



MULTIDISCIPLINARY COMMUNITY APPROACHES TO SUICIDE PREVENTION: POSTVENTION AS PREVENTION

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ABOUT THE PRESENTATION

Research indicates that 115 lives are negatively impacted by a single death by suicide. It is also known that exposure to suicide increases suicide risk. Both of these factors create an urgency to ensuring that communities and organizations understand the best practices for postvention, or the supports put in place directly following a suicide tragedy. By proactively thinking about postvention, we can manage risk and increase the amount of individuals who are being supported during their time of grief.

ABOUT THE PRESENTER



Cass Walton currently serves as the Executive Director of Pikes Peak Suicide Prevention Partnership. Cass has served in a variety of roles including a Therapeutic Living Director at a residential treatment facility for adolescent boys, a Program Director for a camp serving individuals with autism, and as a corporate Crisis Intervention Trainer for youth-serving organizations. Cass is a wife and mother of four children. She loves to play and coach volleyball. She is the queen of karaoke, and her current favorite motto is, "It starts with me!" She serves the local suicide prevention community as the Vice-Chair of The Suicide Prevention Collaborative of El Paso County and she sits on the steering committee for the Youth Suicide Prevention Work Group of El Paso County.

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