

# Chronic Disorganization Challenges and Strategies



## At a glance...

Susie Marsh, LBSW will present on chronic disorganization for those who have mental health challenges/diagnoses such as, ADHD, anxiety, depression, hoarding, older adults and more. Specific information will be discussed, such as the definition of chronic disorganization, types of chronic disorganization, challenges people face with organization, and strategies to use when chronic disorganization is identified.

## Objectives

1. Attendee will be able to identify the differences between situational and chronic disorganization.
2. Attendee will be able to define chronic disorganization.
3. Attendee will be able to name 3 strategies to use with persons who have chronic disorganization challenges.
4. Attendee will be able to name the types of chronic disorganization.
5. Attendee will be able to identify where clients fall on the ICD clutter- hoarding scale.
6. Attendee will be able to identify resources/supports to help with chronic disorganization challenges.

## Speaker

**Susie Marsh**, LBSW is the owner of Susie's Organization Solutions LLC and former co-owner of Moxie Life Organizing, LLC. She is a 16+ year veteran of the organizing & productivity industry as well as a licensed social worker for 35+ years. Susie is an active member of NAPO National as well as a residential specialist and Golden Circle Member for 15 years. On the local level, Susie is an active member of NAPO Michigan where she served 4 years as Vice President, volunteer coordinator, West MI liaison and the current incoming secretary for 2023-24. Susie is also a member of the Caregiver Resource Network since 2003 & the Institute for Challenging Disorganization for the past 10 years where she holds Level 1 certificates in ADD and Hoarding. She specializes in working with those who struggle with chronic & challenging disorganization. She is also a trustee for the Gun Lake Business Association. She has been featured in Senior Perspective magazine, GR Business Journal, Fox17 and on the team of two episodes of season 7 of A&E's Hoarders: Family Secrets. She has been a frequent speaker for the GR Savvy Senior series as well. Susie has helped many clients over the years to find peace with their stuff and make their spaces functional and inviting spaces again!



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