An Introduction to GuidanceResources®

Your Life. Your Work. Your Best.*



Overview

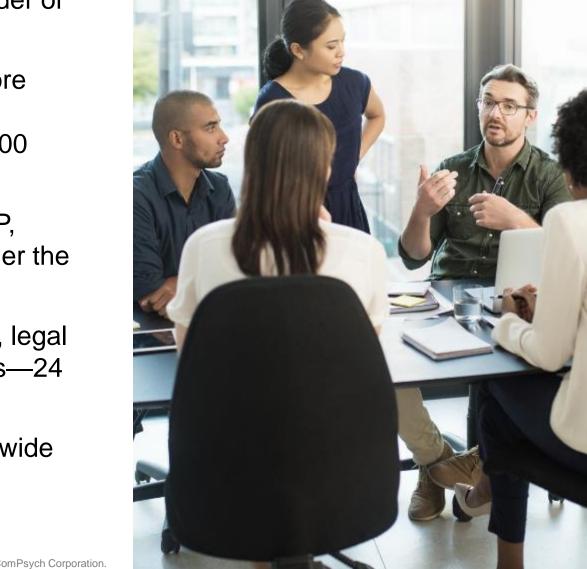
Founded in 1984 and grown to be the largest provider of EAP services in the world

Expansive and diverse customer base covering more than 163 million individuals and more than 78,000 organizations throughout the U.S. and more than 200 countries

Pioneer and leading provider of fully integrated EAP, legal, financial, work-life and wellness services under the GuidanceResources[®] brand

Global service centers staffed by dedicated clinical, legal financial, wellness, behavioral and work-life experts—24 hours a day

Leading provider of Critical Incident Services worldwide



GuidanceResources®

Integrated GuidanceResources[®] allows us to be your single source for:

- Confidential consultation on personal issues
- Legal information and resources
- Financial information, resources and tools
- Information, referrals and resources for work-life needs
- Online information, resources and tools





Confidentiality

The program is strictly confidential

Records are maintained by ComPsych®

Summary of number of requests for assistance



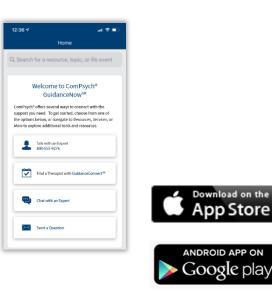
Available 24 Hours a Day

Call us anytime for solutions: 844-393-4983

Go Online: GuidanceResources.com

Company Web ID: UMASS

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Confidential Counseling

Short-term Counseling (3 sessions)

- Address issues early
- No cost
- Confidential
- Voluntary

Long-term Counseling

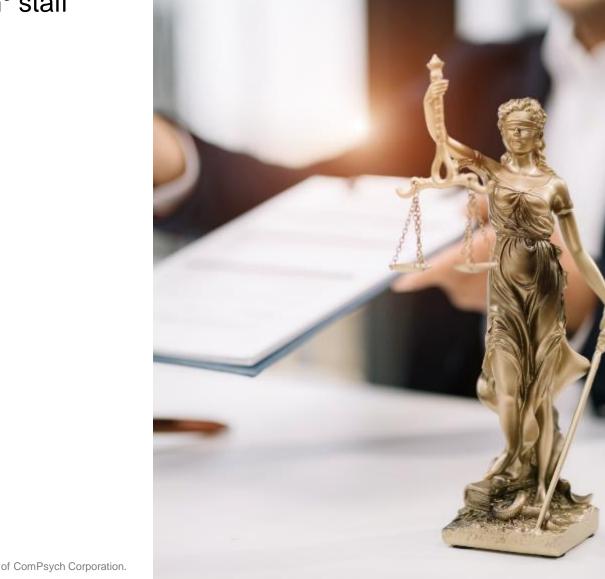
- Continuing treatment for long-standing issues
- Refer to insurance



Legal Information and Consultation

Expert legal information from licensed ComPsych® staff attorneys

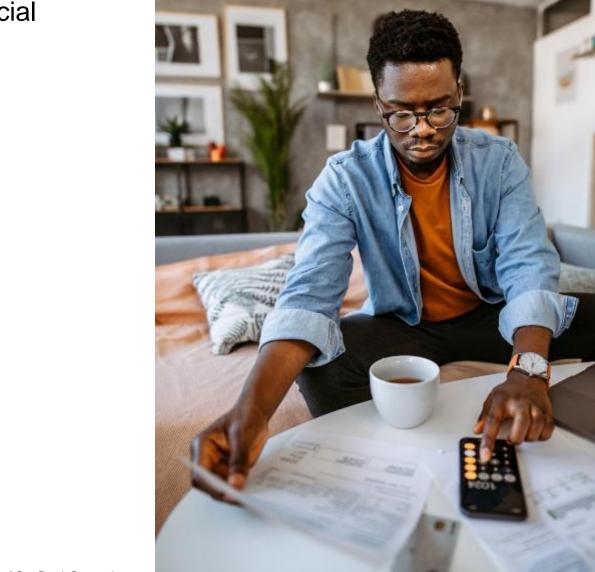
- Unlimited access
 - Family law
 - Wills
 - Bankruptcy
 - Estate planning
 - Real estate
 - ID theft
- Local, quality referrals
 - 30-minute consultation
 - Discounted legal fees



Financial Information and Consultation

Financial information from ComPsych[®] staff financial experts

- Unlimited access
 - Budgeting
 - Income tax
 - Credit
 - Real estate
 - Debt
 - Retirement planning
- Confidential and objective



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Work-Life Balance

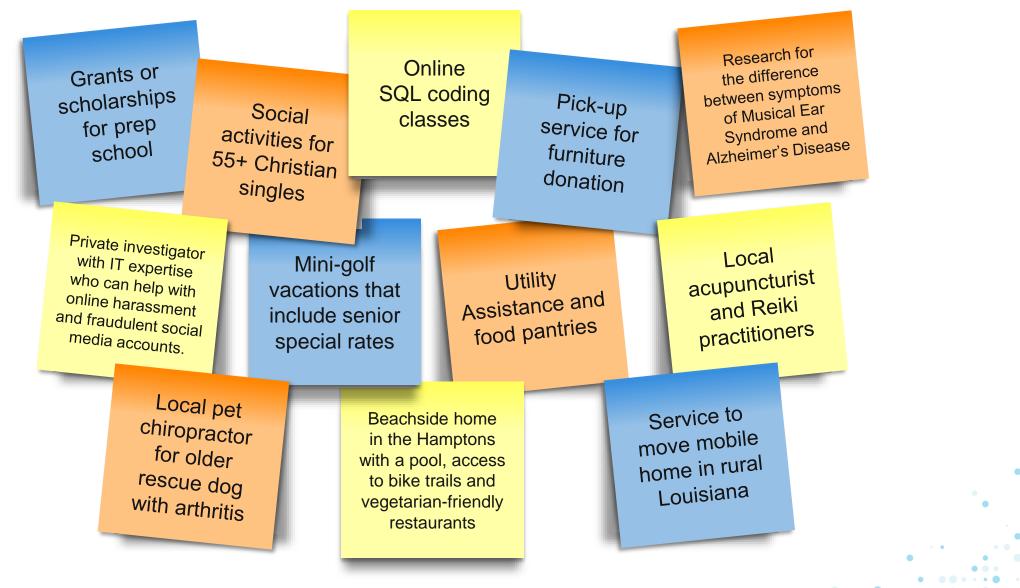
Information, referrals and resources for work-life needs

Addressing work-life balance issues by providing practical information and referrals

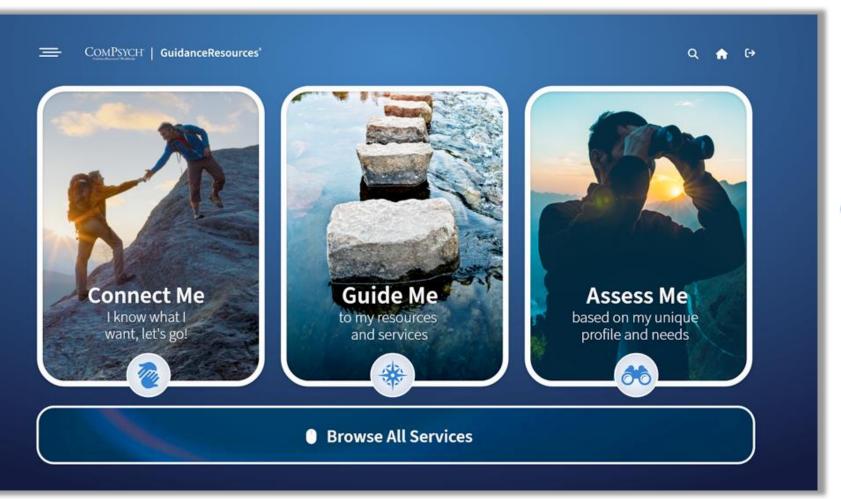
- Child and elder care
- Educational options
- Community information
- Event planning
- Home improvement
- Buying/selling a home, relocation
- Assistance with shopping and locating items



Work-Life Services in Action



Online Information, Tools and Services



Go Online: GuidanceResources.com Company Web ID: XXXXX

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24-hour access to localized resources in multiple languages



Digital intake and referral for counseling and work-life needs



Click to chat or send message to a master's-level clinician



On-demand training modules available anytime

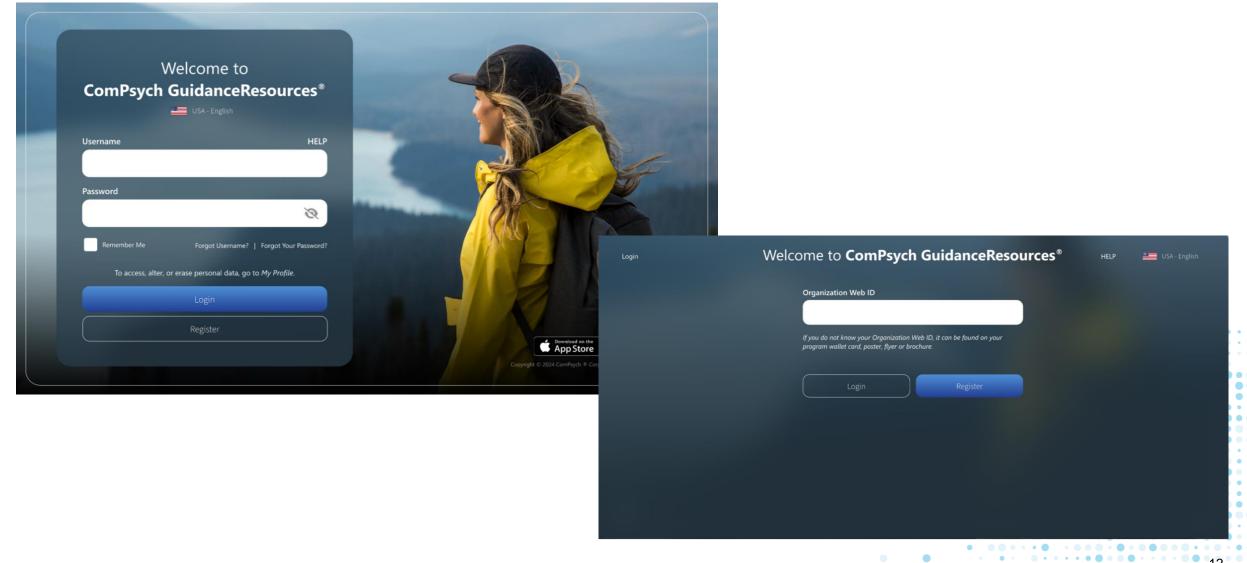


Lookup local child/ elder care, attorneys, financial experts

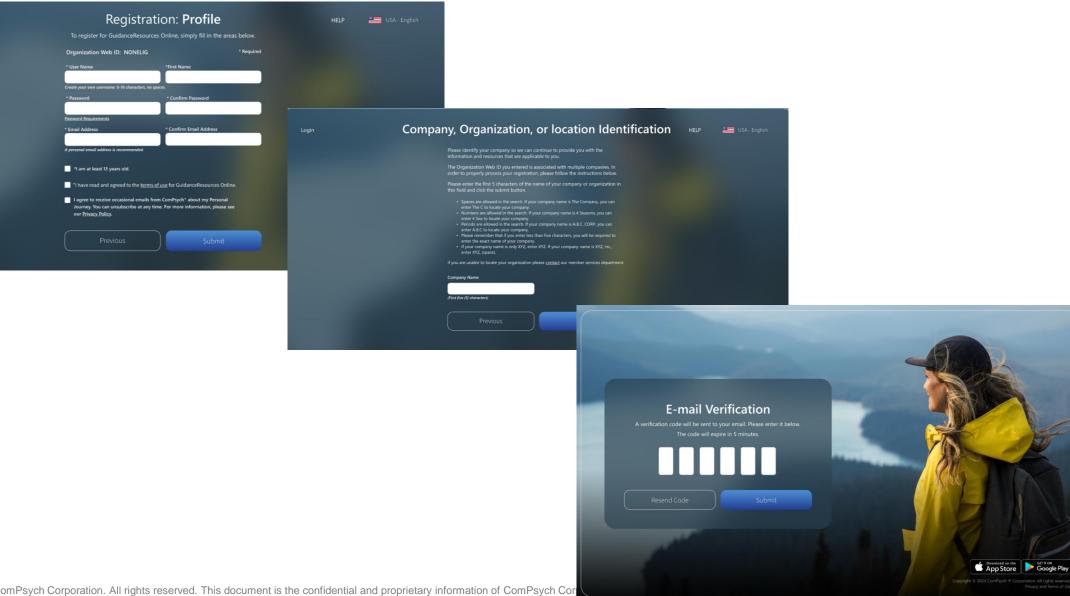


Discounts through partners for commonly used services

Registering on GuidanceResources.com



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The GuidanceResources Experience



Meet Diane

Diane, 51, is a Principal employee living and working in Des Moines, lowa. She is overwhelmed with her life and struggling with anxiety.



Diane calls her GuidanceResources[®] 24/7 local intake line.

After recently receiving a postcard at home about the GuidanceResources Program, Diane decides to seek help by calling the toll-free number for support.



Frances answers Diane's call

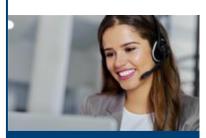
Frances, a ComPsych GuidanceConsultant, answers the call, speaks with Diane and triages and prioritizes her issues. In conversation, Diane shares that her mother recently moved into her home after suffering a minor stroke. Diane is looking for support to maintain her mother's socialization, safety and quality of life. Diane is mostly interested in home care agencies that can meet her personal care needs and also provide companionship.



Frances provides immediate support

Frances also learns that Diane's mother currently receives Medicaid and Diane hopes to find financial assistance that may pay for her mother's personal care services; however, Diane will pay for services privately, if needed. Frances also learns that Diane is interested in finding a personal emergency response systems for her mother. Finally, Frances learns that Diane has been stressed due to recent events and, while she typically is active, Diane has had difficulty focusing on her physical health.

The GuidanceResources Experience



Frances takes action

Frances provides in-themoment support for Diane, addressing her emotional state and concerns about elder care for her mother. She assesses Diane's situation, prioritizes her issues and determines what resources would best address her needs.





Given the stress and anxiety caused by her mother's condition, Diane indicates that she is open to counseling but has limited time to attend sessions in person. Frances offers referrals to a counselor near Diane's home that offers weekend hours and a counselor that offers video sessions. Both providers specialize in stress and anxiety. Diane opts for a local female counselor and Frances provides the contact information.

Taking into consideration Diane's preferences, Frances completes a thorough eldercare assessment and sends that request to ComPsych's FamilySource team to research. Within 2 business days, they provide Diane a referral packet via email that includes 3 to 5 pre-screened referrals for licensed home healthcare providers based on Diane's exact specifications (i.e., preferred days/hours, medical needs, budget, etc.).



Frances also sets a telephonic appointment for Diane with a ComPsych financial specialist who can assist her with the financial aspects of her mother's eldercare needs, including budgeting and financial support through Diane's mother's Medicaid plan.



With access to Principal's customer profile during intake, Frances is able to address Diane's concerns around her lack of recent physical activity by educating her about the valuable resources specific to Principal U.S. benefits, such as the free fitness center at Principal's Des Moines Headquarters.



Frances refers Diane to GuidanceResources Online for additional articles, resources and assets on eldercare, budgeting and physical health. Before ending the call, Frances asks Diane if she has any other questions or concerns.

Frequently Asked Questions

Do I need to enroll?

No. You are enrolled automatically as an active employee.

How much does it cost?

It is a free benefit.

Who can use the program?

All active employees and their household family members. Children over the age of 13 can request services themselves. For children under the age of 13, parent/guardian must call in to assist in arranging services on behalf of the child.

How do I access the program?

Call 844-393-4983 or visit guidanceresources.com

When is it available?

24/7, 365 days a year.

Are services confidential?

Yes, the EAP is strictly confidential. No information about your participation in the program is provided to your employer.

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Thank You for Attending

Your single source for confidential support, expert information and valuable resources, when you need it the most.

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