

What Research Tells Us About Peer Support and Social Reintegration

- Out of 596 respondents, researchers found that **survivors who attended peer support had better social outcomes** than those who did not.
- Providing burn survivors with long-term psychosocial support to address individualized needs-including grief and trauma-is **"essential in helping them reclaim their lives and progress through recovery."**
- Social Interactions and Social Activities After Burn Injury: A Life Impact Burn Recovery Evaluation (LIBRE) Study showed **a lack of social participation can have severe effects**, such as depression.

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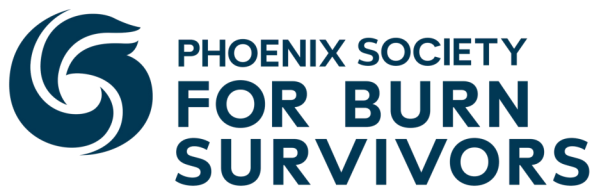
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