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# Information, guidance and support for wellbeing

Your Employee Assistance Programme





The charity for everyone working in education.

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# We will always be there to support teachers and education staff

No matter what you're going through, big or small, we're here for you. Day or night you can call to speak to someone without judgement who can help you find solutions to move past a difficult situation in your life.



I only wish I had called and set up counselling sooner. It has really helped me change my way of thinking and how I deal with things.

### Counselling

- Our expert team are specially trained to support on a wide range of emotional and mental health topics
- We will assess your needs and provide emotional support, practical assistance and signposting to help you through the most difficult times.
- Our counselling follows a short term solution-focused brief therapy model. (up to 6 sessions)
- Where the assessment deems that our councelling model is clinically appropriate for your needs we can offer this either face-to-face or via telephone.
- If longer term or open-ended support is required then we will help you to locate services outside of the EAP who may be able to meet your needs.
- Our counsellors are fully qualified to practice with a diploma or a masters degree in counselling and are fully accredited with the BACP\* or equivalent, or are working towards this.

<sup>\*</sup>British Association of Counselling and Psychotherapy.

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## Benefits to you



In the moment support and counselling for home-life issues Confidential, independent specialist support for personal challenges such as relationship breakdown, coping with anxiety, bereavement, infertility, low self esteem, insomnia etc.



In the moment support and counselling for work-related issues Confidential, independent specialist telephone support for challenges or issues related to work such as workplace stress, worklife balance, difficulties with colleagues etc.



**Financial and Legal** 

Our qualified legal and financial professionals provide specialist support on a range of personal issues such as matrimony, housing, consumer, boundary disputes, debt managment and more.



**Specialist information** 

Specialist information and signposting services on topics such as elder care, childcare and disabled care.



**Support for Managers** 

A support service for managers, dealing with important and challenging people issues.



**Fast Access** 

You can access support via telephone or live chat 24 hours a day

- Completely confidential and independent service.
- Access available 24 hours a day, 365 days a year.
- · Support for personal or work issues.
- Completely free to the service user.\*\*

# Call **08000 856 148**

For online resources visit: educationsupport.org.uk/onlinesupport

Username: worklifesupport

Password: support1

<sup>\*\*</sup> Call costs from mobiles may vary according to the provider. Services delivered directly via the EAP are free. There may be charges for services we signpost to such as long term or open-ended support.

You can learn more about our work at educationsupport.org.uk or by calling 0207 697 2750



This is a fantastic service – thank you so much. I really don't know where I would be without the help I received from your team.



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