

# 2017-2018 Needham Community Resource Guide

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EMERGENCY	911
POLICE	911
FIRE	911
AMBULANCE	911

BETH ISRAEL DEACONESS HOSPITAL  
148 Chestnut Street (781) 453-3000  
24 Hour Physician Coverage

Town Hall (781) 455-7500  
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## General Services

### **Baby Basics, Inc.**

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Call the Council for the following programs:

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Program · Medical Appointment Transportation · Nursing  
Home Boutique · English as a Second Language (ESL) ·  
Child Assault Prevention (CAP)

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### **Needham Garden Club**

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### **Needham Women's Club**

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### **Highland Glee Club Men's Chorus**

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### **Boston Foundation for Sight**

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www.bostonsight.org

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REACH (24 hours) 1-800-800-4000  
www.reachma.org

### **Interface Community Resource & Referral Hotline**

Helpline: Monday—Friday, 9:00-5:00  
(617) 332-3666 Ext. 411  
www.projectinterface.org

### **Needham Coalition for Suicide Prevention**

Needham High School www.needhamacts.org  
609 Webster Street  
c/o Tom Denton, Director of Guidance  
c/o Timothy McDonald, Director of Public Health

## **Needham Neighbor Brigade**

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[www.elliotohouse.org](http://www.elliotohouse.org)

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### **Needham Board of Selectmen**

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[www.needhamma.gov](http://www.needhamma.gov)

### **Needham Community Revitalization Trust Fund**

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### **Needham Conservation Committee**

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#### **Community Center of Needham**

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#### **Needham Golf Club**

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### **Needham School Committee**

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