Helpful Resources

The staff at dialysis centers should strive to increase their knowledge and professional development. In the very last edition of the THRIVE, the focus will be on helpful resources.

Mental Health

Providers at the dialysis center are at a loss as to how to help patients with mental health issues, especially when attempting to gain behavioral and medical services. The Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMSHA) offers some support via the Behavioral Health Treatment Services locator. This website can be located here: https://www.findtreatment.samhsa.gov/ The Network is only aware of one facility in the State of Texas that will provide behavioral AND medical services, so if you know additional locations, please reach out to the Network so a resource list can be created.

211 Texas

2-1-1 Texas, a program of the Texas Health and Human Services Commission, is committed to helping Texas citizens connect with the services they need. Telephone or the internet can access this service. 2-1-1 Texas is a FREE, anonymous social service hotline available 24 hours a day, seven days a week, and 365 days a year. No matter where you live in Texas, you can dial 2-1-1, or (877) 541-7905, and find information about resources in your local community. The website can be located here: http://www.211texas.org/about-2-1-1/

Dialysis Facility Compare

This website has data that can be used to compare dialysis facilities (centers) based on the quality of patient care they provide. This website may be helpful when attempting to find placement for a patient. The website can be located here: https://www.medicare.gov/dialysisfacilitycompare/#search

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