

# *Adult-to-Adult* Mental Health First Aid Training

### A 2-PART COURSE FOR ADULTS

THIS EVIDENCE-BASED COURSE IS RECOGNIZED IN MORE THAN 25 COUNTRIES. THE LIGHTHOUSE ARABIA IS THE ONLY ACCREDITED PROVIDER IN THE UAE.

### Identify. Understand. Respond.

MENTAL HEALTH FIRST AID IS THE EQUIVALENT TO PHYSICAL FIRST AID TRAINING, BUT FOR MENTAL HEALTH.

This 10-hour international evidence-based course is proven to be effective. Mental Health First Aid teaches you how to identify, understand, and respond to the signs that someone in your life may be struggling with their mental health.

#### THIS COURSE IS IDEAL FOR:

- Managers
- HR Professionals
- Educators
- Healthcare providers (Doctors, nurses, administrators)
- The Public Sector
- Parents
- Students
- Anyone who is interested in learning more about mental health

#### **LEARNING OUTCOMES:**

- Mental Health First Aiders learn how to recognize and respond to someone who is:
  - · Beginning to struggle with their mental health
  - · Currently struggling with their mental health
  - Experiencing a mental health crisis
- Learn how to identify and respond to:
  - Depression
  - Anxiety disorders
  - Addiction
- Learn how to identify and respond to mental health crises such as:
  - Suicidal thoughts
  - Panic attacks
  - The after-effects of trauma
  - Severe effects of substance abuse



# Mental Health for Everyone, Everywhere

#### **TIMINGS**

9.30am - 2.30pm

#### **LOCATION**

Online on Zoom (unless otherwise stated)

#### **INVESTMENT**

**AED 1,595** per person + 5% VAT

## COURSE MATERIALS & ACCREDITATION

An e-manual and e-resource pack will be provided.

Participants who successfully complete the training will become accreditated Mental Health First Aiders (accreditation valid for three (3) years).

An e-certificate for the training will be provided.

## Pre-Registration Required: lighthousearabia.com/events

For more information and to book a Bespoke Training for your organization:

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The training is delivered by clinicians from The LightHouse Arabia, who have received their education and training in the USA, UK, Europe, South Africa and Australia. All have extensive experience in working with individuals and groups on a wide variety of mental health issues.

Ongoing support: We offer monthly group support sessions free-of-cost, for MHFAiders who have completed the training.



The LightHouse Arabia is the only authorized and licensed provider for MHFA training in the U.A.E.

#### **SCHEDULE**

#### **SESSION ONE - DAY 1**

9.30am - 2.30pm (5 hours)

#### Section 1

9.30am - 10.45am

#### MENTAL HEALTH LITERACY

- Defining mental health
- Prevalence rates
- Understanding risk and protective factors
- Treatment and support

#### Section 2

10.45am - 11.15am

#### **HOW TO RESPOND**

• The A.L.G.E.E. Action Plan

#### Section 3

11.15am – 12pm

UNDERSTAND, IDENTIFY & PRACTICE RESPONDING

Depression

#### **Lunch 12pm – 12.45pm** (45 minutes)

12.45pm - 2.30pm

- Small group role plays
- Suicidal thoughts

#### **SESSION TWO - DAY 2**

9.30am - 2.30pm (5 hours)

#### Section 3

9.30am - 12pm

UNDERSTAND, IDENTIFY & PRACTICE RESPONDING

- Anxiety disorders
  - Panic attacks
  - Trauma

#### **Lunch 12pm – 12.45pm** (45 minutes)

12.45pm - 2.30pm

- Small group role plays
- Substance abuse and addiction
- Accreditation Exam

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