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Vicarious Trauma/Counselor Self Care


Relief Organizations


Trauma Journals

*Brief Treatment and Crisis Intervention*

*Published by Oxford Journals*
Journal of Aggression, Maltreatment & Trauma.

Published by the Haworth Maltreatment & Trauma Press.

Journal of Psychological Trauma.

Published by the Haworth Maltreatment & Trauma Press.

Journal of Trauma Practice.

Published by the Haworth Maltreatment & Trauma Press

Journal of Trauma & Dissociation. (Official Journal of the Society for the Study of Trauma and Dissociation.)

Co-published by the Haworth Medical Press and the Haworth Maltreatment & Trauma Press.

Journal of Loss & Trauma.

Published by Taylor & Francis.

University Violence-Resources #1

NATIONAL BEHAVIORAL INTERVENTION TEAM ASSN (COLLEGE CAMPUSES)

http://www.nabita.org/contact.html
THREAT ASSESSMENT GROUP, INC.: A PARK DITZ COMPANY

AMERICAN COLLEGE HEALTH ASSOCIATION
http://www.acha.org

COLLEGE SAFETY
http://www.collegesafety.com/campus_safety_tips.htm

YOUTH VIOLENCE PROJECT

TRAUMATOLOGY
http://www.tmt.sagepub.com/

School Violence-Resources

CENTER FOR THE PREVENTION OF SCHOOL VIOLENCE
http://www.nedjjdp.org/cpsv/

CENTER FOR DESISE CONTROL AND PREVENTION
http://www.edc.gov/ncipc/dvp/YVP/school_violence.htm
CENTER FOR THE STUDY AND PREVENTION OF VIOLENCE
http://www.colorado.edu/cspv/

FBI: THE SCHOOL SHOOTER: a THREAT ASSESSMENT PERSPECTIVE

NATIONAL ALLIANCE FOR SAFE SCHOOL
http://www.safeschools.org/

NCES SAFE AND DRUG FREE SCHOOLS PROGRAM
http://www.edgov/about/offices/list/osdfs/index.html

NATIONAL SCHOOL SAFETY CENTER
http://www.schoolsafety.us/

SCHOOL VIOLENCE AND SCHOOL SAFETY HELP
http://www.keepschoolssafe.org/

YOUTH VIOLENCE PROJECT
http://www.youthviolence.edschool.virginia.edu/home.html

YOUTH VIOLENCE PREVENTION RESOURCE CENTER
http://www.safeyouth.org
TRAUMATOLOGY
http://www.tmt.sagepub.com/

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
http://www.usdoj.gov/whatwedo/whatwedo_pyv.html

SCHOOL VIOLENCE STATISTICS
http://www.colorado.edu/cspy/safeschools/statistics/overview.html

CENTER FOR THE PREVENTION OF SCHOOL VIOLENCE
http://www.nedjjdp.org/cpsv/liabrary.html

NATIONAL CENTER FOR CHILD EXPOSURE TO VIOLENCE
http://www.nccev.org/violence/school.html

NATIONAL CRIMINAL JUSTICE SYSTEM
http://www.ncjrs.gov/spotlight/school_safety/facys.html

NATIONAL CRIMINAL REFERENCE SYSTEM
http://www.ncjrs.gov/campussafety.html

SCHOOL VIOLENCE WATCH SERVICE
http://www.cybersnitch.net/schoolwatch/systats.sasp

CENTER FOR EFFECTIVE COLLABORATION AND PRACTICE
http://www.cecp.air.org/school_violence.asp

NATIONAL SCHOOL SAFETY CENTER
http://www.schoolsafety.us/

INDICATORS OF SCHOOL CRIME AND SAFETY: 2005

THREAT ASSESSMENT IN SCHOOLS

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION-HELPING STUDENTS RECOVER FROM TRAUMATIC EVENTS

SCHOOL VIOLENCE LAW
http://www.schoolViolenceLaw.com

RESOURCES FOR WRITING ABOUT ONLINE BULLYING
http://www.Cyberbully.org
http://www.I-Save.org
http://www.MindOh.com

BULLYING
http://www.nedjjdp.org/epsv
DELINQUENCY/DROPOUT/SUICIDE
http://www.nedjjdp.org/epsv

NATIONAL CENTER FOR EDUCATION STATISTICS

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR SCHOOL PSYCHOLOGISTS—CRISIS RESPONSE
http://www.nasponline.org/NEAT/crisismain.html#general

KID PEACE-SCHOOL SHOOTING PREVENTION TIPS
http://www.kidspeace.org/SchoolShootingPreventionTips.htm

UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA EXTENSION-TALK TO CHILDREN ABOUT SHOOTINGS

CYBER AWARENESS FOR EVERYONE: A PROJECT OF ASAIRA OF NEW YORK
http://www.cafeaspira.com/Cyberbullying_facts.html

OLWEUS: BULLYING PREVENTION PROGRAM
http://www.olweus.org/public/bullying.page

CRISIS COMMUNICATION GUIDE AND TOOLKIT
TOOLS FOR EDUCATORS TO TEACH STUDENTS HOW TO PREPARE FOR AN EMERGENCY CRISIS, HOW TO RESPOND IN THE EVENT OF A CRISIS AND HOW TO COPE WITH THE AFTEREFFECTS
http://www.nea.org/crisis/b4home.html
Military Information-Resources

A DIRECTORY OF VETERAN’S SERVICE ORGANIZATIONS CAN BE FOUND AT:
http://www.va.gov/vso

HELP FOR COUNSELORS

THE IRAQ WAR CLINICIAN GUIDE
http://www.ncptsd.va.gov

TREATING RETURNING SERVICEMEN
http://www.shows.implex.tv/Qwikcast/Root/capella/1502/register.htm

HELP FOR TEACHERS

MILITARY CHILD EDUCATION COALITION
http://www.militarychild.org

MILITARY STUDENT
http://www.militarystudent.org

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR SCHOOL PSYCHOLOGISTS
http://www.nasponline.org/resources/crisis%5Fsafety/parents-called-to-active.pdf
TALK, LISTEN, CONNECT: HELPING FAMILIES DURING MILITARY DEPLOYMENT

http://www.sesameworkshops.org/tic/index.php

MILITARY IMPACTED SCHOOLS ASSOCIATION


HELP FOR ACTIVE-DUTY MILITARY AND THEIR FAMILIES

AIR FORCE

http://www.af.mil

http://www.tricare.osd.mil

ARMY ONE SOURCE

http://www.myarmyonesource.com/default.aspx

USAF COMBAT SUPPORT AND FAMILY SERVICE SUPPORT

http://www.deploymentlink.osd.mil/deploy/family/family_support.shtml

AIR NATIONAL GUARD

http://www.ang.af.mil

ARMY: ARMYFAMILY TEAM BUILDING

http://www.myarmylifetoo.com
COAST GUARD
http://www.uscg.mil

MARINES
http://www.usmc.mil
(then click on Family; Marine Corps)

COMMUNITY SERVICES
http://www.usmc-mccs.org

NATIONAL GUARD
http://www.arng.army.mil

NAVY: FLEET AND FAMILY SUPPORT DIVISION
http://www.lifelines.navy.mil

VETERANS, NATIONAL GUARD AND RESERVES
http://www.MilitaryMentalHealth.org
http://www.veteransandfamilies.org

Toll Free Numbers

EDUCATION (GI BILL): 1-888-442-4551
HEALTH CARE BENEFITS: 1-877-222-8187
LIFE INSURANCE: 1-800-660-8477

SPECIAL ISSUES-GULF WAR/AGENT ORANGE//PROJECT SHADE/MUSTARD AGENTS AND LAWISITE/IONIZING RADIATION: 1-800-749-8187

STATUS OF HEADSTONES AND MARKERS: 1-800-697-6947

TELECOMMUNICATION DEVICE FOR THE DEAF: 1-800-829-4833

VA BENEFITS: 1-800-827-1000

HELP FOR VETERANS AND THEIR FAMILIES

A DIRECTORY OF VETERANS SERVICE ORGANIZATIONS CAN BE FOUND AT:

http://www.va.gov/vso

AIR FORCE SERGENTS ASSOCIATION

http://www.afsahq.org

AMERICAN EX-PRISIONER OF WAR SERVICE FOUNDATION

http://www.powfoundation.org

AMERICAN GI FORUM OF THE UNITED STATES

http://www.agif.is

AMERICAN LEGION

http://www.legion.org

AMERICAN WAR MOTHERS

http://www.americanwarmothers.org
ARMY AND NAVY UNION, USA
http://www.armynavy.net

BLINDED VETERANS ASSOCIATION
http://www.bva.org

CATHOLIC WAR VETERANS, USA
http://www cwv.org

CENTER FOR MINORITY HOMEPAGE
http://www.va.gov/centerforminorityveterans

CENTER FOR WOMEN VETERANS
http://www.va.gov/womenvet

DEFENCE ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON WOMEN IN THE SERVICE
http://www.dtic.mil/dacowits

DEPLOYMENT LINK
http://www.deploymentlink.osd.mil/deploy/family/family_support.shtml

DISABLED AMERICAN VETERANS
http://www.dav.org
COMBAT-RELATED SPECIAL COMPENSATION (CRSC)

JEWISH WAR VETERANS OF THE USA
http://www.jwv.org

MARINE CORPS LEAGUE
http://www.mcleague

MILITARY (5 different branches)
http://www.military.com

MILITARY FAMILY RESOURCE CENTER
http://www.MilitaryHomefront.dod.mil

MILITARY FRIENDLY SCHOOLS/USE YOUR GI BILL
http://www.edu.military.com/gibill

MILITARY HEALTH SYSTEM (U.S. DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE)
http://www.mhs.osd.mil/

MILITARY HOMEFRONT
http://www.militaryhomefront.dod.mil
MILITARY LIFE
http://www.militarylife.com

MILITARY SEVERELY INJURED CENTER

MILITARY WOMEN HOMEPAGE (IN THE CENTER FOR MINORITY HOMEPAGE)
http://www.va.gov/centerforminorityveterans

MOMS OVER MILES
http://www.momsovermiles.com

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR THE BLACK VETERAN
http://www.nabvets.org

NATIONAL MILITARY FAMILY ASSOCIATION
http://www.nmfa.org

NAVY CLUB OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
http://www.navyclubusa.org

PARALYZED VETERANS OF AMERICA
http://www.pva.org
RETIRED ENLISTED ASSOCIATION
http://www.trea.org

SAFE
http://www.thesafenetwork.org/main.html

SEAMELESS TRANSITION
http://www.seamlesstransition.va.gov

STRONG BOND
http://www.strongbonds.org

UNMET NEEDS
http://www.unmetneeds.com/

THE WOUNDED WORRIOR PROJECT
http://www.woundedworriorproject.org/

THE MILITARY SPOUSE RESOURCE CENTER
http://www.milspouse.org

THE MILITARY FAMILY RESEARCH INSTITUTE
http://www.cfs.purdue.edu/mfri/

VETERANS ASSISTANCE ASSOCIATION
http://www.veteransassistance.org

VETERANS AND FAMILIES
http://www.veteransandfamilies.org/home.html

VETERANS OF FOREIN WARS
http://www.vfw.org

VIETNAM VETERANS OF AMERICA
http://www.vva.org

WOMEN’S ARMY CORPS VETERANS ASSOCIATION
http://www.armywomen.org

SWORDS OF PLOWSHARES: VETERANS RIGHT ORGANIZATION
http://www.swords-to-plowshares

COUNSELING

GIVE AN HOUR
http://www.giveanhour.org/cms/index.php

MENTAL HEALTH SELF ASSESSMENT PROGRAM
http://www.militarymentalhealth.org
1-877-877-3647
SAFE

http://www.thesafenetwork.org/main.html

Trauma/Disaster and Children-Resources

SESAME STREET TRAUMA FOR KIDS

http://www.sesamestreet.org/parents/topics/stress/stress01

FEMA FOR KIDS

http://www.fema.gov/kids/icons.htm

USHHS HELPING CHILDREN CPE

http://www.afterschool.gov/xhtml/subject/56.html

NATIONAL CHILD TRAUMATIC STRESS NETWORK

http://www.nctsnet.org/nccts/nav.do?pid=ctr_top_trmnt_prom

FEDERAL MANAGEMENT ASSOCIATION

http://www.fema.gov/kids/

AMERICAN RED CROSS-TALKING ABOUT DISASTER GUIDE

http://www.redcross.org/disaster/safety/guide.html
AMERICAN PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION-HELPING CHILDREN COPE

AMERICAN ACADEMY OF CHILD AND ADOLESCENT PSYCHIATRY
http://www.aacap.org

HELPING CHILDREN COPE AFTER A DISASTER
http://www.childadvocate.net/help_children_cope.htm

HELPING CHILDREN AFTER A DISASTER
http://www.aacap.org/publications/factsfam/disaster.htm

CENTER FOR MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES
http://www.disastertraining.org

WEBSITE TO FOR ADULTS TO HELP CHILDREN COPE WITH DISASTER AND VIOLENCE
http://www.jmu.edu/psychologydept/4kids.htm

CENTER FOR MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES-INFORMATION FOR COMMUNITIES AND REFERENCE LISTS FOR PRACTITIONERS
http://www.disastertraining.org

NATIONAL CENTER FOR PTSD-MANUAL FOR DISASTER MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES
http://www.ncptsd.org
AMERICAN ACADEMY OF PEDIATRICS
http://www.aap.org

NATIONAL CENTER FOR CHILD TRAUMATIC STRESS-NATIONAL RESOURCE CENTER
http://www.nctsnet.org

THE NEW YORK UNIVERSITY CHILD STUDY CENTER
http://www.nyuchildstudycenter.org

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR SCHOOL PSYCHOLOGISTS
http://www.nasponline.org/NEATcrisismain.htm

Trauma/Disaster and Families-Resources

DAVID BALDWIN'S TRAUMA PAGES
http://www.trauma-pages.com/disaster.php

OFFICE OF CIVIL RIGHTS
http://www.hhs.gov/disasters

INTERNATIONAL CRITICAL INCIDENT STRESS FOUNDATION
http://www.icisf.org
INTERNATIONAL SOCIETY FOR TRAUMATIC STRESS STUDIES
http://www.istss.org

NATIONAL CENTER FOR PTSD
http://www.ncptsd.org

THE SWEENEY ALLIANCE
http://www.sweeneyalliance.org/

DNA IDENTIFICATION IN MASS FATALITY INCIDENTS
http://www.massfatality.dna.gov/

NATIONAL CHILD TRAUMATIC STRESS NETWORK
http://www.nctsnet.org/nccts/nav.do?pid=ctr_top_trmnt_prom

FEDERAL MANAGEMENT ASSOCIATION
http://www.fema.gov/kids/

CONNECT FOR KIDS
http://www.connectforkids.org/

THE TRAUMA CENTER
http://www.traumacenter.org/
FEMA FOR KIDS
http://www.fema.gov/kids/icons.htm

HELPING CHILDREN AFTER A DISASTER
http://www.aacap.org/publications/factsfam/disaster.htm

KATRINA RELATED RESOURCES
http://www.kspope.com/disaster/Katrina.php

GATEWAY TO POST TRAUMATIC STRESS DISORDER INFORMATION
http://www.ptsdinfo.org/

Natural and Human Generated Disaster-Resources

DISASTER & TRAUMA CURRICULUM
http://www.google.com/search?client=safari&rls=en-us&q=Disaster+%26+TRAUMA+CURRICULUM&ie=UTF-8&oe=UTF-8

COMMUNITY RESPONSE TO TRAUMA CURRICULUM

SAMSA NATIONAL CENTER FOR TRAUMA-INFORMATION CAREW
http://www.mentalhealth.samhsa.gov/disasterrelief/psa.aspx
CENTER FOR DISEASE CONTROL & PREVENTION-CRITICAL ISSUES QUESTIONS/ANSWERS AND PODCAST
http://www.bt.cdc.gov/mentalhealth/responders.asp

DAVID BALDWIN’S TRAUMA PAGES
http://www.trauma-pages.com/disaster.php

HOMELAND SECURITY RESOURCES
http://www.dhs.gov/xpreresp/

FIELD MANUAL FOR MENTAL HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICE WORKERS IN MAJOR DISASTERS

DARTMOUTH RESEARCH METHODS FOR STUDYING MENTAL HEALTH AFTER DISASTERS AND TERRORISM (this site has info on books and tapes)
http://www.redmh.org/instruct/index.html

OFFICE OF CIVIL RIGHTS
http://www.hhs.gov/disasters

KATRINA RELATED RESOURCES
http://www.kspope.com/disaster/Katrina.php

NATIONAL CENTER FOR PTSD
http://www.neptsd.va.gov
NATIONAL CHILD TRAUMATIC STRESS NETWORK
http://www.nctsnet.org/nccts/nav.do?pid=hom_main

NATIONAL CENTER ON THE PSYCHOLOGY OF TERRORISM
http://www.terrorismpsycho.org

CENTER FOR THE STUDY OF TRAUMATIC STRESS
http://www.centerforthestudyoftraumaticstress.org/home.shtml

INTERNATIONAL SOCIETY FOR TRAUMATIC STRESS STUDIES
http://www.istss.org

INTERNATIONAL CRITICAL INCIDENT STRESS FOUNDATION, IINC. (ICISF)
http://www.icisf.org

NATIONAL HAZARDA CENTER
http://www.colorado.edu/IBS/hazards/

TRANSPORTATION DISASTER ASSISTANCE
http://www.ntsb.gov/family.htm

NATIONAL AIR DISASTER ALLIANCE/FOUNDATION
http://www.planesafe.org/
SAMHSA’s DISASTER TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE CENTER
http://www.mentalhealth.samhsa.gov/dtac/default.asp

VA-DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE CLINICAL PRACTICE GUIDELINE FOR MANAGEMENT OF TRAUMATIC STRESS
http://www.oqp.med.va.gov/cpg/PTSD/PTSD_Base.htm

PALO ALTO MEDICAL RESERVE CORPS
http://www.paloaltomrc.com

HELPING CHILDREN AFTER A DISASTER
http://www.aacap.org/publications/factsfam/disaster.htm

Training Opportunities and Credentials-Resources

INTERNATIONAL SOCIETY FOR TRAUMATIC STRESS
http://www.istss.org

THE NATIONAL TRAUMA CONSORTIUM
http://www.nationaltraumaconsortium.org/index.html

NATIONAL CENTER FOR TRAUMATIC STRESS-NATIONAL RESOURCE CENTER
http://www.nctnet.org
SELF STUDY MODULES FOR TRAUMATIC STRESS

FEMA INDEPENDENT STUDY COURSES
http://www.training.fema.gov/IS/NIMS.sap

(FEMA) SMART PRACTICES & LESSONS LEARNED
http://www.fema.gov/emergency/nims/SmartPracticesLessonsLearned.shtm

CHAPTERS&VIDEOS ON PTSD, COMPASSION FATIGUE

CRITICAL INCIDENT STRESS FOUNDATION-MITCHEL MODEL
http://www.icif.org/911.htm

THE AMERICAN ACADEMY OF EXPERTS IN TRAUMATIC STRESS
http://www.ne-em.org
http://www.aaets.org

THE NATIONAL CENTER FOR PTSD
http://www.itsspnyc.org/index.html

PSYCHOLOGICAL FIRST AID: FIELD OPERATIONS GUIDE

WORLD CARES TRAINING CENTER
http://www.worldcares.org/about

VA-DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE CLINICAL PRACTICE GUIDELINE FOR MANAGEMENT OF TRAUMATIC STRESS
http://www.oqp.med.va.gov/cpg/PTSD/PTSD_Base.htm

PALO ALTO MEDICAL RESERVE CORPS
http://www.paloaltomrc.com

NJ DISASTER CRISIS COUNSELOR CERTIFICATION SITE
http://www.njdisasterresponsecrisiscounselor.org/

APA FACT SHEETS ON RESILIENCE
http://www.apa.org/psychologists/resilliance.html

EMDR INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION (EMDRIA)
http://www.emdria.org

HOMELAND SECURITY
http://www.dhs.gov/xprepresp/

PSYCHOLOGICAL FIRST AID-FIELD OPERATIONS GUIDE
http://www.nctsn.org
http://www.ncptsd.va.gov
Suicide/Suicidal Ideations-Resources

THE NATIONAL SUICIDE PREVENTION LIFELINE
A 24 hour hotline. They will accept non English speakers
http://wwwsuicidepreventionlifeline.org
1-800-273-TALK (8255)

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF SUICIDOLOGY
A resource and education organization
http://www.suicidology.org
202-237-2280

AMERICAN FOUNDATION FOR SUICIDE PREVENTION
Advancing the public knowledge of suicide/suicide prevention.
http://www.afsp.org
1-888-333-AFSP

AMERICAN PSYCHIATRIC ASSOCIATION
Advocacy organization for psychiatrists.
http://wwwpsych.org
703-907-7300

BEFRIENDERS INTERNATIONAL/SAMARITANS
On-line resources that provides support through E-mail and offers a directory of local crisis helplines.
CANADIAN ASSOCIATION FOR SUICIDE PREVENTION (CASP)
They try to reduce the suicide rate and minimize the harmful effects of suicide.
http://www.casp-acps.ca/

THE COVENANT HOUSE NINELINE HOTLINE
24 hours confidential crisis hotline, with crisis intervention services and referrals.
http://www.covenanthouse.org/programs_nl.html
1-800-999-9999

HISPANIC COMMUNITY RESOURCE HELPLINE
Offers support for Latinos
1-800-473-3003

INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF SUICIDE PREVENTION
They are dedicated to prevent suicidal behavior, alleviating its effect and providing a forum for academics, mental health professionals, crisis workers and suicide survivors.
http://www.iasp.info/

LINKS NATIONAL RESOURCE CENTER FOR SUICIDE PREVENTION AND AFTERCARE (LINK-NRC)
Provides community based education, prevention, intervention and support.
http://www.thelink.org
304-256-9797
THE AESCHI WORKING GROUP
A working group trying to improve the therapeutic approach to the suicidal person.
http://www.aeschiconference.unibe.ch/

THE NATIONAL ORGANIZATION FOR PEOPLE OF COLOR AGAINST SUICIDE
Raises awareness about the epidemic of suicide in minority communities.
http://www.nopcas.com
1866-899-5317

NATIONAL STRATEGY FOR SUICIDE PREVENTION
A national plan for the suicide epidemic.
http://www.mentalhealth.samhsa.gov/suicideprevention.

SAMARITANS
24 confidential hotline for people in despair.
Jo@samaritans.org

SUICIDE ASSESSMENT VOICE OF EDUCATION (SAVE)
Preventing suicide through education, as well as dealing with stigma.
http://www.save.org
953-946-7998

SUICIDE PREVENTION ACTION NETWORK USA
This national organization focuses on advocacy and suicide prevention
http://www.spanusa.org
202-449-3600

SUICIDE PREVENTION RESOURCE CENTER
They focus on suicide prevention.
http://www.sprc.org
1-877-GET-SPRC (438-7772)

THE TREVOR HELPLINE
National 24 hour free suicide hotline.
http://www.thetrvorproject.org
1-866-4U-TREVOR

SUICIDE HOTLINE AND HELP ON-LINE FOR VETERANS
http://www.hopeline.com
http://www.spanusea.org
1-800-877-6976

Vicarious Trauma/Counselor Self Care-Resources

CHAPTERS &VIDEOS ON PTSD, COMPASSION FATIGUE

HEADINGTON INSTITUTE
Relief Organizations-Resources

AMERICARES
http://www.americares.org

AMERICAN RED CROSS
http://www.redcross.org

AMERICAN HUMANE ASSOCIATION
http://www.americanhumane.org

ANANDA MARGA UNIVERSAL RELIEF TEAM INC.
http://www.amurt.net

CENTER FOR EXCELLENCE IN DISASTER MANAGEMENT AND HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE
http://www.coe-dmha.org

CHILDREN'S NETWORK INTERNATIONAL
http://www.childrensnetworkinternational.org
DIRECT RELIEF INTERNATIONAL
http://www.directrelief.org

FRIEND SHIPS
http://www.friendships.org

HEART TO HEART INTERNATIONAL
http://www.hearttoheart.org

INTERNATIONAL AID, INC.
http://www.internationalaid.org

INTERNATIONAL MEDICAL CORPS
http://www.imcworldwide.org

INTERNATIONAL RED CROSS AND RED CRESCENT SOCIETIES
http://www.ifrc.org/

INTERNATIONAL RELIEF & DEVELOPMENT, Inc.
http://www.ird-dc.org

INTERNATIONAL RELIEF TEAM
http://www.irteams.org
INTERNATIONAL RESCUE COMMITTEE
http://www.theirc.org

MADRE, INC.
http://www.madre.org

MEDICAL TEAM INTERNATIONAL
http://www.medicalteams.org

MERCY CORPS
http://www.mercycrps.org

OPERATION USA
http://www.opusa.org

GREEN CROSS ACADEMY OF TRAUMATOLOGY
http://www.greencross.org

**Additional resources:**

AMERICAN RADIO RELAY LEAGUE, INC.
http://www.arrl.org

*This national organization of Amateur Radio, provides volunteer emergency communication.*
AMERICAN’S SECOND HARVEST—THE NATIONS FOOD BANK NETWORK
http://www.secondharvest.org
The nation’s largest domestic hunger relief organization.

DISASTER RELIEF ORGANIZATION
http://www.disasterrelief.org
It provides worldwide information on natural and human generated disasters.

FEMA/DISASTER ASSISTANCE
http://www.fema.gov/assistance/index.shtm
This site provides information on how to apply for disaster assistance
To report a false damage claim call the Disaster Fraud Hotline: 1 (800) 323-8603

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT DISASTER RECOVERY ASSISTANCE
http://www.hud.gov/info/disasters.cfm
The site provides important information on housing and community development resources to aid disaster recovery.

FEMA DISASTER INFO
http://www.fema.gov/hazard/index.shtm
This site provides information on declared disasters and emergencies.

RELIEFWEB
http://www.reliefweb.int/rw/dbc.nsf/doc100?OpenForm
UN OFFICE FOR THE COORDINATION OF HUMANITARIAN AFFAIRS
http://www.ochaonline.un.org/

The Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs (OCHA) provides info on OCHA’s activities, the United Nations (UN) response to disasters and complex emergencies

HUMANITARIAN EARLY WARNING SERVICES
http://www.hewsweb.org/

This website was set up by the United Nations World Food Program to monitor natural hazards around the world and help the international community anticipate humanitarian crisis.

THE CENTER FOR RESEARCH ON EPIDEMIOLOGY OF DISASTERS
http://www.cred.be

The Center for Research on Epidemiology of Disasters is located at the School of Public Health, Catholic University of Louvain, Brussels, Belgium, and includes a rather comprehensive databases of disaster information.

DISASTER PSYCHIATRY OUTREACH
http://www.disasterpsych.org

They use volunteers to address the overlooked distress of disaster survivors.

THOUGHTWEB RELIEF
http://www.thoughtweb.com/relief/

This site provides info about the Indian Ocean tsunami disaster ongoing relief efforts.
RESPONSENET
http://www.responsenet.org/
This site provides free and important information for development stakeholders and ongoing humanitarian needs.

MERCY MEDICAL ARLIFT
http://www.mercymedical.org

NATIONAL ORGANIZATION FOR VICTIM ASSISTANCE
http://www.trynova.org
They provide crisis response teams and special direct services.

SALVATION ARMY
http://www.salvationarmyusa.org/

SAVE THE CHILDREN (USA)
http://www.savethechildren.org/

UNICEF
http://www.unicef.org/

WORLD VISION
http://www.worldvision.org/
Religious Resources:

ACTION BY CHURCHES TOGETHER INTERNATIONAL

http://www.act-intl.org

This global alliance of churches and related agencies working to save lives and communities in situations of worldwide emergencies.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES USA

http://www.catholiccharitiesusa.org

The organization provides food, shelter, housing, counseling and disaster assistance.

CHRISTIAN REFORM WORLD RELIEF COMMITTEE (CRWRC)

http://www.crwrc.org

A relief, development and justice organization

CHURCHES OF CHRIST DISASTER RELIEF

http://www.disasterreliefforts.org

Provides humanitarian services after natural disasters in the United States.

CHURCH WORLD SERVICE

http://www.churchworldservice.org

They assist refugees and disaster survivors.
OPERATION BLESSING INTERNATIONAL RELIEF AND DEVELOPMENT CORP.

http://www.ob.org

They provide services around the world through disaster relief, medical aid, hunger relief and community development programs.

TAIWAN BUDDHIST TZU CHIN FOUNDATION

http://www.tzuci.org

Provides charity, medical educational and humanitarian aid.

UNITED METHODIST COMMITTEE ON RELIEF (UMCOR)

http://www.gbgm-umc.org/umcor

Assists churches in direct ministry to persons in need, hunger, poverty, refugees, and immigrants.

Counselor Resources

GOVERNMENT AGENCIES

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES (DHHS)

DHHS is a government agency which deals with public health, biomedical research, Medicare, Medicaid, welfare, social services and more.

200 Independence Avenue, SW

Washington, DC 20201

Phone: 202-619-0257
Website: http://www.hhsgov

For disaster and trauma info go to: http://www.dhhs.gov/emergency/index.shtml

DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS (VA)

The VA provides benefits and services to veterans and their dependents.

Local facilities can be located at: http://www.va.gov/directory

The VA also operates the National Center for Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder (developed by congressional mandate in 1989 to address the needs of veterans with PTSD), with the mission to help and advance the services to veterans with PTSD through research, education and training.

The Website is: http://www.ncptsd.va.gov

DISABLED AMERICAN VETERANS (DAV) CHARITABLE SERVICE TRUST

They provide food, shelter and medical aid to homeless veterans, as well as providing counseling and rehabilitation and medical services to severely disabled veterans.

Phone: 859-441-7300

Webpage: http://www.dav.org

FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY (FEMA)

FEMA is part of the U.S. Department of Homeland Security, responsible for disaster preparation and response.

500 C. Street SW

Washington, DC 20472

Phone: 800-621-FEMA

Website: http://www.fema.gov

NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF MENTAL HEALTH (NIMH)
NIMH is part of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services conducts and disseminates research on various aspects of mental health, which also includes the impact of trauma and disaster.

6001 Executive Boulevard, Room 8184, MSC 9663
Bethesda, MD 20089-9663
Phone: 301-443-4279
Website: http://www.nimh.nih.gov

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT DISASTER RECOVERY ASSISTANCE

They provide critical housing and community development resources to aid disaster recovery, including Housing and Urban Development (HUD) Disaster Recovery Teams.

Website: http://www.hud.gov/info/disasters.cfm

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE: OFFICE FOR VICTIMS OF CRIME (OVC)

The OVC is part of the Office of Justice Programs, U.S. Department of Justice and provides funding for victims of crime, including victims of terrorism and mass violence.

810 7th Street NW
Washington, DC 20531
Phone: 800-851-3420
Website: http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/ovc

STATE EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT OFFICES (SEMOs)

SEMOs are a state level agency that provides government responses to disasters.

Website: http://www.fema.gov/fema/statedr.shtm

SUBSTANCE ABUSE AND MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES ADMINISTRATION (SAMHSA)

SAMHSA provides information of various mental health and substance abuse, including disaster mental health helpers.
Center for Mental Health Services
Emergency Mental Health and Traumatic Stress Service Branch
1 Choke Cherry Road, Sixth Floor
Rockville, MD 20850
Phone: 800-789-2647
Website: http://www.mentalhealth.samsa.gov/cmhs/emergencyservices

and

Disaster Technical Assistance Center
7735 Old Georgetown Road, Suite 600
Bethesda, MD 20814
Phone: 800-308-3515
Website: http://www.mentalhealth.samhsa.gov/dtac
E-mail: dtac@esi-dc.com

NON-GOVERNMENT AGENCIES

AMERICAN RED CROSS

Was established in 1905 by the U.S. Congress, to respond to disasters and provide services to address basic needs and mental health services.

American Red Cross National Headquarters
2025 E. Street, NW
Washington, DC 2006
Phone: 202-303-4498

For local chapters go to: http://www.redcross.org/where/where.html

For disaster training go to: http://www.redcross.org/flash/course01_v01/
DOCTORS WITHOUT BORDERS

This international independent humanitarian organization provides emergency aid to people effected by disaster in more than 70 countries.

U.S. Headquarters
333 7th Avenue, 2nd Floor
New York, NY 10001-5004
Phone: 212-679-6800
Website: http://www.doctorswithoutborders.org
E-mail: Elizabeth.lee@msf.org

INTERNATIONAL FEDERATION OF RED CROSS AND RED CRESCENT SOCIETIES (IFRC)

IFRC is the world’s largest humanitarian organization providing international relief assistance for international emergencies.

P.O. Box 372
CH-1211 Geneva 19
Switzerland
Phone: +41 22 733 03 95
Website: http://www.ifrc.org
E-mail: secretariat@ifrc.org

MADRE, INC.

This is an international women’s human right organization, who provides direct resources for women in conflict zones, to promote peace, justice and human rights.

Phone: 212-627-0444
Webpage: http://www.madre.org
PAN AMERICA HEALTH ORGANIZATION (PAHO)

PAHO serves as the regional office for the Americas of the World Health Organization (WHO), PAHO/WHO works with the Minister of Health in disaster areas.

525 23rd Street, NW
Washington, DC 20037
Phone: 202-974-3000
Website: http://www.paho.org

PETFINDER

Is an online search database of animals that need a home.

Website: http://www.petfinders.com/disaster
E-mail: pets@petfinder.com

UNITED ANIMAL NATIONS

They provide shelter, resources and care for animals in the U.S. during a disaster. They also provide veterinary care.

Phone: 800-440-3277
Website: http://www.uan.org

UNITED NATIONS CHILDREN’S FUND (UNICEF)

UNICEF is an international organization that works to protect the rights and development of children.

UNICEF House
3 United Nation Plaza
New York, NY 10017
Phone: 212-326-7000
Website: http://www.unicef.org

Information about international branches:
http://www.unicef.org/about/structure/index_worldcontact.html

WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION (WHO)

WHO is a United Nations organization that works internationally.

Avenue Appia 20
1211 Geneva 27
Switzerland

Phone: +41 22 791 21 11
Website: http://www.who.org

OTHER RESOURCES

INTERNATIONAL CRITICAL INCIDENT STRESS FOUNDATION, INC. (ICISF)

ICISF is a nonprofit foundation, dedicated to reduce disabling stress, through education, training and support for emergency service professional.

3290 Pine Orchard Lane, Suite 106
Ellicott City, MD 21042
Phone: 410-750-9601
Website: http://www.icisf.org
E-mail: info@icisf.org

INTERNATIONAL SOCIETY FOR TRAUMATIC STRESS STUDIES (ISTSS)

ISTSS is an international multidisciplinary, professional membership organization, found in 1985, to promote the advancement and knowledge about severe stress and trauma.
60 Revere Drive, Suite 500
Northbrook, IL 60062
Phone: 847-480-9028
Website: http://www.istss.org
E-mail: istss@istss.org

NATIONAL BOARD FOR CERTIFIED COUNSELORS (NBCC)

NBCC is an independent, nonprofit credentialing body for counselors, which has a Disaster Relief Resources link for counselors with the American Red Cross. Counselors that want to provide pro-bono counseling in disaster situations can contact NBCC.

National Board Certified Counselors
Disaster Relief Resources
3 Terrace Way, Suite D
Greensboro, NC 27403-3660
Phone: 336-547-0607
Website: http://www.nbcc.org/resources
E-mail: nbcc@nbcc.org

NATIONAL VOLUNTEER ORGANIZATIONS ACTIVE IN DISASTER (NVOAD)

When disasters strike, NVOAD coordinates volunteer efforts of multiple organizations, to avoid duplication.

P.O. Box 151973
Alexandria, VA 22315
Phone: 703-339-5596
Website: http://www.nvo
NATIONAL HAZARDS RESEARCH AND APPLICATIONS INFORMATION CENTER

The center is operated by the University of Colorado and works on advancing and communicating knowledge of hazard mitigation and disaster preparedness, response and recovery. It conducts research and education.

482 UCB
Boulder, CO 80309-0482
Phone: 303-492-6818
Website: http://www.colorado.edu/hazards
E-mail: hazctr@colorado.edu

WORLD VISION

Relief and development organization helping children worldwide, dealing with poverty, clean water, food health care and education.

Phone: 800-777-5777
Website: http://www.worldvision.org