



LIVING LIBRARY Discussion Guide

These questions aim to facilitate conversations about the Living Library videos.

* Starred questions ask viewers to reflect and respond to the videos directly.

Other questions encourage viewers to apply what they learned from the videos to bigger-picture topics in healthcare.



Reaction to Videos

- * What parts of the video had the greatest impact on you?
- * What reaction to the video surprised you or made you question why you were feeling a certain way?
- * What did you learn about this individual's condition that was new to you?
- * What questions do you have about this condition or healthcare experience?

Patient/Client Communication

What have you learned that helps improve communication?

What is an important change in your practice to promote better communication?

When communicating, what kind of person are you trying to be or sound like? How does your language reflect this?

What are potential barriers to effective communication? How can you overcome these barriers?

Giving Care

- * What is a skill for caregiving that you learned?
- * Compare what you have learned about _____ from the video with what you learned in the classroom.

What particular circumstances of a patient/client's life should be considered when giving care? Why are these factors important?

Self-Reflection

What mindset or bias do you see in yourself that may affect communication?

What influences may your culture or upbringing have on struggles with _____?

Can you think of a time when you have reinforced the stigma associated with _____?

How do you personally, or your institution reinforce the normalization of _____?