



## Compassionate support for substance use disorder is here

### You're not alone

Recently, about 1 in 8 Americans has increased their substance use to cope with stress or emotions.<sup>1</sup> If you or someone you love is struggling, you're not alone. As a UnitedHealthcare member, you and covered family members may have access to resources that could help you learn ways to cope.

### Explore healthier ways to cope

The road to recovery may feel daunting, but we believe it's an important one to take. UnitedHealthcare offers resources to help you work through challenges. Discover self help digital tools, licensed therapists (in person or virtual) and more, all in one place.

### Hope and healing may be a phone call away

To connect with specialists trained in addressing substance use disorders, call the Substance Use Helpline at **1-855-780-5955**. It's confidential and available 24/7.

If you or someone you know is experiencing thoughts of suicide, call **911** or the National Suicide Prevention Lifeline at **988**.

### Learn more

Visit [myuhc.com/mh-recommendations](https://myuhc.com/mh-recommendations) or call the number on your health plan ID card for more information

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people ages 12 and older had substance use disorder (SUD) in 2020<sup>2</sup>

The percentage of SUDs was highest among young adults aged

# 18-25<sup>2</sup>



<sup>1</sup> Czeisler ME, Lane RI, Petrosky E. Mental Health, Substance Use, and Suicidal Ideation During the COVID-19 Pandemic – United States, June 24–30, 2020. CDC MMWR. Published August 2020. Accessed June 2021. [www.cdc.gov/mmwr/volumes/69/wr/mm6932a1.htm](http://www.cdc.gov/mmwr/volumes/69/wr/mm6932a1.htm).

<sup>2</sup> Key Substance Use and Mental Health Indicators in the United States: Results from the 2020 National Survey on Drug Use and Health. Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration. Published October 2021. Accessed June 2022. [www.samhsa.gov/data/sites/default/files/reports/rpt35325/NSDUHFFR1PDFWHTMLFiles2020/2020NSDUHFFR1PDFW102121.pdf](http://www.samhsa.gov/data/sites/default/files/reports/rpt35325/NSDUHFFR1PDFWHTMLFiles2020/2020NSDUHFFR1PDFW102121.pdf).

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