

HELP RAISE PTSD AWARENESS

Everyone makes a difference. Help us spread the word about PTSD and effective treatments.

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PTSD Treatment Works

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Discover the facts.

 Visit <u>www.ptsd.va.gov</u> to start with <u>PTSD Basics</u>, key information about trauma, PTSD and treatment options. Take the <u>PTSD Overview Course</u> or other free, in-depth <u>Continuing Education</u> <u>Courses</u> (with the option to earn CE/CMEs).

Explore your options.

Take the mystery out of PTSD treatment. Our short whiteboard video <u>PTSD Treatment: Know your Options</u> reviews the best treatments. And visit <u>AboutFace</u>, a website where Veterans, their family members and clinicians talk about turning life around with PTSD treatment.

Help someone. Help yourself.

Do you think you might have PTSD or know someone at risk? Take action for yourself or someone
you care about. We outline steps to help you know whether you might have PTSD and locate
where to get help.

Give support. Get support.

Managing PTSD can be easier with the support of others. If you are getting treatment, or have
finished treatment, our <u>self-help information and tools</u> can help you manage stress. Caregivers can
look to organizations that offer <u>support for family and friends</u> for tips on self-care too.

Pass along what you learn.

 Use <u>Facebook</u> or <u>Twitter</u> to share up-to-date information or ask us questions about PTSD and treatment. <u>Subscribe</u> to our email publications — PTSD Monthly Update, Clinician's Trauma Update-Online, and the PTSD Research Quarterly - and let others know they are free.

Work together.

 Join our PTSD Awareness campaign! We have <u>promotional materials</u> to help you organize an event or share information about PTSD and effective treatments.



YOU CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE TODAY

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