Purpose: Learners will review and discuss current evidence-based practices focusing in primary care, psychiatric-mental health and pediatrics.

“Communicating With Families Saves Lives - Suicide Prevention in Youth and Young Adults”
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Session 310
12:15 pm – 1:30 pm
October 5, 2013
1.25 contact hours including 0.0 pharmacology hours

Session Description: This is a presentation on a tool for communication with families of potentially suicidal patients.

Learning Objectives: Upon completion of this session, the learner will be able to:

1. Define the relative magnitude of suicide in Oregon and nationally.
2. State the therapeutic and practical values of communication with families of patients, and what such communication does and does not entail.
3. Recognize that relevant laws allow a great deal of communication with families (or those in similar position) of patients who are at elevated risk of suicide.
4. State how relevant codes of ethics encourage greater communication with families.
5. Practice using the suicide prevention checklist to provide desirable communication.

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