# Hi everyone. Staying healthy mentally through all this is paramount and hopefully this helps. Below are different areas I've identified that could hopefully help you stay sane. Take care and love yourself

Comment in the doc if there's anything that you want added to this list

### Meditation:

- Free 25 minute meditation session. Access this here.
- Slow Breath Free Breathing exercises online
- Dr. Candice Nicole also has resources as well. Here is a link to her page

### **Positive Areas of the internet:**

- New Yorker Caption Contest They post an illustration and challenge you to come up with the best Caption! Very fun and thought provoking
- JI8 Comic Strip A free online comic book strip that takes superheroes and makes them
  8 year olds. It's cute, funny and all around good fun
- Quick Draw: Draw a terrible doodle and let Google's new Al try to guess what it is!
- Radio Garden Interactive radio that lets you listen all to radio stations all around the world. Great for escaping our news and tuning into random broadcasts around the world!
- <u>100,000 Stars</u> Leaving the planet at times like this seems ideal. However all of us are not astronauts. This website allows you to visit star constellations in 3D
- <u>Contagious Laughter Reddit</u> A place where people post videos that cause people to laugh uncontrollably
- <u>FatFingers</u> A website that posts Ebay auctions that are misspelled and often don't have bids attached to them. Practical
- Generative Art Don't ask what it is. You'll thank me later

### **Black Movies that are not triggering:**

- Crooklyn. \$3.99 on Amazon Prime
- Blazing Saddles Hulu
- Undercover Brother Hulu
- Coming to America \$3.99 on Amazon Prime
- Trading Places \$3.99 on Amazon Prime
- Good Burger Netflix
- Johnson Family Vacation (Cedric the entertainer) \$3.99 on Amazon Prime
- Queen Sono (African Series about a badass female spy) watch it on Netflix
- Soulplane ridiculous but honestly so fun watch it on Netflix
- House Party \$2.99 on Amazon Prime
- Rhythm and Flow Hip hop Music competition. Entertaining watch it on Netflix
- Nutty professor movies! Classic Hulu

- Barber shop Hulu
- Bad Boys Netflix
- Cooley High watch it with Amazon Prime
- Car Wash \$3.99 on Amazon

## Music: I can go on about music for days but I'm gonna limit it to 10 songs that I've been playing every morning

- Optimistic Sounds Of Blackness
- For once in my life Stevie Wonder
- Before I let Go Maze
- Fantastic Voyage Lakeside
- I wanna be your lover Prince
- Strength Courage & Wisdom India Arie
- Hangin' Out Kool & the Gang
- Summertime DJ Jazzy Jeff & The Fresh Prince (Will)
- I'm Black and I'm Proud James Brown
- My Power Nija

I'm going to put together a ton of spotify playlists for this so stay tuned.

### **Black Owned Restaurants and Businesses**

- The eatokra app lets you search black owned restaurants in a bunch of different cities
- <u>Black-owned Etsy List</u> Email to add Black owned Etsy shops to the list that they promote on the website! Great list.
- New York Order pick up / delivery from black owned restaurants, bakeries, wine shops, etc., there's a Google doc here with a bunch
- <u>Bay Area</u> <u>see list here</u> for some black-owned restaurants
- Atlanta check out the <u>Black and Mobile website / app</u>, first Black Owned food delivery service that exclusively partners with Black Owned restaurants to give them more exposure and customers
- DC here's a list of black owned restaurants open during COVID
- <u>Chicago</u> check out <u>black owned Chicago</u> where you can search different black-owned businesses
- Baltimore black owned restaurants here
- Chicago another list here of various black owned restaurants open during COVID
- St Louis here's a list of some restaurants
- LA list here
- This article here also has a bunch of lists compiled in one place if you don't see your city above
- List of black owned Etsy stores

### **Youtube Videos that are fun and funny:**

- Mid Day News Black Vs White SNL
- Black Jeopardy SNL

• Is country music racist - Key & Peele

### **At-Home Fitness:**

- OrangeTheory posts free online workout videos on Youtube daily, <u>checkout their channel</u> here
- DownDog yoga app is free through July 1st, access the app <a href="here">here</a>
- YMCA has free videos online across a lot of different areas (yoga, HIIT, etc.)
- Planet Fitness posts workout videos on their Facebook

### LASTLY TALK TO ME. 571-484-4122. IF YOU ARE SAD, LONELY OR NEED SOMEONE PLEASE PLEASE REACH OUT TO ME. YOU ARE LOVED