

Suicide Risk Screening Protocol

Staff member escorts student with Suicidal Thoughts and Behaviors to appropriate Response Team Member



RT member completes Suicide Screener to determine if student needs additional assessment



Screener indicates no further assessment is needed



 Notify Parents
 Set Follow Up Plan



Screener indicates
Suicide Risk
Assessment MUST
be completed



Screener indicates immediate referral to local hospital for assessment



Follow protocols for hospitalization

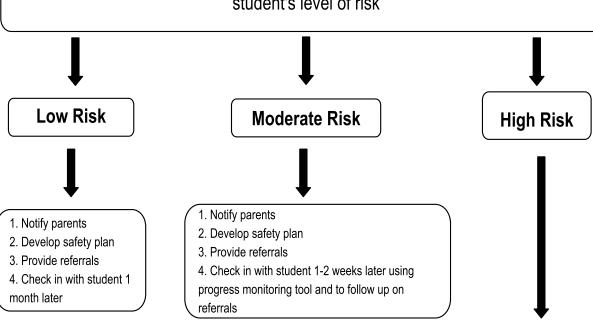


Suicide Risk Assessment Protocol

Student is referred for a Suicide Risk Assessment based upon results of the screener or professional judgment of support team member



Support Team Member completes the Suicide Risk Assessment to determine student's level of risk



- 1. Contact caregiver(s) and request that they come to the school
- 2. Discuss recommendations with caregiver(s) for a psychiatric assessment to be completed at a local hospital/emergency department. Be sure to be culturally sensitive and respectful.
- 3. Obtain consent for a SASS evaluation if the student is uninsured
- 4. Contact DCFS if caregiver(s) does not agree with recommendation and/or refuses to bring the student to the hospital
- 5. Contact local hospital to notify of student's arrival for assessment; obtain ROI if possible
- 6. Identify student liaison from your Support Team to work with student, caregiver(s), support team, and outside providers