# Mental Health Awareness Month! Free & public events in Southwestern CT

# Wednesday, May 1

Mental health and addiction education & information table by FS Dubois

10am-2pm, UConn Stamford



### **PUSH Talent Show**

1-3pm, Greater Bridgeport Community Mental Health Center Contact joanne.butler@ct.gov

### The Art of Balance

7-8pm, New Canaan Historical Society Info/rsvp: www.newcanaancares.org





### "Prevention Starts with All: The Chris Herren Story"

7-8:30pm, Joel Barlow H.S., Redding \$15 at the door, \$10 online

### Friday, May 3

# **Mental Health First Aid** (MHFA) Training for Fire &

8:30am-4:30pm, 581 N. Washington Avenue, Bridgeport \$100

RSVP to ladyroy@earthlink.net

# Saturday, May 4

# Fairfield County Walks for Mental Health

### Join us for the 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual **Fairfield County Walks for Mental Health!**

9-11am, Town Green, Norwalk Rsvp to info@thehubct.org



# Sunday, May 5

### Self C.A.R.E.S.: Free Day of Wellness

12:30-4pm, 430 Coram Ave., Shelton



# Monday, May 6

### **SAMHSA Webinar &** Discussion: "Suicide Prevention: Strategies that Work" 3pm, 103 West Broad Street,

Stamford

# Tuesday, May 7 & 14

### **Mental Health First Aid** (MHFA) 2 Day Training

5:30-9pm, 468 Birdseye, Stratford \$10 residents, \$35 non-residents Rsvp to 203-385-4085



# **Courageous Parenting 101**

6-8pm, St Joseph's HS, Trumbull Rsvp to kseperack@sjcadets.org

### "Question-Persuade-Refer" (QPR) suicide prevention training

12-2pm, 55 Chestnut St., Norwalk RSVP to dlewis@postivedirections.org

# Thursday, May 9

**Book discussion: Turtles All** the Way Down, John Green 7pm-8:30pm, Fairfield Public Library **CONTROL** Fairfield

Film: Like: The Impact of Social Media on Our Lives 7pm-8:30pm, Darien Playhouse





# Thelikemovie0507.eventbrite.com

# Friday, May 10

### Lunch & Learn: "4 What's Next" resilience curriculum

12-1pm, 1 Park St, Norwalk Rsvp to info@thehubct.org



# **Hearing Voices: Experiential**

1-4pm, Kennedy Center, Trumbull Rsvp to 203-551-7418

**Training** 

# Monday, May 13

### **Narcan Training**

10-11:30am. Positive Directions. Westport





# **Education & Information** table by FS Dubois Center

10:30am-2pm, Ferguson Library, Stamford

### Film: "Resilience: The Biology of Stress and the Science of Hope<sup>7</sup>

Learn about the Impact of

Stress & Burnout on your

**Mental Health** 

8:30-11:45am, Harding High School

Bridgeport

6:30-8pm, Edith Wheeler Memorial Library, Monroe

Rsvp at <a href="http://www.ewml.org/events/">http://www.ewml.org/events/</a>



# Tuesday, May 14

# Free Play Matters Task Force

10:30am-12pm, Comstock Community Center, Wilton



### **Youth Mental Health First Aid Training**

14<sup>th</sup> & 16<sup>th</sup>, 9am-1pm, Joel Barlow HS, Redding. RSVP: mpieratti@er9.org

# Wednesday, May 15



### **Consumer Training: Narcan**

10:30am-12pm, Greater Bridgeport Community Health Center Contact joanne.butler@ct.gov

# Thursday, May 16



### Haga la pregunta, salve una vida: Cómo prevenir el suicidio

12-2pm, 55 Chestnut St., Norwalk Programa para miembros del público. Inscríbase: 203-840-1187 (Margarita)



### **Bridge House Family &** Friends Night - featured guest Dr. Larry Davidson

4-7pm, 880 Fairfield Ave, Bridgeport



### **Mental Health during the College Years: Recognizing** Warning Signs & Getting Help

7:30-9pm, Greenwich Town Hall



# Friday, May 17

### **Keeping the Focus on HOPE** in Recovery: Understanding Recovery as Unique to Each Individual

11am-12pm, LifeBridge, Bridgeport



# Saturday, May 18 **NAMI Walks**

9am, Sherwood Island, Westport **Onnecticut** 

### **Healthy Kids Community** Celebration

12-2:30pm, 55 Chestnut Street, Norwalk





### **Step Forward for Mental** Health: Fundraiser walk for **Bridgeport Hospital IOP**

Sunday, May 19

Seaside Park, Bridgeport



# Monday, May 20

### Book club discussion: What **Made Maddy Run** by Kate Fagan

7-8:30pm, Christ Church Parish Library, Greenwich RSVP to claudiadevita1123@gmail.com



# Wednesday, May 22

Film Discussion: "Resilience" 8:30-10:30am, 333 Lordship Blvd, Stratford



**LifeBridge** 

### Mindfulness Meditation & **Relaxation Session**

2-3pm. Lifebridge, Bridgeport

### Annual 3 on 3 Basketball **Tournament and Beach** Picnic

Basketball 9am-2pm; Picnic- 11am-2pm Short Beach Park, Stratford



# Friday, May 24

### **BBO & Social Gathering** 4-6pm, 880 Fairfield Avenue, Bridgeport



# Monday, May 27



### **Summer Fest 2019** 6-10pm, Penfield Pavilion, Fairfield

Beach



# Tuesday, May 28

### **Screening & Discussion of** feature film "Borderline" Perkin Auditorium, Norwalk Hospital

6:30-8:30pm





# Thursday, May 30

### **Legalized Sports Wagering:** A Good Bet for CT?

11:30-1:30, Norwalk City Hall







# For more information, visit TheHubCT.org, 203-840-1187