



MMA First Fridays

Addressing Suicide Risk in Healthcare Settings: Assessment, Management and Follow-up

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Suicide is the 10th leading cause of death across the lifespan and the leading cause of injury death in Maine. Healthcare settings are an effective site for identification and intervention; someone at increased risk for suicide is much more likely to be seen in a primary practice or other healthcare setting than to initially seek help from a mental health clinician. Some of the most vulnerable, including those with depression, middle aged men and older adults seek help from their primary care or other medical practitioner. Gaining the assessment tools and office protocols to effectively address suicide risk is increasingly important during this time of rising suicide rates.

OBJECTIVES

This workshop is designed to:

1. Present a model for suicide prevention protocol in primary care and other healthcare settings
2. Develop a rationale for suicide prevention in healthcare settings
3. Build awareness of populations at increased risk for suicide,
4. Increase skills in carrying out a suicide assessment interview,
5. Introduce an evidence-based screening tool to assess and quantify suicide risk,
6. Increase skills in use of risk assessment to inform level-of-care decision making

AGENDA

- 8:30 AM** Registration
- 9:00** Introduction and Background Information on Suicide in Maine
- 9:45** Integration of Suicide Prevention in Healthcare Settings
- 10:15** Break
- 10:30** Suicide Risk Assessment and the Assessment Interview
- 11:15** Response to Risk; Level of Care, Safety Planning and Follow-up
- 11:45** Wrap-up and Questions

FACULTY

Greg A Marley, LCSW is the Clinical Director of NAMI Maine and has devoted much of his professional efforts over the past 8 years to addressing suicide prevention in multiple settings in Maine. He has provides training, infrastructure development and technical assistance to integrate suicide prevention into schools and colleges, worksites, community agencies and healthcare practices, including a partnership with MMA and MPCA to bring this effort to primary care practices.

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