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Suicide Risk Assessment Part 1

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1:00 PM ET

Presented by Misty
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Description

Suicide Risk Assessment is a training for mental health clinicians who provide counseling and assessment in a variety of settings. The training will demonstrate ways clinicians can recognize, assess, and intervene when working with at-risk clients. By the end of the webinar, participants will be able to:

- Identify and evaluate personal attitudes toward suicide
- Identify risk and protective factors
- Increase awareness of warning signs
- Identify key elements in Crisis Response Planning

Key take-home skills that participants can apply in their work:

- Participants will be knowledgeable about personal views of suicide and increase sensitivity towards suicidal ideation and suicidal behaviors
- Participants will be able to complete crisis and safety planning for clients
- Participants will be able to complete the C-SSRS tool for evaluation

About the Presenter

Misty Andrews has been a Tele-therapist and Internship Coordinator at Georgia HOPE for the past 8 years. She previously worked as a Crisis Helpline Responder, Crisis Assessment, and a School-based MH Therapist. She has successfully served children, adolescents, and adult clients experiencing mental health crises including suicidality, psychosis, domestic violence, trauma, and substance use. Misty completed her BA and her master's degree in Mental Health Counseling at Lindsey Wilson College. Misty is passionate about mental health awareness and the training of our future therapists. She empowers multidisciplinary service providers, families, and communities and serves a key role in bringing about stability and recovery to people living with mental health illness.

