Chronic Illness Resources

Websites

<u>Center for Chronic Illness</u>

• The Center for Chronic Illness provides resources and support for individuals living with chronic illnesses.

<u>Center for Disease Control (CDC)</u>

• The CDC's Division of Chronic Disease Prevention and Health Promotion focuses on improving health and preventing chronic diseases through research and community programs.

Multiple Chronic Conditions

• The Multiple Chronic Conditions Resource Center offers valuable information and support for patients managing multiple chronic conditions.

<u>Medline Plus</u>

• MedlinePlus provides reliable health information and resources on a wide range of medical topics for patients and healthcare professionals.

Articles

Coping with a Diagnosis of Chronic Illness

• The American Psychological Association article on coping with chronic illness explores effective strategies for managing the emotional and psychological challenges that arise after a diagnosis, emphasizing the importance of support, self-care, and resilience.

Next Steps after Your Diagnosis: Finding Information and Support

• The AHRQ article "Questions to Ask About Your Diagnosis" provides essential guidance for patients on how to engage effectively with healthcare providers, encouraging them to ask key questions to ensure a clear understanding of their diagnosis and treatment options.

