



## Other Janus House Center Services

- ◆ 24-hour Mobile Crisis Intervention
- ◆ Short-term Counseling
- ◆ Individual and Family Needs Assessment
- ◆ Family Mediation
- ◆ Tangible Assistance
- ◆ Host Home Placement
- ◆ Referral Services
- ◆ Educational Assistance
- ◆ Youth Advocacy
- ◆ The Bigelow Computer Learning Center
- ◆ The Joseph C. Hunt Recreation Room



## Janus House Center for Youth In Crisis

**24-HOUR HOTLINE 203.374.9473**

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# Fast Help for Teens!



## Youth In Crisis 24-Hour



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# Safe Places

Safe Places are public neighborhood locations committed to responding to youth experiencing crises.

They prominently display the national Safe Place logo and printed information on their premises. Staff members are trained to respond to youth by contacting the Janus House Center and providing youth with a secure location until a Center caseworker arrives.

## **GREATER BRIDGEPORT SAFE PLACES INCLUDE:**

Bridgeport Fire Department  
Bridgeport Housing Authority  
Bridgeport Public Libraries  
Burroughs Community Center, Bridgeport  
The Center for Women and Families, Bridgeport  
Charles D. Smith, Jr. Foundation, Bridgeport  
Council of Churches of Greater Bridgeport, Inc.  
Congregation B'Nai Israel, Bridgeport  
Fairfield Fire Department  
Greater Bridgeport Transit Authority Buses  
McGivney Center, Bridgeport  
Operation Hope, Fairfield  
South End Community Center, Bridgeport  
Sterling House Community Center, Stratford  
Stratford Fire Department



# Youth In Crisis 24-Hour



The Hotline assists youth and families twenty-four hours a day, every day of the year. Call responses provide information, make referrals, or respond to an immediate crisis.

When a Safe Place or Hotline call indicates an immediate crisis, a caseworker goes to meet the youth. The crisis is evaluated to identify and support the best option for the youth – going home, staying with a family member or friend, or pursuing short term Host Home placement. When placement is necessary, parental permission is obtained, the host home contacted and arrangements made.

