

Pregnant and Scared?

Or know someone who is?

If you or someone you know is pregnant and scared, the **Safe Haven Law** can help.

The Safe Haven Law lets you legally and anonymously leave the newborn baby (up to 60 days old) with a person at a safe place – no judgment, and no legal trouble. Use the information below to find out more about the law and how you can use it.



888-510-BABY (888-510-2229)



text **SAFEHAVEN** to **313131**



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Where Can You Bring the Newborn Baby?



Take the newborn baby to a place where people are there to help, like a hospital, staffed fire station or police/sheriff station, a local public health unit (during open hours) or a 24/7 newborn safety device in Louisiana.



When you arrive, simply hand the newborn to a staff member. They are there to help, not judge. You can share medical information if you want – it can help the baby – but you **do not** have to give your name.



If you cannot get to a Safe Haven location like a hospital or fire station, you can call 911, and someone will come to you.