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Fredericksburg Counseling Services, Inc. (FCS)
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*"In January it's so nice,
While slipping on the sliding ice,
To sip hot chicken soup with rice.
Sipping once, sipping twice,
Sipping chicken soup with rice".*

By: Maurice Sendak

**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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Free, confidential Mental Health Information & referrals, support groups for teens & adults, Senior Visitors program, Suicide Prevention education, and advocacy for policies & programs that impact the lives of people with mental health challenges
540-371-2704 or toll-free 1-800-684-6423 www.mhafred.org

MHAF is located at 618 Kenmore Avenue, Suite 2A,
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)

Snowden at Fredericksburg (Mary Washington Hospital)

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

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.

CDC Shortens Isolation and Quarantine Periods

On January 4, CDC released additional guidance about shorter isolation and quarantine periods for the general public. This guidance also applies to K-12 schools, institutes of higher education, and workplaces, but not to healthcare settings or high-risk congregate settings, such as correctional and detention facilities, homeless shelters, or cruise ships. For people infected with COVID-19, CDC shortened the isolation period to stay at home from 10 days to at least five days with an additional five days of wearing a well-fitting mask when around others at home or in public if symptoms have resolved. Getting tested with an antigen test at least five days after symptom onset (or five days after the initial positive test if asymptomatic) is recommended to determine if isolation at home should be continued, but it is not required.

People with severe COVID-19 or immunosuppressed patients are advised to isolate for at least 10 days and follow the recommendations from their healthcare provider. People who have close contact exposure to someone infected with COVID-19 and are asymptomatic are advised to wear a well-fitting mask and monitor their health for 10 days after the exposure. Certain exposed people, based on their vaccination and booster status, also need to quarantine at home. The period of quarantine at home was shortened from 14 days to at least five days after exposure, with an additional five days of wearing a well-fitting mask when around others at home or in public. For anyone who is exposed, getting tested with an antigen or PCR test at least five days after exposure is recommended, but it is not required. VDH adopted these isolation and quarantine updates and is revising our websites and resources as quickly as possible.

Thank you again for your continued partnership as we respond to the COVID-19 pandemic. My appointment as Virginia's State Health Commissioner ends on January 14. It has been a true honor to work alongside you and serve all Virginians in this role since 2018 and throughout this pandemic.

Sincerely,

M. Norman Oliver, MD, MA
State Health Commissioner

RAPPAHANNOCK AREA HEALTH DISTRICT FREE DRIVE- THRU COVID-19 PCR TESTING

JANUARY SCHEDULE

DIXON PARK

1300 Dixon St, Fredericksburg

2-5 PM

JANUARY 6, 13, 20
& 27

LADYSMITH RESCUE SQUAD

18287 Jefferson Davis Hwy, Ruther Glen

2-5 PM

JANUARY 11 & 25

STAFFORD HOSPITAL

101 Hospital Center Blvd, Stafford

2-5 PM

JANUARY 12, 19 & 26



PRE-REGISTRATION RECOMMENDED
BUT NOT REQUIRED

FOR QUESTIONS, CONTACT RAHD'S CALL CENTER:

(540) 899-4797

M-F 8 AM TO 4:30 PM

Rappahannock Area Health District
VDH VIRGINIA
DEPARTMENT
OF HEALTH

NO DOCUMENTATION REQUIRED
ALL AGES WELCOME

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 Anise

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

Visit www.librarypoint.org for more information or visit the library today.

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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Fredericksburg Counseling Services, Inc. (FCS)
on a monthly basis since 1999.

INFO is a comprehensive resource for
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.
