



A Journey Through Mental Illness: Open Dialogue



With Susan Mikolic, R.N., President of Stepping Stones & her son, Matt

Don't miss this exciting opportunity to hear from mother and son on a topic of vital interest. Susan and Matt will answer your questions on the experience of mental illness... their journey, school issues, treatment issues, their suggestions on how to achieve academic success, what to do when your child is suicidal, and any other issue you would like to discuss.

Matt will graduate this year with his class, but it was not an easy journey. His mom diligently learned everything she could to help her son succeed in school and get well. Her other son, Brian, was also diagnosed with a mental disorder early in life.

Matt is 18 years old and a senior in high school. Matt was diagnosed with Bipolar Disorder at age 8 and has been through a lot in his young life. He has been blessed to have transformed his life into great success. Matt serves on The State of Ohio Transformation Working Group, a cabinet level group who will work to evaluate and improve the state's approach to mental health care.

Susan has taken her passion to help other children and her knowledge to educators and families through her business, Stepping Stones. The Mission of Stepping Stones Educational Consulting is to improve the life outcomes and quality of life for children with mental illness via achieving academic success.

This event is free and open to the public.

Register by e-mail: michelle@steppingstonesmentalhealth.com, or call 440-725-7124.

Make your reservation today! Space is limited.



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Note: This session will be taped.