

The United States Public Health Service: Nursing Professional Advisory Committee
Career Development Sub-Committee
and the
Centers for Disease Control Nurse Working Group
Presents a Live Webinar:

**Responding to the National Public Health Threat of Suicide:
Engaging Nurses as Partners in Prevention**

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Webinar Description:

The goal of this activity is to provide timely information on national public health initiatives and priorities to improve nurse's understanding of how their work contributes to public health practice to improve population health outcomes.

Lisa Horowitz, PhD, MPH and Deborah Snyder, MSW, LCSW-C will discuss suicide and suicidal behavior as a major public health problem. They will also discuss the public health approach to leveraging the medical setting and healthcare providers as partners in suicide prevention. They will discuss utilization of the Ask Suicide Screening Questions (ASQ) tool to identify suicide risk and the use of clinical pathways to optimize patient safety through the efficient use of available resources. Case examples of settings that have successfully implemented suicide risk screening programs will be shared, with time for questions, answers and discussion.

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Target Audience:

This webinar is designed for Registered Nurses and Nurse Practitioners.

Learning Objectives:

1. Explain the nursing implications of the topic addressed during the presentation *
2. Describe how the nurse's work contributes to public health practice and population health *
3. Discuss priority health and policy issues that address current and emerging public health problems and issues *
4. Describe impact of intersection of public health and nursing science in practice at the population and community level as it relates to achieving health outcomes

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