



Alamogordo Police Department

Mobile Crisis Response Team 575-439-4300

The MCRT is comprised of a Clinical Director (an independently licensed social worker), a certified CIT Alamogordo Police Officer, and Peer Support Specialists.

A dedicated team who supports the Alamogordo Police Department and Crisis Intervention Team (CIT) officers along with the citizens of Alamogordo who are having a mental health crisis.

The MCRT's primary objectives are as follows:

- ▶ Reduce unnecessary criminal justice system involvement among people living with a mental illness and/or substance use disorder or who are experiencing a mental health crisis.
- ▶ Increase connection to appropriate evaluation, treatment, and support services among people experiencing a mental health crisis.
- ▶ Develop community partnerships to coordinate services for those living with mental illness and/or substance use disorders.
- ▶ Assists officers by providing additional crisis intervention skills, referrals to services, education, and outreach for individuals experiencing a mental health crisis.

You have the power to say, “This is not how my story will end.”

What is Mental Illness?

Problems with feeling, thinking and/or perception that negatively impact the ability to relate to others and/or function.

A small percentage of individuals with mental illness are severely impacted and have lifelong needs.

Suicide Awareness

Thoughts of suicide can affect anyone regardless of age or gender. Suicidal thoughts should not be considered normal and often indicate more serious issues and should be taken as such. **National Suicide Prevention Lifeline - 1-800-273-8255**

NM Crisis Access Line and Peer to Peer Warmline

Toll Free 1-855-NMCRISIS (622-7474) or the Warmline at 1-855-4NM-7100 (3:30 pm-11:30 pm)

NMConnect App is available now on both iOS and Android



If you are having a life-threatening emergency, call 911 Immediately