

## **Understanding Mental Illness**

What parents living with mental illness need to know about the role of genetics in psychiatric disorders – it's not as scary as you think!

Join Dr. Jehannine Austin on Thursday, October 9th for an engaging evening of information and discussion on the causes of mental illness



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## Ralph Fisher Auditorium -Richmond Hospital Thursday, October 9th Doors Open 6:30 Seating is limited

Ralph Fisher Auditorium Richmond Hospital 7000 Westminster Hwy

Free parking available in the gravel lot accessed from Westminster Hwy.

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Psychiatric disorders are complex conditions that — in broad terms - arise as a result of genetic and environmental vulnerability factors acting together. Dr. Jehannine Austin's research focuses on improving outcomes for people with mental illness and their families by helping them to better understand the causes of mental illness.

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