

## 2020 MISSOURI ZERO SUICIDE ACADEMY®

Zero Suicide is a commitment to suicide prevention in health and behavioral health care systems and a specific set of tools and strategies. It is both a concept and a practice. Its core proposition is that suicide deaths for people under care are preventable and that the bold goal of zero suicides among persons receiving care is an aspirational challenge that health systems should accept. It represents a commitment to patient safety – the most fundamental responsibility of health care – and to the safety and support of clinical staff who treat and support suicidal patients.

The Zero Suicide Academy is a two-day training for senior leaders of health and behavioral health care organizations that seek to dramatically reduce suicides among patients in their care. Fourteen (14) health and behavioral healthcare organizations have been selected to attend the Zero Suicide Academy® to be held online in August 2020:

Behavioral Health Response (BHR)	St. Louis	MO
Center for Behavioral Medicine	Kansas City	MO
Northwest Missouri Psychiatric Rehabilitation Center	St. Joseph	MO
North Central Missouri Mental Health Center	Trenton	MO
Burrell Behavioral Health	Springfield	MO
Research Psychiatric Center, HCA Midwest	Kansas City	MO
Barnes Jewish Hospital	St. Louis	MO
FCC Behavioral Health	Kennett	MO
Mercy Health System	St. Louis	MO
CommCARE	Kansas City	MO
Comprehensive Mental Health Services	Independence	MO
Preferred Family Healthcare	Kirksville	MO
Fulton State Hospital	Fulton	MO
Centene	Clayton	MO