



Grief Awareness Week 2020

November 16 – 20, 2020

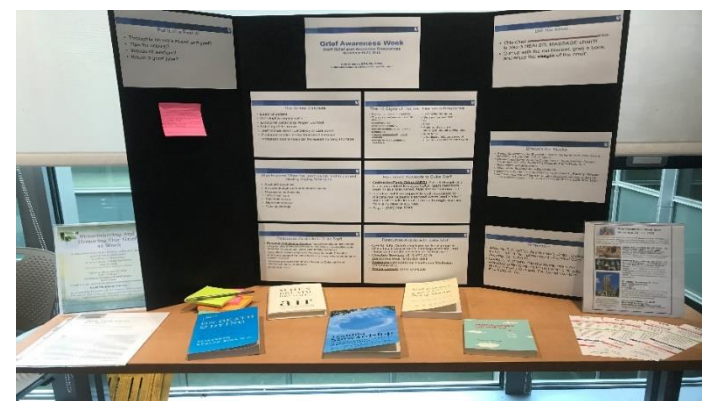
The purpose of the activities, events and displays during Grief Awareness Week is to increase awareness of issues pertaining to grief and loss in the workplace, to promote strategies for healthy grieving, and to encourage staff self-care at Duke University Hospital.

Wednesday, November 18th, Noon, Virtual Staff Memorial Service A time for community prayer, reflection, music, grief & hope and remembering our co-workers. *The Duke Chapel Bell will be rung one time for each person remembered.*



Thursday, November 19th, 1 – 5pm, A half-day virtual symposium “Matters of Grief: The Duke Response” Honoring professional and provider grief as well as support available at Duke from colleagues, programs, and more. Register bit.ly/mattersofgrief

Unit-level Grief Resource Tables & Displays – All Week, various units in DMP and Duke North providing resources and information related to grief & hope. Normalizing grief in our daily lives.



Tree dedication in memory of patients cared for during COVID-19, Cancer Center Lawn, In-person brief service of remembrance will be made available virtually for families.

Grief Awareness Week activities made possible by the Department of Chaplain Services and Education, the Duke Hospital Bereavement Advisory Council, and various other departments, colleagues, and friends.