



Proclamation

By the Governor of Alabama

WHEREAS, the American Counseling Association has declared the month of July, 2021 as Minority Mental Health Month; and

WHEREAS, professional counselors remain concerned about racial and cultural disparities that are still evident in the mental health treatment system in our nation impacting life outcomes across the life span; and

WHEREAS, professional counselors encourage organizations and localities to eliminate barriers for professional counseling services in minority serving schools, colleges, mental health agencies, community agencies, hospitals, rehabilitation centers, private practice and other delivery settings; and

WHEREAS, an improved understanding of multicultural counseling and minority mental health will be beneficial to all;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Kay Ivey, Governor of Alabama, do hereby proclaim the month of July 2021, as

Minority Mental Health Month

in the state of Alabama.



*Given Under My Hand and the Great Seal of the
Office of the Governor at the State Capitol in the City
of Montgomery on the 11th day of June 2021.*

Kay Ivey

Kay Ivey, Governor