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Mental Wellness Programs for Older Adults



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Services

- We promote the importance of mental wellness to older adults
- We partner with senior centers, senior housing, activity centers or anywhere senior's gather, to develop training modules for wellness programs
- We support and educate caregivers who provide care to older adults with mental illness
- We educate older adults on recognizing symptoms of mental illness and to bring increased acceptance of mental health services

The Mental Wellness Series

Health, Wellness and Wholeness

Discover how staying emotionally and physically fit can keep you healthy and give you a positive attitude.

Depression and Anxiety

Learn to recognize the symptoms of depression and anxiety.

Preserving your Memory

Provides useful tips and brain exercise to sharpen your thinking and keep moments of forgetfulness to a minimum.

Good Sleep for Emotional Well-Being

Getting a good night's sleep is key for emotional well-being. Learn about the importance of sleep and get helpful tips on healthy sleep habits.

Hoarding

Learn to identify the differences between collecting, cluttering, and hoarding and the need for treatment for those who might have a significant problem.

Bullying

Bullying can occur at any time throughout our lives. Learn how to recognize it and tips on what to do if you feel it's happening to you.

Grief and Loss

This presentation defines grief and loss, explains the components of the grief process and describes the symptoms of grief to prepare participants for what to expect from losses.

Isolation

Get ideas on how to manage isolation and make simple changes in order to manage a healthy and productive life.

Managing your Medication

Learn the importance of sticking to your medication regimen. Get tips on what to ask your doctor and pharmacist when you get a new prescription.

Resiliency

Resilience is the ability to cope with life challenges or life changes and then to be able to adjust to them.

Substance Use

Learn about the different forms of substance use and how the use of substances can affect you physically and emotionally.

Holiday Blues

This seasonal presentation discusses strategies to combat feelings of sadness or "the blues" during the winter holidays.

Late Life Transition

Learn tips on maintaining in a positive selfview, feeling good about our past, and making the most of life in the face of these changes.

