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# YOUTH MENTAL HEALTH FIRST AID

## WHY YOUTH MENTAL HEALTH FIRST AID?

Youth Mental Health First Aid teaches you how to identify, understand, and respond to signs of a mental health or substance use problem in teens ages (12 to 18).

## WHO SHOULD TAKE THIS TRAINING?

- Teachers and Staff.
- Coaches.
- Youth Group Leaders
- Parents.
- Adults who Work with Youth.

#### WHAT MENTAL HEALTH FIRST AID COVERS:

- Common signs and symptoms of mental health challenges in this age group, including anxiety, depression, eating disorders and attention deficit hyperactive disorder (ADHD).
- Common signs and symptoms of substance use challenges.
- · How to interact with a child or adolescent in crisis.
- How to connect the youth with help.
- Expanded content on trauma, substance use, selfcare and the impact of social media and bullying.

Learn how to respond with the Mental Health First Aid Action Plan (ALGEE):

- A ssess for risk of suicide or harm.
- Listen nonjudgmentally.
- **G** ive reassurance and information.
- **E ncourage** appropriate professional help.
- **E ncourage** self-help and other support strategies.

Date: November 22, 2024

Time: 10am - 4:30pm

## **Location:**

The Peggy Brown Building at Lake Mirror Complex 215 South Lake Avenue Lakeland, Florida 33801

Lunch will be provided.

## SCAN TO REGISTER NOW! LIMITED SEATING.



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**NO COST TO YOU!** 

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