## Mental health information and free self-help resources

## Royal College of Psychiatrists www.rcpsych.ac.uk/mentalhealthinformation.aspx

Up-to-date information, wide range of printable leaflets & resources on website.
e.g Depression; Depression in Older Adults/ in the workplace/Postnatal; Alcohol & Depression; Bereavement,
Antidepressants; CBT; Anxiety and phobias; Coping with Trauma; Stress; Anorexia; Obsessive Compulsive Disorder

MIND http://www.mind.org.uk/information-support/

<u>HelpGuide</u> <a href="http://www.helpguide.org">http://www.helpguide.org</a> (info - including Burnout, Separation, Bullying, Anger)

Mental health information leaflets available in many different languages

Edspace www.edspace.org.uk

Edinburgh based - mental health information & local resources

<u>Living Life to the Full</u> <a href="http://www.livinglifetothefull.com/">http://www.livinglifetothefull.com/</a>

Online version of CBT based self help materials, relaxation sound & modules

Mood Gym http://www.moodgym.anu.edu.au/

Australian website which uses CBT to develop skills for preventing & coping with depression

Mood juice www.moodjuice.scot.nhs.uk

self-help information on depression, anxiety, stress, panic and sleep problems

Mindfulness. Finding Peace in a Frantic World. Mark Williams Book & CD Guided meditations

## • <u>Useful Telephone Numbers for support</u>

NHS 24 111 24 hour helpline for medical problems

**Samaritans** 08457 90 90 90 24hrs crises helpline <u>www.samaritans.org.uk</u> Breathing Space 0800 83 85 87 Helpline for low moods – 7days, 6pm -2am

www.breathingspacescotland.co.uk

**Edinburgh Crisis Centre** 0808 801 0414 24 hour helpline - for mental health difficulties. **Women's Aid** 0800 027 1234 or 0131 315 8110 <u>www.scottishwomensaid.co.uk</u>

**Victim Support** 0845 603 9213

Citizens Advice Bureau Tel: 0131 554 8144, 166 Great Junction St. www.cas.org.uk

Leith Jobcentre Plus Tel: 0131 555 8000 www.iobcentreplus.gov.uk

## Counselling and Support Agencies

NE Edinburgh Counselling Service <a href="www.neecscounselling.org.uk">www.neecscounselling.org.uk</a> Tel: 0131 557 4478
31 Haddington Place (on Leith Walk) EH7 4AG Counselling helps you to explore & understand your feelings and difficulties, enabling you to make changes and cope better.

**Health in Mind** <a href="www.health-in-mind.co.uk">www.health-in-mind.co.uk</a> Tel: 0131 225 8508 40 Shandwick Place Resource Centre; <a href="Stress Control Classes">Stress Control Classes</a> x6 CBT based; a befriending scheme; an OCD support group; counselling for adult survivors of sexual abuse; support for black and minority ethnic men.

**Mental Health Information Station** = <u>Drop in = Thursdays 11am–3pm</u> Advice, guidance, info & coffee For anyone affected by mental health issues. Walpole Hall St Mary's Cathedral Palmerston Place EH12 54W

Living Life - NHS Telephone service: 0800328 9655 Guided self-help or CBT: to help if feel low or anxious

**Saheliya** Ethnic Minority Women's support <a href="www.saheliya.org.uk">www.saheliya.org.uk</a> 556-9302 10 Union St **CRUSE** Bereavement counselling <a href="www.crusescotland.org">www.crusescotland.org</a> 229-6275 3 Rutland Sq

Vocal

Counselling & support for Carers www.vocal.org.uk 622-6666 8-13 Johnstone Terrace
Counselling – for lesbian gay bisexual or transgender <a href="http://www.lgbthealth.org.uk/">http://www.lgbthealth.org.uk/</a> 523 1100

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Alcohol <a href="http://edspace.org.uk/service/edinburgh-lothian-council-on-alcohol/">http://edspace.org.uk/service/edinburgh-lothian-council-on-alcohol/</a> 337-81886

The Recovery Hub - Drug or alcohol problems – drop in daily at 5 Links Place EH6 7EZ Tel 554 7516

Relationship counselling http://www.bright-light.org.uk/ 556-1527 9a Dundas St