20 RURAL MENTAL HEALTH SUMMIT

THURSDAY, MAY 15, 2025 AGRICENTER

14171 CAROLE DR | BLOOMINGTON, IL

Registration 9am | Summit 10am-2pm Lunch provided





PRESENTED BY
The SIU Medicine Farm Family Resource Initiative

An opportunity for health professionals and community leaders to share knowledge, build partnerships, and collaborate to better serve rural Illinois residents.

Join us for a day of learning, collaboration, and action to improve mental health services in rural Illinois. Health professionals, agricultural leaders, educators, and community advocates will come together to explore current challenges, share successful initiatives, and build meaningful partnerships.

SUMMIT TOPICS & SPEAKERS

Laying the Groundwork: The Current Mental Health Landscape of Rural Illinois

An overview of today's rural mental health landscape. Topics include emerging challenges and how Illinois' agriculture industry is supporting change.

PRESENTER: Adrienne DeSutter, Sow Hope, Grow Hope

Seeds to Sow: Resources for Frontline Professionals and Community Organizations

Explore resources available to health providers and rural communities, including services, education, and training opportunities.

PRESENTERS:

Karen Stallman, Agriculture Resource Specialist, Farm Family Resource Initiative Cheyanne Dierickx, Visiting Extension Outreach Associate, University of Illinois Evan Hultine, Vice President, Illinois Farm Bureau

Lunch and facilitated discussions on the challenges facing mental health services in rural Illinois.

Successful Harvests: Community Initiatives Supporting Rural Mental Health

Highlighting successful programs and events promoting mental wellness in rural areas.

PRESENTERS:

Edwards County FFA Chapter, Albion, IL

Pastor Tim Durmond-Paul, Companion Movement by Pathways to Promise Katie Laleman, FBCM, Manager, Henry County Farm Bureau



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This program offers 3.0 CE hours.