



# **WEBSITE DESIGN TEAM**

**(435)**

**REGIONAL 2026**

**PRELIMINARY**

**Judge Key**

## TOPIC

Your team is tasked with developing a website for a mental health awareness campaign. The website will serve as a hub for resources and support, helping to de-stigmatize mental health issues and provide tools for individuals to seek help.

Key features to include:

- Information about mental health disorders (e.g., anxiety, depression)
- Local and national helplines and resources
- Online counseling appointment scheduler
- Interactive support community (forums or chat rooms)
- Informational blog posts about mental health
- Testimonials from individuals who've overcome mental health challenges

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## GENERAL GUIDELINES

1. **Formulate Questions:** As a team of judges, create two to three questions to ask at the end of each presentation. *Make sure to ask the same questions to every team.* Potential questions are listed below.
2. **Presentation Details:**
  - **Setup Time:** Teams have up to three (3) minutes to set up.
  - **Presentation Time:** Teams have up to ten (10) minutes to present, followed by up to five (5) minutes for judges' questions.
  - **Completion:** Excuse the team after the judges' questions are finished.
3. **Judging Rules:**
  - **No Ties:** There can be no ties in the top 10 teams. Judges are responsible for breaking any ties.
  - **Ranking:** The administrator will fill out the ranking sheet before dismissing the judges.
4. **Scoring:**
  - Individual scores are not to be given to students.
  - Only general statements are to be shared.
  - Contestants are not allowed to ask questions.
  - Please share your comments directly online. Contestants will see these comments which will help prepare them for future competitions.
5. **Post-Presentation:**
  - **Materials:** Give any contest materials to the administrator.
  - **Audience:** No audience is allowed in the contest room.

## POTENTIAL JUDGE'S QUESTIONS

1. What is the main goal of your mental health awareness website?
2. Which mental health topics or disorders did you choose to highlight, and why?
3. What feature do you think will be most helpful to students or individuals seeking support?
4. How did you make your website welcoming and easy to navigate?

**FINAL STEPS.** Double-check and verify all scores.