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Fredericksburg Counseling Services, Inc. (FCS)
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*"Roses bright and sunshine clear,
show that lovely July is here."*

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**NEW FOR INFO:
Professional Education Training opportunities**

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COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH PARTNERS FREDERICKSBURG COUNSELING SERVICES, INC.

Fredericksburg Counseling Services, Inc. is a low-cost community mental health clinic providing counseling for low-income, uninsured, and under-insured individuals and families. The agency is a non-profit supported through donations, both financial and in direct service time provided by mental health professionals in the Fredericksburg area.

540-373-2320 www.fcsagency.org

Mental Health America of Fredericksburg (MHAF)

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Provides free, confidential Mental Health Information & Referral Services, a Depression/Bipolar Support Group, Senior Visitors program, Survivors of Suicide, Suicide Prevention Education, lending library, public education and advocacy/public policy.

540-371-2704 or toll-free 1-800-684-6423 www.mhafred.org

MHAF is located on the 1st floor of the General Washington Executive Center (across from Carl's Ice Cream). Address is: 2271 Princess Anne Street, Suite 104-1, Fredericksburg, VA 22401

National Alliance on Mental Illness – Rappahannock Affiliate (NAMI-R)

National Alliance on Mental Illness - Rappahannock

Affiliate (NAMI-R) provides educational programs and support for family members and individuals living with mental illness.

540-479-3044 www.nami.org

Rappahannock Area Community Services Board (RACSB)

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provides mental health, intellectual disability, substance abuse, prevention and early intervention services. RACSB utilizes an ability-to-pay fee scale. Information: 540-373-3223

24-hour Emergency Services: 540-373-6876

www.racsb.state.va.us

Snowden at Fredericksburg (Mary Washington Hospital)

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provides: free assessments and referrals; Intensive Outpatient Treatment for adults with substance abuse; adult Mental Health Day Treatment; and Inpatient Services 540-741-3900 or Toll-free 1-800-362-5005 www.snowdenmentalhealth.com

Spotsylvania Regional Medical Center is an affiliate of HCA Virginia Health Care. Their Behavioral Health Services include: free assessments and referrals; inpatient psychiatric services. 540-498-4563 www.spotsyrmc.com

VIRGINIA INTERFAITH COMMITTEE ON MENTAL ILLNESS MINISTRIES (VICOMIM)

Virginia Interfaith Committee on Mental Illness Ministries

(VICOMIM) provides programs, assistance, and resources to Faith communities developing their own programs for ministry with persons with mental illness and their families.

1-800-768-6040. www.vaumc.org (click "Related Organizations")

Virginia Organizing

is a non-partisan statewide grassroots organization dedicated to challenging injustice by empowering people in local communities to address issues that affect the quality of their lives. Virginia Organizing has a joint plan of work with Harmony, a local peer-run program. Contact Kevin Simowitz, 434-984-4655, ext. 230 www.virginia-organizing.org of Fredericksburg

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SNOWDEN SUPPORT GROUPS

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DAY	TIME	ROOM	GROUP	DESIGNEE	PHONE
MONDAY					
	8:15 -9:15	119	AA	Marty B Jill	804.448.1646 540-809-9552
	5-8	119	Adult IOP	Carolyn	X17156
TUES.	5-6	119A	Dual Recovery Anonymous	George	540-809-7640
	6-7	119B	Early Recovery Group/IOP	Carolyn	x17156
	7-9:00	119A	Depression and Bipolar Support Group	Weekly, Tuesday's- Shirley	540-371-2704
WED.					
	6-9	119A &B	Adult IOP	Carolyn	x17156
THURS.	5-9	119A	Adult IOP	Carolyn	x17156
	5-9	119B	Adult IOP		x17156
	8:15-9:15	119A	Dual Recovery Group	George	540-809-7640
FRIDAY					
	7-8	119A	Rainbow AA	Tina	540-361-1503
SAT.	9:30- 11:15	119A	A New Beginning Women's AA		
	12:00- 1:30	119A	Narcotics Anonymous	Patsy Richard P	540 455-1081 540 735-7399
	4-5 pm	119A	Dual Recovery Anonymous	George	540 809-7640
	7-8:00	119A	Alcoholics Anonymous "One Page at a Time"	Butch G.	540 752-4780
SUNDAY	12-1:30 p.m	119A	Narcotics Anonymous	Carrie B	540.809.2914
	4-6pm	119 A	Gambler's Anonymous	Paul R.	540.295-3596
	7-8:30	119A	Alcoholics Anonymous "Steady Steps"	Butch G. Rusty	540 752-4780 540-318-5741

All meetings are to be scheduled through Mark Howard (540-741-3912). Groups in shaded areas require staff authorization for participation; not open to the public. Adult IOP is a billed program of Snowden at Fredericksburg requiring staff evaluation and referral.

RENT AND MORTGAGE ASSISTANCE AVAILABLE

If you or someone you know has been financially impacted by COVID-19 (job loss, hours cut, furloughed, incurred childcare costs, contracted COVID-19), you may qualify for rent and mortgage assistance from Rappahannock United Way.



Eligibility criteria:

- Reside in the Greater Fredericksburg Region
- Have a rental lease agreement or mortgage loan agreement
- Rent/Mortgage must be at or below Fair Market Rent
- Income must be at/below 80% Area Median Income
- Have suffered a loss of income due to COVID-19, including:
 - You have been laid off due to COVID-19
 - Your place of employment has closed due to COVID-19
 - You have experienced a reduction in hours of work due to COVID-19
 - You have lost child or spousal support due to COVID-19
 - You have had an increase in expenses due to COVID-19, i.e. child care, medical bills, etc.
 - You have been unable to find employment due to COVID-19
 - You are unable to participate in previous employment due to high risk of severe illness from COVID-19

Applicants must meet eligibility criteria to qualify for assistance.
If you need assistance, please call 540-373-0041 EXT. 300
(Open Monday-Friday, 8:00am - 4:30pm)

MISCELLANEOUS

Cancer Center of Virginia has a Lending Library of books, videotapes & literature on cancer prevention and treatment, and a Wig Loan Program for women experiencing hair loss due to cancer treatment. 786-5262

The Alzheimer's Association has lending library. Books and videos are available for children, families, and professionals. For further information and times please call 370-0835

Help the Health Care Community serve those in need by sending
"INFO" appropriate information.

Contact Fredericksburg Counseling Services, Inc.
e-mail at fcsagency@aol.com

or by phone - (540) 373-2320 ask for Anisa

Did you all know that the Rappahannock Regional Library houses a Legal Research Center. Free access to print and online resources are available to lay people as well as law practitioners. Library staff are trained to assist users of this great resource, which provides information on:

- ✓ Bankruptcy
- ✓ Civil Law
- ✓ Criminal Law
- ✓ Employment Law
- ✓ Estate planning
- ✓ Family law – divorce, separation, child custody
- ✓ Federal / State / Local law
- ✓ Landlord / Tenant law
- ✓ Traffic cases

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DID YOU KNOW?

Monthly payments
of the 2021
Child Tax Credit
begin July 15.



If you haven't filed a 2020 or 2019
tax return, file soon.



irs.gov/childtaxcredit2021

DID YOU KNOW?

Numbers to Know

Child/elder abuse

24 hour # to report suspected abuse 800-552-7096

Mental Health Emergency Services:

24 hour # with on-call therapist

Rappahannock Area Community Services Board (RACSB)

Fredericksburg, Spotsylvania and Stafford: 540-373-6876

Caroline: 804-633-4148

King George 540-775-5064

• ADDITIONALLY

Snowden of Fredericksburg 540-741-3900

Mary Washington Hospital Emergency Room 540-741-1111

Spotsylvania Regional Medical Center 540-498-4000

Or call 911

HIV/AIDS

Support services through FAHASS 540 371-7532

Sexual assault/molestation

RCASA 540-371-1666

Employment services

ERI 540-372-6710

Domestic violence

24 hour # 540-373-9373

Legal Aid

Rappahannock Legal Services, Inc 540-371-1105

RAOOY

Rappahannock Area Office on Youth 540.372.1149

<http://www.officeonyouth.org/>

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Client referrals and professional education opportunities.

It is a pleasure to compile INFO monthly, for it aids our work at FCS as well as other
agencies.
