

TEXT TO 9-1-1 IS NOW AVAILABLE IN THE BRAZOS VALLEY

WHAT IS TEXT TO 9-1-1?

Text to 9-1-1 service allows you to send a text message directly to 9-1-1 for help in an emergency.

HOW DO I TEXT 9-1-1?

Texting 9-1-1 is no different than sending a normal text message. Just enter 911 into the recipient field, compose your message, and press send.

WHEN SHOULD I TEXT 9-1-1?

During an emergency, text 911 if you are unable to make a regular voice call. Texting is a good option if you are deaf or speech impaired or your safety would be compromised if you spoke out loud. This might include domestic violence, home invasions, or abductions.

THINGS TO REMEMBER...

- 9-1-1 needs to know your exact location
- Use simple language; no abbreviations/slang
- 9-1-1 texting is not available on all carriers
- If texting 9-1-1 doesn't work, please call 9-1-1

DO NOT TEXT & DRIVE!

**HELP US
HELP YOU!**
**CALL IF YOU CAN...
...TEXT IF YOU CAN'T**



BRAZOS COUNTY
9-1-1
WHEN SECONDS COUNT