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## PRIMARY CARE SUICIDE RISK ASSESSMENT AND MANAGEMENT RESOURCES

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### Suicide Risk Consultation Service

- VA Suicide Risk Management Consultation Program  
<http://www.mirecc.va.gov/visn19/consult/index.asp>

*One-on-one consultation at no charge for VA Providers with general or specific questions about suicide risk management. You can speak directly with VA suicide prevention specialists about assessment, conceptualizing suicide risk, treatment options, or evidence-based resources for suicide risk management. Make your request online at: <http://vaww.mirecc.va.gov/srm/>*

### Clinical Practice Guideline

- **VA/DoD Clinical Practice Guideline: Assessment and Management of Patients at Risk for Suicide**  
<http://www.healthquality.va.gov/guidelines/MH/srb/>

*Provides practitioners in VA and DoD health care systems comprehensive evidence-based recommendations for the assessment and management of suicide risk. This guideline also includes a clinical algorithm for the assessment and management of suicide risk in primary care.*

### Toolkit

- **Suicide Prevention Toolkit for Rural Primary Care Practices**  
<http://www.sprc.org/webform/primary-care-toolkit>

*Includes information and tools to implement state-of-the-art suicide prevention practices in primary care settings. Although designed with the rural practice in mind, this toolkit is suitable for use in non-rural settings as well.*

### Trainings

- **Recognizing and Responding to Suicide Risk in Primary Care**  
<http://www.suicidology.org/training-accreditation/recognizing-responding-suicide-risk-primary-care>

*A one-hour training program that provides physicians, nurses, nurse practitioners, and physicians assistants knowledge to integrate suicide risk assessments into routine office visits, to formulate relative risk, and to work collaboratively with patients to create treatment plans.*

- **Counseling on Access to Lethal Means**  
<http://training.sprc.org/>

*Access to lethal means can determine whether a person who is suicidal dies or survives. This free online course is designed for providers who counsel people at risk for suicide, primarily mental health and medical providers, but also clergy and social service providers.*