A Matter of Balance: Managing Concerns about Falls

Age Requirements 60 +Available 24/7 No Intake Contact **Crystal Bynum** Intake Contact Email cbynum@ssseva.org Intake Process Contact intake at 757-461-9481. Intake Contact Telephone (757) 461-9481 Provider Refer Yes Self Refer Yes Senior Services of Southeastern Virginia http://www.ssseva.org/ Main (757) 461-9481 2551 Eltham Avenue Suite Q 23513 VA United States Monday: 8:30 am-4:30 pm Tuesday: 8:30 am-4:30 pm Wednesday: 8:30 am-4:30 pm Thursday: 8:30 am-4:30 pm Friday: 8:30 am-4:30 pm Saturday: Closed Sunday: Closed

Fee Structure No Fee Languages Spoken English

A Matter of Balance: Managing Concerns About Falls/Fall Prevention Program is an 8-week structured group intervention workshop that emphasizes practical strategies to reduce fear of falling and increase activity levels. Participants learn to view falls and fear of falling as controllable, set realistic goals to increase activity, change their environment to reduce fall risk factors, and exercise to increase strength and balance.

Many adults experience concerns about falling and restrict their activities. This program is designed to manage falls and increase activity levels. This evidencebased program was developed at Boston University.

Who can benefit from Matter of Balance? Anyone who 1) is concerned about falls, 2) is interested in improving balance, flexibility, and strength, 3) who has fallen in the past and 4) has restricted activities because of falling concerns.

Classes are held once a week for 8 weeks for 2 hours each.

For more information, call intake at 757-461-9481.

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