## Statewide and National Mental Health Resources:

National Suicide Hotline (800) 999-9999

California Department of Mental Health

California's public mental health system with services and information available for adults and children

1-800-896-4042

www.dmh.ca.gov

California Network of Mental Health Clients
A peer-run advocacy organization for mental health consumers
1-800-626-7447
www.californiaclient.org

Center for Mental Health Services Provides information about mental health 1-800-789-2647

Mental Health Association of California Information and advocacy for people with mental health problems (916) 557-1167 (800) 273-8255

Mental Health Services Oversight and Accountability Commission (MHSOAC)
Provides policy, fiscal and program oversight related to the Mental Health Services Act (MHSA) (916) 445-8696
www.mhsoac.ca.gov

National Alliance for the Mentally III (NAMI) An advocacy group for people with mental illness and their families (800) 950-6264

National Mental Health Association Information, advocacy and referrals for adults and children (800) 969-6642 (800) 433-5959

Protection and Advocacy Information on the rights of people with mental health disabilities (800) 776-5746

## Websites:

www.caregiver.org - Family Caregiver Alliance

www.psych.org – American Psychiatric Association

www.safemedication.com – Provides easy-to-understand information about medications
 www.supportpath.com – Support groups and chat rooms for patients and family members
 www.healthyplace.com - Communities/support groups regarding mental illness