

## **2-1-1**

### **What is 2-1-1?**

Dial 2-1-1 from anywhere in Connecticut and you will reach a highly-trained contact specialist who will assess your needs and provide referrals to the resources in your community. Everyday, contact specialists help callers find assistance for complex issues such as financial problems, substance abuse and suicide prevention and for simpler issues such as finding volunteer opportunities and donation options. 2-1-1 is available 24 hours a day every day of the year. Multilingual assistance and TDD access is also available.

### **Are you interested in learning about which programs or benefits and your family may be eligible for?**

Then use the benefits survey on 2-1-1. Once you are done, 2-1-1 will tell you which federal and state assistance programs you may qualify for, and how to apply for them. Visit the following website to complete the benefits survey. <http://www.211navigator.com/> .