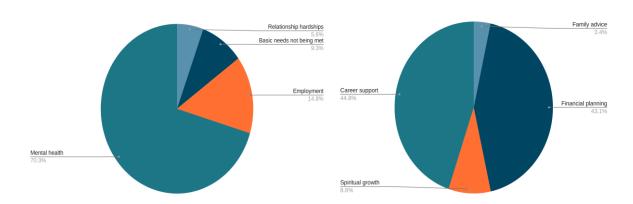


Our recent survey, in the heart of a global pandemic, showed us that most young adults between the age of 19-21 thought their greatest need was for guidance in their mental health. How can you help? Our mentor teams are a strong force in helping their mentee accomplish career/educational goals, learn/develop necessary life skills, and live interdependently upon transition from Saving Grace. During this time though it may also be supporting self-care and how to maintain positive mental health choices that can encourage them for a lifetime.



Mentoring "Grace" for Life is a big commitment and looks a little different for everyone. Here are some basic expectations for Saving Grace mentors:

- · Commit to meet with her regularly (2-4 hours/mo on average)
- Establish trust and maintain confidentiality
- · Provide guidance and encouragement
- · Identify learning opportunities for her
- · Expose her to new ideas
- Provide helpful resources
- Share personal experiences and perspective

"Though one may be overpowered, two can defend themselves.

A cord of three strands is not quickly broken."

Mentor at Saving Grace -Transitional Living (Rogers, AR) (savinggracenwa.org)