



# Suicide Prevention Oversight Committee

7/15/2011

# Agenda

- Review Policy & Governance
  - Workgroup \* MHSA Fund Update
- Present SACS caller data
- Update on Workgroups
- Suicide Prevention & Intervention Trainings & Presentations
- PEI P5 update
- Annual Report due to BOS
- Plan for SP activities



# Review Policy & Governance Workgroup

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## Policy and Governance: Strategy 4

*Implement policy and governance advocacy to promote systems change in suicide awareness and prevention*

<b>Local Advocacy</b>	Increase public awareness of Suicide as a preventable public health issue
	Promote Suicide Safety Plans among “counselors”
	Advocate for supportive, enabling policies and legislation
	With Police to expand Crisis Intervention Training (CIT)
	Track adoption of suicide prevention policy by <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• school districts</li> <li>• Municipalities/cities</li> <li>• Government agencies</li> <li>• nursing homes</li> <li>• Businesses</li> </ul>
<b>Advocacy at National or State Level</b>	Funding for National Violent Death Reporting System, Depression Centers of Excellence
<b>Collaboration with State</b>	Leverage CalMHSA regarding <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Student Mental Health Initiative</li> <li>• State suicide prevention efforts &amp; programs</li> <li>• Ethnic specific programs</li> </ul>

# Policy & Governance Workgroup

- Ad-hoc meeting schedule
- Developing dedicated Webpage to post
  - Templates/ resources like PSN's Blueprint, Media Safe Reporting Guidelines
  - Other?
- QPR Instructor training
- NACo Conference on SP Planning 7/18/11
- AFSP and SPRC: After a Suicide: A Toolkit for Schools



# SACS: Available Data

## Data Collected by SACS as of July 2011

Kind of Call	Crisis; Callback; Disconnect/Hangup; Information; Miscellaneous/Unknown; Police; Resource/Support/Rapport; Sex caller; Trace; Triage
Suicide Risk at the beginning & end of call	Trace; High; Medium; Low; None
Primary Problem/Issue	Emotional; Physical/Medical; Social/Relationship; Other; Unknown
Gender	Not mandatory
Age	Not mandatory, rarely collected



# Updates: Workgroups



# Data Workgroup

- Have met twice; Dr. Joshi-chair
- Describing data collected by Coroner's Office and Public Health Office.
- Strategic question identified- what percentage of suicide deaths are investigated by Child/ DV/ Elder Death Review Committees?
- ER Nurses- pending; no update

	<b>CME</b>	<b>PHD</b>	<b>Law Enforcement</b>	<b>Probation- DOC ADULTS</b>	<b>Juvenile Hall- 12-18 yrs (14- 18 majority)</b>	<b>Veterans Administration</b>	<b>DADS</b>	<b>MHD</b>	<b>SACS</b>
<b>Other</b>									
<b>Ideation</b>									
<b>Suicide Attempts</b>									
<b>Suicide Deaths</b>									
<b>Main Reporting Agency</b>									
<b>Additional Baseline Data Recommendation</b>									
<b>Quick Wins</b>									

# Intervention Workgroup

- First meeting 7/19; Mary Ojakian - Chair
- About 25 members: In addition to CBOs and suicide attempters and survivors, also have two faith communities (Muslim and Jewish)
- Promoting to the public with the SP Community list
- Joining regional RFP for state Suicide Hotline



# Communications Workgroup

- First meeting Anticipated Sept. 2011- recruiting chair
- Cal Train cameras press reports
- Promote safe reporting guidelines
- Working with Office of Suicide Prevention to collect working promotional campaigns and slogans for this group
- Listening Campaigns- update



# Updates: Trainings

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- QPR contract- purchased. Two months for customization and data management to be completed.
- Applied Suicide Intervention Skills Training (ASIST): 89 completed two-day training
- Psychological Profile Training- Oct. 2011
- CBT for Older Adults- End Cohort 1

# PEI P5: Update

- MHSA Funds- first deposit made, Finance is processing
- Recruitment for SP Coordinator and additional staff for SACS – August 2011

# PEI P5: Board Report

- Need to define key elements
- Need a process to verify this so we can meet December 2011 deadline to HHC





# Suicide Prevention Activities

Promote & Participate in

September

- World Suicide Prevention Day  
9/10/11
- Send Silence Packing by Active Minds (probably 19th to 22<sup>nd</sup>)  
locations in Bay Area TBD

# Suicide Prevention Activities

Promote & Participate in  
October

- Mental Illness Awareness Week  
(2-8)
- Out of the Darkness Community  
Walk by AFSP in San Francisco

November

- National Survivors of Suicide  
Day- 11/19/11

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