## ACHD Psychology Resources:

## Chronic Pain

Useful resources:

ACHD Network website (ACHD network wide support for mental health)

https://www.swswchd.co.uk/image/page/HowDolCopeWithPersistentPain-1.pdf

<u>The British Heart Foundation (heart-safe specific pain coping mechanisms)</u> <u>https://www.bhf.org.uk/informationsupport/heart-matters-magazine/wellbeing/coping-with-pain</u>

<u>Pain tool Kit</u> (This Pain Toolkit website provides handy tips and skills to support people along the way to managing their pain.)

https://www.paintoolkit.org/

<u>British Pain Society</u> (*This website has information leaflets that you can download, as well as a list of addresses and links to other websites.*)

www.britishpainsociety.org.uk

<u>Pain Concern</u> (Pain Concern provides information and support for pain sufferers, those who care for them and about them, free factsheets and leaflets to help you manage your pain.)

www.painconcern.org.uk

<u>Action on Pain</u> (Action on Pain is a growing national charity that provides practical help and support to people living with or affected by chronic pain. The charity is run by a team of people who have direct experience of living and dealing with long-term pain conditions.)

www.action-on-pain.co.uk

<u>CD-Living with chronic pain</u> ("Living with Chronic Pain" - Neil Berry's CD can be downloaded (free) or listened to on line at It includes information about strategies to help manage pain plus a guided relaxation exercise.)

www.paincd.org.uk