



**IDAHO YOUTH SUICIDE  
PREVENTION PROGRAM**

The Idaho Youth Suicide Prevention Program (IYSP) is a partnership between the Idaho Department of Education and the Idaho Department of Health and Welfare.

Our mission is to foster connectedness and resilience throughout Idaho school communities to prevent youth and young adult suicide.

## Statewide Services

- Annual clinician training in assessing and treating suicide risk
- Annual youth suicide prevention program grants for elementary and secondary schools with ongoing support and training
- Follow-up and reintegration support after a youth suicide attempt or severe suicide ideation resulting in an absence from school or work
- Idaho School Mental Health website with resources that promote safe, consistent and positive learning environments for all students
- Local and statewide conference scholarships for education professionals
- Peer-to-peer suicide attempt survivor support groups for young adults
- Postvention support after any sudden death that affects a school, not just death by suicide
- Safe messaging guidelines for schools and the media
- Suicide prevention gatekeeper training for adults
- Suicide prevention policy, practice, protocols, messaging and research consultations
- Suicide prevention, intervention, and postvention protocols and resources
- Suicide Safer Model Policy assistance for districts
- University and college grants to support suicide prevention and early intervention activities on campus
- Youth suicide assessments when other financial resources are unavailable

## Select District Services

- Community collaborative groups that enhance mental health promotion efforts at the community level
- Full-time, on-site clinician to provide behavioral health support to students and families
- School-based behavior frameworks and multi-tiered systems of support training and technical assistance



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If you or someone you know is experiencing an emotional or suicide crisis, contact the Idaho Crisis & Suicide Hotline by calling or texting 988.



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