



K-12 Suicide Prevention, Early Intervention & Crisis Response Team Training Series

The Santa Clara County Office of Education, Santa Clara County Behavioral Health Services Department, and the HEARD Alliance are partnering to offer a K-12 Suicide Prevention, Early Intervention & Crisis Response Team (CRT) training series for schools who are seeking to establish a site-based CRT and/or who would like support with building a more robust CRT.

California Education Code (EC) Section 215, as added by AB 2246 and AB1767, mandates that “any local educational agency (LEA) that serves pupils in grades kindergarten to twelve, inclusive, adopt a policy on pupil suicide prevention, intervention, and postvention.” This training series centers on the HEARD Alliance’s K-12 Toolkit for Mental Health Promotion & Suicide Prevention, which draws on evidence-based national and state youth suicide prevention guidelines and serves as an implementation tool for California’s suicide prevention policy.

This virtual five-part series will outline steps to ensure school personnel (teachers, staff, administration) and mental health professionals are trained to respond to student concerns and crises by strengthening their crisis response protocols and implementing best practice prevention efforts.

For more information, please contact:

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Location: Virtual (*Zoom links to be provided*)

#1: Informational Session & Toolkit Overview

Date & Time: 09/22/2022 @ 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.

Audience: All staff, including Mental Health Providers, School Leaders & District Leaders

#2: Early Identification, Intervention & Crisis Response

Date & Time: 10/27/2022 @ 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.

Audience: Crisis Response Team Members

#3: Intervention Follow Up Session

Date & Time: 12/08/2022 @ 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.

Audience: Crisis Response Team Members

#4: Postvention is Prevention

Date & Time: 01/19/2023 @ 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.

Audience: Crisis Response Team Members

#5: Promotion of Mental Health & Wellness

Date & Time: 03/02/2023 @ 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.

Audience: Crisis Response Team Members
(*site/district SEL teams/leaders also welcome!*)

Cost: Free

Please register by September 8th, 2022:

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