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MENTAL HEALTH SUPPORT FOR EMPLOYEES

Presentation to the Human Resources and University Relations Committee



Current Support

UK Psychiatry

Team Blue Clinic

LiveHealth Online

Work+Life Connections Employee Counseling



Therapy through Work+Life Connections (W+LC)

- Offers five individual sessions
 at no cost to the client
- Employees, spouses, sponsored dependents, unmarried children of employees and retirees are eligible for services





Therapy through W+LC





Individual Therapy Sessions through W+LC in 2019 and 2020





Presentations to Support Teams

Grief and Loss	Stress	Resilience	Mindfulness	Self-care
 Understanding Grief and Loss Workplace Grief 	 Reframing in Times of Stress Stress Management for First Responders Identifying and Managing Anxiety and Worry 	 Creating a Resilient Mindset Laughter is the Best Medicine 	 Meditation 101 Communicating Mindfully Mindfulness for Health Care Workers 	 Self Care in a Time of Social Distancing Tools for Self- Care and Exploring Life Purpose



HR offers at least one event every week and on-demand resources

Virtual Events

- Holiday Well-Being Campaign
- Real-Talk with Therapists
- Mindful Self-Compassion
- Midday Mingle
- Meditation Practices



- Videos On Demand
- Avoiding Isolation
 - Children and Mental Health: Know When to Get Help
 - Caregiver Burnout
 - Managing Conflict at Home



Supporting Overall Well-Being

Caregiving	Child CareElder Care	
Health and Wellness	Move WellEat WellBe Well	
Financial	 Personal Finance Tools Personal Financial Counselor 	
Work and Career	 Employee Engagement Training and Professional Development 	



Identifying the Top Five Work-Life Challenges

- Child care
- Communication
- Flexibility and autonomy in performing work
- Benefits: Vacation leave and retirement contributions
- Shared workplace experience in a remote work environment



QUESTIONS



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