

Emotional Wellness

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Resources:

Digital Coloring Apps

• Click this link for an article from 2022 listing <u>7 free digital coloring pages</u>!

Vision and Goals - Preparation Kit for Future Self Meditation

• Set of worksheets to guide you through a meditative exercise of envisioning your future self and using that information to inform your goals and values.

UCLA Health Free Guided Meditations

• Click this link for <u>free guided meditations</u> in 8 languages through UCLA!

Future Self Meditation

• This is a script to guide you (or help you guide another group of people) through a meditation practice focused on envisioning your future self.

Best Podcasts for Meditation 2022

• Click this link for an article detailing <u>20 of the best meditation podcasts</u> as of 2022.

BREATHE Guided Meditation

• Guided meditations & breathing practices on the go. Click this link to explore <u>BREATHE</u>



Free Stress Reduction and Management Resources

• Compiled by Wellness Committee 2020-2021, <u>this list</u> provides several different links to free stress reduction resources such as virtual museum tours, coloring books, and online concerts.

Free Emotional Wellness Applications for Medical Students

• <u>This list</u> includes information about how to acquire the following free resources as a medical student: 7Cups, Headspace (through AMA), Healthy Mind, Insight Timer, Smiling Mind, and WellConnect.

National Hotlines and Mental Health Resources

• <u>This list</u> compiles important crisis lines and mental health hotlines.

CDC Suicide Facts Sheet

• <u>This link</u> will take you to the Centers for Disease Control's online fact sheet about suicide through which you can download statistics and infographics to create informational flyers.

988 Suicide Prevention Factsheet

• <u>Download this 988 Suicide and Crisis Hotline flyer</u> through the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration.

Suicide Prevention Resource Center Ideas for Action

• <u>This link</u> will take you to the Suicide Prevention Resource Center where you can download a PDF that outlines the actions you should take if you are concerned about a friend or loved one contemplating or committing suicide.



After An Attempt Guide

• <u>This brochure provided through SAMSA</u> provides tips for emergency department providers to enhance care for individuals who have attempted suicide. Click the link under "See this resource" to download.

Tips for Coping with Anxiety

• <u>This link</u> will take you to an article written by Mayo Clinic that outlines 11 tips for coping with an anxiety disorder. Additionally, <u>this link</u> will take you to the "Tips and Strategies" page of the Anxiety and Depression Association of America for suggestions of ways to cope with anxiety.

Worksheet for Imposter Syndrome

• This <u>downloadable PDF</u> is a worksheet that helps one process through Imposter Syndrome. Additionally, check out <u>this article</u> entitled "Why Imposter Syndrome Hits Women of Colour Harder" as you develop events and workshops surrounding this mental health minefield.

Stress Warning Signs and Symptoms

• This <u>informational PDF by Texas A&M</u> outlines common stress warning signs and symptoms to look out for in yourself and others.

Embody Your Truth: Befriending Your Emotions

• This <u>informational PDF</u> touches on learning to understand and work with your feelings. This can be applied on a personal and professional level.

Gauge Your Emotional Wellness

• This quick <u>survey</u> will allow you to take a second, step back, and evaluate your emotional wellness in a more tangible manner. Having something tangible to reference may facilitate the process of coming up with realistic solutions.



Going Home for Break - Your Emotional Wellness

 This <u>combined informational PDF and survey</u> from Western Washington University allows you to map out how to make going home for break ~relaxing~! Going home during medical school can be difficult and stressful for some and it really should not be, so plan ahead and be able to identify YOUR needs for a successful break!

Motivational Toolbox

• This <u>downloadable PDF</u> is a fantastic general reference to understand yourself and what it will take for you to stay in touch and motivated.

Owning Your Feelings

• This <u>informational PDF</u> is a helpful reference that acts as an anchor when you're getting lost in the sea of your emotions, which can and does happen to many of us. Take control-you're the boss and you can have power over your emotions.

Self Love

• <u>This one</u> is a reminder to be kind to yourself *(*

Staying with Our Feelings

• This <u>thorough PDF</u> dives into the intricacies of our emotions, our reactions to them, and how to better navigate emotional outcomes.



Event Suggestions:

40 Positive Affirmations for Better Self-Care and Brighter Days

• Try using one of these affirmations each week. They can help you stay positive so you can continue to tackle your goals. Click this link with <u>positive</u> <u>affirmations</u>.

The #4Mind4Body Challenge

Join Mental Health America each day this May to make small changes – both physically and mentally – to create gains for our overall health and well being. Each day of the week will have a theme for the type of activity we'll be asking you to do, so get ready for #MindfulMonday, #TastyTuesday, #WorkplaceWednesday, #ThoughtfulThursday, #FitnessFriday, #StressFreeSaturday, and #SleepWellSunday – but feel free to do the challenges in whatever order suits you best. Text of the article can be found in file <u>here.</u>

QPR Suicide Prevention Training

• As you may know, all osteopathic medical schools are required to employ a QPR trainer, and medical students must have the opportunity to attend training. Check out <u>this guide</u> on how to host a QPR training event.

Mental Health First Aid Training

• Check out *this guide* on how to host a mental health first aid training event.

Imposter Syndrome Event

• Check out this guide on how to host an imposter syndrome event.



BraveSpace

• Check out <u>this guide</u> on how to host a BraveSpace vulnerability event. This is especially effective on zoom and in virtual platforms.

Empowerment Circle

• Check out <u>this guide</u> on how to facilitate an Empowerment Circle.

Journal Making Session

• Check out <u>this guide</u> on how to host a journal making event.