## Women's Wellness Program

Gender differences between men and women have long been ignored when addressing physical and mental health concerns. It is important to recognize that women today take on multiple roles (e.g., motherhood, career, spouse, caretaker, business owner), while they must also attend to specific natural psychological and physiological changes that occur with age.

Within their lifetime, women have a higher prevalence of sleep-related issues, depression, anxiety, and co-occurring illnesses. Integrating mental health into a woman's overall health and awareness builds resilience for all of life's challenges.

Studies have shown that therapeutic techniques based on Cognitive Behavior Therapy (CBT) — such as cognitive restructuring, mindfulness, and problemsolving — significantly reduce levels of depression and anxiety, improve coping skills, and increase overall quality of life.





## **Managing a Complex Life**

Challenges for women are often encountered during times of transition — pregnancy, infertility, pregnancy loss, menopause, pain or illness management, caregiving issues, interpersonal trauma, and financial hardship.

During these transitions, identifying the signs and symptoms of mental health concerns becomes even more critical. Concerns such as:

**Physical** — Headaches, insomnia, fatigue, sexual challenges, appetite change, or addiction

**Emotional** — Anxiety, anger, unhappiness, irritability, despair, frustration, feelings of guilt

**Mental** — Excessive worry, negative thinking, procrastination, indecisiveness, emptiness

**Occupational** — Work overload, unemployment, workplace conflict, feeling unfulfilled

**Social** — Isolation, friendships, family, marital problems, loneliness

## **What to Expect**

All new patients begin with a two-hour evaluation. After assessment, therapists collaboratively work with clients to develop treatment plans built around skills and behaviors that help manage life stressors and challenges.

CBH Partners serves as a client resource by supporting self-acceptance, living within values, creating healthy boundaries, integration of work and life roles, and present-moment living as essential elements to personal wellness.

Along with individual therapy, CBH Partners provides couples and family counseling, as well as other support services for families in crisis. When necessary, CBH Partners will coordinate with others involved in a client's



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