

# CT Suicide Advisory Board VIA Zoom Meeting

March 10, 2022; 9:00-11:00 AM

# AGENDA

**Join Zoom Meeting** 

Meeting ID: 845 8622 4783 Passcode: 404692

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- I. Welcome & Introductions
  - Review of Minutes
- II. Presentation: Kaitlin Brown, <u>CCPG</u>, Brian Hatch, <u>All In: The Addicted Gambler's Podcast</u>, and Jeremy Wampler, <u>DMHAS PGS</u>, <u>Gambling Addiction-A Lead Risk Factor for Suicide</u>
- III. Reports
  - Suicide-related Grant Initiatives CDC grant update
  - Regional Suicide Advisory Boards
  - Foundations/Grief Coalition
    - American Foundation for Suicide Prevention
    - Brian T. Dagle Foundation
    - SAVE

- Jordan Porco Foundation
- My Friend Abby
- Other Foundations

- Committees
  - Armed Forces
  - Data to Action
  - Intervention-Postvention Response
- Lethal Means
- Zero Suicide & Clinical Workgroup
- Legislative Advocacy
- Attempt Survivors/ Lived Experience

- Awareness Campaign/Website/Outreach
- Member Updates
- IV. Meetings during the COVID-19 outbreak: We will continue to operate on a regular schedule unless informed by the Governor to do otherwise. Please use the guidance provided here by the CDC to stay well and keep others safe if you happen to be exposed or aren't feeling well: <a href="https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/index.html">https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/index.html</a>.
- V. 2022 Meeting Dates/Presentations:
  - 4/14/22: Rachel Collins, Counseling Services, Autism and Suicide
  - 5/12/22: Timothy Schmutte, Yale University, Geriatric Suicide Risk
  - 6/9/22: Jonathan Perloe, CT Against Gun Violence, Extreme Risk Protection Order & Suicide Prevention
  - 7/14/22: Advocacy Unlimited/Toivo, Alternatives to Suicide Program
  - 8/11/22: Dan Reidenberg, SAVE National, Suicide: The Greatest Human Tragedy
  - 9/8/22: CTSAB Annual Meeting: National Suicide Prevention Week/Month
  - 10/13/22: Lisa Barry, UCONN Health, Transition from Incarceration to the Community: Risk of Suicide-Related Outcomes
  - 11/10/22: CTSAB Lived Experience Committee Members, Why I Didn't Say Anything
  - 12/8/22: Jeanette Baker, United Way of CT/211 and Kevin Burns, CT Department of Transportation, CTSAB Lethal Means Committee, *Addressing Lethal Means through Partnerships for Suicide Awareness*

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