

Stakeholder network “COVID-19: mental health support”

Mental Health Europe is a coordinator of COVID-19: mental health support network that European Commission initiated within the EU Health Policy Platform. One of the tasks of the network and us as the coordinators is to gather good practices, especially those that include:

- examples that help children/young people/students cope with the mental health impact of the pandemic on their daily lives
- examples that support the mental health of older people, and/or of people from vulnerable populations such as the homeless, refugees, migrants or the LGBTIQ community
- examples that support (professional and voluntary) workers in health and social care (e.g. as regards burn out, stress, grief)
- examples that help people with pre-existing mental ill health
- examples that support the mental health of people with pre-existing physical conditions (NCDs, cancer, rare diseases).

Based on the results of this exercise, the network will develop a programme for webinars to be organised within the scope of the EU Health Policy Platform. In addition, Commission will use the results in order to plan their future work in the field of mental health.

Please complete the document below and send it back to milos.stankovic@mhe-sme.org by **24 February 2021**.

Organisation	
Contact details (name, e-mail)	
<p>What has been the the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic on the social group / professional group / community that you represent?</p> <p><i>Please, provide some background information, context, evidence (if available), members’ testimonies (if applicable), short and long-term consequences – max 300 words</i></p>	
<p>Key available resources and good practices to support mental health of your respective target groups?</p> <p><i>Please, list below some examples of key resources and good practices related to mental health support – max 10 examples</i></p>	
<p>What are the existing gaps in terms of knowledge and practices related to mental health support for your respective target group?</p> <p><i>Please, indicate below areas of missing knowledge and practice that could be jointly addressed by the network – max 300 words</i></p>	