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PROMOTE POSITIVE MENTAL HEALTH  
AND WAYS TO MAINTAIN IT

PROVIDE EDUCATION ABOUT  
MENTAL ILLNESS TO REDUCE STIGMA

ENCOURAGE EARLY DIAGNOSIS  
AND TREATMENT

THURSDAY, JANUARY 14



**HOW BEST TO SUPPORT CHILDREN & FAMILIES WITH ADHD**

Panel moderated by Rev. Christi Brown (parent/life coach): Mary Ladd, MD (psychiatrist); Callie Berline, M.Ed. (special ed teacher); Emme Smith, M.Ed. (parent/former school counselor); Christie Rogers-Larke, Ed.D. (counselor/has ADHD)

THURSDAY, MARCH 11



**WORDS TO THE WISE FROM AN OLD SOLDIER: THE LINGERING EFFECT OF WAR & OTHER TRAUMATIC EVENTS**

Jim Rentz, PhD, Licensed Marriage & Family Therapist; Army Chaplain, Vietnam

THURSDAY, MAY 13



**BUILDING A TRAUMA-INFORMED COMMUNITY**

Jennifer Parker, PhD, Director of Child, Youth & Family Initiatives, Spartanburg Academic Movement (SAM)

THURSDAY, JULY 8



**QUEER COMMUNITIES 101: BASIC PRACTICES TO BE MORE INCLUSIVE IN CLINICAL PRACTICE**

M. Evan Thomas, PhD, Licensed Marriage and Family Therapist

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 9



**DEPRESSION IN THE ELDERLY**

Vanessa Thompson, DNP, NP, Director Behavioral Health Services, SRHS

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 11



**PROVIDING SERVICES TO CHILDREN & ADOLESCENTS WHO ARE DEAF/HARD OF HEARING OR BLIND/VISUALLY IMPAIRED**

Susan Pfister Cartwright, Psy.S, Psychologist, S.C. School for the Deaf & Blind

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