



**Congregational Depression Awareness Program Application**

**Contact Information**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

**Faith Community**

Name of Congregation: \_\_\_\_\_

Faith/Denomination: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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Name of Congregational Leader: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

From the list below, please select your congregation's average weekly attendance (pre-COVID):

- A) Under 100
- B) 100-150
- C) 151-300
- D) 301-500
- E) Over 500

**Additional Information:**

What roles or responsibilities have you held within your congregation? (e.g., experience leading or coordinating congregational ministries or programs)? \_\_\_\_\_

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What organizational skills will you bring to the program? \_\_\_\_\_

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Why are you interested in this program? \_\_\_\_\_

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Classes will be held virtually via Zoom **every Thursday for five weeks from 5:30 to 7:00 p.m. ET.** You may select to participate **in one of two cohorts.** Please select which cohort you would like to participate in, or if you have no preference. Space in the program is limited. We will do our best to accommodate your preferred cohort dates.

- January 6 through February 3, 2022**
- February 17 through March 17, 2022**
- No preference**

Attendance is required at all sessions.

- Yes, I will be able to attend all five, 90-minute sessions.**

In addition to this application, please include one letter of endorsement/pledge of support from your congregational leader. The letter should state 1) they support your efforts to share information on depression with the congregation and 2) they recognize that depression is a medical illness. Please recognize that this is NOT a letter of recommendation but a pledge of support. The purpose of this letter is to show that your faith leader is supportive of your participation in this program, and will allow you the opportunity to share what you have learned about depression with the congregation.

Please submit your completed application and endorsement letter by **Friday, October 29, 2021** to Kimberly Monson at [kmonson1@jhmi.edu](mailto:kmonson1@jhmi.edu) or fax to (410) 550-2622. (Please do not send by mail.) Once your application is received, you will be contacted for a phone and/or Zoom interview. We regret that applications received after October 29 will not be considered.