JJIE.org and Scared Straight

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But, we have complied information below that may be helpful.

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You can call 211 at any time — 24 hours a day, seven days a week — to get connected to information about addiction prevention programs for teens.

If you are in the Atlanta area, try the Emory Child and Adolescent Mood Program: http://www.camp-emory.com/

If you are in Los Angeles, you can contact the Youth and Stress Mood Program at UCLA here.

If you are somewhere else, look for a psychologist in your area. Even if you don't have insurance, some psychologists charge on a sliding scale.

Go to this website to find someone near you: http://locator.apa.org/

Psychologists and other therapists have entries on the Psychology Today website, here.

The National Alliance on Mental Illness has chapters in many cities and towns. Go to this <u>link</u> to see if there's one near you.

You can find help from a nonprofit organization for substance abuse/addiction and/or mental health problems from the locator at SAMHSA (Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration) <u>here</u>.

Also, you can try <u>healthtap.com</u>. It is free. Both psychologists and psychiatrists answer people's questions.

Try Big Brothers/Big Sisters of America. You can enroll your child here.