

# Introduction to Coping with Stress and Anxiety

Being able to support ourselves and others through stressful experiences is a valuable life skill. This 1 hour presentation aims to equip participants with a basic understanding of anxiety and coping skills they can use when anxious or when supporting others experiencing stress or panic.

Participants will learn to:

- Recognise common symptoms of anxiety
- Use brief interventions to reduce stress or panic
- Know when and how to seek professional support

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