

FUNDAMENTALS OF SUICIDE PREVENTION

Thursday, May 16, 2024
1:00pm - 3:15pm

SESSION DESCRIPTION

Suicide is a major public health issue contributing heavily to the most common causes of death across populations. However, suicide is preventable. This training will offer a standardized approach that can be adapted to a range of settings for the prevention of suicide. Highlighting the importance of basing suicide prevention efforts in culturally responsive approaches, this session will share best practices related to specific cultural groups who may be at increased risk for suicide.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

- Identify risk and protective factors for suicide and differentiate between risk factors and warning signs
- Recognize the recommended standard care elements in a behavioral health outpatient setting
- Identify screening and assessment tools for use in suicide prevention
- Outline the key elements of an effective Safety Planning Intervention

Target Audience

Social service providers and helping professionals with direct client contact, and their supervisors

Course Delivery Format

Live webinar

Interactivity

This course will offer real-time polling, group discussion prompts, break-out groups, and 15 minutes of Q&A time.

Social Work Practice Level

This course is appropriate for beginner and intermediate BSW/MSW learners

Social Work Credit Hours Offered

2 clinical CE credits*

Fees

\$25 general registration; additional \$5 for registration with social work CE credit



To register, please visit:

go.housingfirstuniversity.org/prevention516

Upon receipt of payment, attendees will receive a receipt via email with the link to finalize their course registration with Zoom. Information for accessing the live webinar will then be sent directly from Zoom.

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COURSE COMPLETION REQUIREMENTS

Attendees must attend the entirety of the virtual session with system video and audio enabled to participate and respond to all poll questions and activities. Certificates will be distributed to participants via email within two weeks of the course's conclusion. Attendees must complete a course evaluation within 48 hours via Google Forms to receive a certificate. Course evaluation links will be distributed during the session and via email immediately following the training. Individuals must attend the live webinar in order to receive a certificate of completion.

SYSTEM REQUIREMENTS

Webinar participants must have access to a computer, tablet, or smartphone with high speed Internet, microphone, speakers, webcam, and a (free) Zoom video conferencing account.

Accreditation information

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Cancellation & refund policy

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Schedule

12:50-1:00 PM	Virtual training room opens
1:00-1:15 PM	Welcome, Introductions, & Reflection
1:15-1:45 PM	Scope of the problem; risk and protective factors; cultural responsiveness; warning signs
1:45-2:30 PM	Standard Care Elements; assessment tools, safety planning
2:30-2:40 PM	Break
2:40-3:00 PM	Treatment modalities; Do's & Don'ts; Additional tips
3:00-3:15 PM	Q&A



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