Overcoming Burnout

We'll get started in just a few moments!







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What we'll cover today:

- Burnout signs and impact
- Lived experience
- Practical exercises



SETTLING PRACTICE:

Breathing & Grounding Activating Parasympathetic System

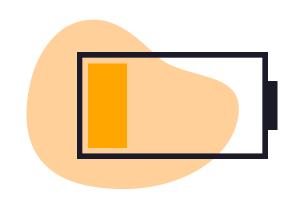
What is burnout?

"A syndrome conceptualized as resulting from chronic workplace stress that has not been successfully managed"

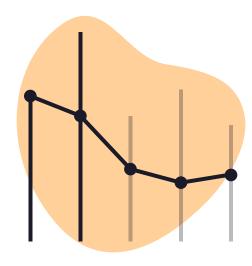
- World Health Organization



3 Key Dimensions







1.

Feelings of energy depletion or exhaustion

2.

Increased mental distance from one's job or feelings of negativism or cynicism towards it

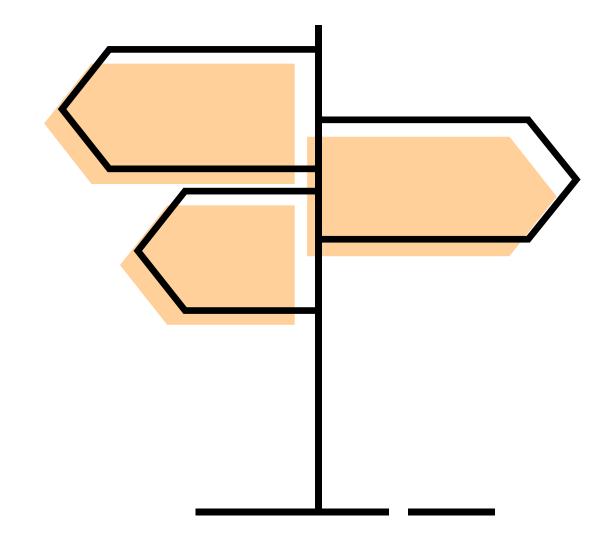
3.

Reduced professional performance

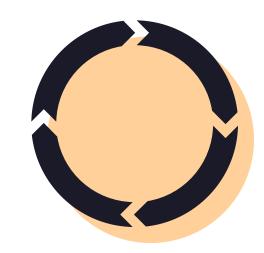


Signs & Impact

- Honeymoon phase
- Onset of stress
- Chronic stress
- Burnout







Phases (Freudenberger)

- 1. Compulsion to prove self
- 2. Working harder
- 3. Neglecting needs
- 4. Dismissing conflict
- 5. Changing values
- 6. Denial of emerging problems

- 7. Withdraw from others
- 8. Obvious behavioural changes
- 9. Disconnected
- 10. Emptiness
- 11. Depression
- 12. Burnout



Contributory Factors

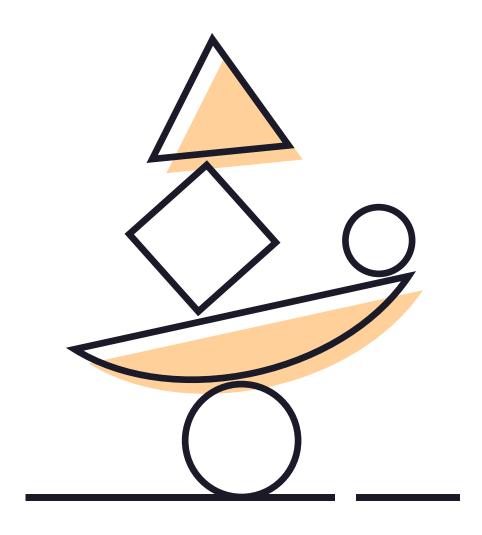
- High demands
- Lack of resources
- Low control or clarity
- Insufficient reward
- Breakdown in sense of community
- Unfairness





Contributory Factors

- Impact of technology
- Societal or industry norms
- Value conflict
- Personal characteristics
 - Dedicated and committed
 - Putting others first
 - Beliefs and self-expectation

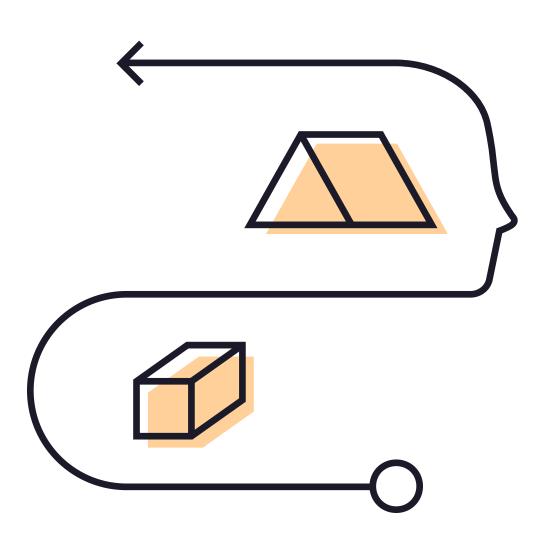




Lived Experience of Burnout

Strategies

- Reduce external stressors
- Increase resources
- Identify triggers and early warning signs
- Reduce internal stressors
- Self care





PRACTICE:

Compassionate Breathing

Any questions?



Thank you

