Telehealth and COVID-19 Resources Steven R. Thorp, Ph.D., ABPP



Telehealth Resources

<u>California Telehealth Resource Center</u> (one-stop shopping for great information on telehealth in California)

https://www.caltrc.org/knowledge-center/covid-19-telehealth/

Center for Credentialing and Education (NBCC/CCE) Board Certified-TeleMental

Health Provider credential (BC-TMH; formerly Distance Credentialed

Counselor – DCC)

https://www.cce-global.org/Credentialing/BCTMH

Person-Centered Tech

https://personcenteredtech.com/

Tame Your Practice

https://tameyourpractice.com/

Telehealth Certification Institute

https://telementalhealthtraining.com/

Telebehavioral Health Institute

http://telehealth.org/

The Online Therapy Institute

http://onlinetherapyinstitute.com/

Zur Institute

www.zurinstitute.com/

County of San Diego Behavioral Health Services COVID-19 FAQs—Telehealth and Mitigation for Physical Distancing

https://www.sandiegocounty.gov/content/sdc/hhsa/programs/bhs/BHSCOVID 19Information/BHSCOVID19FAQs.html#telehealth

Sample Telehealth Informed Consents

California Telehealth Resource Center

https://www.caltrc.org/knowledge-center/best-practices/sample-forms/

Trust Document Library

https://parma.trustinsurance.com/Resource-Center/Document-Library

For additional informed consent guidelines, please reference the County of San Diego Behavioral Health Services Organizational Provider Operations Handbook (OPOH) and Substance Use Disorder Provider Operations Handbook (SUDPOH)

Videoconferencing Options

Although some of these are free, you may want to pay for at least the lowest tier so that you have a Business Associate Agreements (BAA) and better connectivity; priority is given to paid accounts.

Clocktree

https://www.clocktree.com/

Doxy.me

https://doxy.me/

Google Meet (need to sign BAA with Google Suite) https://meet.google.com/

Signal

https://signal.org/

Spruce Health

https://www.sprucehealth.com/

VSee

https://vsee.com/

Zoom great low-cost options for full versions https://zoom.us/

Legal Resources

<u>Zur Institute Summary of Changes to Telemental Health Landscape due to COVID-19 Emergency</u> (Roy Huggins)

https://www.zurinstitute.com/summary-of-changes-to-the-telemental-health-landscape-due-to-the-covid-19-emergency/

<u>Center for Connected Health Policy</u> (National Laws and Policies) www.cchpca.org

Epstein Becker Green Telemental Health Laws App available for iPhone, iPad and Android devices via links to the Apple App Store and Google Play https://www.ebglaw.com/telemental-health-laws-app/

COVID-19 Specific

<u>Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services Medicare Telemedicine Health Care</u>
<u>Provider Fact Sheet</u>

https://www.cms.gov/newsroom/fact-sheets/medicare-telemedicine-health-care-provider-fact-sheet

COVID-19 Plan for Therapists: Questions, Answers, and Guidelines

https://www.zynnyme.com/blog/2020/3/12/covid-19-plan-for-therapists-questions-answers-and-guidelines

<u>Psychotherapy.net Coping with Covid-19</u> guide for therapists, clients, and others <u>https://www.psychotherapy.net/coronavirus-resources</u>

Telehealth Webinars

- Online Therapy Institute Covid 19 Telehealth course by Kate Anthony, BSc, MSc, DPsych, FBACP (including an overview of Zoom, VSee, and Doxy) https://www.kateanthony.net/shortcoursementalhealth/
- PESI Telehealth Certification for Mental Health Professionals with Joni Gilbertson 12-hour training on telehealth services https://catalog.pesi.com/item/52191/?utm_source=featuredad&utm_medium=banner&utm_campaign=BH_telehealth_POS055645&fbclid=lwAR1kEXTqGy 1vcYYhgH_NX7hJuqQIvYKX9EyUBNkscIntj1c9PbXYUz-RhcY
- <u>SimplePractice Learning: Legal and Ethical Issues of Telehealth</u> on-demand https://ter.li/ydxf7i
- <u>Strategies to Advance Behavioral Health Outcomes Using Telehealth</u> recorded virtual training by Steven R. Thorp, Ph.D., ABPP, February 1, 2021. https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bxaDZ8pR_qA&feature=youtu.be
- The Abundant Practice Podcast

 https://abundancepracticebuilding.com/category/podcast/
- <u>Tele-PLAY Therapy Resources and Support facebook group</u> https://www.facebook.com/groups/2377497079019547
- <u>Transitioning to Online Therapy Really Fast -- Due to Coronavirus</u> Roy Huggins, LPC, NCC, via facebook Live https://www.facebook.com/personcenteredtech/videos/3451523878196102/UzpfSTU3NzAxNjEwNjoxMDE1NzUzMTMwNTYyMTEwNw/





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