



# NAMI Seattle Support Groups

Updated July 2021

*All groups are free, peer-led, and drop-in. Groups currently meet online via Zoom. You may join using an electronic device or by calling in via phone. Captioning available. See reverse for other local mental health support groups not organized by NAMI.*

**Bipolar Support Group**—Every Tuesday, 2:00-3:30pm. Open to anyone living with Bipolar.

**BIPOC Support Group**—Every Tuesday, 5:00-6:00pm. Open to Black, Indigenous and/or People of Color seeking peer mental health support.

**Connection Support Group**—Every Tuesday, 6:30-8:00pm. Open to anyone living with a mental health condition (no formal diagnosis required).

**ECT Support Group**—1st & 3rd Thursdays, 5:30-7:00pm. Open to anyone who has experienced electroconvulsive therapy, or who is considering ECT for themselves. This support group is developed in partnership with Swedish Medical Center.

**Family Support Group**—Every Saturday, 1:30-3:00pm. (This group previously met at Harborview Medical Center.) Open to anyone with a family member/loved one living with a mental health condition.

**LGBTQ+ Support Group**—1st & 3rd Wednesdays, 6:30-8:00pm. This group is open to lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, and other queer-identifying and gender-nonconforming folx who want to explore the intersections of sexuality, gender, and mental health in a safe and welcoming space.

**Partners, Siblings & Friends Support Group**—2nd & 4th Wednesdays, 6:30-8:00pm. For partners, siblings, and close friends of anyone living with a mental illness. We recognize that supporting people with mental illness in our same generation/peer group brings its own unique set of experiences, and this group offers a space to connect with each other.

*Note: The Self-Help Group that previously met on Wednesday mornings at NAMI Seattle is set for an in-person return in Fall 2021!*

*Watch our website for further details.*

**To register on Zoom to attend a meeting, visit [namiseattle.org/get-support/#support\\_groups](https://namiseattle.org/get-support/#support_groups)**

For questions: [helpline@namiseattle.org](mailto:helpline@namiseattle.org) ▪ (425) 298-5315 (voicemail/text)

# Other Local Online Support Groups

The groups below are not peer-led and/or not led by NAMI-trained facilitators.  
All groups currently meet online until further notice.

**Anxiety and Mindfulness Support Groups**—To learn more, contact Cindy at [presentforpeace@gmail.com](mailto:presentforpeace@gmail.com) or visit [presentforpeace.com](http://presentforpeace.com)

**Appreciative Living Learning Circle**—Every Friday, 6:00pm. Social support group for young adults age 21-40 with mental health conditions. To learn more, register to attend, or be added to the ALLC email list, call Trez at 206.930.2739 and leave a message.

**Bipolar Support Group**—Every Wednesday, 7:15pm. To attend via Skype, join the Meetup group at [www.meetup.com/namiseattlebp](http://www.meetup.com/namiseattlebp) and send a message to the group facilitator.

**DBSA Greater Seattle Support Group**—2nd & 4th Thursdays, 7-9pm. Open to anyone experiencing depression and/or bipolar, as well as family and friends). For information on how to join contact David at [treasseadbsa@gmail.com](mailto:treasseadbsa@gmail.com) or call 206-748-1577

**Family & Friends Support Group**—1st Thursdays plus additional Thursdays as determined by group, 7:00-8:30pm. (This group previously met at Vashon Presbyterian.) For meeting dates and how to join, contact Beverly at 206.354.8921.

**Mindful Alternative**—Last Saturdays, 3:00-5:00pm. For parents of adult children with profound mental illness. For more information visit [mindfulalternative.org](http://mindfulalternative.org).

**Senior Parents of Adult Children with Mental Illness**—2nd Tuesdays, 10:00am-noon. To join, contact Carin Mack at 206.230.0166 or [socialwkr@comcast.net](mailto:socialwkr@comcast.net)