



Raising a family can be challenging,  
and knowing where to find help  
is not always easy.

**Our new Support and Response Unit (SRU) is here to help.**

Whether coping with issues at school or at home, the Support and Response Unit (SRU) can assist you with the resources to meet the needs of your family.

SRU connects families with local specialized service providers to help you build a stronger, brighter future for your family.

### **We help families**

- With emotional and/or behavioral health challenges
- With youth who are involved in risky or disobedient behavior
- Who have difficulties communicating or getting along with each other
- Who have been impacted financially and are struggling with housing or basic needs
- Who feel overwhelmed and stressed

### **Get help with:**

- Parenting support
- Counseling
- Educational issues
- Finding housing
- Substance abuse treatment
- Securing basic needs
- Employment and training
- Domestic violence response
- Problem solving
- Stabilizing crisis situations
- Accessing services
- Making choices
- Advocating for your child's needs

**We welcome your call!**  
**1-888-RI-Family or 1-888-743-2659**



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