

**Rhode Island Mental Health Services  
for Children, Youth and Teens**

**Medical Emergency Options – Does not matter if insured or not**

- (1) Call 911 directly. Rescue will bring to nearest hospital for emergency assessment.
- (2) Walk into Hasbro Children's Hospital for emergency assessment. Will also provide guidance on follow-up care and treatment.
  - (4) Call Kid's Link RI (1-866-429-3979)  
A partnership of DCYF, Gateway Health Care and Bradley Children's Hospital
- (3) Call pediatrician, family doctor, or primary care facility.
- (4) Tell School Personnel – Principal, Vice Principal, School Nurse, School Counselor, Student Assistance Team - can continue to monitor child and keep family and professionals informed.

**Follow-up Care and Treatment Services – All care should be coordinated with pediatrician, mental health specialist and school personnel.**

Bradley Hospital – (401) 434-3400 (call first)  
Butler Hospital – (401) 455-6214 (call first)  
RI Council of Community Mental Health Centers – give community mental health center by patient's community. (726-2285 or [www.mhari.org](http://www.mhari.org))  
R.I. Council of Resource Providers for Children, Youth, and Families – (401) 946-6824 or [www.ricorp.net](http://www.ricorp.net))

THE SAMARITANS WEBSITE ([www.samaritansri.org](http://www.samaritansri.org)) - Useful information on suicide prevention generally. Youth and Teen Pages include information for teens and parents/caregivers. Site also includes a Links and Resources page with more than 60 links.

**Need to Talk? Call a Friend at The Samaritans  
(401) 272-4044 or (1-800) 365-4044**

Every Monday evening, during the academic year, is SamariTEEN night at The Samaritans when college aged students are there to befriend and provide nonjudgmental listening to teen callers. Befriending/nonjudgmental listening does not interfere with any medical or mental health treatment. It can in fact shore up and support teens during out of school times, between appointments and when family and friends are not available.