OPR Training

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QPR Training is an **emergency mental health intervention** for suicidal individuals. QPR represents three simple steps anyone can learn and implement to help save someone from suicide.

What QPR Training Covers:

- To recognize the warning signs of a suicide crisis and how to question, persuade, and refer someone to help.
- How to offer hope, and how to get someone help.
- Intended to build confidence in identifying and interrupting the crisis and the best ways to connect someone to support.
- QPR is part of a system created to increase the chance of survival in the event of a crisis.

Ways to Learn:

- General training QPR can be learned through a Gatekeeper course in as little as one hour in person or via web video.
- Train the Trainer-certification is achieved through a one day instructor training (In-person or live web workshop options).
 The certification lasts 3 years.
- Course options include:
 - 1-hour Gatekeeper training
 - Train-the-Trainer
 - Community or Organization training
 - School-wide intervention education



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- 1. Source: American Foundation for Suicide Prevention
- 2. Source: National Alliance for Mental Illness)
- 3. Source: National Institute of Mental Health

Did you know?

On average,

130
people
die by suicide
every day¹

teens and young adults
live with a
mental health
condition²

49.5%
youth, aged13–18
live with a
mental disorder.
Of these, 22% experience a
severe impairment³

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