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*A Suicide Prevention Program for School Administrators*

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## RESOURCES: Crisis Response for Schools in Addressing the Suicide of a Student

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### ... More resources

#### SCHOOL-BASED YOUTH SUICIDE PREVENTION GUIDE

- Toolkit that provides a framework for schools to assess their existing or proposed suicide prevention efforts (through a series of checklists) and provides resources to enhance existing program  
<http://theguide.fmhi.usf.edu/>

#### COMING SOON FROM U.S. DEPT. OF HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES

- IN DEVELOPMENT! A SUICIDE PREVENTION TOOLKIT FOR HIGH SCHOOL PERSONNEL from SAMHSA will help educators implement school suicide prevention at high school level

### Check out these resources ...

#### 4th EDITION (2009) OF LAUDED MAINE PROGRAM

- Youth Suicide Prevention, Intervention and Postvention Guidelines  
<http://www.maine.gov/suicide/docs/Guidelines%2010-2009--w%20disc.pdf>

#### SCHOOL SUICIDE PREVENTION ACCREDITATION PROGRAM

- Program from American Association of Suicidology teaches evidence-informed techniques for prevention and postvention of suicide in schools  
<http://www.suicidology.org/web/guest/certification-programs/school-professionals>

#### FROM THE SUICIDE PREVENTION RESOURCE CENTER

- Multiple resources and Best-Practice Registry from the nation's only suicide technical assistance center  
<http://www.sprc.org>

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