



## Riverside Community Counselling Services

During this period of uncertainty, it is normal to feel a wide variety of difficult or uncomfortable emotions. Please know that you are not alone in feeling this way, and that we are all in this together.

Due to the COVID-19 pandemic Riverside Community Counselling services has placed a hold on face-to-face counselling services in order to increase safety in our community. At this time we will continue to operate remotely through telephone service for clients throughout the district.

At this time, Riverside Community Counselling Services will strive to provide timely responses to requests for support. Please note that you may receive calls from unlisted or blocked numbers. For those who would like to book a telephone appointment, please leave a message with your contact information at 807-274-4807,ext.1. Riverside is experiencing a strain on our phone systems at the moment which includes calls being dropped or not going through, we apologize in advance that it may take a few attempts to reach us.

Riverside Community Counselling continues to offer Same Day Scheduled Counselling every Tuesday from 4-6pm and every Thursday from 3-5pm. To book a phone appointment, you must contact Riverside Community Counselling at 274-4807 ext. 1 (between 8am and 3pm) on Tuesday or Thursday. There are two appointments available each day, on a first-come-first-serve basis.

Although social distancing can feel very isolating, reaching out to friends and family via phone, email, or social media may help you cope, as well as knowing that our Staff at Community Counselling is here for the community during this challenging time.

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For More Information:

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Riverside Health Care is a fully accredited multi-site, multi-function health care system serving the residents of the Rainy River District. Riverside Health Care operates hospitals in Fort Frances, Emo and Rainy River, and Rainycrest Long-Term Care Home and La Verendrye Non Profit Supportive Housing in Fort Frances. Each community is also served by Riverside Community Counselling which provides mental health and addictions services, Community Support Services through Rainycrest and Valley Diabetes Education Centre which provides important chronic disease management programming. For more information, please visit riversidehealthcare.ca