

MAY IS MENTAL HEALTH *Awareness Month*

What is Mental Health?

Mental health includes our emotional, psychological, and social well-being. It affects how we think, feel, and act.

Importance of Mental Health

There is a strong and historical stigma related to healthcare workers seeking care for mental health concerns.* Maintaining good mental health is essential for overall well-being, enabling us to handle stress, relate to others, and make healthy choices.

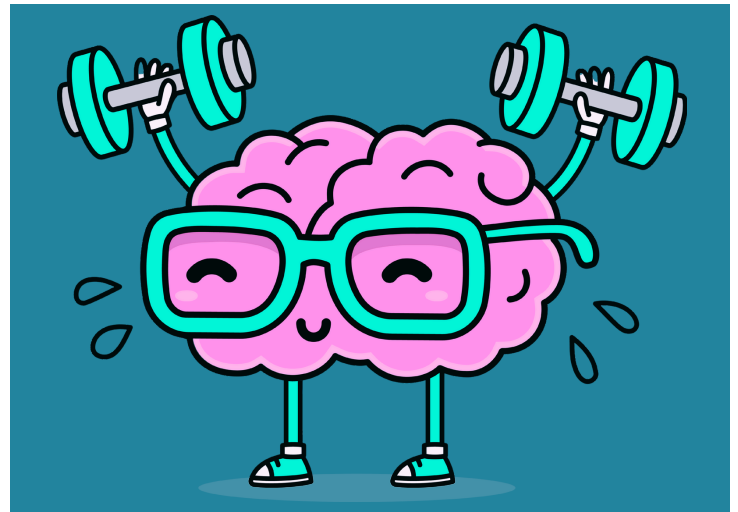
*www.cdc.gov/niosh/healthcare/risk-factors/stress-burnout.html

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SUPPORTING MENTAL HEALTH

Self-Care

Get regular exercise, maintain a balanced diet, strive for adequate rest and sleep.

Seek Professional Help

Engage with therapists, counselors, and support groups using your **MIT Total Trust Perks** through The Hartford **Ability Assist Counseling Services** offered by ComPsych. Access by phone (800-96-HELPS) or register an account at guidanceresources.com

Be There

Offer support and listen without judgment.



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