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## AI and College Student Mental Health: Understanding Uses, Risks, and Emerging Guidance

As artificial intelligence (AI) practices become increasingly accessible, college students are turning to them for mental health information, emotional support, companionship, and overall well-being. This webinar will explore emerging trends in how students use AI for these purposes, including the potential benefits, risks, and implications for student mental health and campus support services. Participants will examine real-world cases, discuss legal and ethical considerations, and review current AI safety guidance and emerging AI wellness practices. The session will also highlight key questions for higher education professionals to consider as they navigate the evolving role of AI in student well-being, safety, and support.

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