Useful Apps and Websites

- **Hub of Hope App** free to download app that provides services local to the client. If you are a service or know of a service that isn't represented on the app, please do submit the details via the online form. Also offers a crisis messenger service.
- **Samaritans** available 24/7 365 days a year. Free confidential support for all.
- The Mix www.themix.org.uk -provides information on a range of issues including mental ill health, drugs, sexual health, alcohol. The site is aimed at U25's.
- **Campaign Against Living Miserably** <u>www.thecalmzone.net</u> this is a website aimed at reducing male suicide and stigma of mental ill health in males. It offers a confidential helpline alongside webchat.
- **Text Crisis messenger service SHOUT.** An individual can text '85258' and a trained professional responds after the initial 2 automated texts. You can remain anonymous for this service. It is suitable for all ages and more info can be found at <u>https://www.giveusashout.org/</u>
- Young Minds-<u>www.youngminds.org.uk</u> general mental health awareness to help support yourself or someone else.
- TheCalmZone.net male specific support
- **Papyrus** Support for those feeling suicidal, worried about someone who is suicidal, or for those who have been bereaved by suicide. Also offers a helpline called the 'HopeLine' that can talk to you if you are struggling or wanting to know how to support a friend.
- Childline.org.uk support for young people in emotional distress
- NHS <u>https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/stress-anxiety-depression/</u> providing information on common mental health concerns including dealing with anger, exams etc.
- Head Talks www.headtalks.com providing videos discussing all aspects of mental illness and recovery.
- CALM HARM App created by STEM4, this award-winning app is free to download and is designed to be used by young people who are selfharming. The APP is designed to reduce the level of self-harm and even prevent an episode of self-harm by providing delay tactics when the young person has the urge. Though designed for teenagers, there is no reason it can't be used by adults.
- Stay Alive app provides support for those worried about someone who is suicidal alongside support for individuals who are suicidal or at risk of suicide. The app has a space to create a safety plan to refer to if feeling suicidal alongside links to organisations that can provide support.
- Clear Fear App an app designed for young people who are struggling with anxiety. Gives tools and tips on managing symptoms.
- The Happy Self Journal a physical journal you can buy for £20 that encourages writing about your emotional health. There is one for U12's and one for 12-18's.



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