

Suicide Prevention in Young People



Suicide is among the leading causes of death among young people. Despite our best efforts, we still do not know which suicide prevention interventions work best for which group of young people, how, and why.

What is this project about?

We are a team of researchers at the University of Birmingham. We want to develop a model that can help us decide which interventions can help reduce rates of suicide & attempted suicide among young people aged 12-25.

Such interventions could include school-based programmes; general practitioner training, aftercare for those who have attempted suicide.

To do this, we are bringing together a group of people across our community including health, education, charities to work together to develop this model.

We are looking for:

Staff and/or volunteers working in NGOs, charities, youth advocacy organisations across Birmingham providing services and support to young people with lived experience of self-harm and/or suicidal behaviour.

PART 1

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Two (one-day) workshops with health professionals, young people, carers, policy makers and our research team to develop our model.

Workshops will take place at a convenient location (e.g. community hall) or online.

PART 2 (Optional)

✓ Two (half-day) workshops similar
to Part 1 to hear your views about
how best we can roll out those
interventions/programmes that
work best in reducing rates of
suicide & attempted suicide among
young people aged 12-25.

ONLINE

✓ A brief online survey questionnaire.



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