

eCare Behavioral Health: Suicide Screening, Risk, and Prevention

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Program Goal: Suicide is the 10th leading cause of death with nearly half a million people presenting to emergency room's in the United States each year following a suicide attempt. Early detection of suicide risk is critical for prevention. This educational activity reviews importance of screening tools and, when follow-up and treatment are used along with the screening tools, the associated improved patient outcomes.

Target Audience: Physician, Nurse, Social Worker

Objectives:

- 1 Review factors that increase risk of suicide.
- 2 Recognize available screening tools for suicide risk.
- 3 Describe possible next steps after utilizing a suicide risk screening tool.

Outcome: 100% of learners will demonstrate knowledge of suicide factors, screening and prevention by passing a post-test with score of $\geq 80\%$.

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For successful completion:

- a. View the education activity
- b. Complete the post-test with a score of $\geq 80\%$.
- c. Complete the evaluation

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