

Youth Mental Health First Aid October 13, 2025

The Poe Center for Health Education in conjunction with Harnett County Main Public Library, is excited to present Youth Mental Health First Aid (YMHFA).

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WHAT: Youth Mental Health First Aid Ages 18+ Only

WHERE: Harnett County Main Public Library 455 McKinney Pkwy Lillington, NC 27546

WHEN: October 13, 2025 10 a.m.—6 p.m.

REGISTER:

https://www.poehealth.org/events/ymhfa-1013/



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Program Description

Youth Mental Health First Aid is designed to teach parents, family members, caregivers, teachers, school staff, peers, neighbors, health and human services workers, and other caring citizens how to help an adolescent (age 12-18) who is experiencing a mental health or addictions challenge or is in crisis. The course introduces common mental health challenges for youth, reviews typical adolescent development, and teaches a 5-step action plan for how to help young people in both crisis and non-crisis situations. Topics covered include anxiety, depression, substance use, disorders in which psychosis may occur, disruptive behavior disorders (including AD/HD), and eating disorders.

