Minds Matter: Building Resilience Together Hackathon Project

Objective

Create a website using HTML, CSS or other programming languages that raises awareness about and offers support for one of the following common mental health challenges faced by youth.

Topic Choices

- Anxiety: Many young people experience feelings of worry or fear that can be overwhelming. This might show up as being constantly worried about school, friends, or the future.
- 2. <u>Depression:</u> Feeling sad or down for a long time can be a sign of depression. It can make everything seem harder and less enjoyable, even things they used to love.
- 3. <u>Stress:</u>Pressure from school, exams, relationships, or social media can lead to stress. It's like feeling overloaded with things to do and not enough time or energy to handle it all.
- 4. <u>Body Image Issues</u>: Young people often struggle with how they see themselves physically. This might include feeling bad about their weight, appearance, or comparing themselves to others online.
- 5. <u>Bullying and Cyberbullying</u>:Being teased, harassed, or bullied online can deeply affect youth. It can make them feel isolated, hurt, or afraid, even when they're not face-to-face with the person doing it

Website Requirements

Homepage

- Introduction to the chosen mental health challenge.
- Why it's important to raise awareness and provide support.
- Brief overview of what visitors will find on your website.

Information Page

- Detailed information about the chosen mental health challenge.
- Facts, statistics, and common symptoms associated with the challenge.
- Ways to identify if someone might be experiencing this challenge.

Support Resources

- List of helpful resources such as hotlines, websites, or organizations that provide support and information.
- Tips for self-care and coping strategies related to the mental health challenge.

Get Involved

- Suggestions on how visitors can get involved in supporting individuals facing this challenge.
- Call to action for donations, volunteering, or spreading awareness through social media.

Contact Us

- Simple contact form or email address for visitors to reach out with questions or feedback.
- Optional: Include links to social media profiles for further engagement.

Technical Requirements

- Use HTML to structure your website content (headings, paragraphs, lists).
- Implement CSS for styling elements (colors, fonts, layout).
- Ensure your website is responsive and works well on both desktop and mobile devices.
- Optionally, you can use JavaScript, PHP, MySQL, or other languages for additional features or dynamic content.

Submission Guidelines

- Submit your project as a GitHub repository link.
- Include a README.md file explaining your project and its purpose

Additional Tips

- Keep your design clean and user-friendly.
- Use images, icons, or graphics to enhance your content (ensure you have the rights to use them).
- Test your website to ensure all links and forms are functional.

Judging Criteria

- Clarity and Relevance
- Creativity and Design
- Usability and Navigation
- Impact and Awareness