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**NURSTEAD MENTAL HEALTH & CONSULTING SERVICES ANNOUNCES NEW CRISIS
ACCESS LINE TO ACCESS MOBILE CRISIS AND OTHER SERVICES**

Clovis, New Mexico – As an expansion of Nurstead’s Mobile Crisis Teams and Drop-In Center programs, Nurstead Mental Health & Consulting Services has announced the introduction of their new crisis access line which can be accessed by providers, law enforcement, and the general public for assistance with crisis situations such as suicidal thoughts, depression, and anxiety via phone or mobile crisis dispatch, or assistance with resources via phone and in person at our Drop-In Center, located at 300 Commerce Way in Clovis. To ensure the public knows of these new resources we have placed a billboard at 3309 N. Prince in Clovis which displays the new Crisis Access Line number of 575-201-HELP.

“As a team, we are excited about this expansion of the work we already do, and as an agency, we will continue to fill those gaps that exist in crisis situations,” said CEO Justin Nutt. Nurstead staff echoed the mission of the agency stating, “with some individuals, we are working to meet those basic needs to prevent crisis, and in other situations, we are helping to intervene and prevent suicide.” Nurstead Mental Health & Consulting Services’ mission is one that focuses on filling the gaps in care that exist locally, not duplicating or competing with other agencies, but creating services that don’t currently exist in an attempt to fill the holes that exist in the safety net of our behavioral health system.

About Nurstead Mental Health & Consulting Services

Nurstead Consulting Services is a behavioral health consulting and training firm based in Clovis, New Mexico. Nurstead Consulting Services’ training focus is in topics such as mental health, substance use, ethics, leadership, and wellness, and provides training to a wide array of first responders, clinical staff, and business sectors. Nurstead Consulting Services also performs direct service in behavioral health with a focus on crisis response, and has responded to some of the largest crisis events of the past decade. Nurstead Mental Health is the direct service arm of Nurstead Consulting Services, which provides mobile crisis services, peer support and comprehensive community support services, and addiction treatment options which are offered statewide.