Supports for Wilton Residents

Struggling with isolation, stress, depression, substance use or other issues? Help is here.

All Ages:

- Wilton Department of Social Services: Information & connections to key supports such as food, mental health referrals, financial assistance, & housing. Contact: 203-834-6238
- Wilton Police Department: Non-emergency contact: 203-834-6260
- Domestic Violence Crisis Center: Supporting individuals on their journey to safety. Providing
 effective services, support & education for the prevention and elimination of domestic violence.
 Contact: 203-588–9100
- **Wilton Library**: Visit the Wilton Library website for more information. Contact: https://www.wiltonlibrary.org/ or 203-762-3950

Youth:

- **Wilton Youth Services:** Counseling referrals, case management, community outreach, & support. Contact: 203-834-6241
- **Teen Talk:** Free counseling support provided by Kids in Crisis (Greenwich) at school or through a hotline. Contact xxx-xxx (school-based counselor) or 203-661-1911 (24/7 hotline)
- Trackside Teen Center: Community hub for teens & pre-teens that promotes positive social skills, moral development, & enhances self-esteem in a supportive space. Contact: (203) 834-2888 or www.trackside.org
- Wilton Youth Council: Focus on parent education, youth, & community programs to promote
 the well-being of Wilton's residents through personal empowerment. Provides general
 parenting support, support for parents of children with special needs, wellness during a
 pandemic, mental health and recovery, and substance use, addiction, and recovery. Contact:
 https://www.wiltonyouth.org/
- Wilton Public Schools: Provides educational supports and counseling supports for students. For COVID support: Visit the <u>Wilton Public Schools' Coronavirus information webpage</u> which provides information for students and families including: medical resources, how to communicate with students about Coronavirus, mental/physical health resources, and videos. Contact: https://www.wiltonps.org/about
- Wilton SPED*NET (The Special Education Network): Empowering parents & supporting families
 through educational resources and advocacy efforts for children with special needs in the
 Wilton school system. Contact: https://spednetwilton.org/

Older Adults:

- Wilton Senior Center: Offering programs, socialization, and community support to older Wilton residents. Contact: 203-834-6240 or 203-834-6238 for Social Services
- **SWCAA (Southwestern Connecticut Agency on Aging):** Offers community education, information and referral in support of older persons, caregivers, & persons with disabilities. Contact: (203) 333-9288 or https://www.swcaa.org/

Behavioral Health:

- **Positive Directions The Center for Prevention & Counseling:** Mental health & substance abuse counseling, prevention, & support groups. Contact: 203-227-7644
- **TurningPointCT.org**: Online options and peer support by & for teens and young adults in CT. Statewide, based in Westport at Positive Directions.
- **NAMI:** Support groups & training programs by & for families with a loved one with mental illness. Contact: www.namisouthwestct.org
- The Hub: Behavioral Health Action Organization for Southwestern CT: Regional resource list for treatment & support groups. Contact: thehubct.org
- 211: Connects callers, at no cost, to critical health & human services in the community.
- Family & Children's Agency (FCA): Provides a variety of supportive services, behavioral health, and educational services for youth to seniors (Norwalk). FCA can help any resident needing support, at no cost, through a program called COACH. For more information on COACH, click or contact Family and Children's Agency directly at (203) 831-2900.

Contact: https://familyandchildrensagency.org/default.aspx