

# WHEEL OF LIFE

WHAT MATTERS MOST

#### THE PURPOSE OF THE WHEEL OF LIFE

- Having a tool to help communicate big intentions in simple ways
- Having a visual to help you see your wellness at first glance
- A tool that will help to engage in meaningful conversations with your health coach and others
- A tool that is personalized to your wellness and life engagement

## WELLNESS + WELL-BEING = HOLISTIC APPROACH

## Wellness

- Living Pain Free
- Maximum Function of Body & Mind

# Well-being

- Having Resilience
- Living Meaningfully
  - Experiencing balance & wholeness

#### REPRESENTATION OF WELLNESS

**Physical Focus** 

Absence of Dis-ease

**Preventative Actions** 

#### REPRESENTATION OF WELL-BEING

Whole Person Focus

Contentment

Purposeful Actions



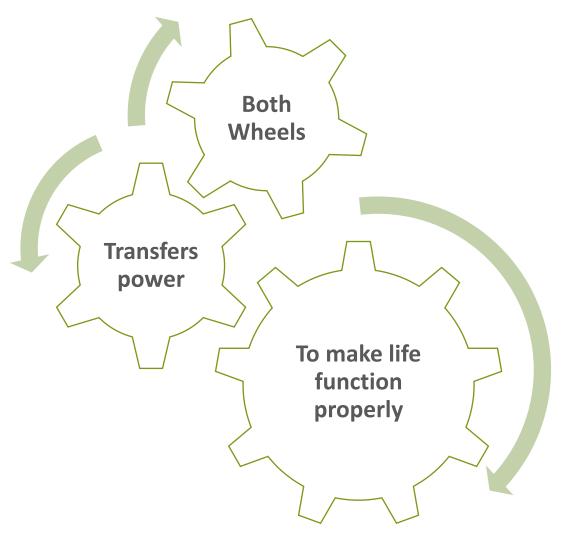
# THE TRADITIONAL WELLNESS WHEEL

Seven
Dimensions in taking a holistic approach to enhance your health

# THE INNOVATIVE WHEEL







Wheel of Life	Wellness Wheel
Continuous Growth	ALL
Safety & Security	Environmental
Financial Health	Financial
Vocation	Intellectual
	Financial
Relationships & Belonging	Emotional
	Social
Physical Health	Physical
Emotional & Mental Health	Emotional
	Intellectual
Recreation & Hobbies	Physical
Contribution & Service	Environmental
	Social
Purpose & Spirituality	Spiritual

## REFLECTIONS ON THE WHEEL OF LIFE

DEFINITIONS AND EXPLORATIVE INQUIRIES

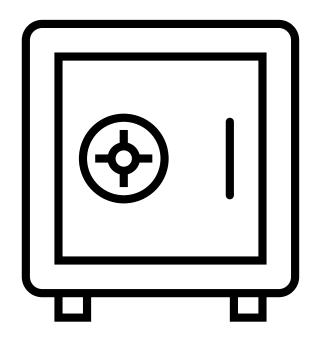
#### **CONTINUOUS GROWTH**

- Continuing to learn and evolve as a person
- Attending to the ongoing evolution of one's mind, body, and / or spirit over time
  - How are you consistently progressing towards living your fullest life?
  - How do you broaden your opportunities to grow?



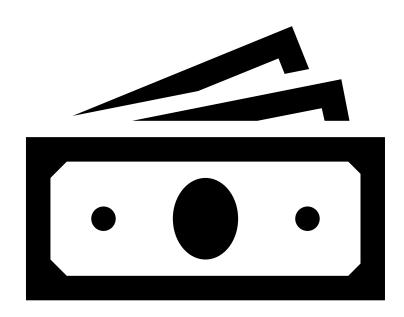
#### **SAFETY & SECURITY**

- A sense of well-being that stems from the absence of internal or external threats and danger
- A sense of stability that enables one to live comfortably and without undue anxiety
  - What in your life today contributes to feelings of safety and security?
  - What else might provide you with a deeper sense of safety and security?



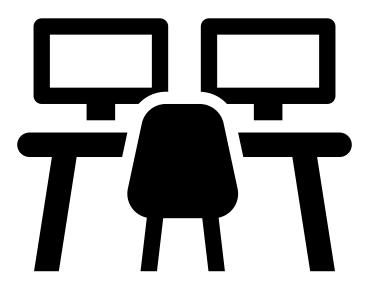
#### FINANCIAL HEALTH

- The state and management of one's personal finances
  - How does your current financial health impact your quality of life today?
  - What are your intentions around ensuring financial health now and in the future?



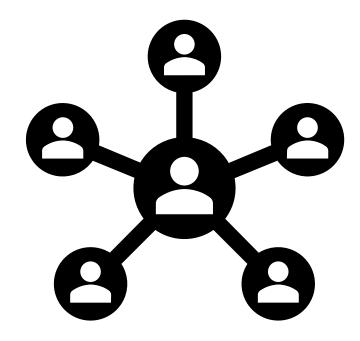
#### **VOCATION**

- The work, occupation, or profession that one is suited, trained, or qualified to do
- The act of responding to a personal calling toward work which offers meaning and purpose
  - What is the impact of your vocation on your overall quality of life?
  - Are there activities that you do now (or would like to do) which would strengthen your vocation?



#### **RELATIONSHIP & BELONGING**

- A meaningful association or acquaintance between two or more people
- Inclusion with a social group, culture, or community that brings a sense of satisfaction
  - Which people, personal associations, or other group interactions bring meaning to your life?



#### PHYSICAL HEALTH

- Consuming nourishing food and drink that maintains a healthy mind and body
- Using one's body and caring for it in ways that support optimal functioning
  - How does your current daily routine support your physical health?
  - What are other actions you could take to maintain or improve your physical health?



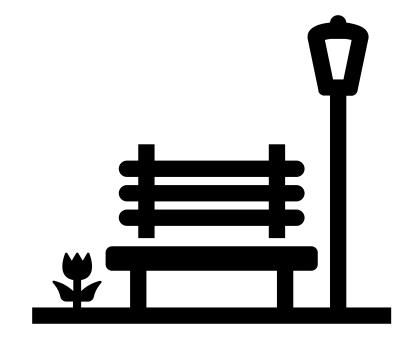
#### **EMOTIONAL & MENTAL HEALTH**

- Managing and expressing feelings in a healthy and non-harmful way
- Managing your thoughts and actions in a supportive and productive way
  - What are your strategies for managing emotions like anxiety, anger or sadness?
  - What are your strategies for maintaining clarity and calm during challenging circumstances?



#### **RECREATION & HOBBIES**

- Leisure activity that amuses or stimulates one in a beneficial way
- An activity that one enjoys doing regularly for pleasure or relaxation
  - Which activities do you currently make time for and why?
  - Which activities might you like to add to your routine?



#### **CONTRIBUTION & SERVICES**

- Freely offering one's time and energy to benefit the greater good
  - In which ways do you currently contribute to your community / peers / family / network?
  - What other service activities would you find meaningful?



#### **PURPOSE & SPIRITUALITY**

- A reason for being; a definable meaning for one's life
- A sense of connection to others and the world
  - Which activities offer you the feeling of purposefulness and meaning?
  - What brings you a sense of connection in life?



# REFLECTIONS ON THE WHEEL OF LIFE

**SELF-ASSESSMENT** 

- Which areas of life get most of your attention now?
- Which areas of life are asking for more of your attention?
- What's working well in one area of your life today?
- Which areas of life feel most important to you right now? Why?
- Which areas of your life have always been very important to you, no matter what age?
  - What does that tell you about your core values?
- What is one area of your life that brings you joy? Why?
- To live your best day each day, what feels important to... keep doing? | start doing? | do less of?
- What's one intention or goal you'd like to set to support your health & well-being?

# WELLNESS CIRCLE SERIES

VITALIZE 360 PROGRAM

#### Goal for Group Participation

 For participants to enhance their health and well-being by connecting to self and connecting to the community through positive inquiry and purposeful intentions

#### Mission

- The group can have meaningful conversations about What Matters Most (WMM)
- Share common ideas and positive feedback to enhance one's well-being
- Self-awareness while focusing and reflecting on specific health and well-being topics
- A hands-on approach to promoting whole person wellness



#### First Series

• Title: Wheel of Life

Duration: 6 Rounds (weekly)

• **Dates:** Thursday, October 29<sup>th</sup> through November 10<sup>th</sup>

**•** 10/29

**11/5** 

**11/12** 

**11/19** 

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12/10 Last round of series

• Time: 2:00 pm

Group Capacity: 15 residents + Health Coach, Kim

Cost: FREE OF CHARGE!

Location: Auditorium

may be able to move it to a different location, depending if group is less than 20

 Please <u>register</u> to participate: Call Kim Rivers, x 7393 or email <u>krivers@collington.Kendal.org</u>



