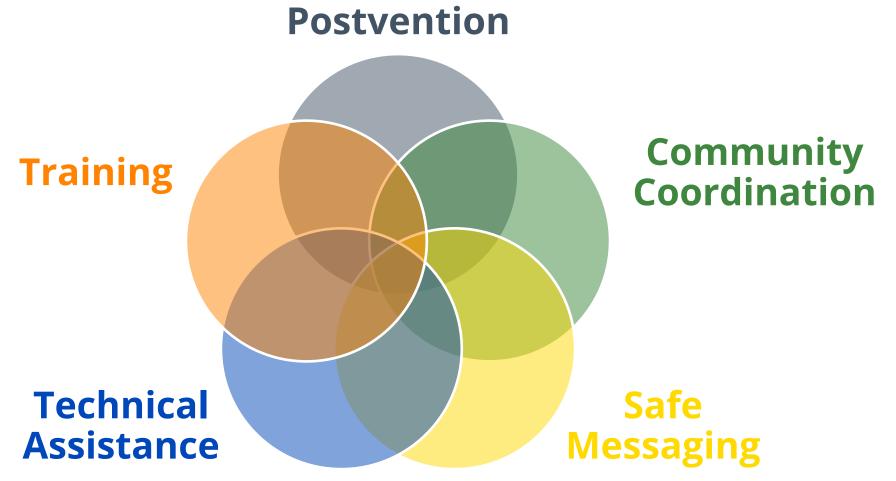
National Suicide Prevention Awareness Month 2024



Suicide Prevention Program Overview





Data and Resources

Deschutes County

Historically, in Deschutes County, roughly three people die by suicide each month.





Youth in Deschutes County

- We also know that 58% of all Deschutes County deaths among 10-17 year olds were suicide. This is higher than the State of Oregon and the Nation.
- In the last decade, suicide is the leading cause of death for ages 10-17 in Deschutes County.





Lethal Means in Deschutes County



 Reducing access to lethal means is a vital suicide prevention intervention.

Over the past three years,
 61% of all Central Oregon
 suicide deaths of youth ages
 24 and under were by
 firearm.

Overview

 Suicide is a complex public health issue.

We must remain vigilant.

 One death by suicide is too many.





National Suicide Prevention Awareness Month Events

ASFP Out Of Darkness Walk



Saturday September 7th

Alpenglow Park Bend, Oregon

Registration Starts at 11:00am Walk Starts at 11:45am











2024 National Suicide Prevention Awareness Week

CANDLELIGHT VIGIL

Join us for a community event that will include activities for community connecting and healing, stories, poetry, music, and a moment of silence to honor and remember those we have lost to suicide.



Thursday September 12th

6:30pm-8:00pm

Downtown Bend Bend-La Pine Schools Ed Center 520 NW Wall Street



Candlelight Vigil







Community Counseling on Access to Lethal Means (CALM) Presentation



Esperanza, Ayuda y Sanación 2024



In honor of:

Hispanic Heritage Month ਈ National Suicide Prevention Awareness Month

ESPERANZA, AYUDA Y SANACIÓN



FRIDAY 27 DE SEPTIEMBRE



6:30 P.M.-8:30 P.M.





Virtual: Zoom

En Persona: LCA Community Room 2680 NE Twin Knolls Dr., #110, Bend



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Gratitude and Recognition





Thank You!

For your willingness to highlight this important health matter in our community, we thank you!

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