

NAMI GENERAL EDUCATION MEETING

Wednesday, June 5 at 7 p.m.

Join Us on ZOOM

Substance Use Counseling and Cannabis Where Are We Now?

An open exploration of the facts and patterns Nicasa Behavioral Health Service counselors have experienced with individuals who have mental health concerns and partaking in Cannabis use both recreationally and medicinally.



Presenter:
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Cate is a Lake County, Illinois native. She has a master's in social work from Aurora University with a focus on substance use counseling. While working in Arkansas, Cate was the first social worker on the Fort Smith Police Department's Crisis Intervention Team (CIT) with the responsibility of de-escalating crisis situations for those experiencing mental health challenges, preventing unnecessary criminal justice involvement, and providing community and case management to those in need of additional therapeutic support. Cate has long been an advocate for family advocacy and support services. Cate loves animals with 2 dogs and 2 cats that are cared for by the family including her 2 young children and US Army Veteran husband.



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