

# **MENTAL HEALTH SUPPORT RESOURCES**

#### NO TWO PEOPLE ARE ALIKE - AND NEITHER ARE THEIR ISSUES.

IF YOU SUSPECT THAT YOU OR SOMEONE YOU KNOW IS EXPERIENCING MENTAL DISTRESS, IT'S ESSENTIAL TO KNOW THE SIGNS AND STEPS TO GET THE SUPPORT YOU NEED - FAST.

# WARNING SIGNS OF DISTRESS

## EXPERIENCING ONE OR MORE OF THE FOLLOWING FEELINGS OR BEHAVIORS COULD BE AN INDICATION OF AN EARLY WARNING SIGN OF A MENTAL HEALTH CONCERN:

- Eating or sleeping too much or too little
- · Withdrawal from people and usual activities
- Decreased motivation
- Having low or no energy
- Feeling helpless or hopeless
- "Snapping" at others
- Crying episodes

- Feeling unusually on edge, angry, confused, scared, or worried
- Smoking, drinking, or using drugs more than usual
- Thinking of harming yourself or others
- Having unexplained body aches or pains
- Working harder, but getting less done



- Is your therapist a licensed mental health professional?
  Examples: Ph.D. (psychology), LPC, LCSW
- 2. Does your therapist accept insurance and/or offer a sliding payment scale?
- 3. What is your therapist's approach to therapy?

5. Does your therapist offer telemental health and/ or virtual sessions?

#### PRO TIP:

If one is not offered, ask for a free fifteen-minute phone consultation. This is not a session, but is an excellent opportunity to see if a therapist is a good fit for you.

4. What are your therapist's specializations?

# NATIONAL EMERGENCY & CRISIS RESOURCES

#### 988 SUICIDE AND CRISIS LIFELINE

The Lifeline provides 24/7, free and confidential support for people in distress, prevention and crisis resources for you or your loved ones, and best practices for professionals in the United States. Text or talk. Languages: English, Spanish.

#### EMERGENCY (FIRE/MEDICAL/POLICE) 911

#### CRISIS TEXT LINE

Texts answered by trained, supervised volunteer counselors within a few minutes of your texting; Text <u>HOME</u> to 741741 from anywhere in the USA, any time, about any type of crisis; If you are a person of color who would like to text with another person of color, text <u>STEVE</u> to 741741.

## RAPE, ABUSE & INCEST NATIONAL NETWORK (RAINN) (800) 656-4673 (800-656-HOPE)

NATIONAL ALLIANCE ON MENTAL ILLNESS (800) 950-6264 or nami.org/help

#### NATIONAL DOMESTIC VIOLENCE

HOTLINE (800) 799-7233 ([800] 799-SAFE); (800) 787-3224 (TTY)

#### THE TREVOR PROJECT

Crisis resources for LGBTQIA youth and young adults. (866) 488-7386 ([866] 4-U-Trevor)

VETERANS CRISIS LINE (800) 273-8255 and press "1"

## SUBSTANCE ABUSE AND MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES ADMINISTRATION (SAMHSA) 1-800-985-5990 or

samhsa.gov/find-help/disaster-distress-helpline

# HOW TO FIND A CULTURALLY-RESPONSIVE THERAPIST

#### **PSYCHOLOGY TODAY**

psychologytoday.com/us/therapists/culturallysensitive

THE NATIONAL QUEER AND TRANS THERAPISTS OF COLOR NETWORK nqttcn.com

THERAPY FOR BLACK GIRLS

therapyforblackgirls.com

THERAPY FOR BLACK MEN therapyforblackmen.org

THERAPY FOR LATINX therapyforlatinx.com

CULTURALLY DIVERSE THERAPISTS innopsych.com



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