GEISEL WELLNESS

Monthly Wellness Email Newsletter curated by <u>Kate Adams</u>



GET ACTIVE



Winter Programming: Student Affairs and the Outdoor Programs Office



Want to learn how to snow-shoe, cross-country ski or ice skate with a group of friends?

Interested in a gift certificate to a local outdoor goods shop?

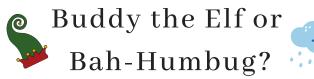
Would you like to help plan these activities for your class?

Get in touch with Kate.e.adams@dartmouth.edu to make it happen!

WELLNESS WORDS

"The holiday season is about love! Share it. Spread it. Live it." -Amy Leigh Mercree

SMART TIPS



While the holidays can be a time of celebration and joy for many, it also can be a period of stress, sadness, and loneliness for others—and sometimes can be particularly difficult for people living with mental health and substance use conditions.

A <u>survey</u>* conducted by the National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI) found that 64 percent of individuals living with a mental illness reported that their conditions worsened around the holidays.

Below are strategies to help you find moments of joy amidst the hustle and bustle this holiday season:

- 1. Pay attention to your feelings
- 2. Develop a plan for when you are feeling stressed, sad, or lonely
- 3. Practice self-care
- 4. Connect with community
- 5. Support others
- 6. Recognize seasonal mood changes

YOU ARE NOT ALONE. HERE'S HOW TO SEEK HELP

RESOURCES

- <u>Geisel Counseling:</u> Free and confidential- 603-653-0045
- <u>DCHS Counseling</u> Call (603) 646-9442 to make an appointment, free and confidential
- <u>The Tucker Center-</u> Spiritual & Religious support
- <u>WISE</u>- Call 866-348-WISE; support for domestic violence, sexual assault & gender-based violence
 Veterans Dial 988, then press 1;
- https://www.veteranscrisisline.net/ The text message contact remains the same with 838255
- <u>National Suicide Prevention Lifeline:</u> https://988lifeline.org/
- <u>UWill</u>- free and confidential for all students