

Tennessee's Children and Youth Mental Health Crisis Services Continuum

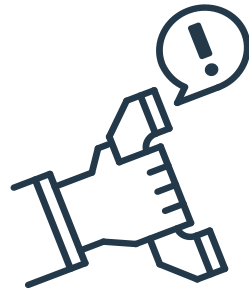
Supporting children, youth, and families with the right treatment, in the right place, at the right time.

25,254
Calls for Help



Person
in Crisis

47% Resolved on the phone
52% Referred to mobile crisis
1% Directed to ED for medical concerns



Statewide
Crisis Line

13,263 crisis
assessments
completed



Face to Face
Assessments

67% Diverted
from hospitalization



Community-Based
Resources



Department of
**Mental Health &
Substance Abuse Services**

Data from state fiscal year 2024

For individuals not meeting commitment criteria

Less Restrictive Environment:
Better Option for Patient and Lower Cost Intervention

Decreased Usage:
Inpatient Hospitalization, Jail, and Emergency Room

Less-Restrictive Alternatives:

- Crisis Respite Services
- Crisis Walk-In Services
- Crisis Stabilization Units
- Outpatient Community-Based Programs and Services