

CAPS CLINICAL GROUP SCHEDULE SPRING QUARTER 2025

Tuesdays

Cafecito y Comunidad Group (9am - 10:30am) Anxiety Management (3pm - 4:30pm)

Wednesdays

Sexual Orientation Gender Identity & Expression (3pm - 4:30pm)

Thursdays

Project Life Force- College (10:30am - 12pm) Creative Coping Skills (1:30pm - 3pm) RelationShift (3pm - 4pm)







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Cafecito y Comunidad Group (Tues. 9am - 10:30am)

Cafecito y Comunidad is a space for all students who identify with the Latino/a/e, Chicano/a/e, or Hispanic community. Join CAPS counselors as we build community and share experiences with mental health, well-being, and academic/professional success on campus and within our communities. Discussion topics will be determined by group members and may include family, culture, diversity, relationships, identity, and belonging. Spanish/Spanglish is welcomed, and cafecito/snacks are provided.

<u>Anxiety Management (Tues. 3pm - 4:30pm)</u>

Do you feel like you are constantly worried? Do you feel tense and on-edge? Do you tend to over-think social situations and have difficulties staying in the moment? If so... consider joining our Anxiety Management Group.

During this 6-week group, CAPS therapists will discuss the tools and techniques that will help you lower your anxiety. Topics and skills include: Understanding the Anxiety/Avoidance feedback loop, learning to restructure and get distance from anxious/unhelpful thoughts, practicing relaxation techniques to decrease stress, and the benefits of mindfulness.

Sexual Orientation Gender Identity & Expression (SOGIE) (Wed. 3pm - 4:30pm)

The SOGIE in-person therapy/support group is for queer and TGD UCR students experiencing symptoms of depression, anxiety, trauma and other relevant mental health concerns as well as for individuals in need of a welcoming space for discussing matters of sexual and/or gender identity. The LGBTIQ communities are underserved within the Riverside County area, and we are looking forward to offering a safe place for our students.

Project Life Force- College (Thurs. 10:30am - 12pm)

This is a group therapy intervention for students experiencing suicidal thoughts that combines safety planning, emotion regulation skills, and social support. Participants create and/or revise safety plans throughout the course of treatment while learning distress tolerance, emotion regulation, and friendship building/interpersonal skills to integrate into their safety plans.

<u>Creative Coping Skills (Thurs. 1:30pm - 3pm)</u>

The Creative Coping Skills in-person group offers a safe space to learn hands-on coping skills and authentically express identity, hopes, dreams, experiences, and truth. This is an invitation to enjoy the process. Breathe, observe, and play. There is no right or wrong way to participate. No art skills are required!

RelationShift (Thurs. 3pm - 4pm)

This is a semi-structured in-person group that will provide a safe and supportive space to explore and learn skills about common relationship concerns such as boundaries, conflict resolution, and attachment. The goal of the group is to leave group members feeling more aware of how they relate to others and more confident in navigating relational issues.