (847) 353-1750
Website: www.omniyouth.org
Types of Services: Counseling, Crisis Intervention, Sexual Abuse Services, Mental Health

Agency: Schaumburg Family Counseling
Address: 217 South Civic Drive
City, State, Zip: Schaumburg, Illinois 60193
Telephone: (847) 524-1505
Website: www.ci.schaumburg.il.us
Types of Services: Counseling, Domestic Violence Services, Referral Services

Agency: Village of Elk Grove Community Services
Address: 901 Wellington
City, State, Zip: Elk Grove Village, Illinois 60007
Telephone: (847) 357-4120
Website: www.elkgrove.org
Types of Services: Counseling, Domestic Violence Services

Agency: Village of Elk Grove Community Services
Address: 901 Wellington
City, State, Zip: Elk Grove Village, Illinois 60007
Telephone: (847) 357-4120
Website: www.elkgrove.org
Types of Services: Counseling, Domestic Violence Services

Violence Prevention Programs

Agency:
Address:
City, State, Zip:
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Illinois State Resources

Agency: Illinois Campaign for Violence Prevention
Address: P.O. Box 7077
City, State, Zip: Evanston, Illinois 60204
Telephone: (773) 209-1002
Website: www.icpgv.org

Agency: Illinois Center for Violence Prevention
Address: 70 East Lake, Suite. 720
City, State, Zip: Chicago, Illinois 60601
Telephone: (773) 209-1002
Website: www.icvp.org

Agency: Illinois Violence Prevention Authority
Address: 100 West Randolph
City, State, Zip: Chicago, Illinois 60601
Telephone: (312) 814-1704
Website: www.ivpa.org

Agency: CeaseFire
Address: 1603 W. Taylor St, MC 923
City, State, Zip: Chicago, Illinois 60612
Telephone: (312) 996-8775
Website: www.ceasefirechicago.org

Agency: Illinois Coalition against Domestic Violence
Address: 801 South 11th Street
City, State, Zip: Springfield, Illinois 62703
Telephone: (217) 789-2830 or (877) 863-6338
Website: www.ilcadv.org

Agency: Illinois State's Attorney Office (Chicago)
Address: 100 West Randolph Street
City, State, Zip: Chicago, Illinois 60601
Website: www.IllinoisAttorneyGeneral.gov
www.ag.state.il.us

Agency: Illinois Coalition against Sexual Assault (ICASA)
Address: 100 North 16th Street
City, State, Zip: Springfield, Illinois 62703
Website: www.icasa.org

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Cook County Resources

Agency: Cook County State's Attorney Office
Address: 69 West Washington, Suite. 3200
City, State, Zip: Chicago, Illinois 60602
Telephone: (312) 603-1880
Website: www.statesattorney.org

Agency: Cook County Sheriff Youth Service Department
Address: 3026 South California Avenue
City, State, Zip: Chicago, Illinois 60608
Telephone: (773) 869-4711
Website: www.cookcountysheriff.org

Agency: Cook County Department of Public Health
Office of Violence Prevention and Coordination
Address: 1010 Lake Street
City, State, Zip: Oak Park, Illinois 60301
Telephone: (708) 492-2142 or (708) 492-2000
Website: www.cookcountypublichealth.org

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State and National Hotline Numbers

Domestic Violence

- **National Domestic Violence Hotline:** (800-799-7233)
- **Illinois Domestic Violence Help Line:** (877-863-6338)

Youth Violence Prevention

- **Gang Crime Prevention Center of Illinois** (888-411-4192)
- **School Violence Tip Line** (800-477-0024)
- **National Teen Dating Violence Helpline** (866-331-9474)

Sexual Abuse

- **Rape, Abuse and Incest National Network** (800-656-HOPE)

Suicide

- **National Suicide Hotline** (800-784-2433)

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Resource Directory Organization Service Assessment Form

Directions: Since agencies move and change telephone numbers from time to time we would like to take this opportunity to ensure the information printed in this directory is accurate and current. Please use this form to add or update your organization's information and fax to the number listed below

Organization

Address

City, State, Zip Code

Telephone, Fax, and Agency Website

Main Telephone #:	Main Fax #:
Agency Website:	

Client Target Population

Listing of Services (circle all that apply)

Crisis Intervention	Counseling	Mental Health	Referral Services
Domestic Violence	Sexual Abuse	Sexual Assault / Rape	Substance Abuse
Recreational Programs	Employment Assistance	Mentoring	Violence Prevention
Teen Dating Violence	Gang Prevention	Speakers Bureau	Hotline Services
Education/Training	Support Groups	Emergency Shelter	Housing Assistance

Description of Services

Please fax or return to:

Office of Violence Prevention and Coordination
Cook County Department of Public Health
1010 Lake Street
Oak Park, Illinois 60301
Fax: (708) 492 - 2913