CT Suicide Advisory Board
VIA Zoom Meeting

August 10, 9:00-11:00 AM

AGENDA

1. Welcome and Introductions
   a. Review and approval of July minutes

2. Paulette Schwartz, MPH Student: Bridging You to Safety: A First Evaluation of Suicide Prevention Signage on Bridges in Connecticut

3. CTSAB Business Reports
   a. Suicide Related Grant Initiatives
      i. Caitlyn Ogilvie from Child and Family Agency - Urgent Crisis Centers Update
      ii. MTPN - Tribal/Good Medicine: Scott Barton
   b. Regional Suicide Advisory Boards (RSAB)
      i. RYASAP The Hub (Southern): Victoria O'Neill
      ii. Alliance for Prevention & Wellness (APW) (Southcentral): Taylor Gainey
      iii. Supporting & Engaging Resources for Action & Change (SERAC) (Eastern): Mark Irons
      iv. Amplify, Inc. (Northcentral): Allyson Nadeau
      v. Western Connecticut Coalition (Western): Abby Wood
   c. Foundations
      i. American Foundation for Suicide Prevention: Michelle Peters
      ii. Brian Dagle Foundation: Ann Dagle
      iii. Jordan Porco Foundation: Marisa Giarnella-Porco
      iv. My Friend Abby: Gillian Anderson
   d. Committees and Co-chairs
      i. Attempt Survivors/Lived Experience: Steve MacHattie & Val Lepoutre
      ii. Data to Action: Jen Sussman & Sara Wakai
      iii. Education & Advocacy: Allyson Nadeau & Ayleska Tilly
      iv. Intervention/Postvention Response: Mark Irons & Ann Dagle
      v. Lethal Means: Cathy Sisco & OPEN
      vi. Zero Suicide Learning Community: Andrea Duarte, Marissa Sicley-Rogers & Steve Rogers
   e. Awareness/Campaign/Website/Outreach: Jeanette Baker

4. 2023 Meeting Dates/Presentation
   a. 9/14: National Suicide Prevention Month - RSAB TAKEOVER
   b. 10/12 Cheryl Weinstock, SAVE-Awarded Journalist, Responsible Reporting on Suicide
   c. 11/9 CTSAB Lived Experience Committee, Recovery After Surviving An Attempt
   d. 12/14: Marissa Sicley-Rogers, Melissa Morgera, Sara Jones, Erica Moura, Hartford Healthcare/Institute of Living, Suicide Postvention: Providing Care for the Caregivers

In Crisis call 988 or 211 in CT; Text CT to 741741 or text 988; or Chat at 988lifeline.org. In an Emergency Call or Text 911.
Contact alice.demeo2@ct.gov if you would would like to present or have suggestions for 2023 presentations

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